

QAA Membership 2022-23: Supporting your institution's global outlook

Strong partnerships that positively benefit UK higher education

As an independent charity, focused on delivering benefits to students and higher education, our global reach and strong international partnerships support our members to:

- secure and reinforce UK higher education's global reputation for excellence
- enhance the student learning experience wherever they are studying.

This includes:

- engaging with governments, international agency partners and policy fora
- maintaining strong partnerships across Europe, providing a voice for UK higher education in the European Higher Education Area
- supporting international students in the UK, and transnational education (TNE) students overseas
- enhancing quality and managing risk in TNE and international partnerships
- policy briefings, discussion and debate for senior leaders in TNE.



QAA Membership allows our University to demonstrate its commitment to upholding the highest academic standards and support the UK higher education's global reputation for excellence.

Professor Malcolm Todd, Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Leeds Trinity University



Members wishing to engage actively with international quality matters, as well as those who wish to develop their international partnerships, TNE and international student support, can benefit even more by adding the optional International Insights service to their membership package. This provides practical support for your internationalisation work and engagement with international partners to develop your TNE and the international student experience.

International Insights strengthens internationalisation strategically and operationally through:

- country reports and supporting resources to support TNE developments in Pakistan, Singapore and Hong Kong
- webinar series to help manage risk and enhance quality in TNE
- resources to support and enhance the international student experience in the UK
- resources to support the internationalisation and sustainability agenda
- International Insights clinics for expert advice on your international operations
- policy updates, guidance and events providing opportunities to engage with agencies and influencers in key countries
- professional development opportunities and support through the Introduction to Partnerships training programme
- International Partnerships Policy and Practice Network to discuss the latest policy developments that are impacting international partnerships
- networking opportunities with our International Members.

In addition, institutions that have joined the QE-TNE Scheme get further benefits as an International Insights Member including:

- thematic analyses
- best practice guides/workshops
- toolkits and practical resources
- training and events.



QAA has an exemplary record in supporting institutions in their TNE activities. Bringing practitioners together in webinars and networks strengthens the community of practice. We have a common interest in the quality of UK provision through TNE.

**Professor David Law,
Academic Director: Global
Partnerships, Keele University**

The International Insights programme has been very useful over the past year in running a series of webinars on enhancing quality and managing risk in TNE and publishing country reports. I have particularly enjoyed the opportunity to learn and share best practice with staff and students from other institutions and gain insight from the country reports. This in turn has helped to shape my thinking in respect of my own institution and student experience.

Alison Greene, Head of Collaborative Provision, King's College London