



# Interweaving with Conflicts of Diversity and Empowerment: Reflect on institutional policies of student-staff partnerships in research

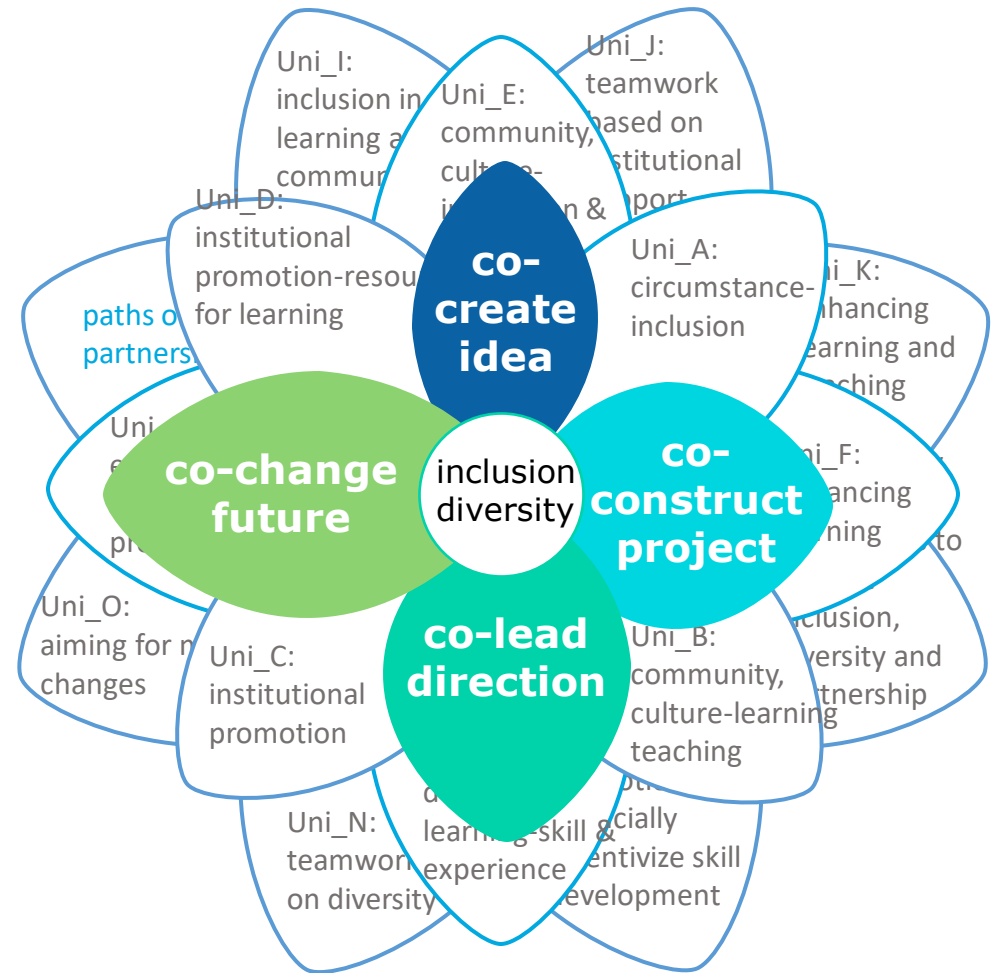
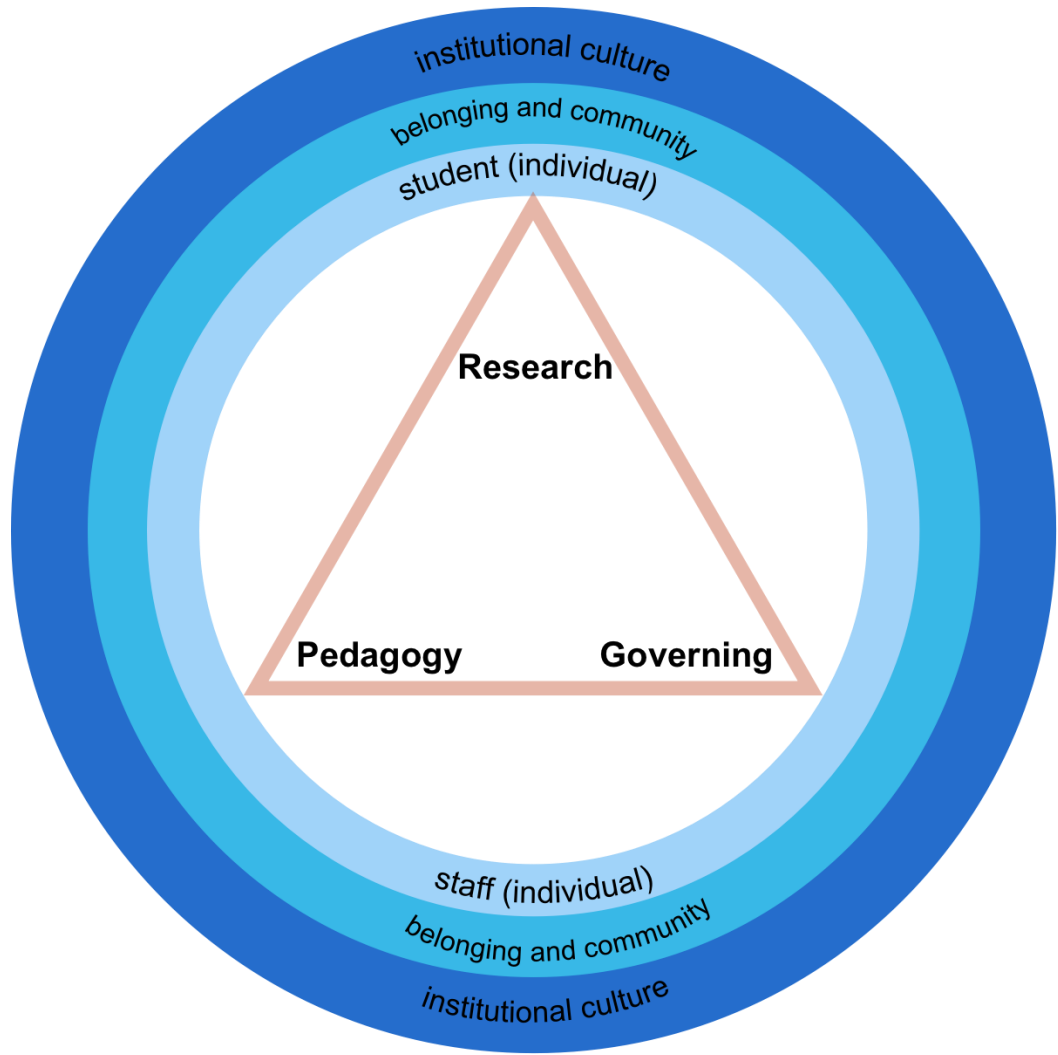
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Equipping students with necessary competencies to navigate through the changing world is becoming one purpose of higher education.

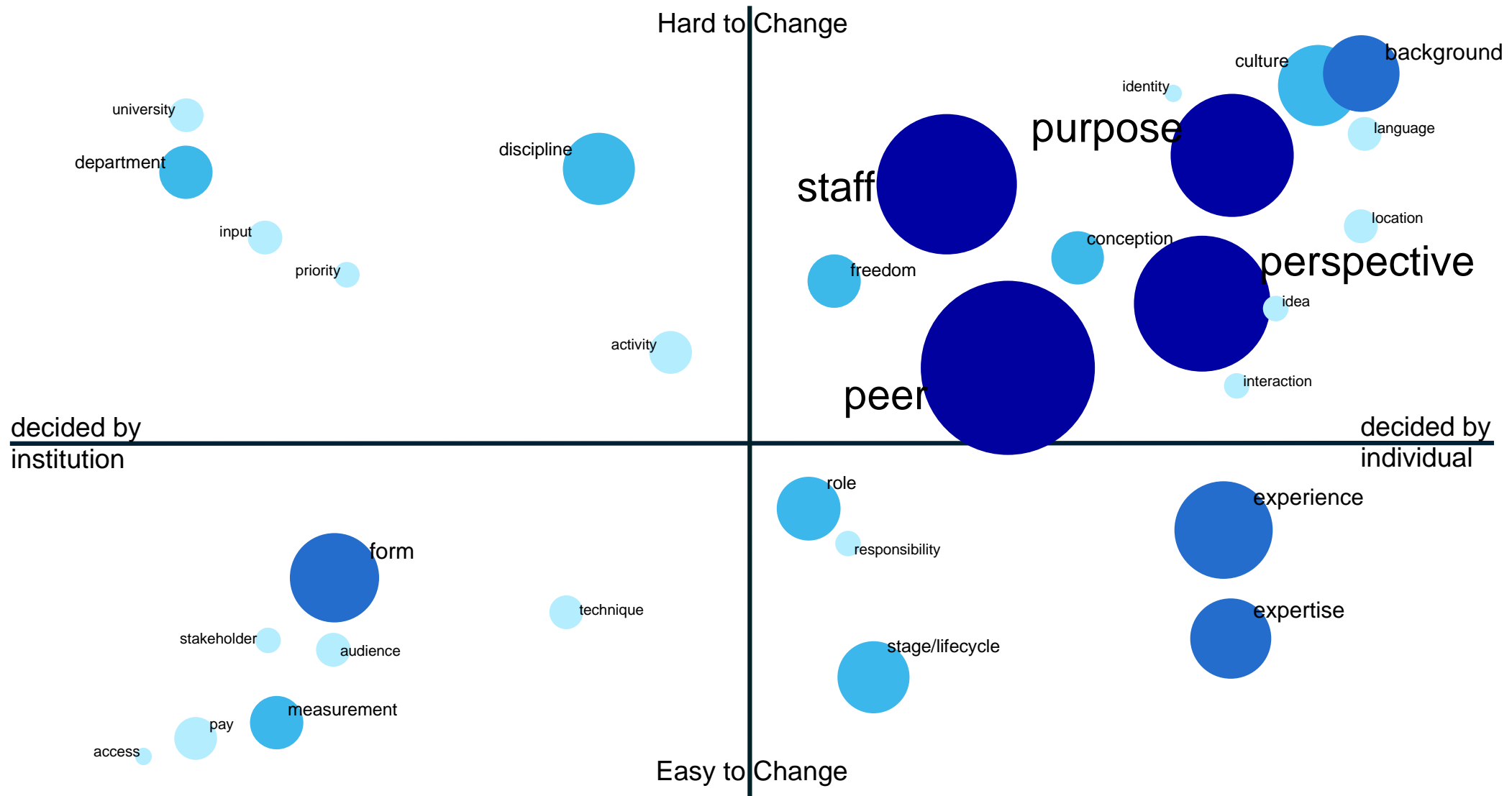
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**Finding 1: Partnership life-circle varies in different institutional contexts, while prospects always outweighs paths to partnerships**

**Conceptual Thought**



**Finding 2: hard-to-change characteristics of individuals are more likely to symbolize inclusion and diversity; conducting 'diversity' may need to be expanded from simply welcoming differentials to supporting in-depth investigation on relevant topics**