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multilingual education, digital technologies in teaching and learning and qualitative research from the University of Lapland and expertise on intercultural and global communication, Artificial Intelligence literacy and quantitative research from EdUHK. Through collaboration we aim to design a joint course on global media education and construct a high quality education provision as well as develop online education teaching methods, thereby increasing the quality of higher education offered online, and achieving the set learning objectives. This project promotes and enables not only the knowledge exchange on the topic of global media education, but the development of a new pedagogical model concerning online teaching in today's intercultural and global society context.

New online teaching pedagogies are vital for the advancement of teaching and learning particularly in remote areas of both participating countries. Online teaching has the power to combat long distances and facilitate students' interaction asynchronously and synchronously, supporting the learning process and providing equality in education.



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