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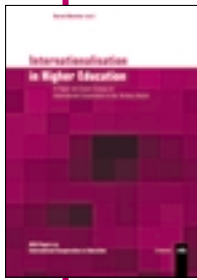
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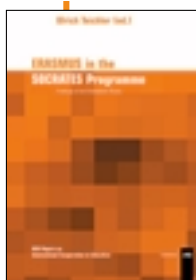
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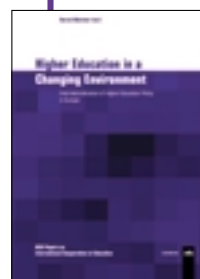
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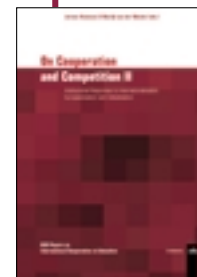
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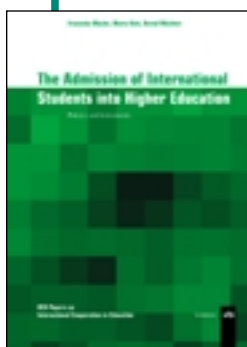
- The promotion of innovation and internationalisation in (higher) education;
- The enhancement of cooperation between its members, and the provision of up-to-date information on European and international higher education policy developments;
- Research into and publications on internationalisation in higher education;
- Contract work for third parties.

ACA Conferences and Seminars explore novel themes and trends in European and global higher education. They identify new challenges and formulate intelligent responses beyond the conventional wisdom. ACA events target leaders and staff from higher institutions and education policy-makers.

Provision of **information for and support of cooperation between members** is another activity focus. ACA supports networking with and between its members, and it provides a highly-esteemed monthly news service.

ACA projects cover a wide spectrum and are too many to be listed here. However, the recent focus of ACA's research and project work has been on the relative position of European higher education on a global scale. This orientation has also found expression in the latest publications in the ACA Papers on International Cooperation in Education.

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Franziska Mueche,
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International admissions have become a major concern for higher education institutions: many of them market themselves and recruit students on a global scale. Even those which do not engage in such activities are sometimes flooded with student applications from all over the world. Therefore, institutions are looking for admission models which will both help them get the “right” students and rationalise their administrative procedures. The study carried out by ACA aims to support them in this endeavour. It examines admissions policies and tools in different countries, in order to identify a range of effective and efficient admission models.

The Bologna Process stands for European integration in the field of higher education. The progress achieved within its member states is admirable; however, a concentration on internal processes can only be a first step towards becoming a global actor. The Bologna declaration formulates the objective of enhancing the attractiveness of European higher education on a global scale. But is the process really making Europe more attractive, and if so, how? The present volume addresses this issue. The papers in this publication are based on the presentations delivered at an ACA conference held in Hamburg, Germany, in 2004.



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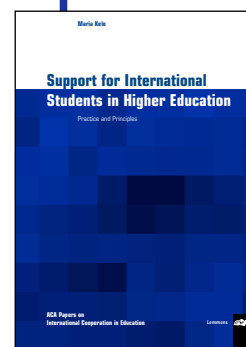
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Europe will face major challenges in the 21st century. Europe's universities will have a central role in the attempt to secure a bright future for the continent. But in their present shape, they are often ill-equipped to play this role. They too need to change. This book identifies the most urgent needs for change in European higher education, by concentrating on three key issues: governance, funding, and internationalisation. It also provides an introduction to the European Union's *Lisbon Strategy*, which aims to turn Europe into a world leader in innovation and knowledge production.

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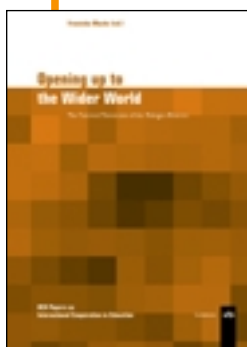


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The attractiveness of higher education institutions is no longer only measured by their record in research and teaching. Student services also play a role in rendering an institution internationally attractive. But exactly which services should be made available? What are the particular service needs of international students? Who exactly should provide the services and how are they best organized? These are some of the issues this book addresses. It provides examples of good practice in student support services and pre-study preparation programmes from selected countries, and it is designed to improve practice in student support services.



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