GLOBALISATION OF HIGHER EDUCATION

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Internationalisation of HE OECD categories of programmes that are international in character

- International subjects (European business, international relations)
- Utilisation of internationally comparative approaches
- Preparation for international career
- Foreign language programs aimed at fostering intercultural skills
- Area studies
- Preparation for internationally recognised qualifications
- Joint or double degrees
- Compulsory study abroad
- Programmes designed for foreign students



Mazzard's, Soutor's, Sim Yow Seng's three waves of HE internationalisation

<u>, first wave''</u> - students leave their home countries for study abroad (,,direct export'')

"second wave" – "progressive integration" based on licence sales or transfer, franchising for local universities from universities entering international markets

,,third wave" – offering ,,off shore" twinning programmes in specially prepared divisions and campuses



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The Scale of Globalisation and Internationalisation in HE four reasons due to which tomorrow's HE will be different than today's

- <u>Enormous money</u> global education and training industry is worth
 27 billion USD/year. Foreign students have brought into the American
 economy 11,9 billion USD yearly
- Ever-increasing number of students 1980 51 million;
 1995 82 million; 2050 120? 150? million students
- Clear end of the welfare state end of HE as a ,,public good"

Information and IT revolution



Globalisation of education via the Internet

- Students from across the globe affect the content of an on-line course
- Democratisation of access to HE and to degrees and diplomas that are inaccessible through conventional methods
- On-line programmes are cheaper and open to pursuit by home-bound people
 - Easier cooperation of several authors in the construction of a course offered on-line



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Other spheres of HE globalisation

- Universities formed by Christian churches
- "for-profit" universities
- Corporate universities
- Changes in China (,,211" HE Project)



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Current state of HE

- Dominance of internationalisation process over globalisation processes
- Dominance of English language as a tool of globalisation
- Domination of universities in English-lingual countries
- Differentiation in HE
- Positive influence of consumerism on the quality of the education process
- Transition from one-sided teaching to multidimensional learning
- Increased cooperation between universities (multitudeand differentiation of initiatives)



What can we expect in the future?

- Continued increase in communication and cooperation between HE institutions
- Continued differentiation in the education market
- Increase in student numbers across the world, with a probable decrease in Europe
- Will "global empires" emerge?
- What about current leaders?
- Will Internet-based teaching dominate HE?



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