

Global Partnership - Workshop Report -



*Timothy N. Ngwira
University of Malawi
and*



*Clemens B A Wollny
Georg-August Universität Göttingen*

***Achieving the Millennium Development Goals: A
Challenge for Global Higher Education.
Berlin, 3 –4 November 2004***



Partnerships: Closing the Gap between Rich and Marginalized Countries?

Paradigm:
Integration of
research and
teaching

Advance in Science
>>>Impact on MDG ??



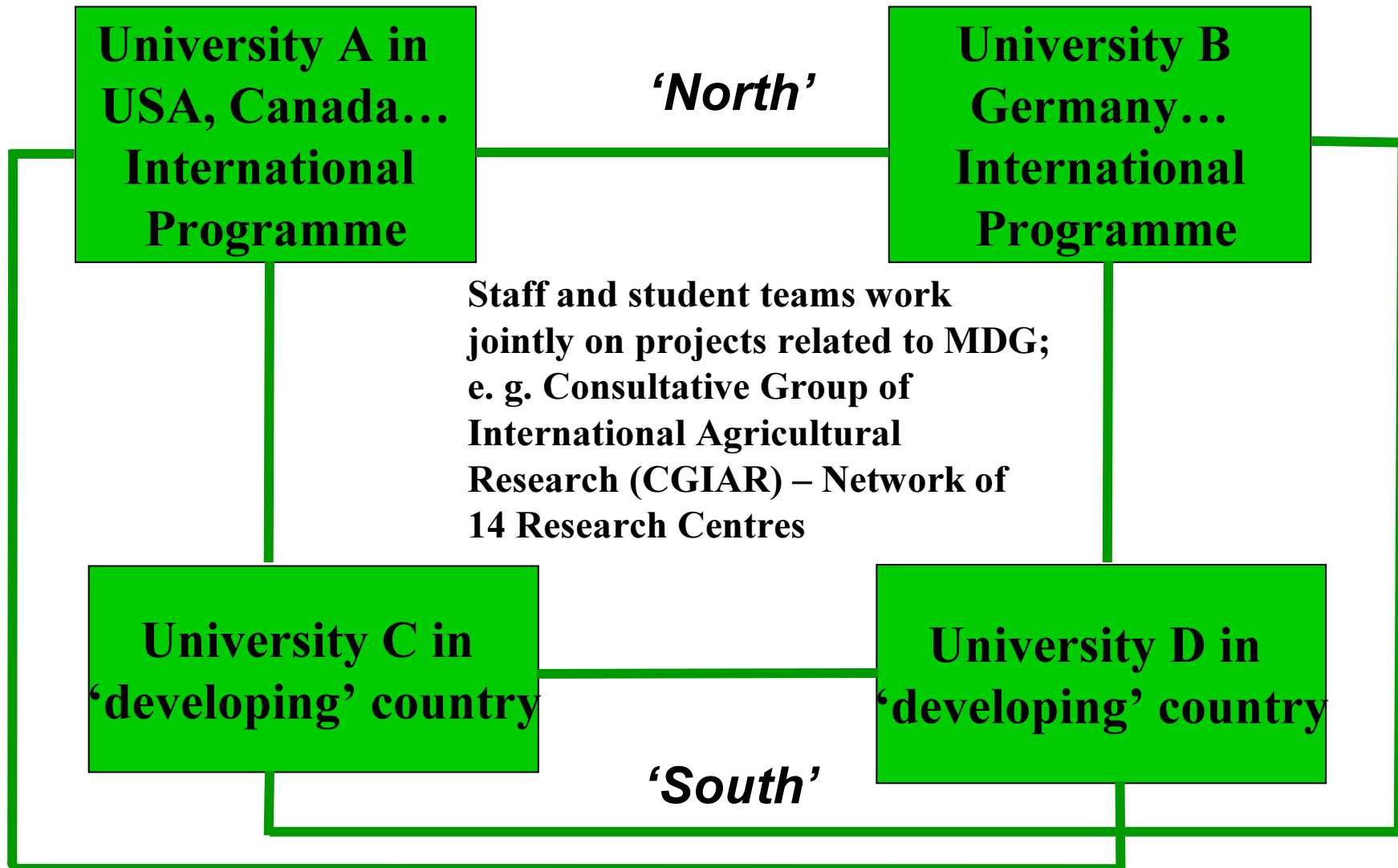
Discussion Outcomes

- **Interest – respect – trust**
- **Competitive education sector**
- **Sharing common fate**
- **Quality Management as a systemic tool**
- **Partnership in the context of globalisation**
- **Awareness on MDG related issues**
- **Schools on public policy formulation**

Features of Successful Partnerships

- 1. Non-exploiting partnership and mutual trust as a pre-requisite**
- 2. Strengthening of institutional capacity, resource sharing (including human capital!)**
- 3. Relevant research and adequate training**
- 4. Involve and obtain support from stakeholders - civil and private sector**
- 5. Partnership means more than exchange of staff and information: Sharing a vision - working together on common goals**

Global Partnership



Practical Recommendations (short-term)

1. Develop/provide guide on development of partnership programmes (beyond conventional exchange programmes): ‘How to....’
2. Include development oriented cooperative research and training programmes in the evaluation criteria of universities.