



**18,596** students

That's a big number

**1,450** professors

And a lot of professors

**294** programs

For several courses



# UFPEL LEADING FIELDS OF KNOWLEDGE

## Health Sciences

Leads Brazil in research on Epidemiology, participating in and developing several worldwide projects related to lung diseases (Platino project), fetal and newborn growth (Intergrowth), equity in health and nutrition, and many others.

## Agricultural Sciences

The University is known worldwide for its prominence in Agricultural Sciences, specially in the Plant Protection field, which projects regarding Plant Disease, Entomology and Weed Science are quoted for researchers from everywhere across the globe.

## Technology and Biotechnology

UFPEL also excels in innovation considering the area of Biotechnology for its PhD program, which attracts international students and joint action for the development of research projects related to Food Safety and Biotechnology applied to human health, and plant and animal production.

# INTERNATIONALIZATION STRATEGIC PLAN OF UFPEL

## WHAT ARE UFPEL STRENGTHS?

Organized structure to receive foreigners.

Great academic quality in several areas of knowledge.

Multicultural environment.

Geographical location, environmental insertion and relationship with global priority issues.

## WHY DOES UFPEL THINK INTERNATIONAL?

Opportunities to plan internationalization and discuss strategic areas (national politics).

Close relationship with borders.

Dissemination of Brazilian culture.

Visibility of academic qualities of UFPEl.

Greater involvement with international authorities.



# Goals!

- Increase and facilitate the internationalization at Universidade Federal de Pelotas.
- Promote and foster an international academic environment at UFPel.
- Increase the presence of international students, professors and technical staff at UFPel at all academic levels.
- Promote and expand strategic international partnerships for UFPel.
- Prepare students to play a leading role in their social and regional context, but with reference to global needs.



# Initiatives!

## English as a Medium of Instruction

Purpose of teaching graduate professors how to use English as a content teaching tool.

UFPeI seeks to increase the number of programs taught in English.



# Initiatives!

## Buddy Program

Buddy Program aims at promoting social integration between foreign students and Brazilian students, as well as giving assistance to foreign students.



# UFPEL

CAMPUS PORTO / RETÓRICA

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# International Partnerships

About 70% of UFPEL research projects involve international cooperation with partner institutions

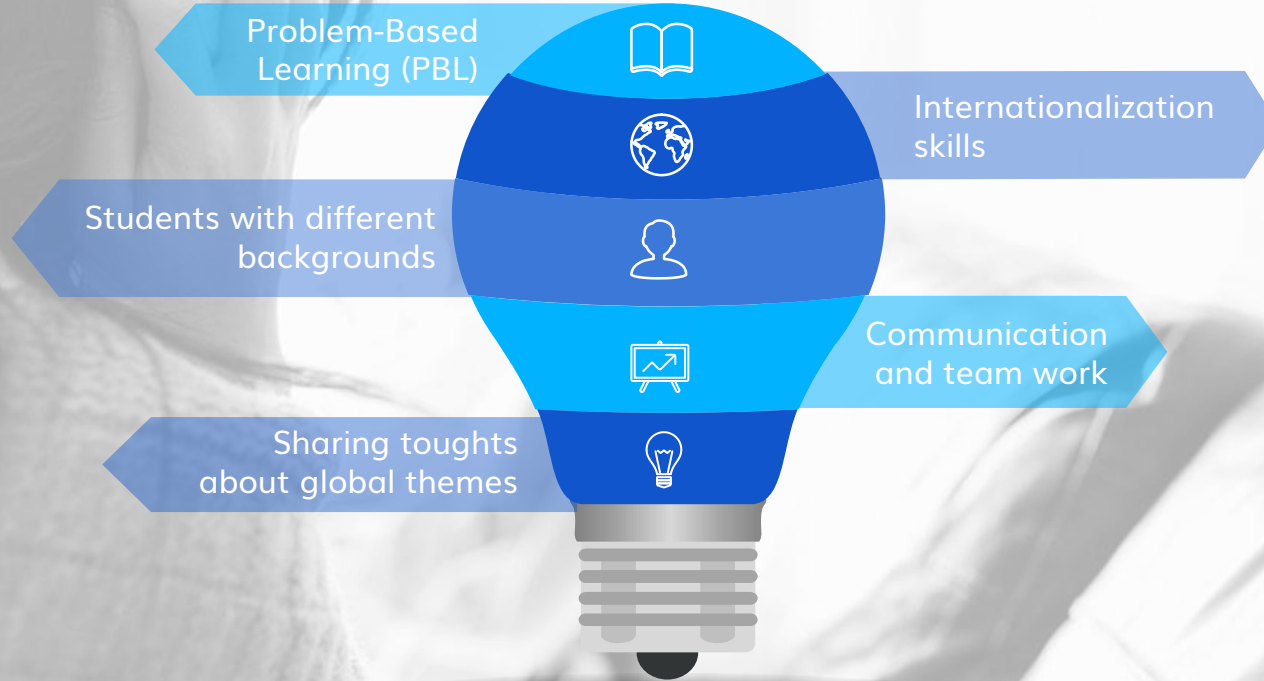
UFPEL aims at qualifying its international agreements and developing continuous joint actions with its partners

We encourage actions and keep track of all agreements in order to improve their efficiency

our office




# Tutorial Teaching Program for Internationalization



# PBL IN ACTION



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- ① Criar endereço de REDDIT
  - ② Estabelecer o que é atrativo  
Visualmente
  - ③ Elencar a qualidade de outras universidades
  - ④ Elencar os DESTAQUES da UFPEL  
↳ alunos
  - ⑤ Estabelecer identidade/possibilidades  
da região

A PROBLEM ABOUT  
INTERNATIONALIZATION

## OBJETIVOS

- \* determinar a estratégia de disseminação;
- \* identificar as formas de comunicação científica;
- \* determinação do veículo / forma de aprendizagem;
- \* determinar quem seriam as pessoas ideais para administrar a atividade;
- \* determinar quais conteúdos devem ser abrangidos

A SOLUTION THAT WAS  
DEVELOPED BY THE STUDENTS  
AND CONTRIBUTED TO THEIR  
LEARNING PROCESS

## HIPÓTESES

- \* profissionais com experiência em comunicação estrangeira ;
- \* apoio de nativos / estrangeiros poderia contribuir em projetos de apresentações científicas;
- \* criação de uma estrutura-base de apresentação visual;
- \* determinação do veículo: grupos de apoio, palestras, cadeiras ;
- \* capacitação prévia das habilidades de apresentação
  - ↳ técnicas
  - ↳ linguísticas
- \* atividade em idioma estrangeiro seria mais efetiva



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## EXAMPLE OF A PROJECT'S PROBLEM AND SOLUTION

**The Problem:** How could people improve their English communication skills to give better presentations abroad?

**The first class:** students joined together to share ideas about the problems, set objectives and divided tasks

**The second class:** students came up with their studies and connected them. The conclusion was that it was possible to develop a project consisting on workshops about oral communication and presentations.

**Solution:** the students scheduled an event in which skilled lecturers would teach methods of better oral communication and help participants develop better presentations in the foreign language.

## UFPEL AND KTU

- International Cooperation and joint action
- Joining together in an environment where we could share thoughts on the UN Sustainable Development Goals
- Through a “problem solving” methodology
- Improving each other's relations and expanding our way of thinking



# Thanks!

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