# Professional development of lecturers: The missing link in internationalisation





let's change YOU. US. THE WORLD. DE HAAGSE HOGESCHOOL Internationalisation of the curriculum has asserted its place in higher education. It is now considered a key instrument for all students to acquire international and intercultural competencies. Therefore, internationalisation of teaching and learning has moved into the centre of attention. requiring a range of new skills from lecturers. Most lecturers, however, have hardly been prepared for this. **Professional development options** are limited and lag behind what is needed. This conference focuses on research based ways to provide lecturers with the necessary skills.

Target audience of the conference are all stakeholders interested in professional development of lecturers, such as researchers, human resources officers, international officers, staff of teaching and learning centres, quality assurance officers and managers and leaders.

During the lunch on 20 September, a networking opportunity will be provided specifically for facilitators and teachers of the Basic Teaching Qualification Programmes (BDB and BKO) to discuss their role in internationalising curricula.

The conference marks the launching of the Centre of Expertise for Global Learning, an initiative of the professorships on the internationalisation of higher education at the Universities of Applied Sciences in The Hague, Rotterdam, Stenden and Zuyd UAS, in collaboration with Hanze UAS and Nuffic. The overall aim of the Centre of Expertise for Global Learning is contributing to global education for all student. The Centre's direct field of attention is equipping lecturers in Dutch universities of applied sciences with the skills to design and facilitate internationalised domestic learning environments, within both Dutch and English taught programmes of study.



### **CONFERENCE PROGRAMME**

#### 19 September 2017

16.30 - 17.30 Registration 17.30 - 19.00 Opening and panel discussion with students, introduced by *Prof. Elspeth Jones* 19.00 - 21.00 Reception

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O8.30 - 09.00	Registration, coffee and tea
09.00 - 10.00	Opening keynote: Prof. Marijk van der Wende
10.00 - 10.30	tea and coffee break
10.30 - 12.00	Parallel sessions     The role of Teaching and Learning Centres     Preparing lecturers for cross border online collaboration between students     Preparing lecturers for teaching in the international classroom     Internationalising learning outcomes
12.00 - 13.30	Lunch
13.30 - 15.00	Parallel sessions  Diverse classrooms  Lecturers as facilitators of reflecting on international experiences  Continuous learning pathways from primary to tertiary education  Collaborative learning and intercultural competences
15.00 - 15.30	Coffee and tea break
15.30 - 16.30	Panel discussion
16.30 - 17.15	Closing keynote: Dr. Jos Walenkamp
17.15 - 18.00	Drinks

## **CONFERENCE FEE:** € 125

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