

Staff-Student Partnership

What does it mean?

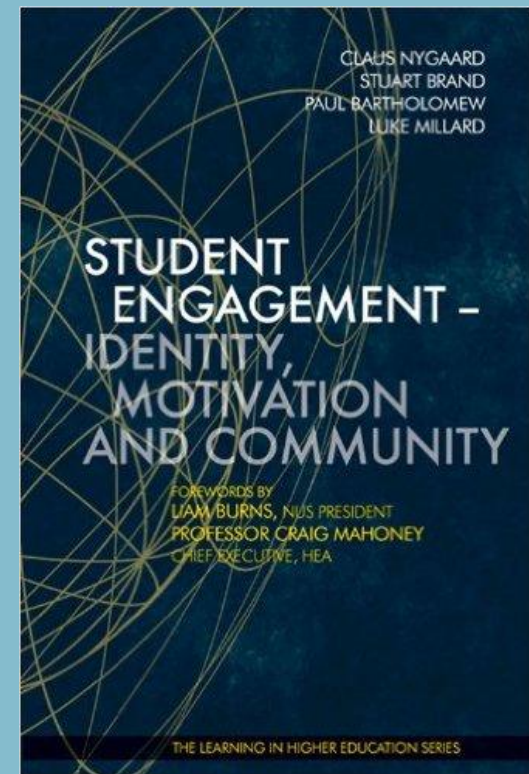
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Defining some terms

Student Engagement:

“The process whereby institutions make deliberate attempts to involve and empower students in the process of shaping the learning experience” [HEFCE]

“The participation of students in quality enhancement and quality assurance processes, resulting in the improvement of their educational experience.” [QAA]



Defining some terms

Partnership

- An **end goal** of student engagement?
- The **best form** of student engagement?
- A way of doing things, not a thing to be done.
- **Deep, consistent and widespead engagement**, which leads to a **culture of partnership**.



Engaging Students as Partners



A matter of Agency

**You said,
we did**

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**You said,
we did**



**You said, we
asked what you
meant by that,
we did**

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**You said, we
discussed the
issue, talked
about possible
solutions with
different
benefits and
drawbacks, and
mutually agreed
on a solution**

Questions?

