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Brain Drain - Brain Gain: An International Perspective

Recent data and indicators will be presented to help place discussions of brain drain-brain gain in current context, in Portugal and on the international scene. Cost and benefit analyses of brain drain-brain gain remains a challenge as does the need to move the development of measures and understanding of human resources in S&T higher on the priority list of policy makers and data collection agencies. Examples of efforts, developments and obstacles will be given.

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