



The potential of cross-border programmes in higher education – the University of the Greater Region



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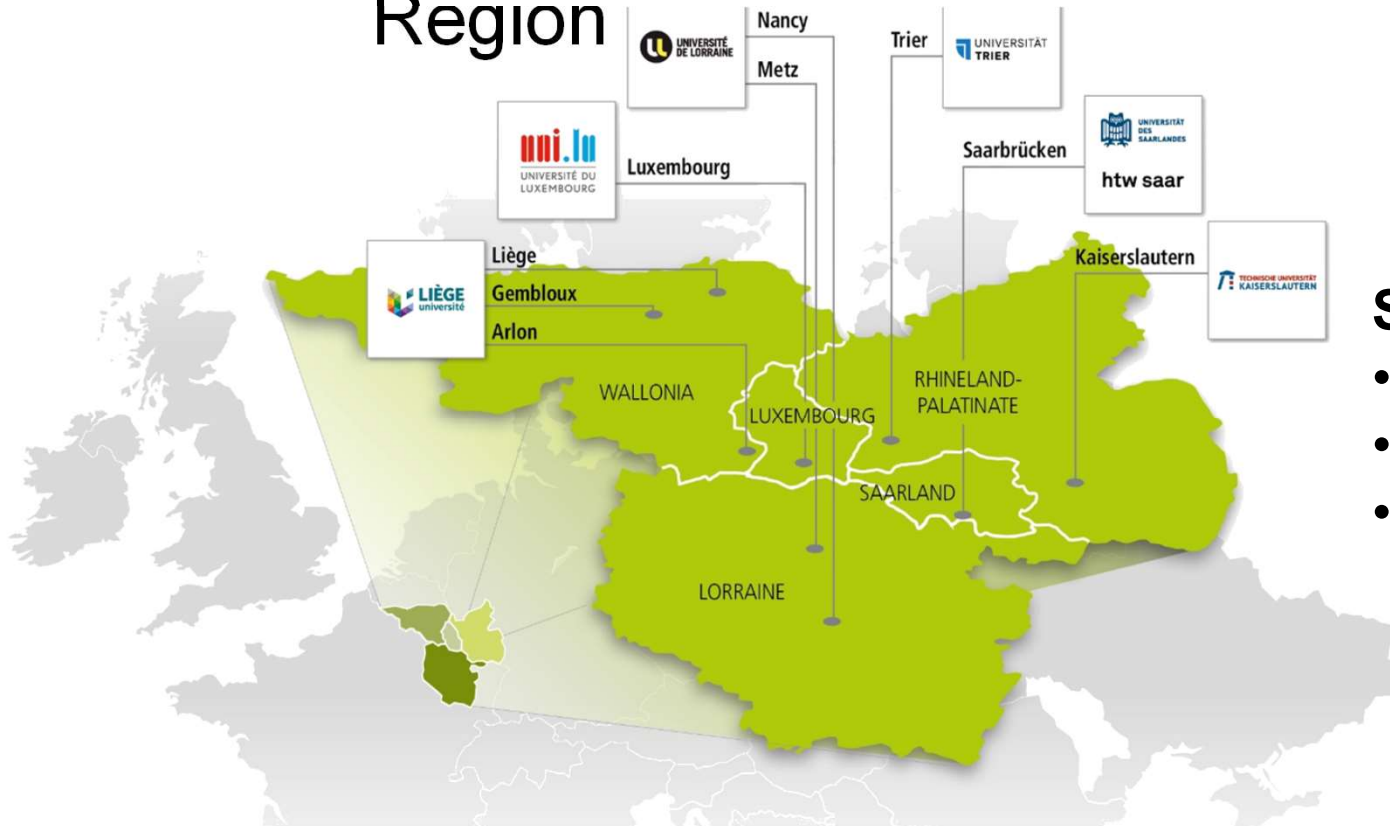
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1.

The University of the Greater Region



Research

- Interdisciplinary Centres of Expertise



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Studying

- UniGR Student
- EurIdentity Certificate
- Cross-border study programmes

2. The Master Border Studies

2.1 Main characteristics



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Joint diploma
from 4
universities



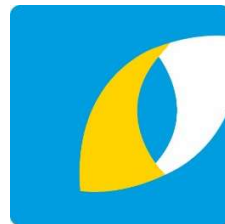
2
Specialization
tracks



3
Languages:
English, French,
German



4
Universities
overcoming
borders



Université
franco-allemande
Deutsch-Französische
Hochschule



2. The Master Border Studies

2.2 Experiences during the pandemic

- Online courses at the partner universities instead of physical mobility
 - Intercultural experiences were missing
 - Social relations became complicated
 - A multitude of fast changing regulations and a need for additional information and counselling
- ⇒ Cross-border programmes became (temporarily) less attractive



3. Perspectives

Cross-border study programmes need

- Appropriate framework conditions
- More lobbying

Graduates from cross-border study programmes are needed

- To handle future crises and challenges
- To bring forward border regions and cross-border cooperation



Thank you for your
attention.

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