

## Teaching and Learning Experience Sharing (TALES) Workshop

# Internationalization at home (IaH): Current and future directions



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### Date

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### Time

12:45 to 2:15 p.m.  
(light lunch from 12:30 to 12:45 p.m.)

### Venue

ACC209  
2/F, Jockey Club Academic Community  
Centre,  
Baptist University Road Campus

### Abstract

With accelerating globalization, institutions of higher education in Hong Kong are being called upon to increase participation rates in study abroad programs and to internationalize their curricula on their home campus. The latter is especially important as it is not feasible to arrange international experience for all students. Swelling the number of incoming international exchange students is also not enough for local institutions to fully achieve the common aims of internationalization as researchers have discovered that interventions may be necessary to promote meaningful intercultural interactions.

After reviewing the University Grant Council's internationalization aspirations, this presentation will present evolving definitions and understandings of internationalization at home (IaH) and provide examples of IaH activities and initiatives in Europe, North America, and Asia. The remainder of this interactive session will focus on constructive ways in which local institutions can infuse an international dimension into their curricula and practices (both in and outside classrooms).

### Biography

Jane Jackson (PhD, U of Toronto) is Professor of Applied Linguistics in the English Department at the Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK). Her research centers on study abroad, intercultural communication, language and identity, eLearning, and internationalization. She is the recipient of CUHK's 2013 Education Award and the UGC's 2016-17 'Prestigious Fellowship under the Humanities and Social Science Scheme' (HSSPFS). Recent books include *Introducing Language and Intercultural Communication* (Routledge, 2014), *The Routledge Handbook of Language and Intercultural Communication* (2012, Editor), *Intercultural Journeys: From Study to Residence Abroad* (Palgrave MacMillan, 2010), and *Language, Identity, and Study Abroad: Sociocultural Perspectives* (Equinox, 2008).

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