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Update on international enrollment in the Netherlands

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Agenda

- Short introduction
- Policy and the corona situation in NL
- International pilots
- Flexible education pilots
- Optimizing the enrollment of international students in the Netherlands

Introduction

- DUO: Dutch government agency for Education (registers, data and finance) approx. (2300 fte)
- SURF: collaborative organisation for ICT in Dutch education and research, approx. (300 fte)
- Studielink: information hub/enrollment portal (15 fte)
- In collaboration with 55 universities and Nuffic (internationalisation in education)

Policy...

Everything has changed

- All universities and colleges (and pri/se. Edu) have transitioned to online education overnight
- Enrollment processes have been adapted, exams postponed
- Legislation will be temporarily changed to 'bridge the gap' for current applicants
- Prognosis: decrease of international students in the coming year

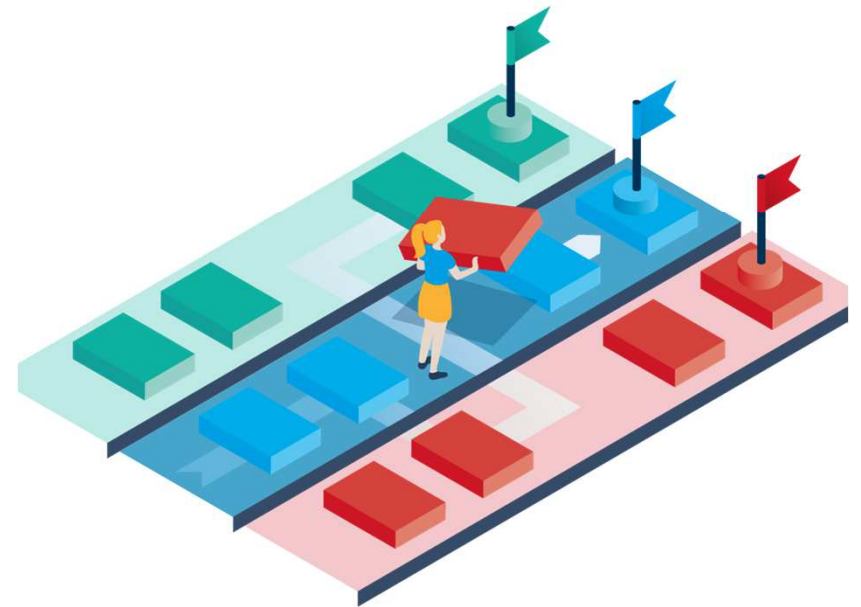
International pilots

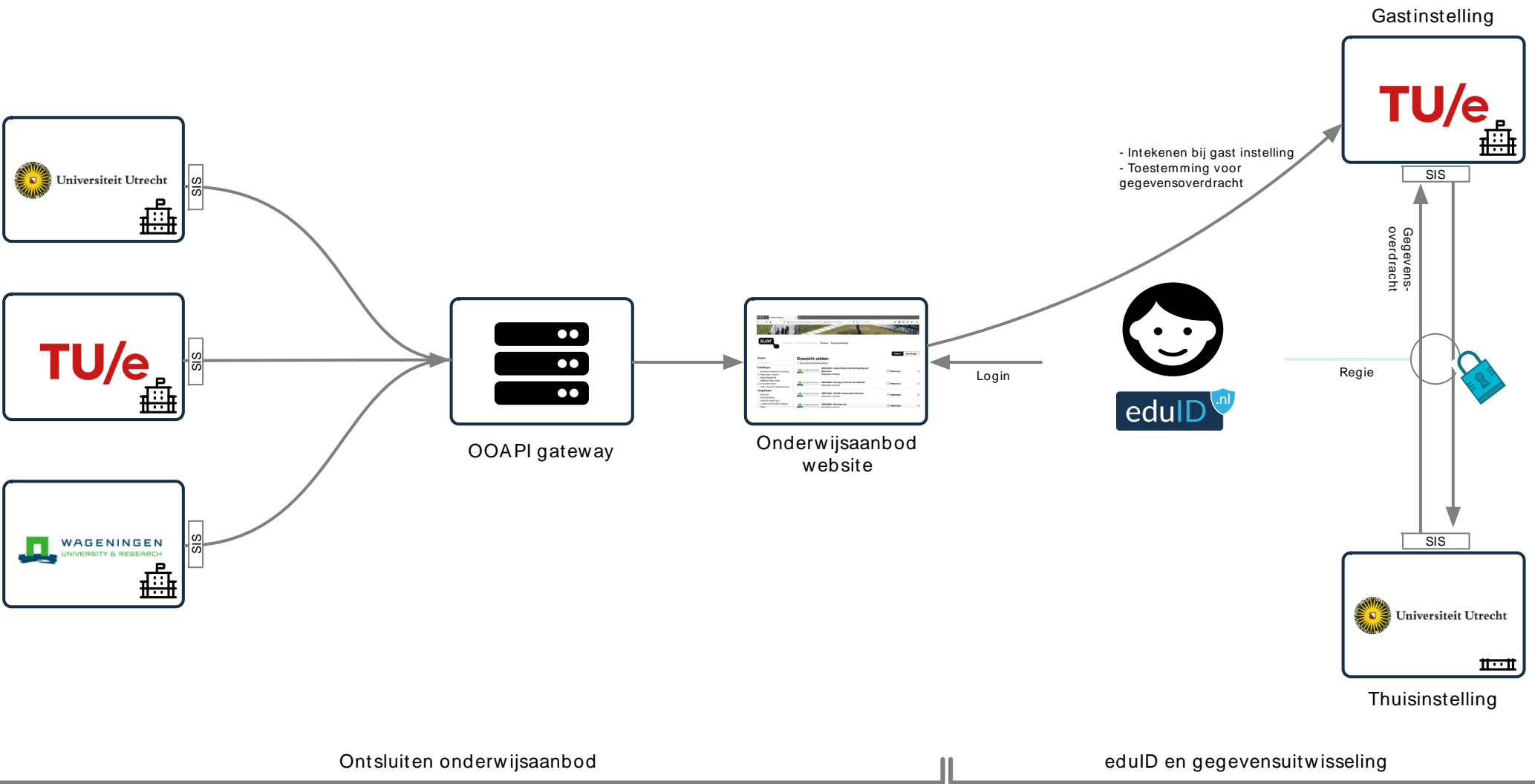
- EMREX news
- CHESICC wrap up
- Blockchain PoC with National Bank
- Diplomaregister
- Towards a national registration of all forms of study (RIO)
- European Student card survey @ the universities

Innovation projects for flexible education

Pilot project on cross-institutional credit mobility

- Joint project of 3 universities
- Students follow courses for credit at each other's institution, with minimal administrative hurdles
- Using EduID as identifier, Open Education API for data transfer





Optimizing enrollment

- (central) digital verification personal data
 - eIDAS
- (central) digital verification of diploma's/certificates
- Digital study permit process
- Digital proof of payment college tuition fee
- Joint degree programmes