

Thursday, August 29th, 2019, 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

Lecture Hall 5, Arnold-Bode-Straße 12
Methodological Perspectives
Evaluation
Chair: Don F. Westerheijden
Development of an Instrument to Evaluate Research Agendas Across all Fields of Science João M. Santos, Hugo Horta
A Research on Theory Construction and Evaluating of Graduates High-Quality Employment Runze Liu, Miaomiao Yu, Wenjing Yuan, Shuyi Shen, Yonghong Ma, Yanhua Bao

Chair

Don F. Westerheijden (University of Twente, The Netherlands)

Dr. Don F. Westerheijden is senior research associate at the Center for Higher Education Policy Studies (CHEPS, www.utwente.nl/cheps) of the University of Twente, the Netherlands, where he co-ordinates research on quality management and is involved in the co-ordination and supervision of Ph.D. students. Don mostly studies quality assurance and accreditation in higher education, its impacts, as well as university rankings. He edited and contributed to books on quality assessment in higher education, and (co-)authored a large number of articles on the topic. Evaluation of higher education policies is another of his research interests.

Speakers

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Hugo Horta is an Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Education of the University of Hong Kong since September 2014. After completing his Ph.D in Management and Industrial Engineering at the Instituto Superior Tecnico (IST), University of Lisbon, in 2007 (part of it performed in the Netherlands and in the US), and a postdoctoral spell in Tohoku University, Japan, he worked as Advisor to the Portuguese Secretary of State of the Ministry of Science, Technology and Higher Education, from 2010 to 2011. He also served as the Portuguese National delegate to the European Research Area Steering Committee on Human Resources and Mobility until 2014, chairing the ERA Working Group "Grant Portability", which analyzed the possibility to establish a grant portability scheme among European countries. Throughout this period, he authored and co-authored publications focused on higher education diversity, science policy and funding, research productivity and networking, doctoral career trajectories, internationalization of higher education, and academic mobility in international peer-reviewed journals, such as Higher Education, Research in Higher Education, Management Science, Technological Forecasting and Social Change, Science and Public Policy, Scientometrics, and Higher Education Policy among others. He is currently Coordinating-editor of Higher Education, a leading journal of higher education studies, and sits in the editorial boards of Higher Education Policy; Journal of Higher Education Policy and Management; Asia Pacific Education Review; Journal of Higher Education and Science; and the International Journal of Institutional Research and Management (IJIRM); He participates also in the Outreach Advisory Board of The Journal of the Learning Sciences. He recently co-edited two books. One on Trends and Challenges in Science and Higher Education: Building Capacity in Latin America with Manuel Heitor and Jamil Salmi, and other on Researching Higher Education in Asia: History, Development and Future with Jisun Jung and Akiyoshi Yonezawa.

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João M. Santos is a researcher based at the Lisbon University Institute (ISCTE-IUL) in Portugal, where he is currently pursuing a PhD in Psychology, after completing a degree in Social Psychology and another in Data Analysis. João collaborates regularly with other higher education institutions such as Instituto Superior Técnico (IST) in Portugal and the University of Hong Kong, and also provides consultancy for governments, trans-national organizations, and private businesses. His research work includes studies in the areas of science and technology policy, higher education, social psychology, and data analysis. His main interests are multidisciplinary studies with a strong emphasis on the social dimension of complex issues, with a preference for quantitative methods and techniques such as statistical analysis and machine learning.

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