

# **INQAAHE II. Global Study Trends in Tertiary Education Quality Assurance: Challenges and Opportunities in Internal and External QA 2023-2025**

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# The II Global Study



- A series of cyclical scoping studies on external QA launched by UNESCO
- INQAAHE project → *Global Trends in Tertiary Education Quality Assurance: Internal and External QA (2018)*
  - Published in 2020 by Brill|Sense
  - Part I: global trends across all regions
  - Part II: trends in the following 7 regions: Africa, Arab States, Asia-Pacific, Eastern Europe, Latin America & Caribbean, North America, Western Europe

# The II Global Study



- INQAAHE has committed to deliver the *Global Trends* on a cyclical basis
- Collaborating with regional QA networks, university associations and lead tertiary education experts
- The II Global Study was launched in 2022  
→ to be published as a book in 2025



# The II Global Study



- An overview across all regions; update on the study status
- Composition of regional groups
- Methodology and content
- The surveys
- Some logistics



# The Regions



- Western Europe
- Eastern Europe
- Asia-Pacific
- Africa
- The Arab States
- North America
- Latin America & Caribbean



# The Regions: leads and teams

## Asia-Pacific

<b>Lead:</b>	<b>Angela Yung Chi Hou</b>	
Regional QA Network	AQAN	Chan Basaruddin Hazman Shah
Pakistan QA Network	APQN	Jianxin Zhang
Regional TEI Network	PNQAHE (Chief Strategy)	Syeda Asiyah
Expert South East)	AUN	Korn Ratanagosoom
Expert	South East Asian Expert, SEAMO (expert)	Ethel Valenzuela Hazman Shas
Expert	Expert (author)	Abdulah/Zia Ul Haq
Expert (India)	NAAC, Adviser-in-charge International Affairs at NAAC	B. S. Ponnudiraj Adviser
New Zealand	NZ Academic Quality	Sheelag Matear Dolly Seow
	NZ Qualifications	Neil Miller Tracy Carlon
Australia	TEQSA	Helen Gniel Katrina Quinn

## Eastern Europe

<b>Lead:</b>	<b>Simona Lache</b>	
Regional Network QA	CEENQA	Vesna Dodiković-Jurković
Expert (author)	Author	Aurelija Valeikiene (SKVC - LT)
Expert (author)	Author	Peter Lakatos (MAB - HU)

## Western Europe

<b>Lead:</b>	<b>Anna Prades</b>	
Regional QA Network	ENQA EQANIE, Former EQANIE President	Anna Gover Eduardo Vendrell Sanja Grobovšek
Regional QA Network	ECA EASPA	Solange Pisarz Rui Costa José Carlos QUADRADO (President)
Regional TEI Network	ENAAE	Ann Van Eycken (Secretary General)
	EUA	Maria Kelo (author)



# The Surveys



- EQA questionnaire – EQAB
- IQA questionnaire – HEI
- English → Translated into UNESCO's 6 official languages:
  - Arabic
  - French
  - Chinese
  - Russian
  - Spanish

# The Surveys



- To reach all countries and to maximize the responses
- About 20 minutes to complete the questionnaire
- Keep all your responses confidential
- All the responses will be aggregated
- Complete the questionnaire by *15<sup>th</sup> of October, 2023*
- [secretariat@inqaaha.org](mailto:secretariat@inqaaha.org)





# Beneficiary



- Tertiary education policymakers
- International organizations (e.g. UNESCO)
- Tertiary education leaders
- Quality assurance professionals
- Students
- Faculty and tertiary education community at large

# Methodology



- Literature review & document analysis
  - Launched in June and available until December 2023
- Focus groups
- Call for cooperation





<input type="checkbox"/> IQA Survey finalization	End of July
<input type="checkbox"/> Translation of the surveys	1-15 <sup>th</sup> of August
<input type="checkbox"/> Preparation of the data collection platform	August
<input type="checkbox"/> Administration of surveys	1 <sup>st</sup> of September – 30 <sup>th</sup> November
<input type="checkbox"/> Data analysis	December and onwards
<input type="checkbox"/> Preparation for focus groups	December 2023-January 2024
<input type="checkbox"/> Focus groups administration	January-July 2024



# Meetings



- Regional leads: once per month
- Overall working group meetings: once every 3 months
- Shared folder on Google Drive





Thank you for your attention!  
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