Coloring Outside the Lines: Next Generation International Program Design

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Session Goals

• Problematize the categories that have defined program design over the last 20 years
• Explore how professionals “color outside the lines” to adapt to new generations of students and the growth of the field
• Discuss ideas and strategies for program design
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2) Can career-focused programs on topics such as global health or the sciences address cultural questions relevant to the home and host countries? In what ways?

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• Take aways
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