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### Scouting

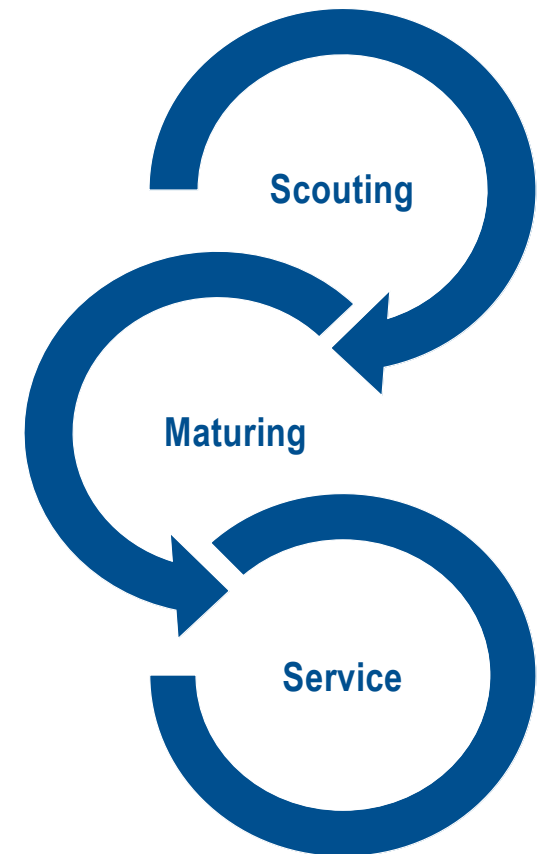
Identify, evaluate and test new with regard to possible application scenarios, conditions, opportunities and risks

### Maturing

User-centred maturing process on the basis of practice-oriented iteration cycles

### Service

Creation of a low-threshold, streamlined and integrated service offers



# Outline

1. Grounding
2. Highly Informative Learning Analytics (HILA)
3. Design for Learning
4. Data-enriched Learning Analytics (DeLA)
5. Evaluation of DeLAs
6. Take away messages



## Definition of learning analytics

Education  
Data

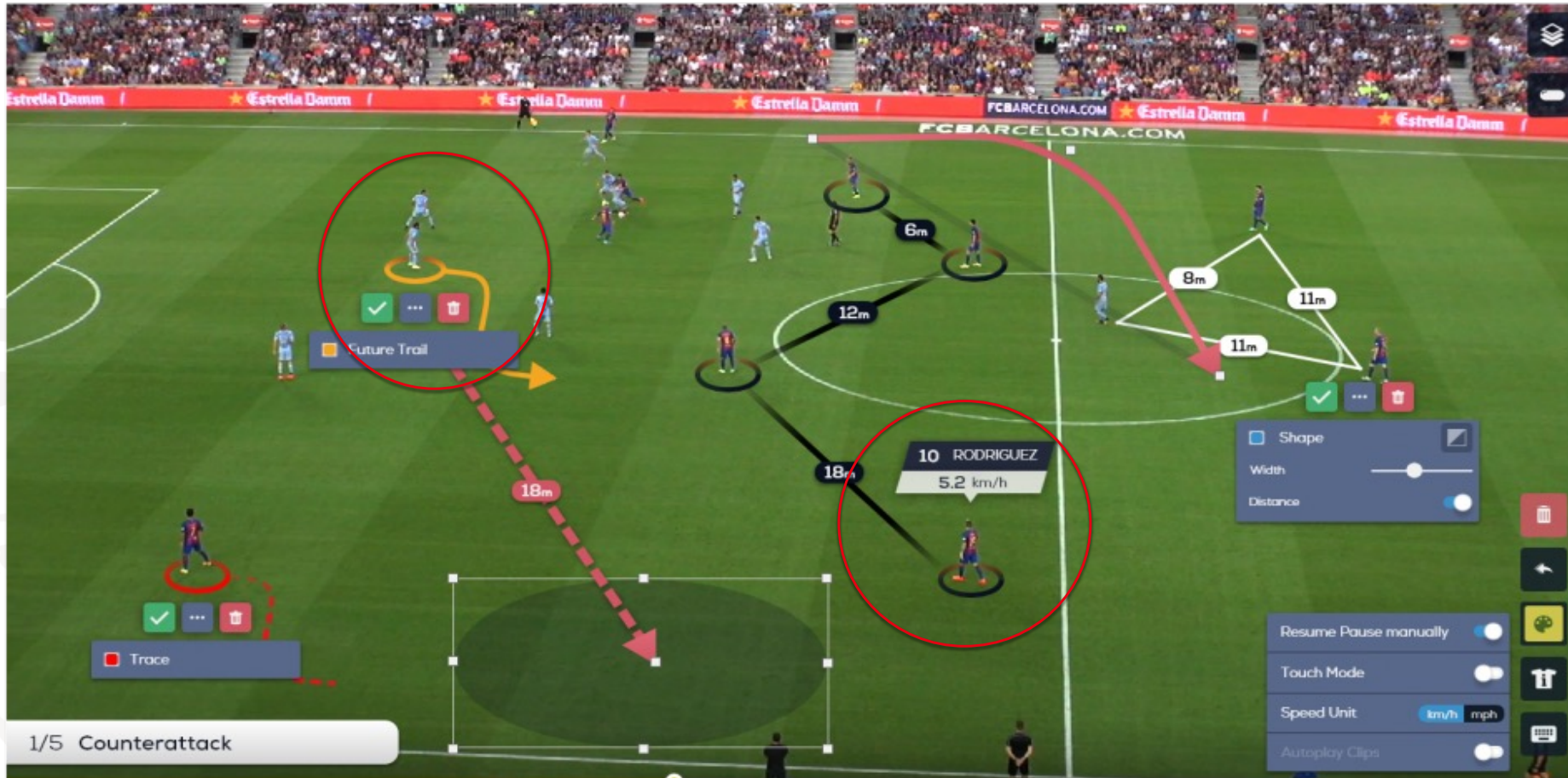
Learning

Artificial  
Intelligence

Analytics

Greller, W., & Drachsler, H. (2012). Translating learning into numbers: A generic framework for learning analytics. *Journal of Educational Technology & Society*, 15(3), 42–57.

# Personalised Feedback



In reality: Very little feedback in most cases



# Challenges for the rollout of Learning Analytics



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## Learning analytics in European higher education—Trends and barriers<sup>☆</sup>

Yi-Shan Tsai<sup>a,\*</sup>, Diego Rates<sup>b</sup>, Pedro Manuel Moreno-Marcos<sup>c</sup>,  
Pedro J. Muñoz-Merino<sup>c</sup>, Ioana Jivet<sup>d</sup>, Maren Scheffel<sup>d</sup>, Hendrik Drachsler<sup>e,d,1</sup>,  
Carlos Delgado Kloos<sup>c</sup>, Dragan Gašević<sup>a,2</sup>

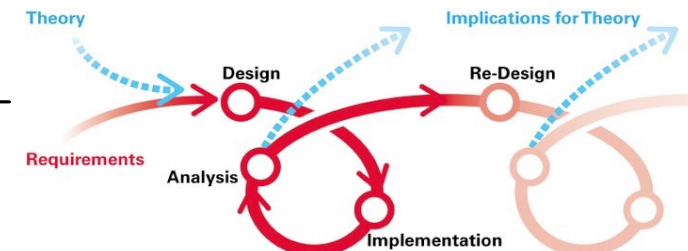
Challenge 1: Stakeholder engagement and buy-in.

Challenge 2: Weak pedagogical grounding.

Challenge 3: Resource demand.

Challenge 4: Ethics and privacy.

## Design-Based Research Methodology



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## Challenge 2: Weak pedagogical grounding

Learning tracker

What is your goal for this MOOC?

Earn a certificate Complete the course Explore the course Not sure yet

What would you like to get feedback on?

<input type="checkbox"/> Online presence	<input type="checkbox"/> Active learning time
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Connectedness	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Practice time
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Time on platform	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Practice quiz attempted
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Revisited material	<input type="checkbox"/> Practice quiz efficiency
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Timeliness of submissions	<input type="checkbox"/> Graded quiz attempted

Is there anything else that you would like to know?

Submit

Practice quiz attempted

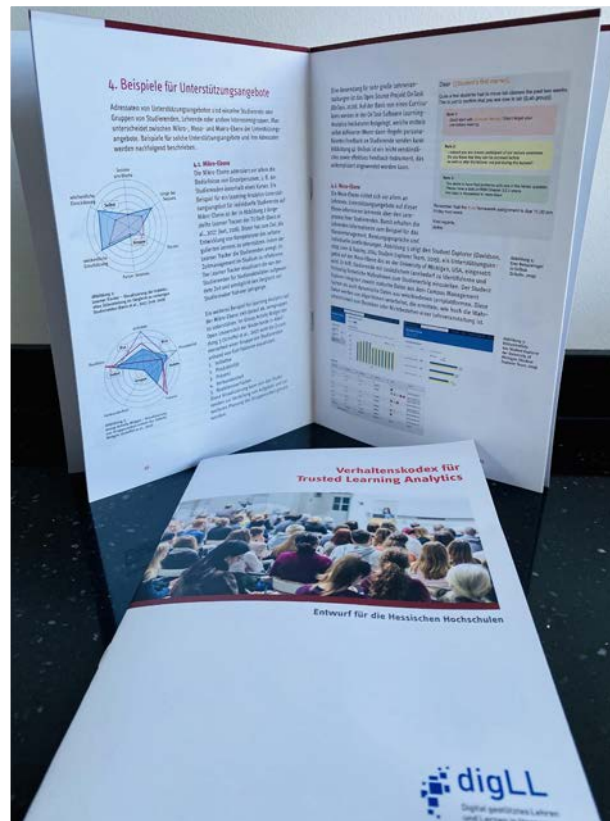
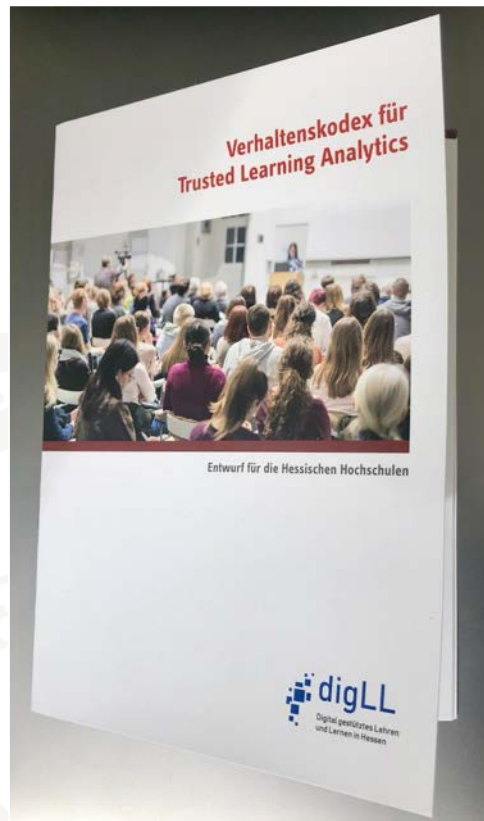
Practice time

Timeliness of submissions

● Successful learners ● You

Would these indicators help you in your studies?

## Challenge 4: Ethics and privacy



## 7 Principles

1. Improving conditions for learning and teaching
2. Support services for all students
3. Transparent handling of data
4. Critical handling of data
5. Human control
6. Managerial responsibility
7. Commitment to continuing training

Hansen, J., Rensing, C., Hermann, O., & Drachsler, H. (2020). **Verhaltenskodex für Trusted Learning Analytics: Entwurf für die Hessischen Hochschulen**. Frankfurt am Main, Germany. [https://bit.ly/German\\_CoC\\_LA](https://bit.ly/German_CoC_LA)

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# Model for Highly Informative Learning Analytics



## Learning Analytics (LA)

## Psychometrics (PSY)



User-centered Design

Construct evidence

Technology & Data

Bottom - up



### High-level interpretations

- Learning model variables
- PSY & LA feedback on: self-regulation, reading comprehension, creative thinking, problem-solving, ...



### Low-level features

- Learner performance indicators
- PSY: e.g. information given in a text accessed
- LA: e.g. combine footprints to indicators



### Data (Multimodal)

- Observable response
- PSY: highlighted text (explicit behavior)
- LA: location, time, clicks (digital footprints)

Top - down

Evidence centered Design

Construct evidence

Data collection

## Highly Informative Learning Analytics



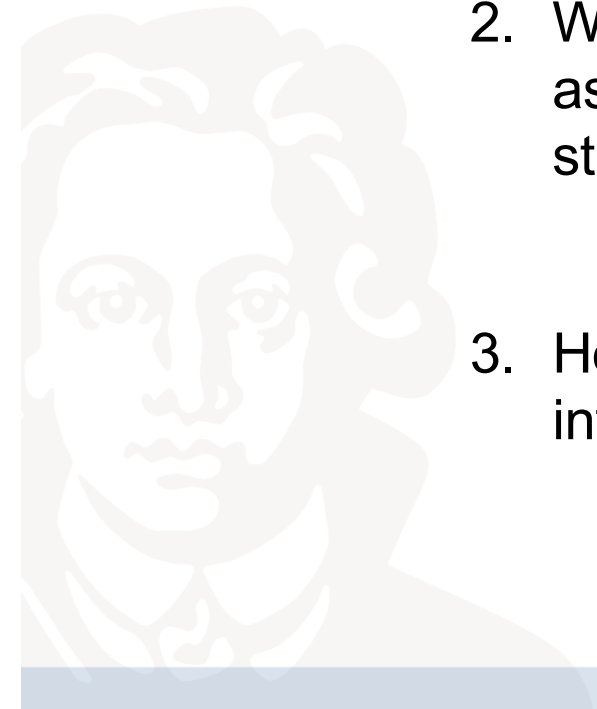
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*Highly informative feedback goes beyond feedback on right/wrong, it provides correct solutions, possibilities for improvement, hints on competence development and effective learning strategies.*

## Research Questions for HILA



1. How can relevant data for the learner goals and outcomes of a course be extracted from digital learning environments?
2. What is the effect of different feedback types for assignment results, exam performance, and affective student variables?
3. How does feedback literacy influence students' interpretation and reaction to the received feedback?

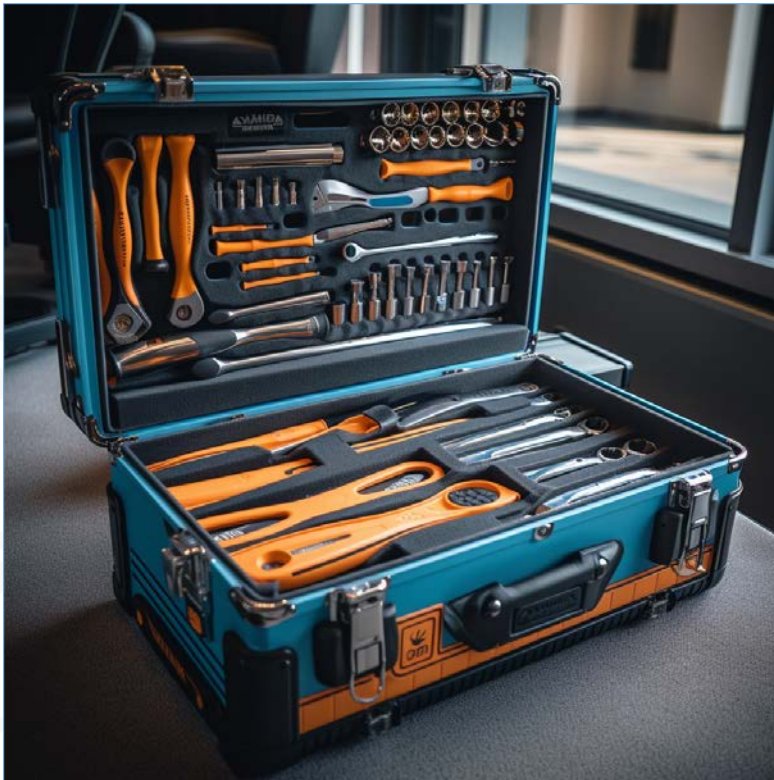


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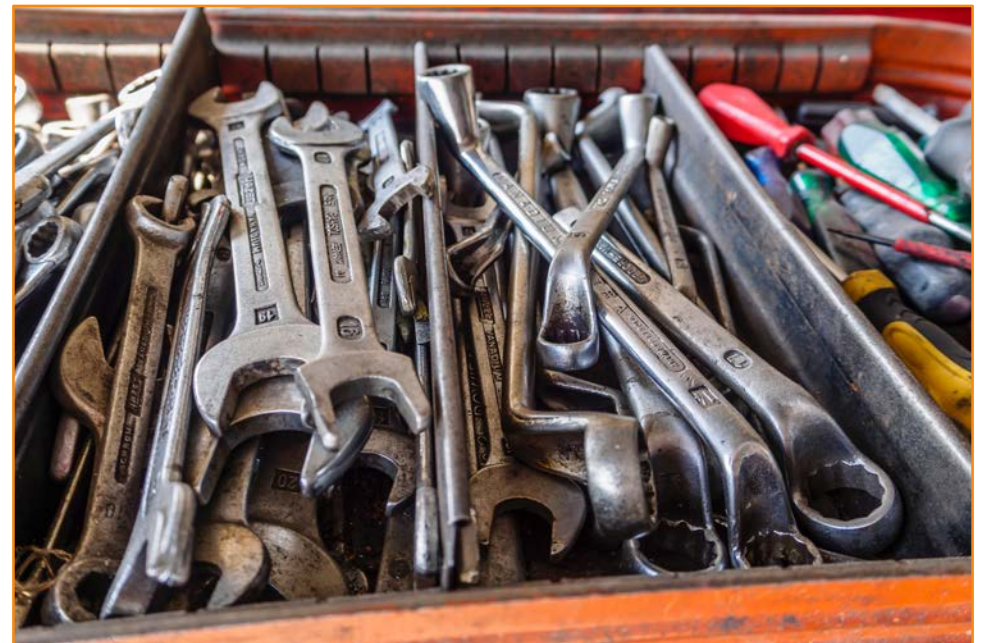


# Evidence-based Learning Design



Learning Analytics *Mit Design*

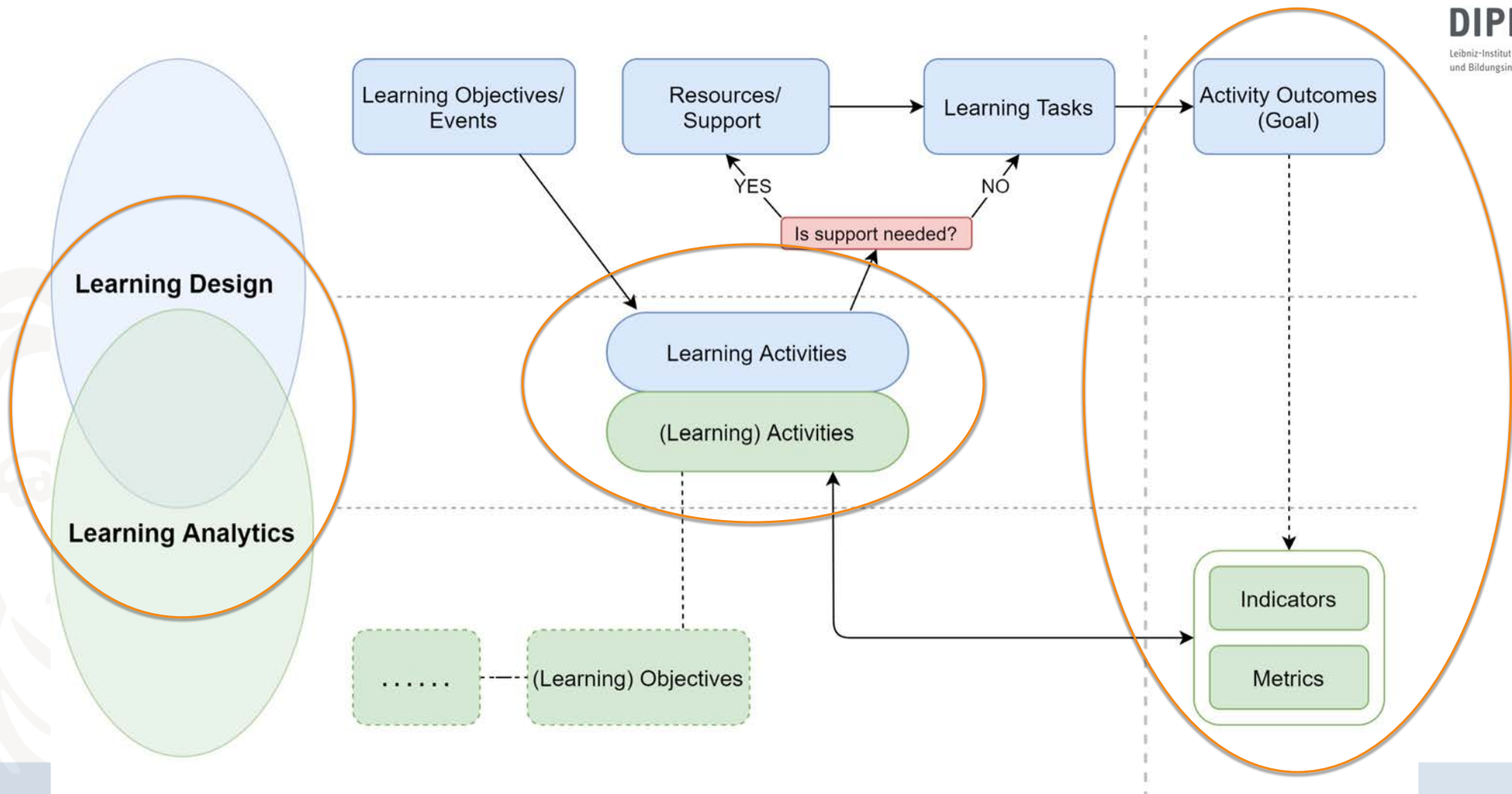
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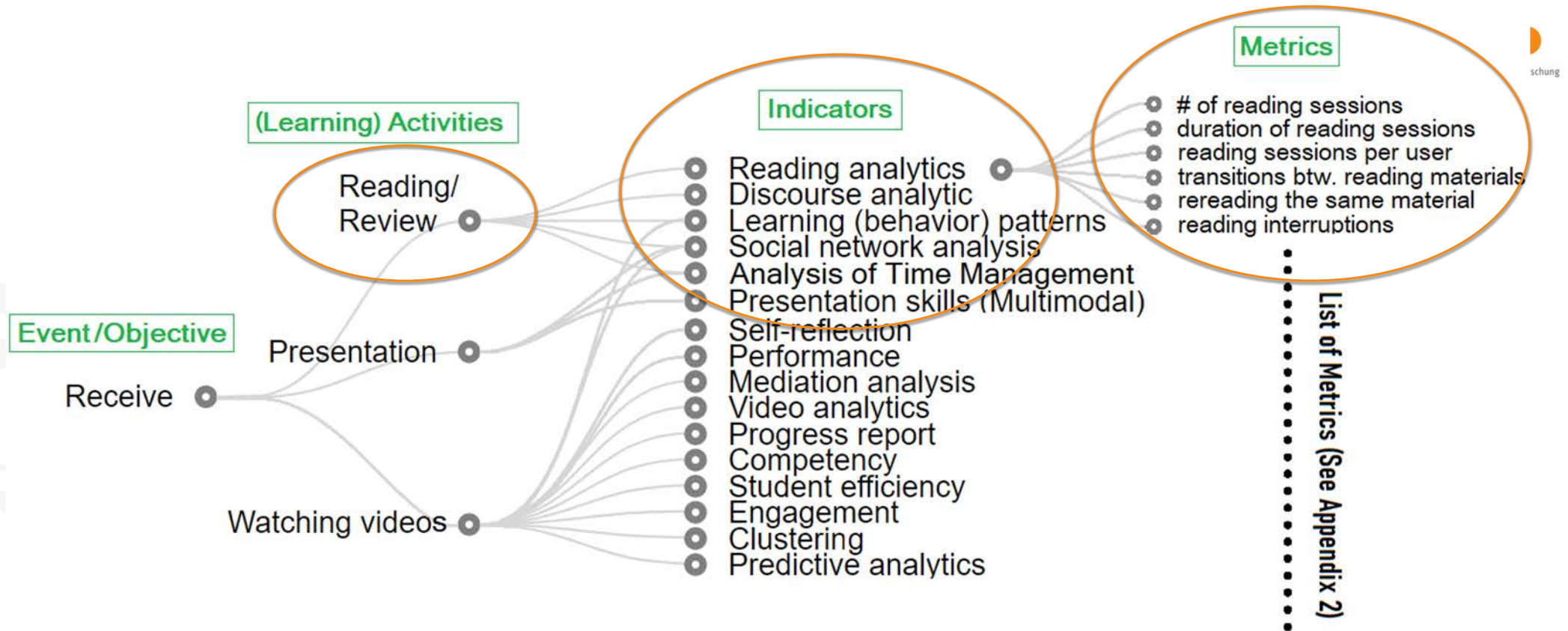
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Ahmad, A.; Schneider, J.; Weidlich, J.; Di Mitri, D.; Yau, J.; Schiffner, D. and Drachsler, H. (2022). **What Indicators Can I Serve You with? An Evaluation of a Research-Driven Learning Analytics Indicator Repository.** In Proceedings of the 14th International Conference on Computer Supported Education – Volume 1, ISBN 978-989-758-562-3, ISSN 2184-5026, pages 58-68.

# Evidence-based Learning Design



Limited Edition: LAK20 Version

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Schmitz, M., Scheffel, M., Bemelmans, R., & Drachsler, H. (2022). **FoLA2 — A Method for Co-creating Learning Analytics–Supported Learning Design**. *Journal of Learning Analytics*, 9(2), 265-281. <https://doi.org/10.18608/jla.2022.7643>

# Evidence-based Learning Design



Beantworte nun abschließend die Frage:  
**Wie sollten Solarzellen an einem Haus angebracht werden, um möglichst viel Energie umwandeln zu können?**

**Sie sollten möglichst zur Sonne zeigen...**

Mithilfe von Solarbooten kann man sich ohne Benzin auf dem Wasser fortbewegen.  
Wie lässt sich die Funktionsweise von Solarbooten erklären?

Wählen Sie eine Antwort:

- Solarzellen auf dem Dach der Solarboote wandeln Strahlungsenergie in elektrische Energie um. Die elektrische Energie wird für einen Motor genutzt.
- Solarzellen auf dem Dach der Solarboote speichern Strahlungsenergie. Die gespeicherte Strahlungsenergie betreibt dann einen Motor.
- Für die Fortbewegung auf dem Wasser wird keine Energie benötigt, da man sich auf dem Wasser ohne Reibung fortbewegen kann.
- Solarzellen auf dem Dach der Solarboote speichern die elektrische Energie des Sonnenlichts. Die elektrische Energie betreibt dann einen Motor.

[Meine Auswahl widerrufen](#)

Kubsch M., Czinczel B., Lossjew J., Wyrwich T., Bednorz D., Bernholt S., Fiedler D., Strauß S., Cress U., Drachsler H., Neumann K. and Rummel N. (2022) **Toward learning progression analytics — Developing learning environments for the automated analysis of learning using evidence-centred design.** Front. Educ. 7:981910. <https://doi.org/10.3389/feduc.2022.981910>

BETA Version

FoLA

Feedbackorientierte Lern-Designs  
und Analytics

*inspiriert von FoLA<sup>2</sup>*

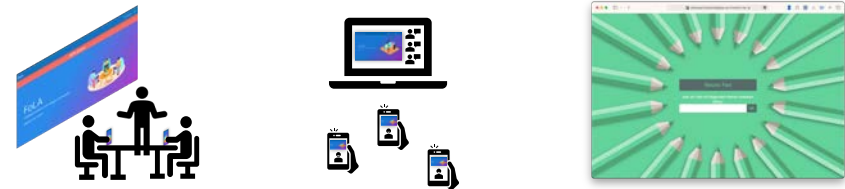


FoLA.digital

Jointly planning, analyzing, and  
improving teaching online



- **Role-based collaborative development** and reflection of learning designs in **real-time (Design)**.



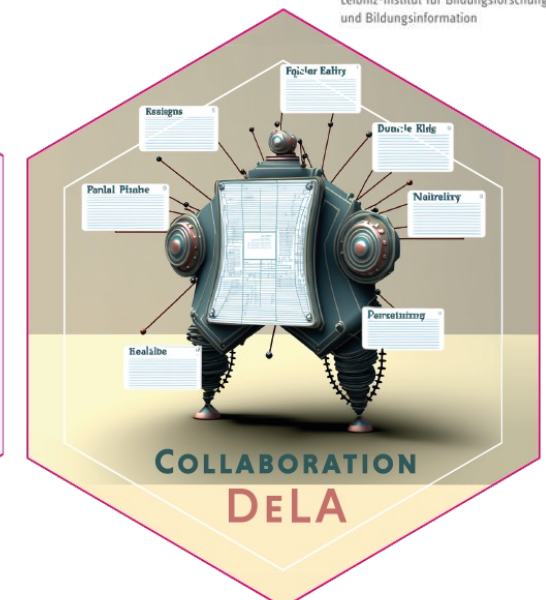
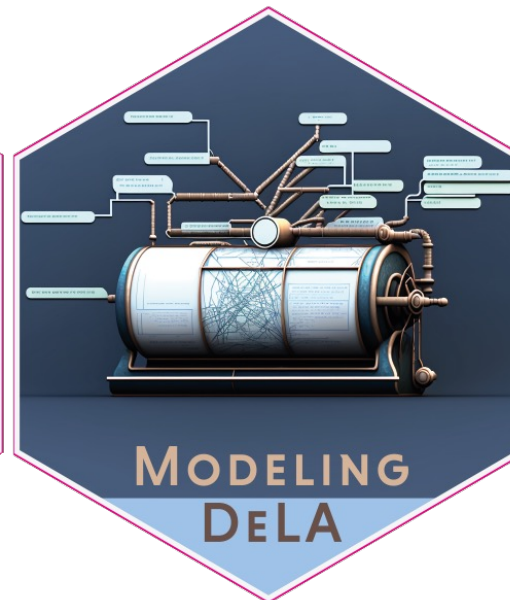
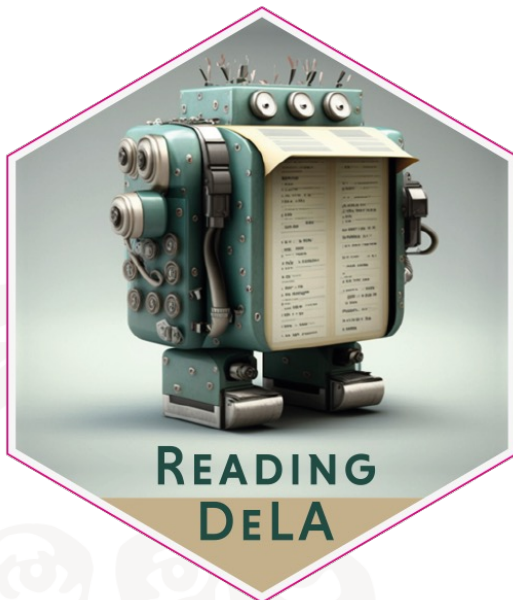
- Interfaces for the integration of new tools and methods **for precise implementation at one's own university (Implement)**.
- **Data-driven, iterative improvement of teaching (Evaluate)**.

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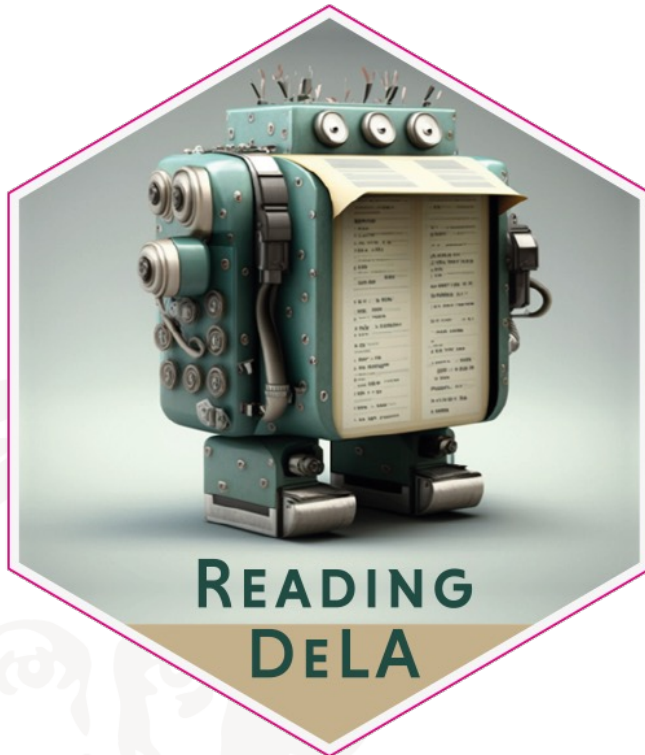
# Data-Enriched Learning Activities



DeLA for the most common learning activities.

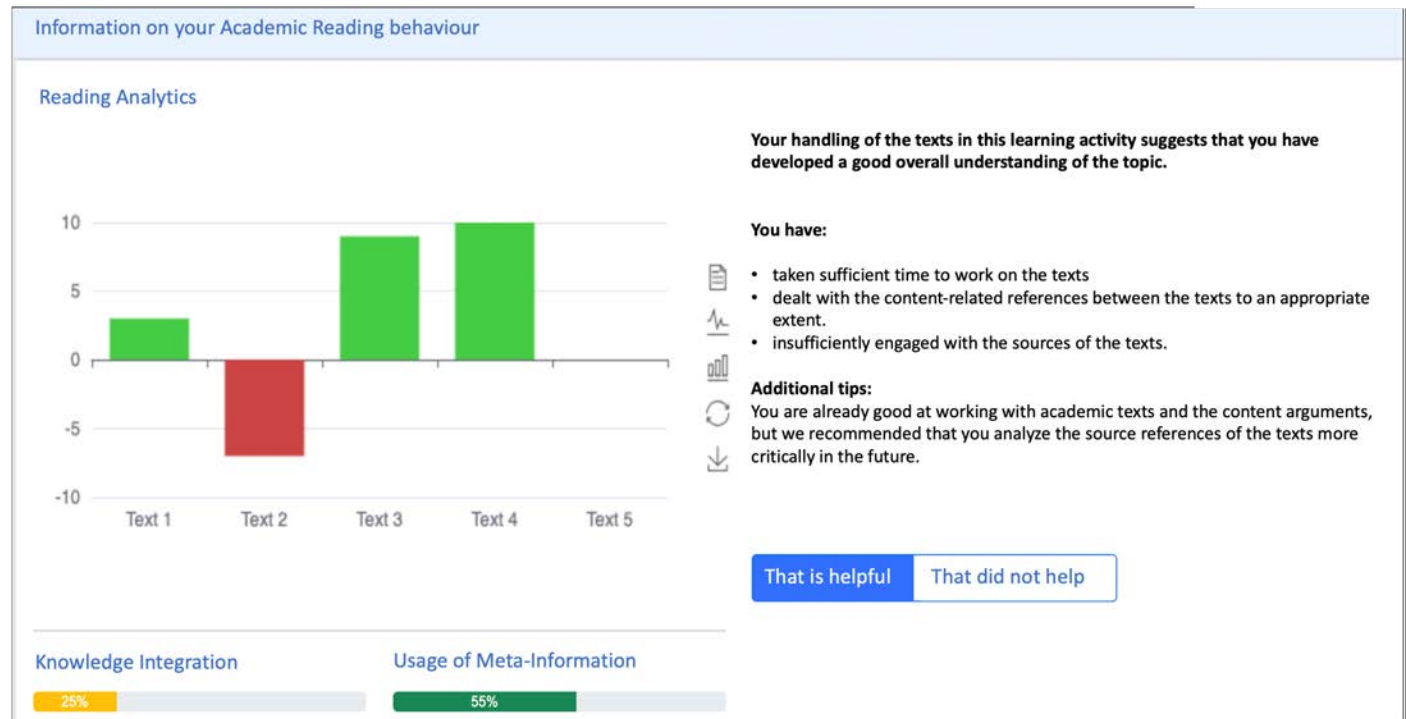
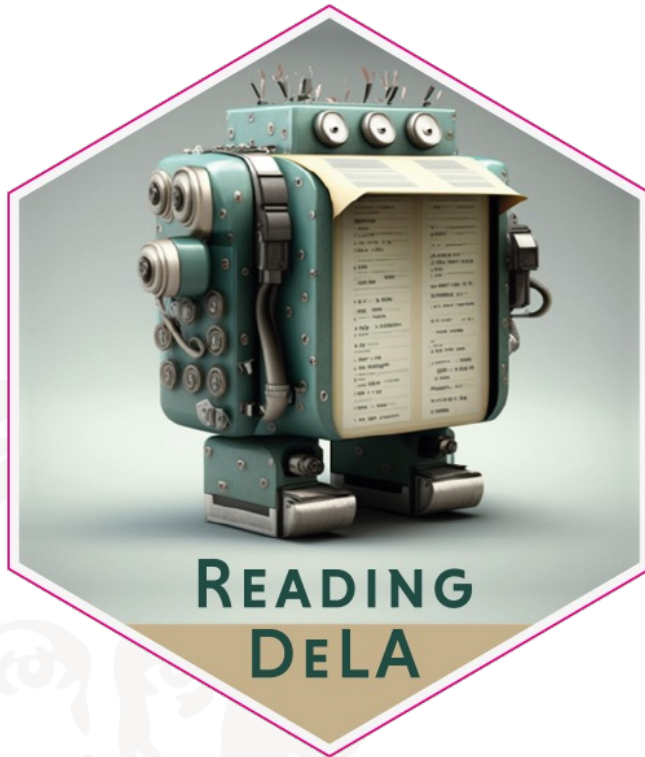


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Prüfen

**Free text answer of students**

# DeLA – Writing Analytics

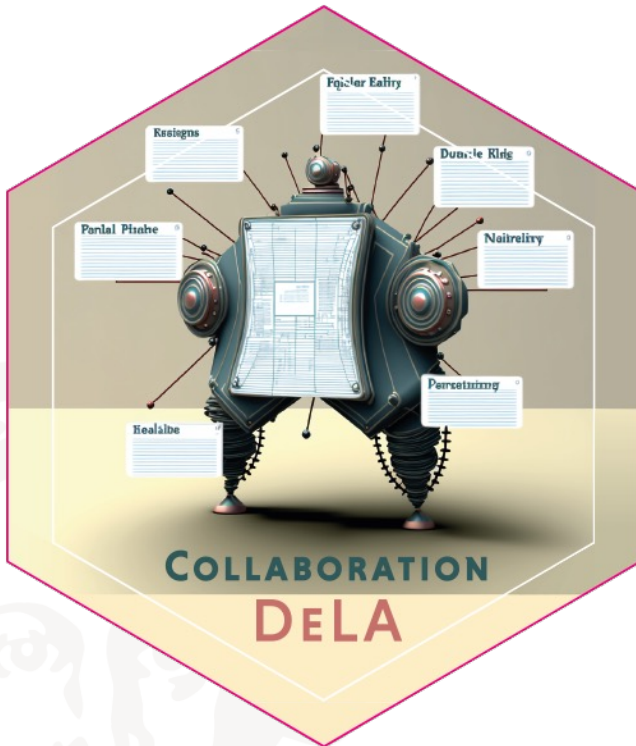


**Students Scores based on Learning Goals**

<input type="checkbox"/> Schüler*innen	Elektrische.. Avg: 38%	Strahlungse.. Avg: 44%	Umwandlung.. Avg: 38%	Erklären Avg: 44%	Versuche Pl.. Avg: 38%	Daten Auswe.. Avg: 50%	Energieform.. Avg: 0%	Umwandlung.. Avg: 0%	Alle goals
<input type="checkbox"/> Peter Kahn	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	57%
<input type="checkbox"/> Tom Müller	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	55%
<input type="checkbox"/> Bob Boyy	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	55%
<input type="checkbox"/> Peter Kahn	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	51%
<input type="checkbox"/> Peter Kahn	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	49%
<input type="checkbox"/> Bob Boyy	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	47%

Karademir, O., Borgards, L., Strauß, S., Di Mitri, D., Kubsch, M., Brobeil, M., Grimm, A., Gombert, S., Rummel, N., Neumann, K., & Drachsler, H. (submitted). **Following the Impact Chain: An Intervention Study Investigating a Teacher Dashboard's Prolonged Effect on Student Learning in Secondary Education.**

# DeLA – Collaboration Analytics



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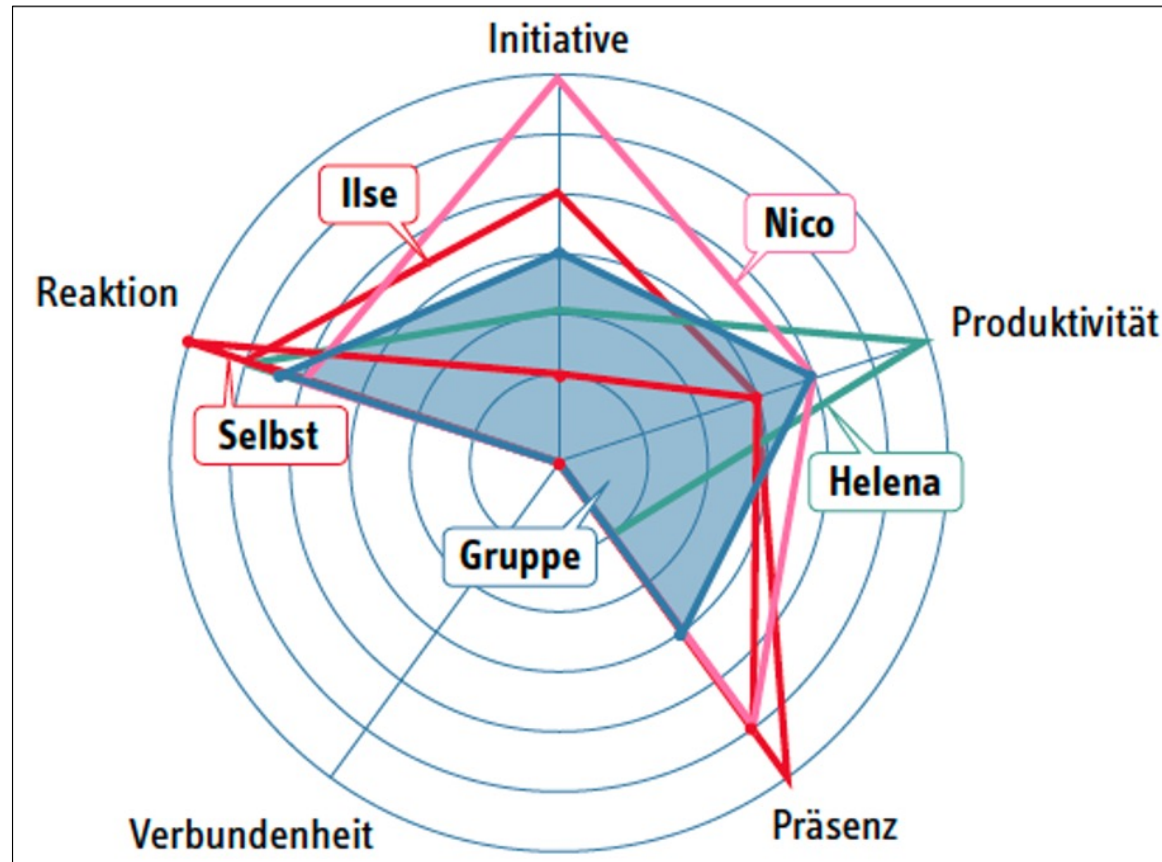
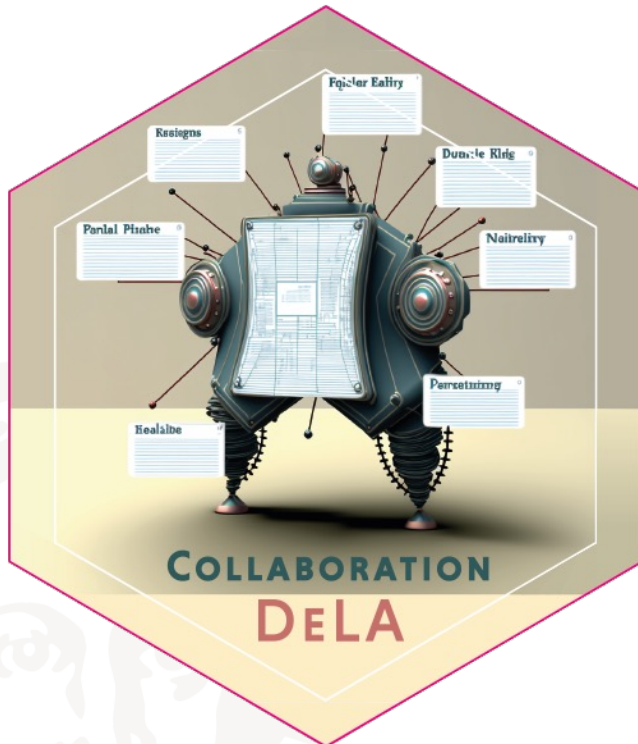
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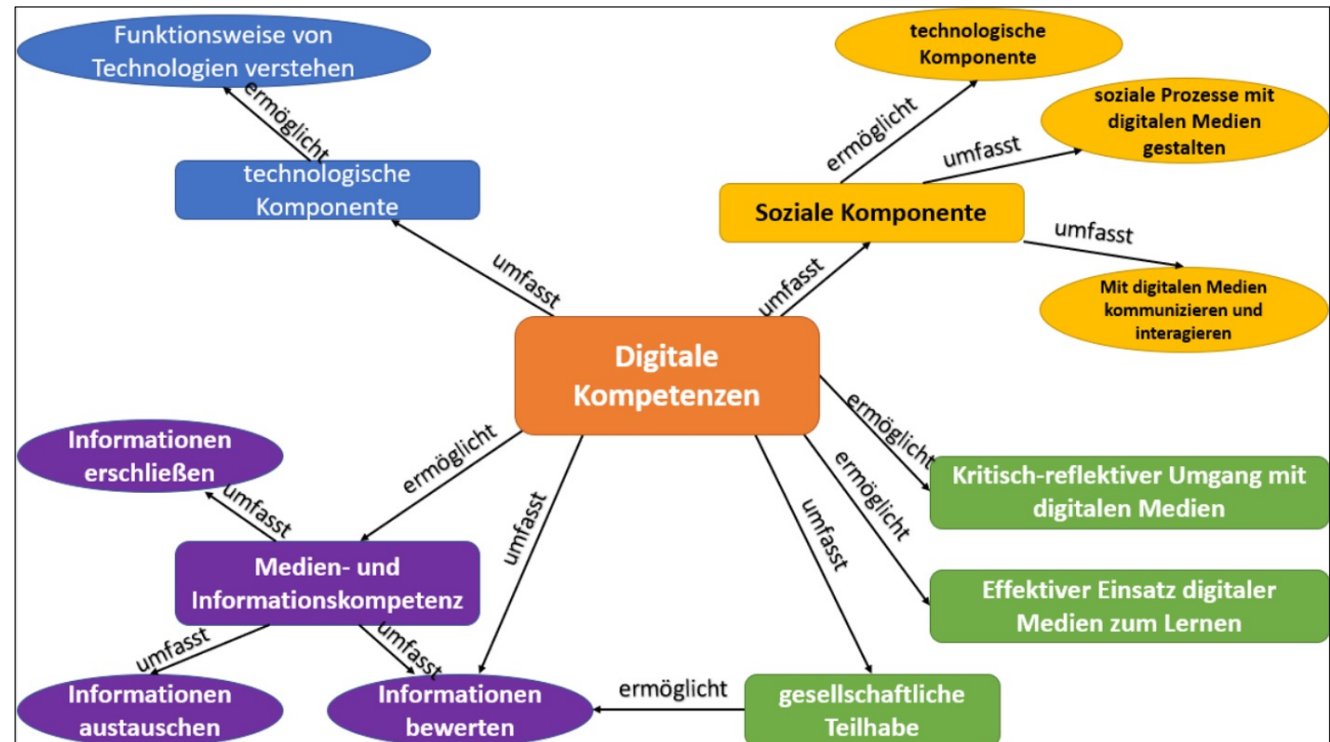
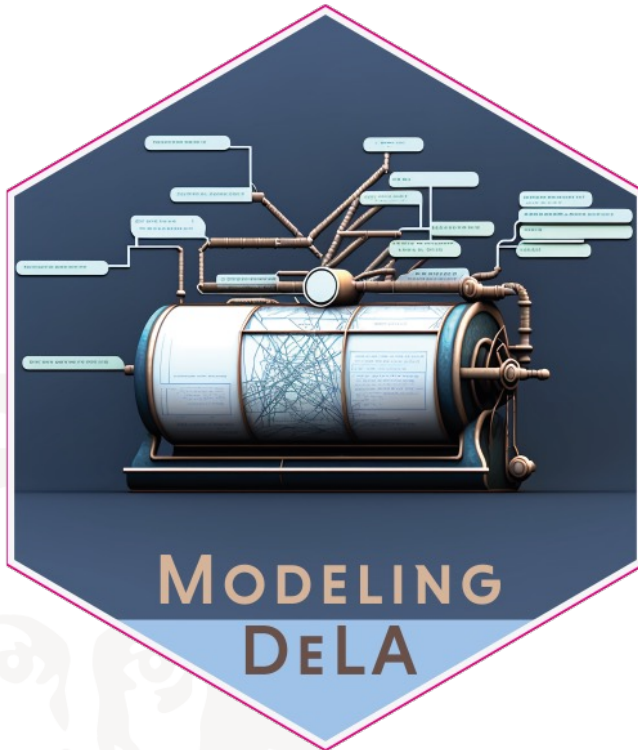
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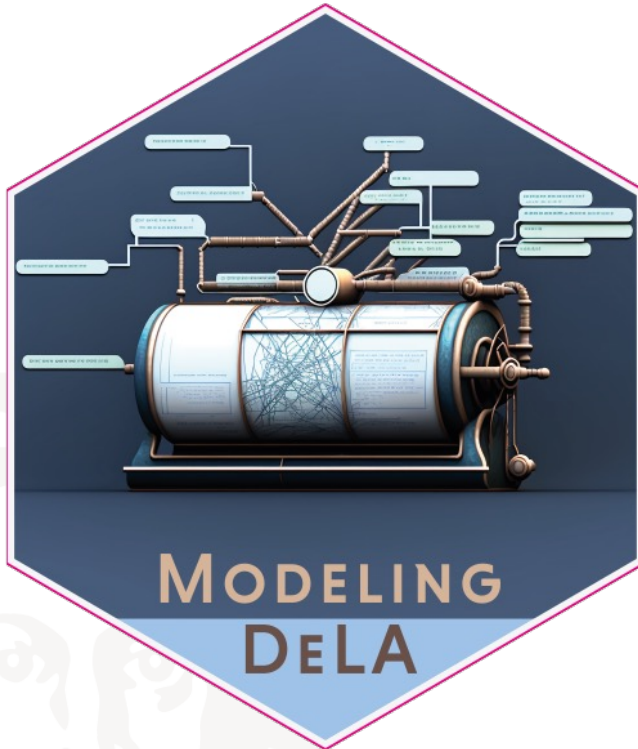
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# DeLA – Modeling Analytics





## Feedback to your assignment

### CONTENT-BASED FEEDBACK

Amount of nodes	14 von 14
Amount of connections	15 von 13
Amount of correct labels	11 von 13
Comparison to master solution	73 %

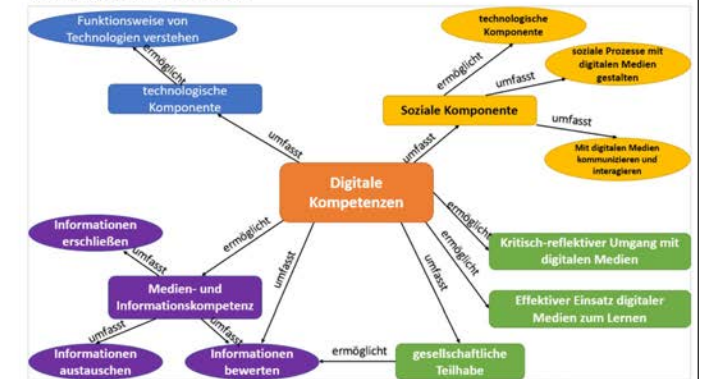
The assessment of your competences in learning activity 12:  
Digital media competences of pupils

Function of digital competences	Good
Technological components	Sufficient
Social components	Good
Media- and Information competences	Excellent

**Summary:** You still have some difficulties in classifying, differentiating and relating digital competences. The need for development is highest for technological components and functions of digital competences.

● Excellent | ● Good | ● Sufficient | ● insufficient

## Your assignment result



## PROCESS-ORIENTED FEEDBACK

	Own activity	Avg. of peer students	Avg. of peer students with correct solution
Editing-Sessions	7	10	8
Time invested	2,5 hours	3,1 hours	2,3 hours
Results controlled	2 times	3 times	3 times

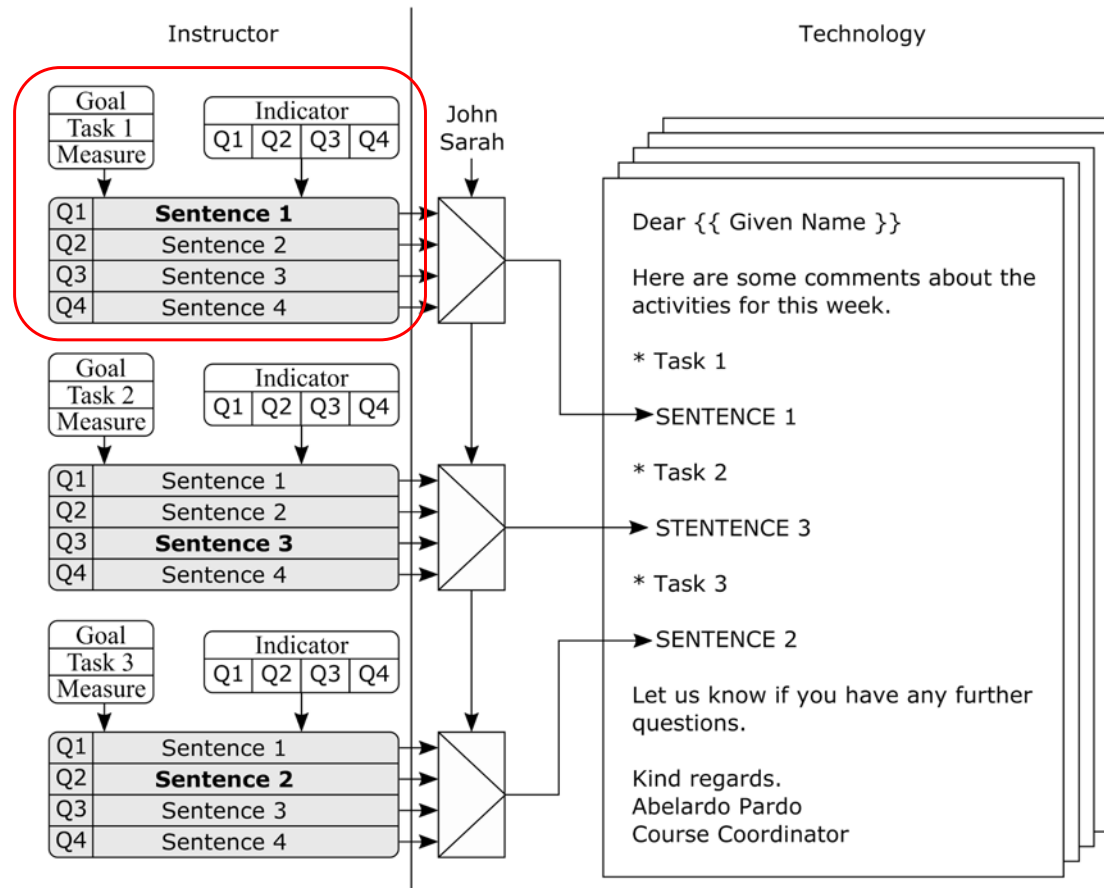


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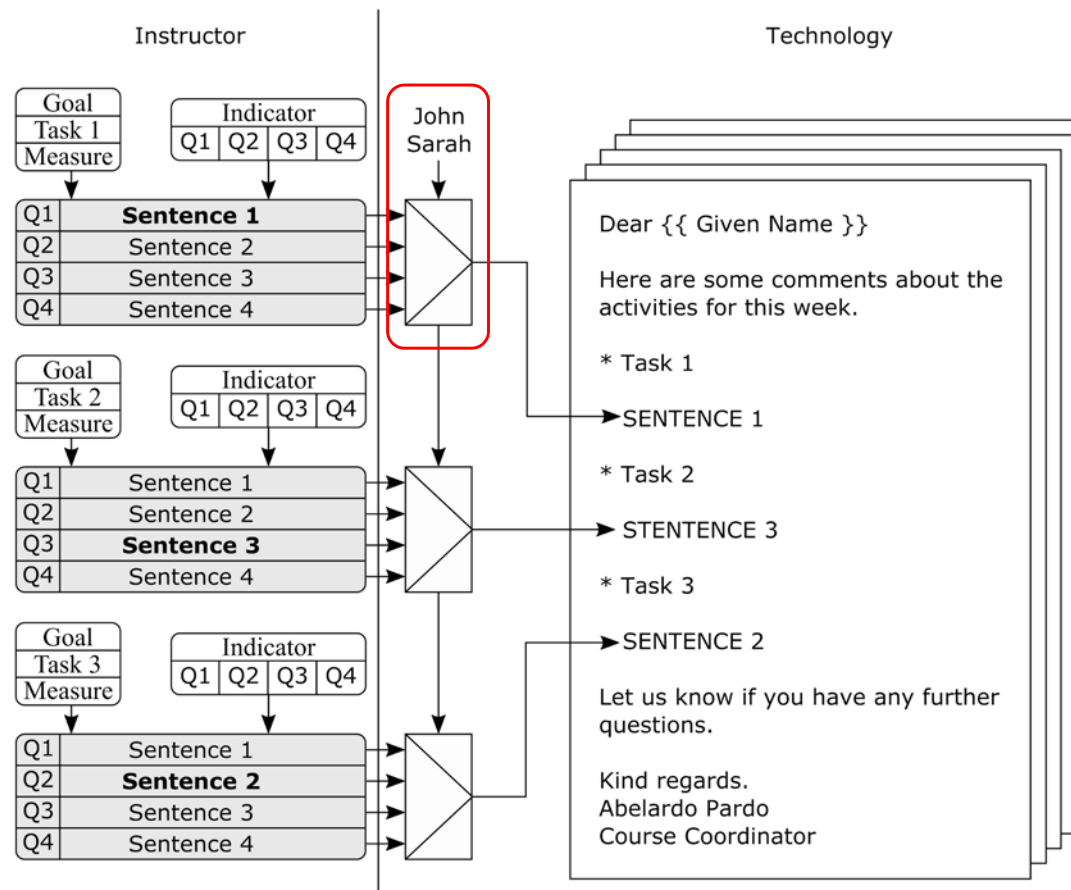
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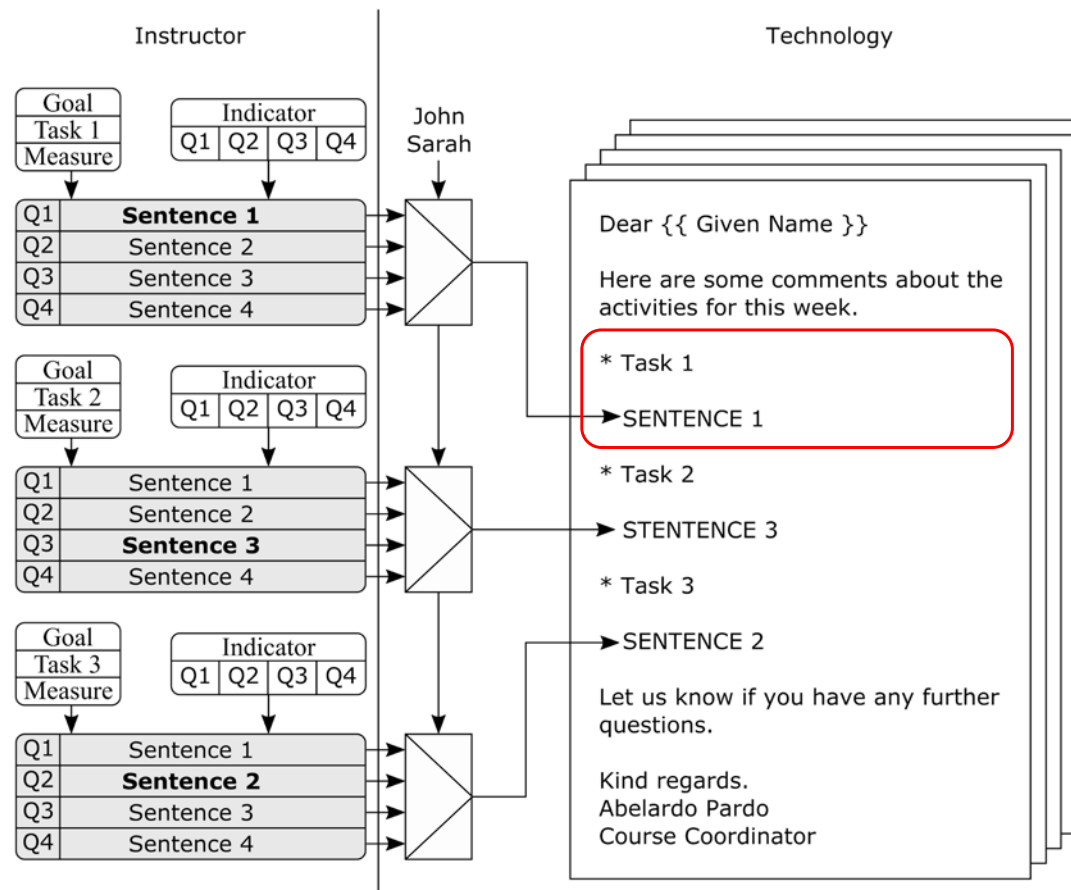
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# DeLA – Feedback System



**Currently:**  
A template based  
feedback system,

**Future:**  
LLM based feedback  
system

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# Research Design for HILA & DeLAs

## Preparation phase

### Summer semester

Implementing LA and content in Moodle  
Consulting pilot partners

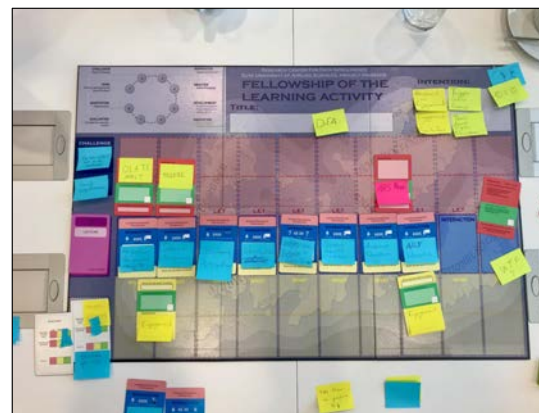
Preparing lecture/seminar

Instrument-development  
SRL, MSLQ, FL LPQ, MDC,  
align scales of psychometrics and LA

Implementing Surveys

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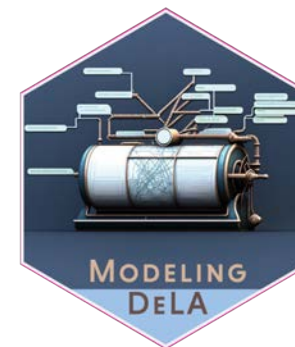
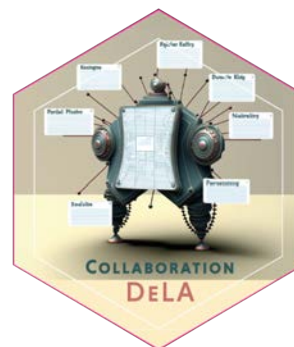
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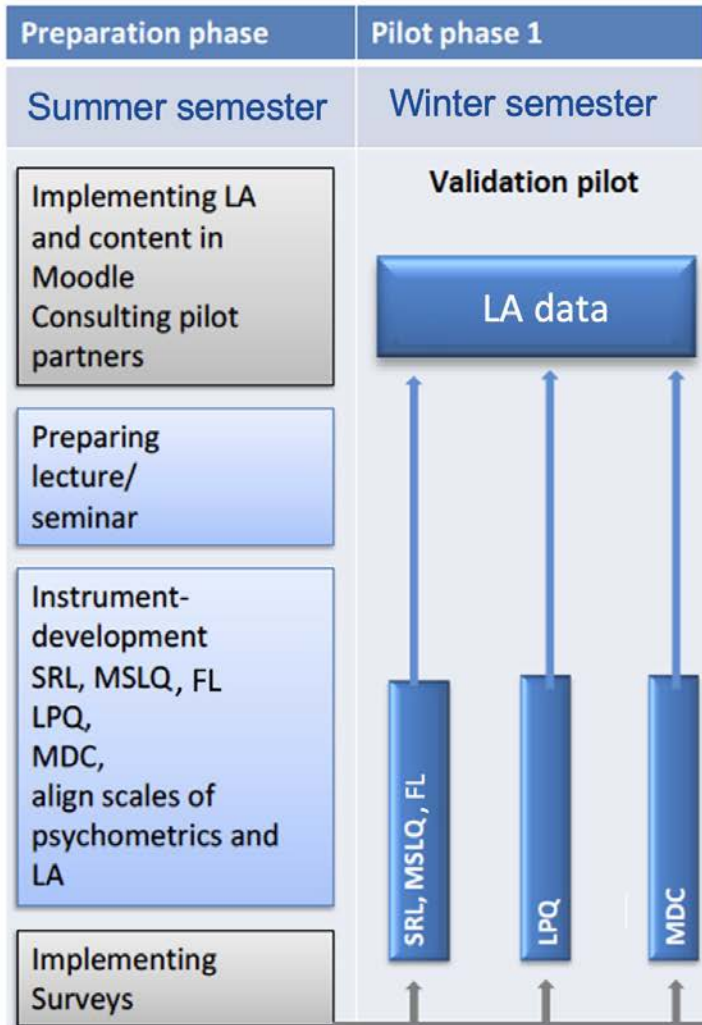
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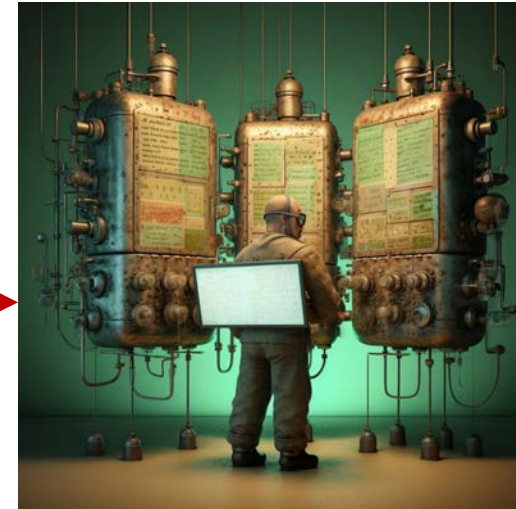
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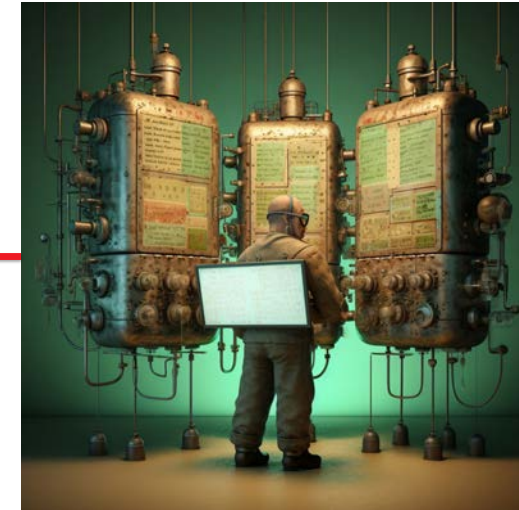
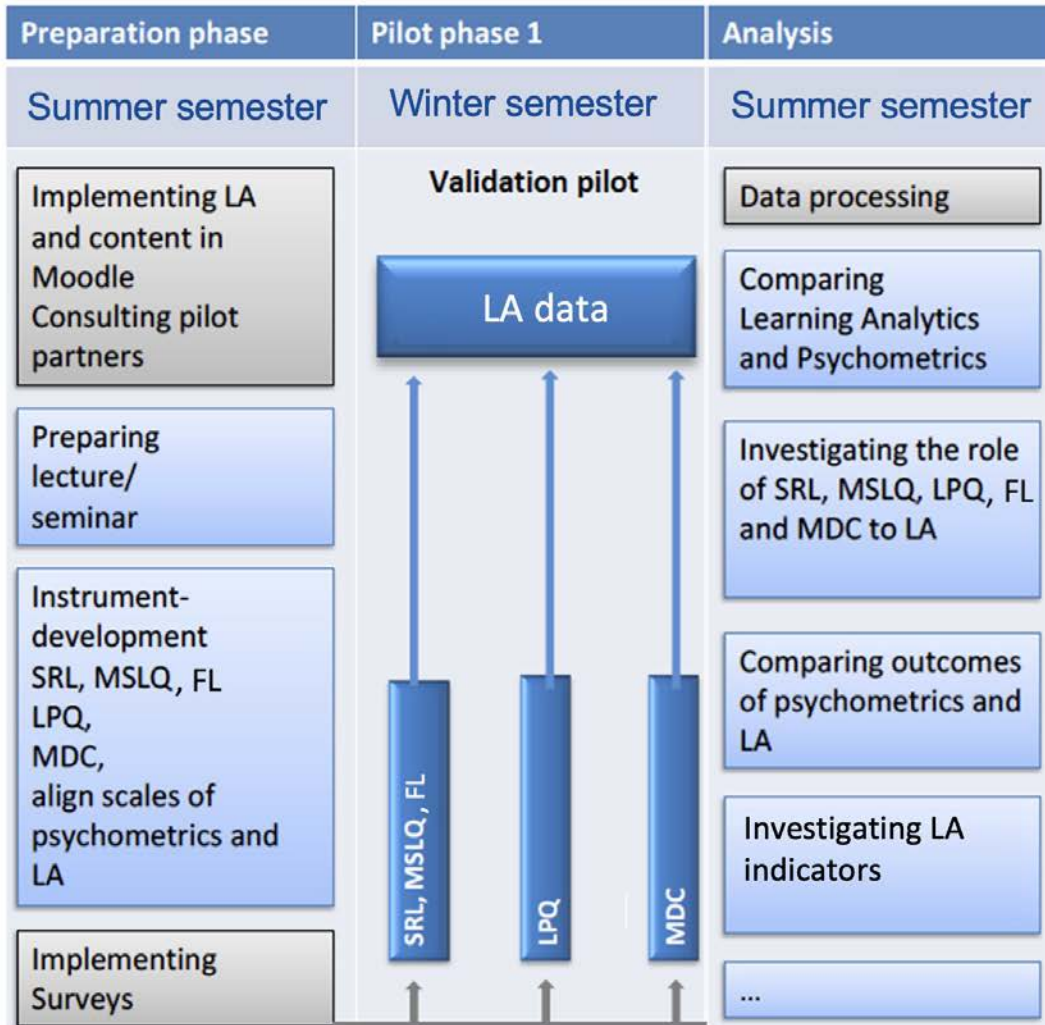
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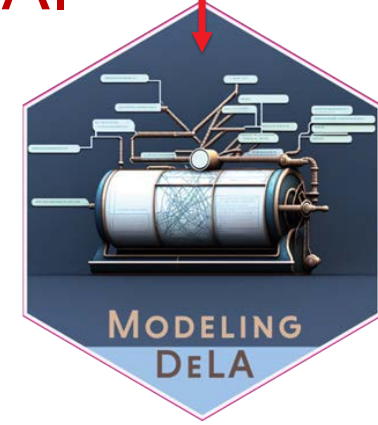
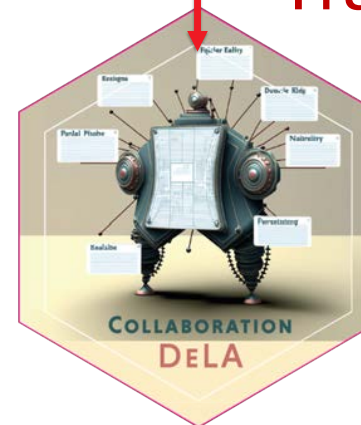
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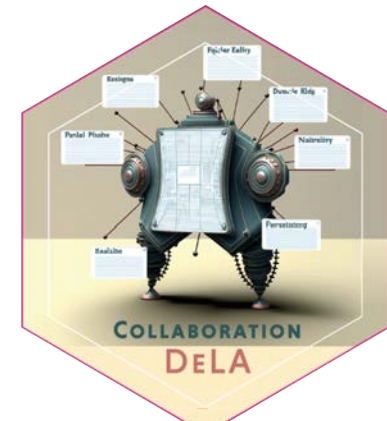
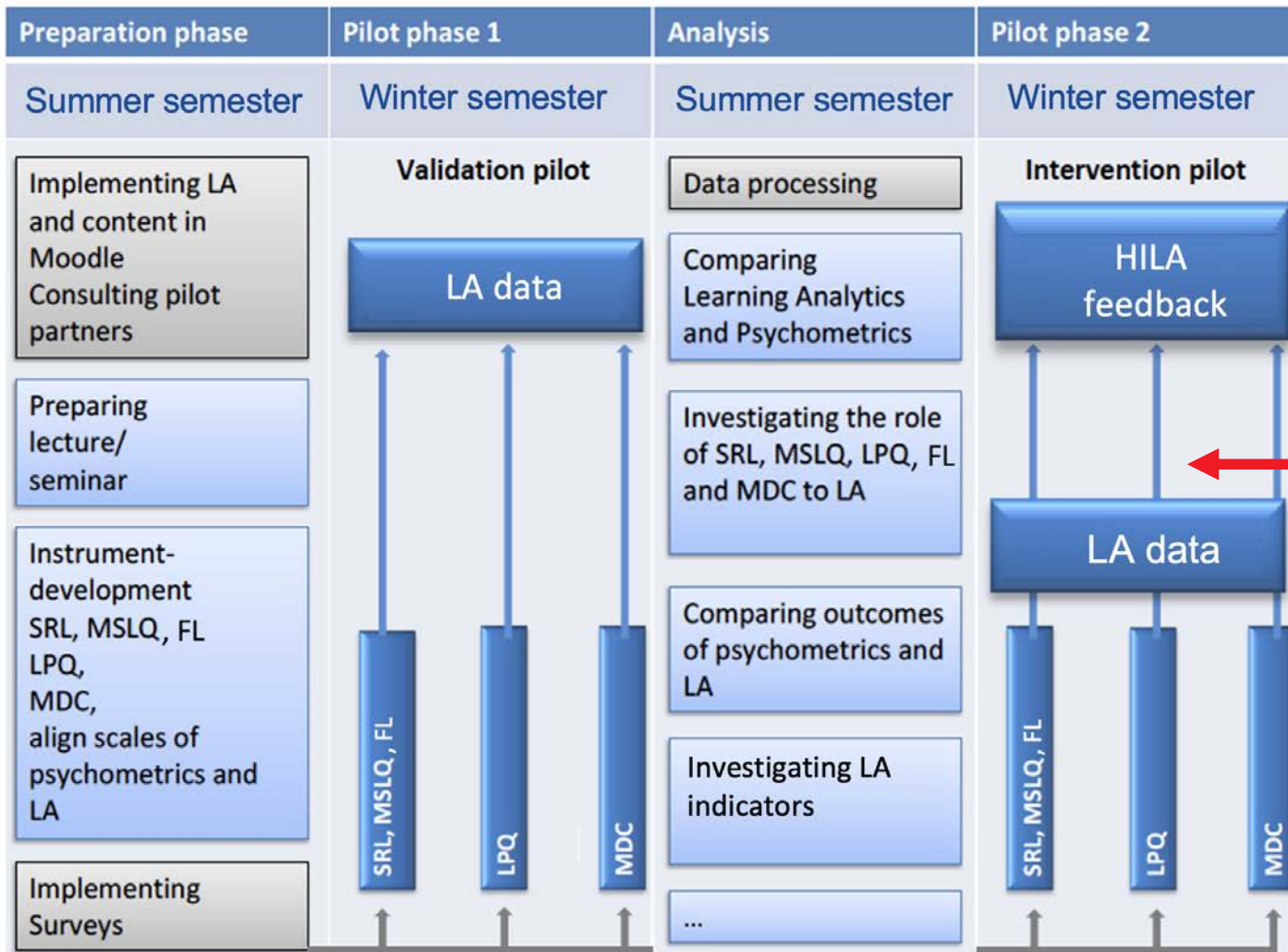


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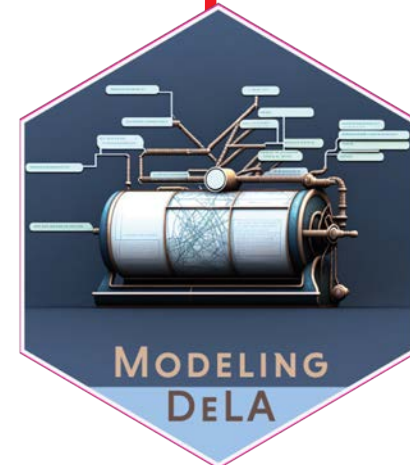




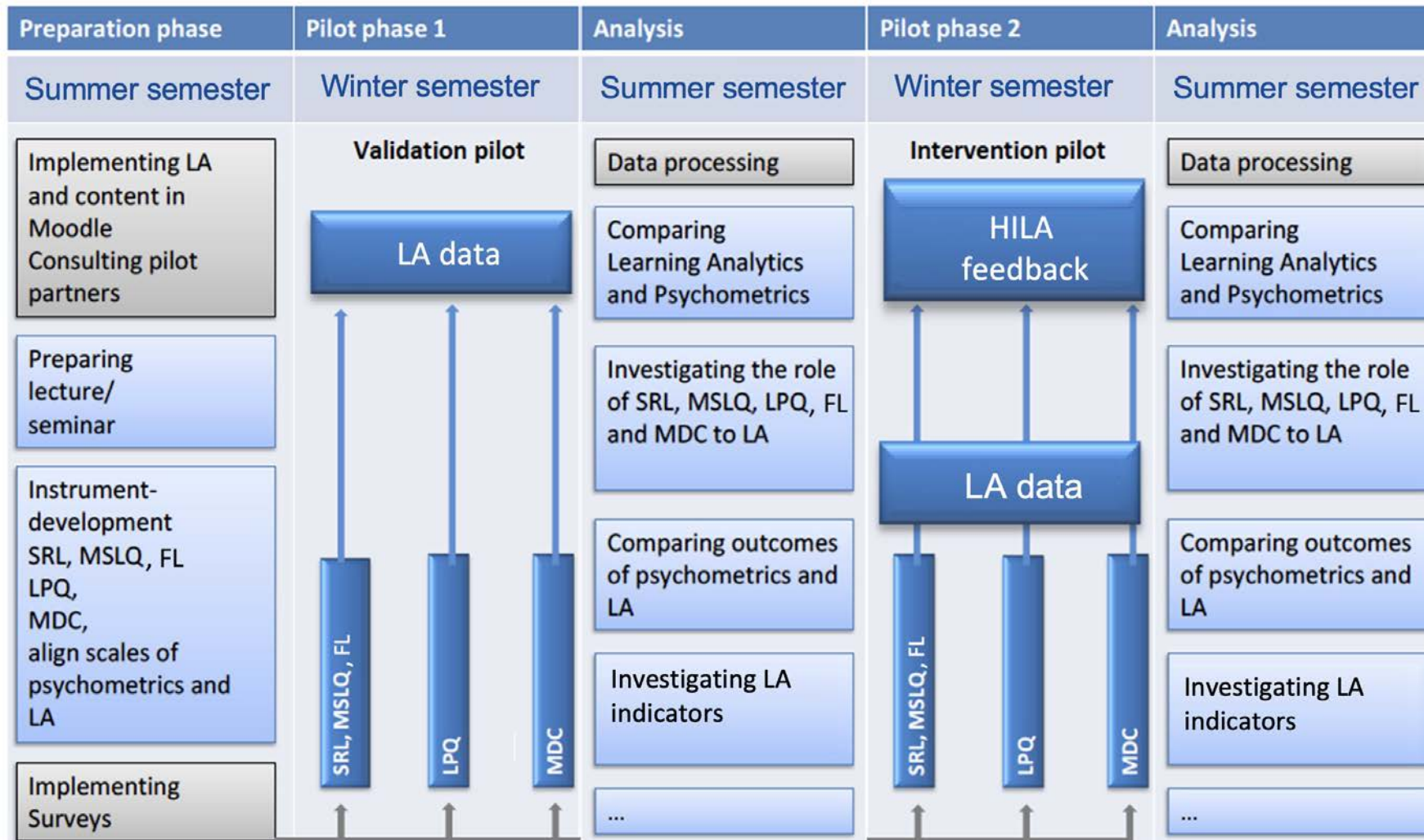
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Feedback



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# Outline

1. Aims of the workshop
2. Highly Informative Learning Analytics (HILA)
3. Design for Learning
4. Data-enriched Learning Analytics (DeLA)
5. Evaluation of DeLAs
6. Take away messages



## HILA – Main findings



1. How can relevant data for the learner goals and outcomes of a course be extracted from digital learning environments?  
=> Importance of constructive alignment (FoLA method), applying tailored DeLA that measure relevant data for learning goals in authentic environment.
2. What is the effect of different feedback types for assignment results, exam performance, and affective student variables?  
=> Still building an empirical basis, quite promising study outcomes from RCT, need to be further generalised and evaluated in different settings and domains.
3. How does feedback literacy influence students' interpretation and reaction to the received feedback?  
=> 1<sup>st</sup> psychometric scale on feedback literacy (Woitt et al., 2023), rich data collected from students analysis ongoing



## 1. Interdisciplinary Collaboration

The connection of educational sciences, computer science, and educational practice is necessary to create sustainable added value & platforms for educational actors.

## 2. Research Transfer

The necessity of collaboration with practitioners for ecologically valid results.

## 3. Authentic Data

Machine learning requires authentic and meaningful data for the learning processes of students.

Many thanks for your attention.  
Questions now or later?



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