Pop Art: Feedback in plenary from the breakout sessions

Statements

Breakout Session 1: Recognition

- Recognition of joint degree is the key factor guaranteeing the success of the joint programme.
- HEIs organising / awarding a joint programme are responsible for recognition of the recognition of joint degrees.
- The recognition bodies are flexible when recognising joint degrees but there are still legal obstacle.



Breakout Session 2: MULTRA

- MULTRA admission procedures need to take into account the national contexts.
- MULTRA should not raise expectations that cannot be fulfilled.
- MULTRA sends a signal. Will help to identify and dismantle obstacles for Joint Programmes.



Breakout Session 3: Single Accreditation Procedure Statements

- National Legislation needs to become more flexible for Joint Programmes. National components are the biggest burden of the framework.
- There shall be one joint (harmonized) accreditation period of six years in all countries.
- Language might be a yet underestimated limitation for the use of the framework.



Breakout Session 4: Internal Quality Assurance of Joint Programmes

- A JP must be evaluated only once, and completely.
- The investment, costs and benefits of building separate IQA systems must be considered by HEI when participating in several different JPs.
- It may be useful for Joint Programmes to have access to a pool of external evaluators experienced in the management of JP, to contribute to their IQA system.

