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INTERNATIONALIZATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION **Hanneke Teekens, University of Twente** **26th April 2002**

Presentation **10.00 - 11.30, Lecture Hall 01.18 (main building, first floor)**

In this presentation Hanneke Teekens will discuss the current issues in the internationalisation of higher education. The backdrop of the present debate is the introduction of the bachelor masters structure in Europe. Will we all become the same?

- How do 'old' and 'new' forms of cooperation compare and what about the emergence of competition, now that universities are invited to operate in a 'global market' ?
- Is internationalisation an aim in itself, or rather an instrument and what are the consequences for the institutional organisation of 'internationalisation' ?
- And last but not least we will look at the complicated interplay of administrative and academic issues when it comes to improving the quality of international education.

Workshop **13.00 - 16.00, Lecture Hall 01.18**
(max. 25 participants)

In this workshop we will look at some of the practical implications of the issues raised in the presentation. Participants are invited to actively take part in group work and discussion. We will look at the following issues:

- definition of internationalisation
- how to organize the process: centrally or on faculty level
- how to develop a policy on internationalisation (and keep it updated!)
- how to involve the non-mobile students



Hanneke Teekens is currently senior policy advisor for education and internationalisation at the University of Twente, Netherlands. She earned her degree in history at Leiden University and has been involved in education, training and consultancy for more than twenty-five years. She worked in the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York, the Hogeschool and University of Amsterdam and with Nuffic, the Netherlands organisation for international cooperation in higher education. Over the past five years she has been the course leader of the EAIE training courses. She has published on various aspects of the internationalisation of higher education. Her most recent consultancy assignment concerns a project on the establishment of six pilot community colleges in Vietnam.