

A group of people's hands are clasped together in a circle on a wooden desk. In the background, there are two laptops, a smartphone displaying the time 10:24, and a power strip with several outlets. The scene is lit with warm, natural light, suggesting a collaborative work or study environment.

**SGH**

Szkoła Główna  
Handlowa  
w Warszawie

# Good practices in engaging students in quality assurance at the national and institutional level.

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# Objectives of the workshop:

1. Sharing knowledge about good practices in engaging students in quality assurance (QA).
2. Collecting recommendations for
  - a) national systems and
  - b) HEIs

for increasing students' engagement in quality assurance.

# Quality Assurance in HEIs

Quality, whilst not easy to define, is mainly a result of the interaction between **teachers, students and the institutional learning environment**.

Quality assurance should ensure a **learning environment** in which the content of programmes, learning opportunities and facilities are fit for purpose.

~ ESG, Standards and Guidelines for QA in the EHEA

## SGH Warsaw School of Economics characteristics:

- ✓ Medium-sized, about 12 000 students (BA, MS, PhD, Postgraduate)
- ✓ Individual study programmes paths for all students
- ✓ No fixed groups of students attending same classes
- ✓ Students choose their major after the second term
- ✓ Student extra-curricular activities plays a huge part in the QA System

# Students – a rich source in QA at SGH

- A huge role of students' extra-curricular activities
- The Strong position of Students Union
  - Quality of Education Committee
  - Fixed meetings with university authorities
  - Students representatives in Programme Councils
  - Roundtable Talks on L&T at SGH
  - Reports
  - Educathon project



**Trust & Common Goals**

# National level - Poland

- The Strong position of the Students' Parliament of the Republic of Poland
- Polish Accreditation Committee
  - Students' participation in
    - Program evaluations
    - Providing opinion about starting new study programmes
- The Ministry dedicates special funds for students initiatives, for example
  - Student Quality Forum
  - Database of good practices in Learning and Teaching

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## Workshop 2:

1. Recommendations for other countries and institutions
  - 3 recommendations for HEIs
  - 3 recommendations for a country

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**Thank you for your engagement!**

