DIES Web Seminar Series | University Leadership in Challenging Times
“Leadership Styles: What Works in Higher Education?”

Wednesday, 30 November 2022
2:00 pm – 5:00 pm (CET) / 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm (UCT).

CHAIR AND MODERATOR
Professor Dr Peter Mayer
Osnabrück University of Applied Sciences, Germany

1:45
CHECK-IN

2:00
WELCOME & INTRODUCTION
Iris Danowski, Head of Section Latin America, German Rectors’ Conference (HRK)
Tobias Wolf, Head of Section Development Cooperation (P32), German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)
Professor Dr Peter Mayer, Professor, Faculty of Business Management and Social Sciences
Osnabrück University of Applied Sciences, Germany

2:15
DIALOGUE ROUND:
SUCCESS FACTORS FOR EFFECTIVE UNIVERSITY LEADERSHIP: LESSONS LEARNED
Impulse statements followed by discussion

Professor Dr Nana Aba Appiah Amfo, Vice-Chancellor, University of Ghana, Ghana
Professor Dr Tran Diep Tuan Tran, President, University of Medicine and Pharmacy HCM City, Vietnam
Professor Dr Marcelo Knobel, Former Rector, University of Campinas (Unicamp), Member of the governing council of the Magna Charta Observatory, Brazil
Professor Dr Eva Asselmann, Professor, Faculty of Health, Health and Medical University, Germany
3:30
BREAK

3:40
BREAKOUT SESSIONS:
EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP STYLES IN HIGHER EDUCATION – WHAT WORKS AND WHY?

Breakout session 1: Female Leadership - Are women the better leaders?
INPUT AND MODERATION:
Professor Dr Verónica Botero Fernández, Dean, School of Mines, National University of Colombia, Colombia

Breakout session 2: Does culture have an impact on university leadership?
INPUT AND MODERATION:
Professor Dr Bassey Edem Antia, Former Chairperson, Department of Linguistics, University of the Western Cape, South Africa

Breakout session 3: Is training for university leadership possible?
INPUT AND MODERATION:
Professor Dr Duu Sheng Ong, Professor, Faculty of Engineering, Multimedia University, Malaysia

4:30
SHORT REPORT FROM THE BREAKOUT SESSIONS
by the moderators of the breakout sessions

4:50
CLOSING

Tobias Wolf, Head of Section Development Cooperation (P32), German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

Iris Danowski, Head of Section Latin America, German Rectors’ Conference, (HRK)

5:00
END OF SEMINAR