



PLENARY SESSION **THE ADMISSIONS REFORM JOURNEY**

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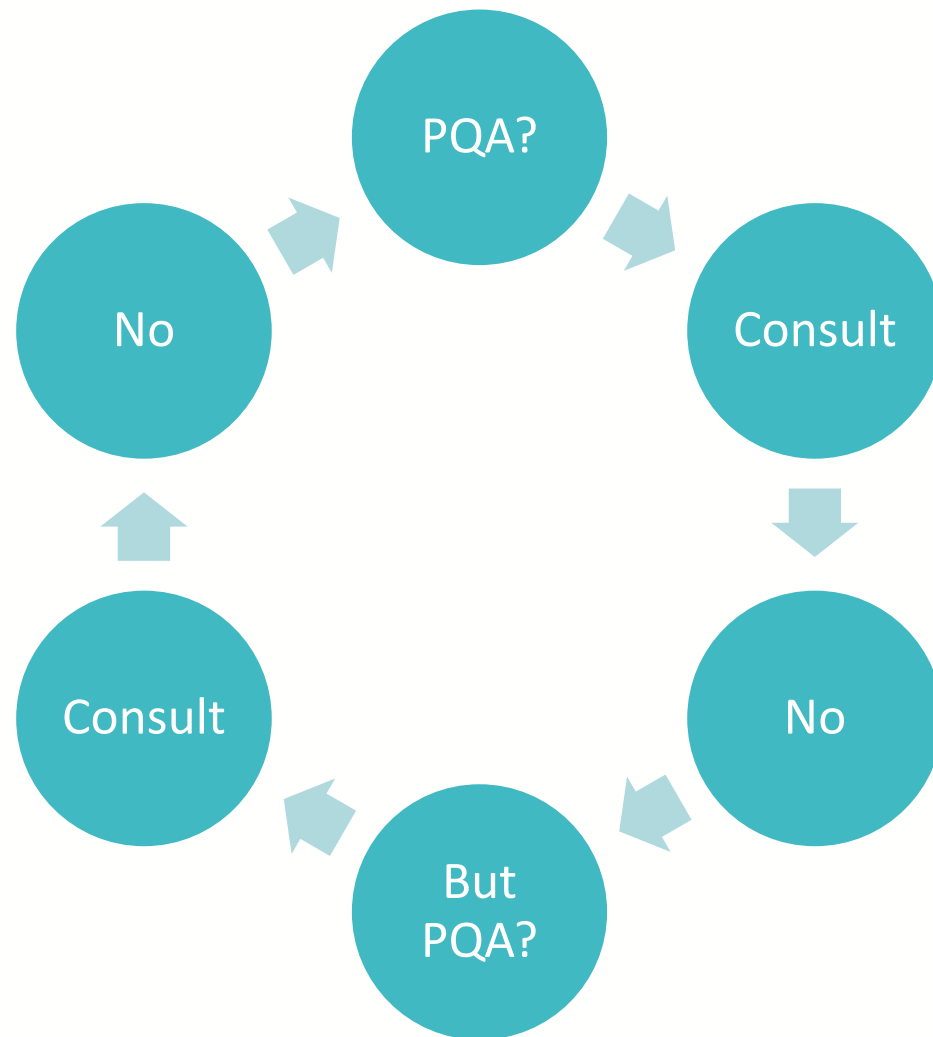
REFORM: HISTORY



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- Dearing (1997)
 - Size and shape of HE sector
- Schwartz (2004)
 - Principles of Fair Admissions
- Browne (2010)
 - Funding

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REFORM: PRESENT



REFORM: THE PRESENT



Covid has upped the pace

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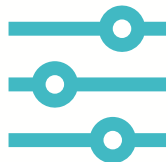
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REFORM: THE PRESENT

Formal consultations
have their place but
iteration is the way
forward

- Webinars
- Roadshows
- Events
- Surveys

REFORM IN ACTION



Decline My Place



Reference reform



Grades on Entry






REFORM: FUTURE





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Personal Statement

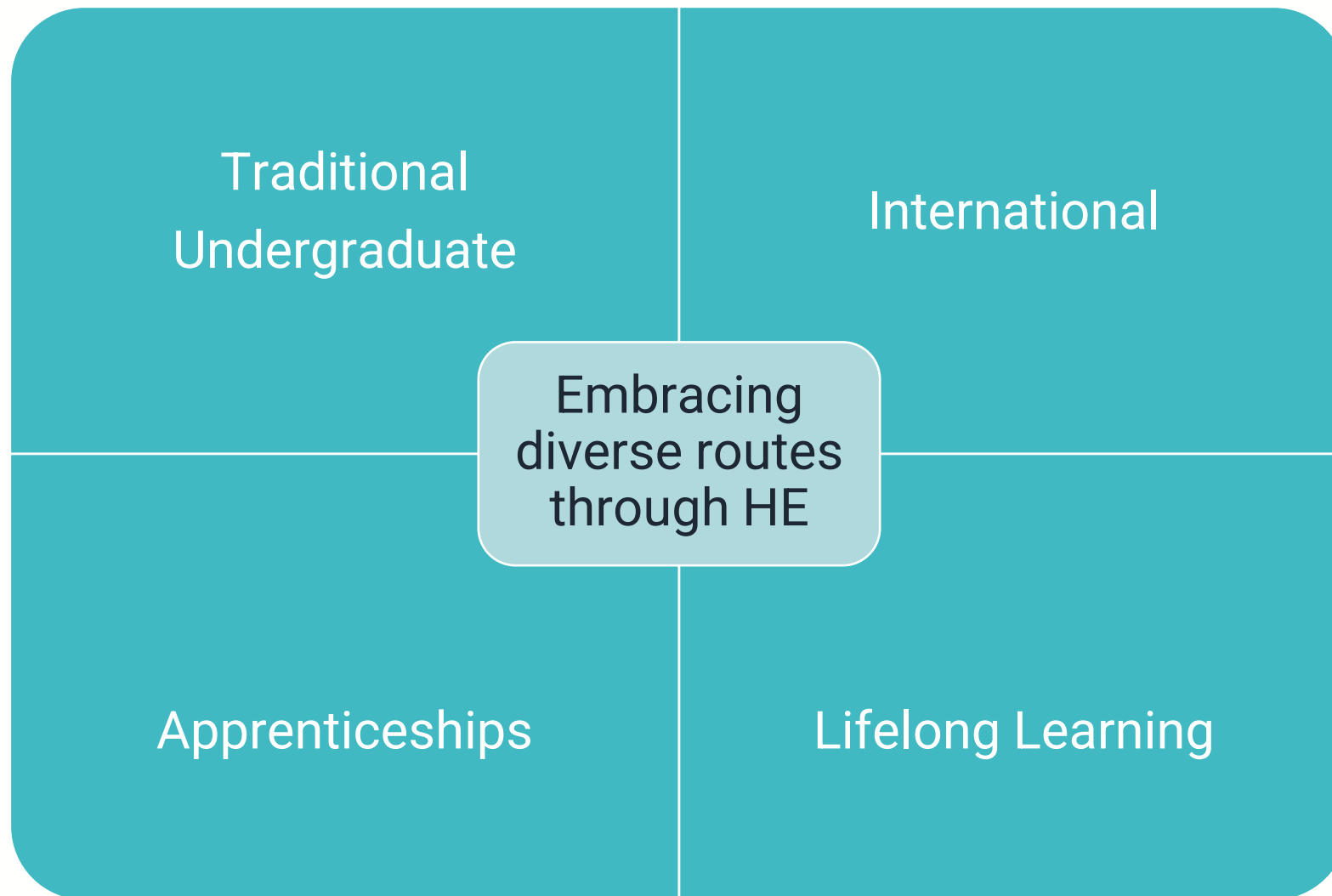
- Finalising the theme areas
 - Technical development
 - Student User Experience Testing
 - Readiness
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REFORM: THE FUTURE

- Dates, deadlines and choices
- No quick fixes
- Complex system with many moving parts
- What is the problem we are trying to solve?
- What have we learnt over the years that will help us solve it?

Shape of the
application
process

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