**Transforming international education for a sustainable future**

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Dear participants,

I would like to personally welcome everyone to the transforming international education for a sustainable future workshop. It is an exciting time for the faculty of Social Science at Lancaster University as we continue to grow and adapt, always being adaptable, proactive, and responsive to open up new opportunities in the field of Transnational Education.

The Transnational Education is facing many changes, and we are embracing these changes in an era of more remarkable national and global change. We will continue to meet and bring together inspiring people in workshops such as this to explore the cutting-edge insight of opportunities and challenges of digital enhanced teaching in Design degrees.

I’d like to give you an idea of what you can expect and what we hope to achieve today. We will run the event as workshop style, where we will invite colleagues from UK universities to share their insights on the opportunities and challenges of TNE teaching. These experiences and practices allow us to reflect the policies in both UK and Ministry of Education overseas. More closely, this would provide an evidence-based overview in the MoE policy interpretation, which would contribute to the university level global strategy in this landscape.

Before I close, I would like to thank each of you for attending our workshop and bringing your expertise to our gathering. As leaders in each field, you have the vision, knowledge, competence, and experience to help us pave the way to the future. You are truly our greatest asset. Throughout the event, I ask that you remain engaged to keep us proactive and help us shape the international education for a sustainable future. Our tribute and thanks to all of you.

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|   | SESSION TITLE |  | DATE |   |
|   | **Transforming international education for a sustainable future** |  | 28th June 2023 |  |
|   | SESSION LEAD |  | Time | SESSION DURATION |
|   | Chaoran Wang (CW), Sophie Lu (SL) |  | 10am - 3pm | 5 hours |
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|  | **TASK NAME** | **ASSIGNED TO** | **TIME** | **COMMENTS** |
| **1** | Welcome | Prof Emmanuel Tsekleves | 10:00 - 10:05 | open the day, introduce the FASS funding that support this workshop |
| **2** | Workshop introduction | CW & SL | 10:05 - 10:15 | general housekeeping, explain the structure of this workshop, and brief content |
| **3** | Attendees’ introduction | All | 10:15 - 10:30 | each attendee to give a brief introduction about themselves and their relations to TNE activities |
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| **4** | Workshop 1: Transnational Education: The New Landscape(Group discussion and illustration; duration approximately 45 minutes)- Identify the advantages and disadvantages in current situation/ policy for the host universities through group discussion and illustration. - Use Lancaster University College at BJTU as case study, what policy in China now are particularly benefit for the (survived) TNE institution? Why? - What the presented institutions have done right to survive in terms of their internationalisation strategies, in of academic and administrative perspective.  | All | 10:30 - 11:15 | 10:30 – 10:35 Introduction10:35 – 11:05 Group discussion11:05 – 11:15 Group reporting |  |
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| **Short Break at 11:15 for 10 mins** |  |
| **5** | Workshop 2: Adopt and adapt with UK policies and MoE’s requirements overseas(Group discussion and illustration; duration approximately 45 minutes)- What need to be improved in the current service we provided? - What do you think is the most urgent problem/ aspect that need to be improved? How to improve (methods)? - Do these methods/ strategies suitable for TNE institutions in other cultural background? Any universal usage?  | ALL | 11:25 - 12:20 | 11:25 – 11::30 Introduction11:30 – 12:10 Group discussion12:10 – 12:20 Group reporting11:00 – 11:05 Q&A |  |
| **6** | Warp-up about the morning workshops | CW & SL | 12:20 - 12:30 | Wrap up for the morning, thanks for external attendees and introduce afternoon activities to internal group members |  |
| **7** | **Lunch 12:30 - 14:00** |  |
| **8** | Workshop 3: Challenges and opportunities in transnational design teaching?- Internal discussion -Design Team, Review all workshops and collecting idea/thoughts/suggestions | All | 14:00 - 15:00 | Open discussion |  |
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