An investigation into English Medium Instruction in higher education in Thailand and Vietnam

Research tools

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1. Student questionnaire

QUESTIONNAIRE about your views on English Medium Instruction (EMI) in university settings

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All data collected in this survey will be held anonymously and securely. No personal data is asked for or retained.

The questionnaire has four parts. Please follow the instructions. <u>Please answer in English.</u>

Thank you very much for your help.

Section 1

Firstly, pl	lease answer	these personal	questions.
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*Q	1. What is your gender?
0	Male
0	Female
*Q	2. What is your
nat	cionality?
*Q	2-2. What context are you CURRENTLY studying in?
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*Q	3. How old are you?
0	18 or 19
0	20-30
0	31-40
0	41-50
0	51-60
0	Over 60

*Q4. What is your year of study?
1st year undergraduate
2nd year undergraduate
3rd year undergraduate
4th year undergraduate
Graduate student (masters)
Graduate student (post-doctoral)
Other (please specify)
*Q5. What is the name of your university? (Please write the name of your university below.)
Q50. If you are an international student, what is the name of your university? (Please write the name of your university below.)
*Q6. What is your major?
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*Q7. At what age did you start learning English?
0-3
Q 4-7
8-11 O 40-45
12-15 16-19
20 or over
*Q8. How long have you spent living outside of your home country?
I had never been abroad
Less than 1 month
1 to 6 months
7 months to 1 year
1 to 3 years
More than 3 years
Q80. If you have experience abroad, please give details below, e.g. where and why were you there?

Section II			
Secondly, please answ	er these questions about yo more information. Please v		require you to tick a box and
all or some conten	led in an English mediu t through English)? (Pl ion relates to the unive	ease note that if you ar	
Q9o. If you answer programme below	red "Yes" to the previou (e.g. is it a full degree per taught in English):		e describe this a sequence of courses, a
*Q10. Is there an I	English language profic	iency requirement to ϵ	enter this programme?
O No			
O Don't know			
Q10o. If you are far TOEIC, TOEFL, IEL TOEIC TOEFL	miliar with this require TS, etc.):	ement, please provide	details below (e.g.
Other (please specify)		
*Q11. My EMI proyou are currently s	gramme/class (for inte		is refers to the university tudents from outside the
*Q12. My universi	ty provides the followi Yes	ng support to students No	on the EMI programme: I don't know
a) Preparatory course before university commences	a) Preparatory course before university commences Yes	a) Preparatory course before university commences No	a) Preparatory course before university commences I don't know
b) Ongoing support throughout their degree	b) Ongoing support throughout their degree Yes	b) Ongoing support throughout their degree No	b) Ongoing support throughout their degree I don't know

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c) Self-access support	study	c) Self-acc	cess study	c) Self-	-access study o	-	Self-access study ort I don't know
d) A writing o	centre	d) A writi	ng	O d) A w	riting) A writing centre I know
Other (please	specify))					
		ered "Yes" to of course, cor				ease p	rovide details
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1 to 3 mor							
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7 months 1 to 2 yea		ır					
3 to 4 yea							
More than		S					
Q13o. If you	have e	experience, p	lease spec	ify (e.g. w	here, what s	ubject	, etc.):
*Q14. What	were y	our reasons	for enroll	ing in this	EMI progra	mme?	Please tick
	Stron	gly Disagree	Disa	igree	Agree		Strongly Agree
a) To practise or learn English	learn	To practise or Strongly ee	O a) To p learn English Di	oractise or sagree	a) To pra or learn English Agre	ъe	a) To practise or learn English Strongly Agree
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c) Interest in the content	-	Interest in the t Strongly	c) Inte	rest in the isagree	c) Intere		c) Interest in the content Strongly

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h) Study abroad opportunitie s	h) Study a opportunities ly Disagree			udy abroad nities Disagr	abroad	Study I cunities Agr	opp	h) Study abroad ortunities Strong gree
i) Convenient location	i) Conveni location Strong Disagree		i) Corlocation l	nvenient Disagree		Convenient on Agree		i) Convenient tion Strongly ee
Other (please	e specify)							
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	c) My classes are in English Never	classes	My s are in h Rarely	c) My clare in English Som		c) My classes are i English Very often		C c) My classes are in English Always
1. 1	d) My exams are in English Never	exams	My are in n Rarely	d) My exare in English Som		d) My exams are in English Very often		d) My exams are in English Always

 $[\]ast$ Q16. I believe that EMI programmes should only permit the use of English in lectures and classes.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
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			previous question bel	
-	17. I believe that E their mother tong		ould permit staff and :	students to use English
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0	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	O Agree	Strongly Agree
Q17	70. Please explain y	your answer to the	previous question bel	ow:
Thii med	dium instruction pr	•	quire you to tick a box	irers working in English and some also ask you for
*Q1	18. Where do your	EMI teachers main	aly come from?	
0	The same nationality	as me		
0	Native English-speak	king country		
0	Other non-native Eng	glish-speaking country	y	
	18. Where do your	EMI teachers come	e from? You can tick as	s many boxes as are
	The same nationality	as me		
	Native English speak	ing country		
	Other non-native Eng	glish speaking country	7	
_		igh qualified teache to teach subjects t	ers in my context (e.g. hrough English.	the country you are
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
0	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Q19	00. Please explain y	your answer to the	previous question bel	ow:
also		MI content lecturer th their English lang		graphy teacher) should
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree

Q20o. Pleas	e explain your answ	ver to the previous q	uestion below:	
•	sses provided by En	nt classes should be s glish teachers. sagree	supplemented wi	th English language Strongly Agree
Strongly	Disagree Disag	ree Agı	ree	Strongly Agree
Q21o. Pleas	e explain your answ	ver to the previous q	uestion below:	
characterist		ry you are currently or teachers who teac rgrammes:		_
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
a) Native- like accent	a) Native-like accent Strongly Disagree	a) Native-like accent Disagree	a) Native-like accent Agree	a) Native-like accent Strongly Agree
b) Experience abroad	b) Experience abroad Strongly Disagree	b) Experience abroad Disagree	b) Experience abroad Agree	b) Experience abroad Strongly Agree
c) Knowledge of subject	c) Knowledge of subject Strongly Disagree	c) Knowledge of subject Disagree	c) Knowledge of subject Agree	c) Knowledge of subject Strongly Agree
d) Knowledge of English	d) Knowledge of English Strongly Disagree	d) Knowledge of English Disagree	d) Knowledge of English Agree	d) Knowledge of English Strongly Agree
e) Clear explanation s	e) Clear explanations Strongl y Disagree	e) Clear explanations Disagre e	e) Clear explanations Agre	e) Clear explanations Strongl y Agree
f) Sensitive to students' needs and problem	f) Sensitive to students' needs and problem Strongly Disagree	f) Sensitive to students' needs and problem Disagree	f) Sensitive to students' needs and problem Agree	f) Sensitive to students' needs and problem Strongly Agree
g) Knowledge of students' language and culture	g) Knowledge of students' language and culture Strongly Disagree	g) Knowledge of students' language and culture Disagree	g) Knowledge of students' language and culture Agree	g) Knowledge of students' language and culture Strongly Agree
h) Teaching Experience	h) Teaching Experience Strongly Disagree	h) Teaching Experience Disagree	h) Teaching Experience Agree	h) Teaching Experience Strongly Agree
i) Teaching Methods	i) Teaching Methods Strongly	i) Teaching Methods Disagree	i) Teaching Methods Agree	i) Teaching Methods Strongly

Disagree

Agree

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree		
j) Certificate in EMI skills	j) Certificate in EMI skills Strongly Disagree	j) Certificate in EMI skills Disagree	j) Certificate in EMI skills Agree	j) Certificate in EMI skills Strongly Agree		
k) Ability to explain concepts in my subject	k) Ability to explain concepts in my subject Strongly Disagree	k) Ability to explain concepts in my subject Disagree	k) Ability to explain concepts in my subject Agree	k) Ability to explain concepts in my subject Strongly Agree		
If "Other", ple	ase specify:					
write as mu	e answer these final ch as you want. Your	questions relating to opinions are very vo	aluable to me.			
the followin		context (the countr	y you are current	iy studying inj at		
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree		
a) Primary	a) Primary Strongly Disagree	a) Primary Disagree	a) Primary Agree	C a) Primary Strongly Agree		
b) Secondary	b) Secondary Strongly Disagree	O b) Secondary Disagree	o b) Secondary Agree	© b) Secondary Strongly Agree		
c) University (undergradu ate)	c) University (undergraduate) Str ongly Disagree	c) University (undergraduate) Dis agree	c) University (undergraduate) A gree	c) University (undergraduate) Str ongly Agree		
d) University (masters)	d) University (masters) Strongly Disagree	d) University (masters) Disagree	d) University (masters) Agree	d) University (masters) Strongly Agree		
e) University (doctoral)	e) University (doctoral) Strongly Disagree	e) University (doctoral) Disagree	e) University (doctoral) Agree	e) University (doctoral) Strongly Agree		
*Q24. EMI programmes improve students' overall English language proficiency. Strongly Disagree Disagree Agree Strongly Agree						
Strongly Disagree Disagree O Agree Strongly Agree						
Q24o. Please explain your answer to the previous question below: *Q25. EMI programmes improve students' overall knowledge of the subject I am						
studying. Strongly D	Disagree Dis	sagree	Agree	Strongly Agree		
Strongly	^	^		Strongly Agree		

Q250. Please explain	your answer to the p	orevious question belo	OW:
*Q26. There are suffi English.	cient materials (e.g.	coursebooks) for lear	ning my subject in
Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Strongly Disagree	ODisagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Q26o. Please explain	your answer to the p	orevious question belo	ow:
Q27. What is your ov	erall opinion on EMI	in your context?	
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2. Teacher questionnaire

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Thank you very much for your help.

Section I Firstly, please answer these personal questions. *Q1. What is your gender? Male Female *Q2. What is your nationality? *What context do you currently teach in? If you are teaching in multiple contexts, please choose "Other" and write the name of the context below *Q3. How old are you? 20-30 31-40 41-50 51-60

© 61 or over
*Q4. What students do you teach? <u>Multiple choices</u>
1st year undergraduate
2nd year undergraduate
☐ 3rd year undergraduate
4th year undergraduate
Graduate student (masters)
Graduate student (post doctoral/doctoral)
Other (please specify)
*Q5. What is the name of your university?
(If you teach at more than one university then please explain)
*Q6. What major/subject do you teach? (Please write the name of the degree/subject you are teaching below. This includes academic skills and/or English support classes, e.g. EAP on a Global Studies programme).
*Q7. How long have you been teaching this major/subject/course (This includes experience teaching at another university)?
C Less than 1 year
1 to 4 years
5 to 9 years
10 years or more
*Q8. How long have you spent working outside of your home country? I have never been abroad Less than 1 month 1 to 6 months 7 months to 1 year 1 to 3 years More than 3 years
If you have experience working outside of your home country, please give details below e.g. country, type of job, etc.

^{*}Q8-2. Where did you study for your doctorate?

I don't have Yes, I have. (Pleas	se write the name of the co	ountry you studied for you	ır doctorate)
Section II			
•	on an English Medium e content through Engl		gramme (one that
	ed "Yes" to Q.9, please e in English, a sequence		me below (e.g. is it a full n of classes, etc.?):
*Q10. Is there an E Yes No Don't Know Only for certain s	English language profic tudents	iency requirement to e	enter this programme?
Q10o. If you are far TOEIC, TOEFL, IEL TOEIC TOEFL IELTS Other (please specify		ments, please provide	details below (e.g.
*Q11. My EMI programmer where you Yes	gramme attracts intern ı teach).	ational students (stud	ents from outside the
_	ade up of international		e.g. what percentage of ey come from, what
*Q12. My universi	ty provides the following	ng support to students No	on the EMI programme: I don't know
a) Preparatory course before university commences	a) Preparatory course before university commences Yes	a) Preparatory course before university commences No	a) Preparatory course before university commences I don't know

	Yes	No	I don't know			
b) Ongoing support throughout their degree	b) Ongoing support throughout their degree Yes	b) Ongoing support throughout their degree No	b) Ongoing support throughout their degree I don't know			
c) Self-access study support	c) Self-access study support Yes	c) Self-access study support No	c) Self-access study support I don't know			
d) A writing centre	d) A writing centre Yes	d) A writing centre No	d) A writing centre I don't know			
e) Other (please spec	ify)					
Q12o. If you answe of course, etc.)	ered "Yes", please prov	ide details below (e.g.	length of course, content			
*Q12-2. My univer programmes:	sity provides the follo		-			
	Yes	No	I don't know			
g) In-house training	g) In-house training Yes	g) In-house training No	g) In-house training I don't know			
h) Opportunities to enrol on external courses	h) Opportunities to enrol on external courses Yes	h) Opportunities to enrol on external courses No	h) Opportunities to enrol on external courses I don't know			
i) Online training materials	i) Online training materials Yes	i) Online training materials No	i) Online training materials I don't know			
j) Other (please speci	fy)					
Q12-2o. If you answered "Yes", please provide details below (e.g. length of course, content of course, etc.)						
*Q13. Before community subjects in English	mencing this programn?	ne, what experience di	d you have teaching			
No experience						
C Less than 1 year						
1 to 4 years						
5 to 9 years						
10 years or more						
Q13o. If you have	experience, please s	pecify (e.g. where, su	bject, etc.):			

*Q14. What do you think are the main reasons that students choose this EMI programme (or EMI class if you are not teaching on a full EMI programme)?

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	
a) To practise or learn English	a) To practise or learn English Strongly Disagree	a) To practise or learn English Disagree	a) To practise or learn English Agree	a) To practise or learn English Strongly Agree	
b) To learn/practis e the language in the country they are studying in	b) To learn/practise the language in the country they are studying in Strongly Disagree	b) To learn/practise the language in the country they are studying in Disagree	b) To learn/practise the language in the country they are studying in Agree	b) To learn/practise the language in the country they are studying in Strongly Agree	
c) Interest in the content	c) Interest in the content Strongly Disagree	c) Interest in the content Disagree	c) Interest in the content Agree	c) Interest in the content Strongly Agree	
d) To experience EMI	d) To experience EMI Strongly Disagree	O d) To experience EMI Disagree	d) To experience EMI Agree	O d) To experience EMI Strongly Agree	
e) Status of the university	e) Status of the university Strongly Disagree	e) Status of the university Disagree	e) Status of the university Agree	e) Status of the university Strongly Agree	
f) Convenient price	f) Convenient price Strongly Disagree	f) Convenient price Disagree	C f) Convenient price Agree	f) Convenient price Strongly Agree	
g) Job opportunities	g) Job opportunities Stron gly Disagree	g) Job opportunities Disagr ee	g) Job opportunities Agr ee	g) Job opportunities Stron gly Agree	
h) Study abroad opportunities	h) Study abroad opportunities Strong ly Disagree	h) Study abroad opportunities Disagree	h) Study abroad opportunities Agr ee	h) Study abroad opportunities Strong ly Agree	
i) Convenient location	i) Convenient location Strongly Disagree	i) Convenient location Disagree	i) Convenient location Agree	i) Convenient location Strongly Agree	
j) Other (please specify)					
*Q15. My programme/class uses English in the following ways:					
Never Rarely Sometimes Very often Always					
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	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Very often	Always	
My course materials are in English	My course materials are in English Never	My course materials are in English Rarely		My course materials are in English Very often	My course materials are in English Always	
My classes are in English	My classes are in English Never	My classes are in English Rarely	My classes are in English Sometimes	My classes are in English Very often	My classes are in English Always	
My exams are in English	My exams are in English Never	My exams are in English Rarely	My exams are in English Sometimes	My exams are in English Very often	My exams are in English Always	
lectures ar	nd classes.		lasses should only		_	
_	Disagree	Disagree	Agree	_	rongly Agree	
Strongl	y Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Str	ongly Agree	
 Q16o. Please feel free to write additional comments in response to Q. 16 below: *Q17. I believe that EMI programmes/classes should permit staff and students to use English and their mother tongue language. Strongly Disagree Disagree Agree Strongly Agree 						
0	y Disagree	Disagree	O Agree	0	ongly Agree	
Q170. Please feel free to write additional comments in response to Q. 17 below: Section III Thirdly, please answer these questions about your views on lecturers working in EMI programmes. They require you to tick a box and some also ask you for more information. Please write in the box provided.						
*Q18. What countries do your colleagues on your programme come from?						
*Q19. There are enough qualified teachers in my context (the country that you are currently working in) to teach university content courses in English. Strongly Disagree Disagree Agree Strongly Agree						
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Strongl	y Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Str	ongly Agree	

Q190. Please feel free to write additional comments in response to Q.19 below:

*Q20. I believe that EMI content lecturers (e.g. a maths or geography lecturer) should also help students with their English language proficiency.						
Strongly	Disagree D	isagree	Agree	Strongly Agree		
Strongly	Disagree Disag	ree Ag	gree	Strongly Agree		
Q20o. Pleas	se feel free to write	additional commen	ts in response to Q	. 20 below:		
	ss provided by Engl		supplemented wi	th English language Strongly Agree		
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Strongly	Disagree Disag	ree 🐣 Ag	gree	Strongly Agree		
Q21o. Please feel free to write additional comments in response to Q. 21 below: *Q21-2. I believe that those teaching on EMI programmes are adequately supported by the university. Strongly Disagree Disagree Agree Strongly Agree						
_			Agree			
Strongly	Disagree Disag	ree Ag	gree	Strongly Agree		
Q21-20. Please feel free to write additional comments in response to Q. 21-2 below: *Q22. In my context, the following characteristics are important for lecturers working on EMI programmes:						
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree		
a) Native- like accent	a) Native-like accent Strongly Disagree	a) Native-like accent Disagree	a) Native-like accent Agree	a) Native-like accent Strongly Agree		
b) Experience abroad	b) Experience abroad Strongly Disagree	b) Experience abroad Disagree	b) Experience abroad Agree	b) Experience abroad Strongly Agree		
c) Knowledge of subject	c) Knowledge of subject Strongly Disagree	c) Knowledge of subject Disagree	c) Knowledge of subject Agree	c) Knowledge of subject Strongly Agree		
d) Knowledge of English	d) Knowledge of English Strongly Disagree	d) Knowledge of English Disagree	d) Knowledge of English Agree	d) Knowledge of English Strongly Agree		

	Strongly D	isagree	Disagr	ee	Agre	ee	Strongly Ag	ree
e) Clear explanation s	e) Clear explanation y Disagree		e) Clear explanations e	Disagre	e) Clea explanatio e	ns Agre	e) Clear explanations St y Agree	rongl
f) Sensitive to students' needs and problem	f) Sensit students' ne problem Str Disagree	eds and	f) Sensitive students' nee problem Disa	ds and	f) Sens students' r and problem A		f) Sensitive students' needs problem Strong Agree	s and
g) Knowledge of students' language and culture	g) Know students' lan and culture Disagree		g) Knowl students' lang and culture D	guage	g) Kno of students language a culture Ag	nd	g) Knowled students' langu and culture Str Agree	age
h) Teaching Experience	h) Teach Experience to Disagree		h) Teachi Experience D	U	h) Tea	Δσree	h) Teachin Experience Str Agree	_
i) Teaching Methods	i) Teach Methods Str Disagree	U	i) Teachin Methods Disa	_	i) Teac Methods A	σree	i) Teaching Methods Strong Agree	,
j) Certificate in EMI skills	j) Certifi EMI skills St Disagree		j) Certific EMI skills Dis		j) Certi in EMI skil	ls Agree	j) Certificat EMI skills Stroi Agree	
k) Ability to explain concepts in my subject	k) Abilit explain cond my subject S Disagree	cepts in	k) Ability explain conce my subject Di	epts in	k) Abil explain cor in my subject Ag	ncepts	k) Ability to explain concep my subject Stro Agree	ts in
l) If "Other", please specify: Section IV Lastly, please answer these final questions relating to your opinion on EMI.								
*Q23. EMI i		•	context at t		Ü		Character A	
) II	Strongly		Disagr		Agr		Strongly Ag	
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b) University (Masters)	b) Univ (Masters) S Disagree	-	b) Unive (Masters) Di		b) Uni (Masters)	versity Agree	b) Univers (Masters) Stro Agree	
c) University (Doctoral)	c) Univ (Doctoral) Disagree	-	c) Unive (Doctoral) D		c) Univ	versity Agree	c) University (Doctoral) Strongere	,
*Q24. EMI programmes/classes improve students' overall English language proficiency. Strongly Disagree Disagree Agree Strongly Agree								
Strongly Disagree Disag		ree Agree		ee		Strongly Agre	e	

Q240. Please feel free	to write additional o	comments in response	to Q. 24 below:
*Q25. EMI programm they are studying (e.g		students' overall knov	wledge of the subject
Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Strongly Disagree	Disagree	OAgree	Strongly Agree
Q25o. Please feel free	to write additional o	questions in response	to Q. 25 below:
*Q26. There are sufficin English.	cient materials (e.g. (coursebooks) for lear	ning university subjects
Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Strongly Disagree	O Disagree	O Agree	O Strongly Agree
Q26o. Please feel free	to write additional o	comments in response	e to Q. 26 below:
Q27. What is your ove	rall opinion on EMI	in your context?	
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3. Interview guide (student)

"Hi, first of all, thank you very much for offering to participate in this project. As you know, I am interested in the experiences and attitudes of those studying on English Medium Instruction (EMI) programmes in university settings. In this study, EMI is defined as the use of the English language to teach academic subjects in countries where the first language of the majority of the population is not English in university settings.

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Stage One: Narrative

1. Firstly, could you please begin by telling me about yourself and your EMI programme? For example, you can tell me what you are studying, year of study, name of university, your previous experience learning content through English, English language proficiency, etc.

I will listen and not interrupt you until you have finished. Please take as much time as you feel necessary and tell me all the details that you want. If you need to be reminded of the topics, let me know.

Stage Two: Prompts

1. **EMI**

With the globalisation of English, universities around the globe are beginning to move towards English Medium Instruction (EMI) programmes and attract international students, even in countries where English has no official status.

- What do you think are the main driving forces behind such moves in your context?
- Why did you enroll in these programmes?
- **Based on what you have said**, how do you feel about moves towards EMI in your context?

2. English

The global EMI movement in non-native English speaking contexts marks a new era for English language use in the academic domain. With an increasing number of international students and staff, the language is being used as an international lingua franca. However, despite this growing use of ELF, in many contexts, 'standard' academic norms prevail.

- In what ways is English used in lectures, classes and materials in your EMI programme?
- What is your opinion on the 'norms' that are used?
- What is your opinion on the use of other languages on EMI programmes?
- Does your university provide a preparation course before entering your programme?

2. Training

In some EMI programmes, language teachers and content specialists work together in the delivery of content classes. In others, they work completely separately. Opinion on the internationalisation of higher education and movements towards EMI is divided.

- Do you think it is possible to learn content through English?
- Do you believe that EMI content lecturers (e.g. a maths or geography teacher) should also help students with their English language proficiency?
- Do you believe that EMI content classes should be supplemented with English language support class provided by English teachers?
- What characteristics/ skills are important for teachers who teach and work in the medium of English in EMI programmes in your context?

Stage Three: Closing

• Thank you for your time today. Is there anything you would like to add that hasn't been covered in this interview?

4. Interview guide (staff)

"Hi, first of all, thank you very much for offering to participate in this project. As you know, I am interested in the experiences and attitudes of those working on English Medium Instruction (EMI) programmes in university settings. In this study, EMI is defined as the use of the English language to teach academic subjects in countries where the first language of the majority of the population is not English in university settings.

I am interested in understanding your experiences of and views on EMI. Your views are VERY important to me, so please feel free to talk openly and honestly. There are no right and wrong answers and I will not share your answers with anyone. You are also free to request a transcript of the interview if you wish."

Stage One: Narrative

- 2. Firstly, could you please begin by telling me about yourself and your teaching career? For example, you can tell me when you joined this university, what EMI experience you had before taking up this post, etc.
 - I will listen and not interrupt you until you have finished. Please take as much time as you feel necessary and tell me all the details that you want. If you need to be reminded of the topics, let me know.
- 3. Secondly, could you tell me about your English language learning experience and any training you received to teach content through English. (including teacher preparation programmes in your own context, skills needed to teach on EMI programmes, etc.)

Stage Two: Prompts

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- Do you think it is possible to learn content through English?
- What support and training is necessary in universities that are moving towards more globalized programmes taught through English?
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Stage Three: Closing

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5. Focus group guide (student)

Once again thank you all very much for participating in this focus group. I am interested in your personal opinion and there are no 'right' or 'wrong' answers. Please give your answers sincerely as only this will guarantee the success of the investigation. The contents of this discussion are absolutely confidential. Information identifying the respondent will not be disclosed under any circumstances. Please follow the instructions.

First of all, please read the following summary:

The globalisation of English has seen an increase in English education and education through English. This is not contained to Western nations alone and recent years have witnessed the internationalisation of universities worldwide, including an increase in English Medium Instruction (EMI) programmes in English and recruitment of international students, even in countries where English has no official status. The global spread of English has seen an increase in importance placed, not only on English language education throughout the world, but also on education *through* English.

As Professors working on EMI programmes, I am interested in your views on EMI in your context and beyond. There are no right or wrong answers and your views are very interesting to me. Please speak as much as you like on each topic and don't be afraid to be honest and disagree with each other.

TOPIC OF DISCUSSION: INTRODUCTIONS

Go round the group and introduce yourself briefly, telling the group about: your name, nationality, programme study on, experience with EMI, etc.

TOPIC OF DISCUSSION 1: EMI

The spread of English around the world has seen an increase in importance placed on English language education and education *through* around the world. The internationalisation of higher education institutes (HEI) has become a priority for universities worldwide who are in competition to attract international students and develop a global presence.

- your views on the main driving forces behind moves towards EMI in your country
- why students are choosing to enrol in these programmes
- your own opinion on such moves

TOPIC OF DISCUSSION 2: PROS AND CONS OF EMI

Opinion on the internationalisation of higher education and movements towards EMI in non-native English speaking contexts is divided.

Discuss:

- the advantages and disadvantages of EMI in your context
- the extent to which you think it is possible to learn content through English (at your university and beyond).

TOPIC FOR DISCUSSION 3: ENGLISH AS AN ACADEMIC LINGUA FRANCA

Movements to 'internationalise' are inextricably linked with an increasing role of English as a lingua franca (ELF) in the academic domain. Universities around the globe, including those in non-anglophone contexts, now offer programmes in English, despite having a non-native English speaking staff and student body. This has implications for the use of English as a lingua franca (ELF) in the academic domain and for teacher training.

Discuss:

- the use of English, and other languages, in your EMI programme (by staff and students)
- the norms that are used (e.g. variety of English, academic English)

TOPIC OF DISCUSSION 4: STUDENT PREPARATION

In some EMI programmes, language teachers and content specialists work together in the delivery of content classes. In others, they work completely separately.

- any preparation/support classes provided for students in your context, and how effective they are in preparing students to learn their academic subjects through English
- whether EMI content lecturers (e.g. a maths or geography teacher) should also help students with their English language proficiency
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TOPIC OF DISCUSSION 5: STAFF PREPARATION

In many EMI programmes, non-native English speaking staff are being encouraged to teach content through the medium of English. Many native-English speaking staff also find themselves working in contexts where English is not the official language.

Discuss:

- what support and training is necessary for staff working on EMI programmes
- what overall characteristics/ skills are important for teachers who teach and work on EMI programmes?
- Is there a level of English proficiency required to enable EMI teachers to provide quality instruction in their respective academic subjects?

TOPIC OF DISCUSSION 6: CONCLUDING COMMENTS

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