

Different perspectives on programme and institution mobility

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This presentation looks at:

- 1. Scale and spread of program and institution mobility**
- 2. Types of provision**
- 3. Motivations and concerns for providers**
- 4. Practical issues for providers**
- 5. Host country regulations**
- 6. Future of the types of provision**

Scale and spread

- Little consolidated data
- UK: 191 countries
- Australia: 159 countries
- 300,000 students
- 100 branch campuses (ME and SEA)

Types of provision

- Distance education/ODL
- Partner supported delivery, incl twinning
- Full branch campus

Motivations and concerns for providers

- Motivations: Prestige; Academic benefits; Financial rewards
- Concerns: Risk – Reputation; Financial; Legal; Sovereign; Physical
- War zone; weak rule of law; language

Practical issues for providers

- What and how (curriculum, teaching, research)
- Costs (travel, salaries, infrastructure)
- Resources (provider, government, agency)

Host country regulations

- Demand absorption (expand provision)
- Enrichment (quality and complementarity)
- Export preparation (prestige, attract international students)

Future of the types of provision

- DE: mass or niche
- PSD: squeezed out in enrichment phase
- Branch campus: prestigious and multi-financed
- Diaspora, language, religion
- Developed and developing (times four)



Thank you!

