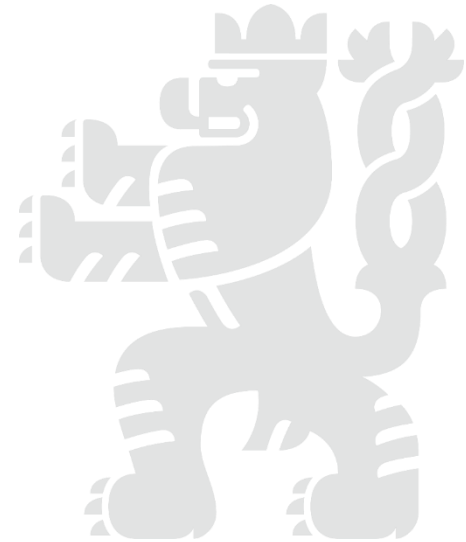


Is it easy to be environmentally friendly university?

The case of Czech University of Life Sciences Prague

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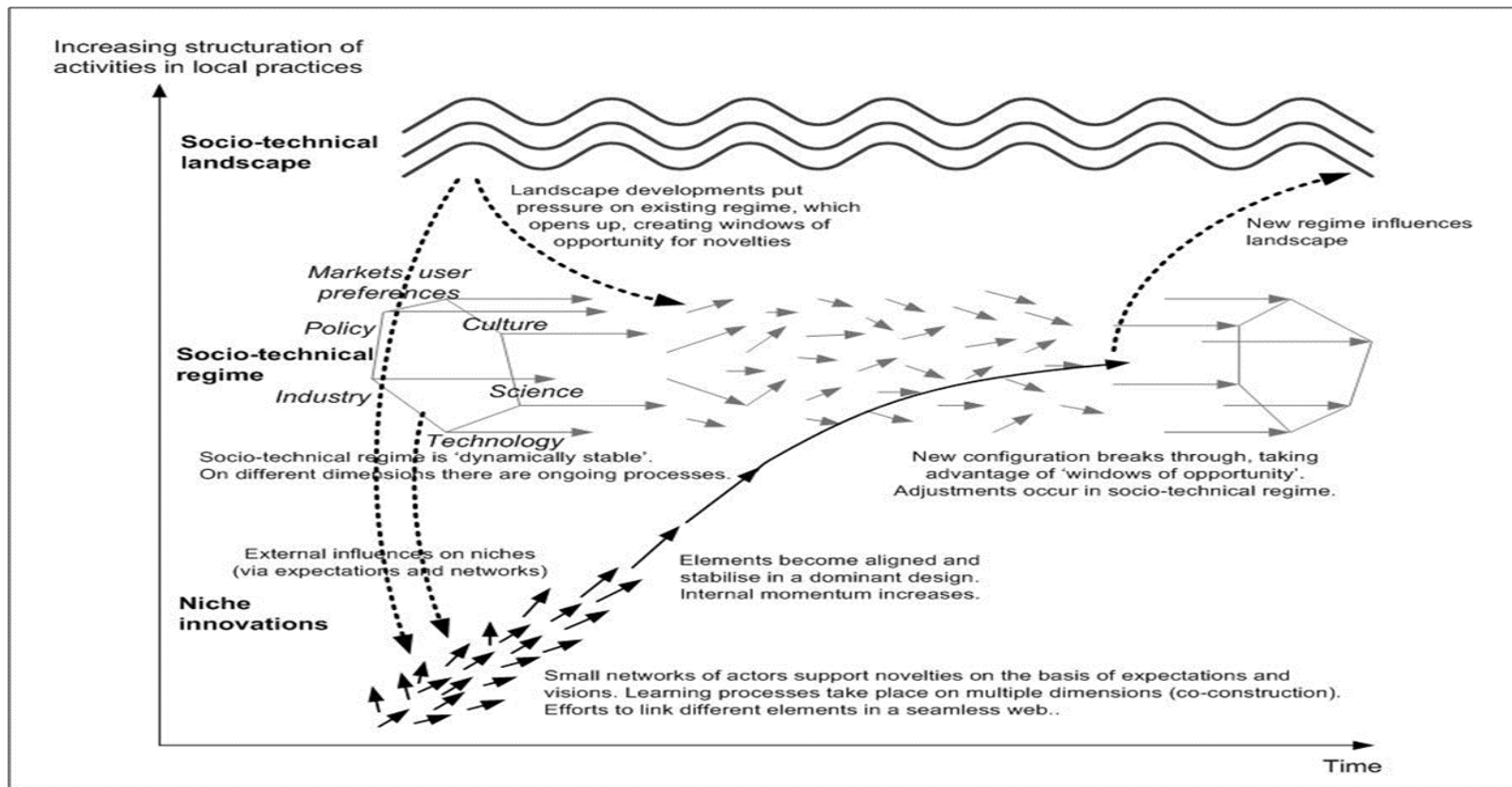
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Theoretical underpinning

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- Transition theory (transition to sustainability)



Contextual background

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Why to be sustainable

- **External context (opportunity window)**
- Climatic change
- EU discourse (e.g. Green deal)
- Participation in international university networks
- **Internal context (questioning “business as usual”)**
- Students' interest in sustainability, namely in environmental issues
- Positioning of the university (who are we compared to others)
- Demonstrating the role of life science universities in the society as socially responsible university

Contextual background

- **VISION IN CZU LONG TERM STRATEGY**

Rotates around sustainability and social responsibility (vision to be flagship in sustainability and mission is to socially responsible)

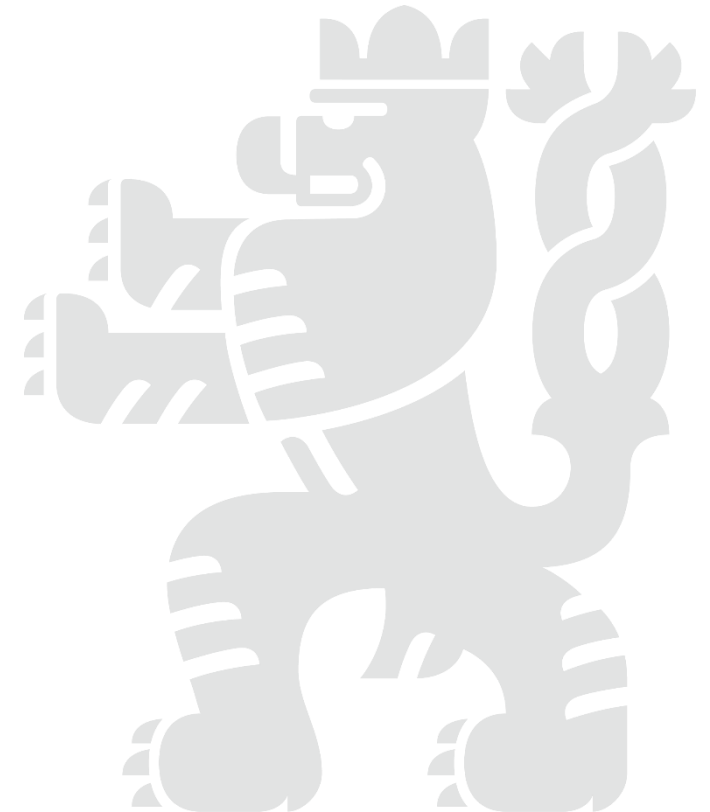
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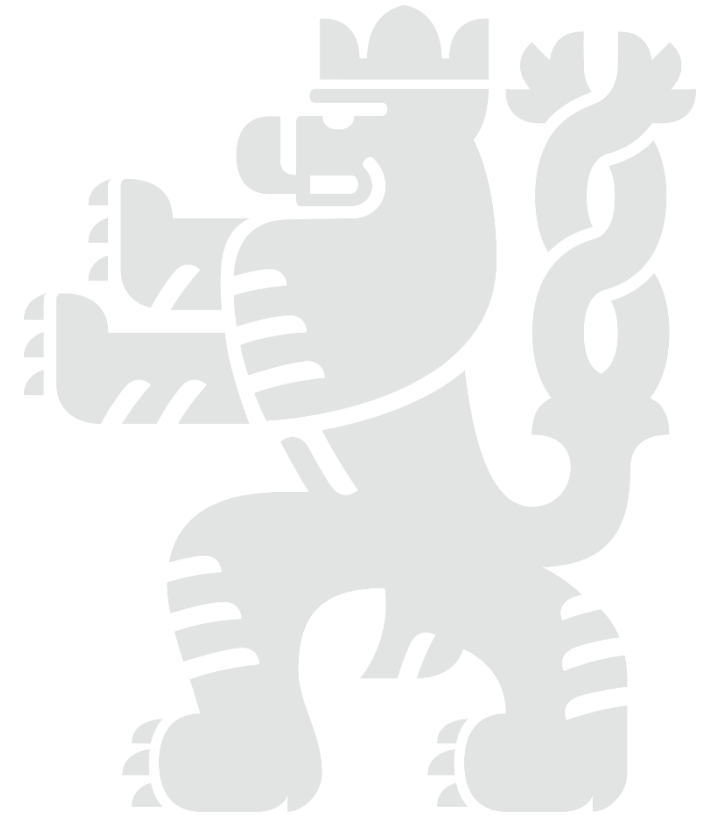
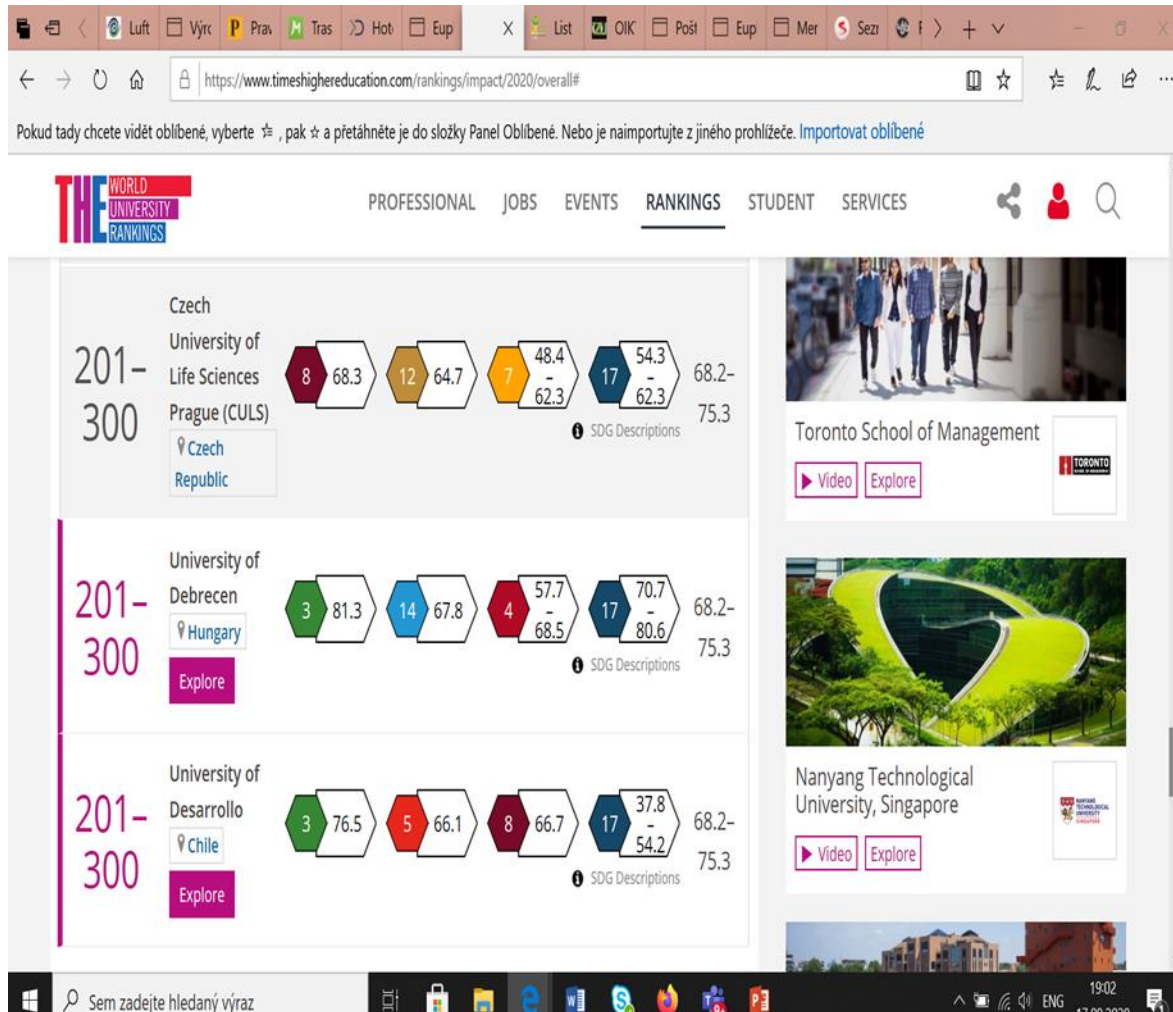
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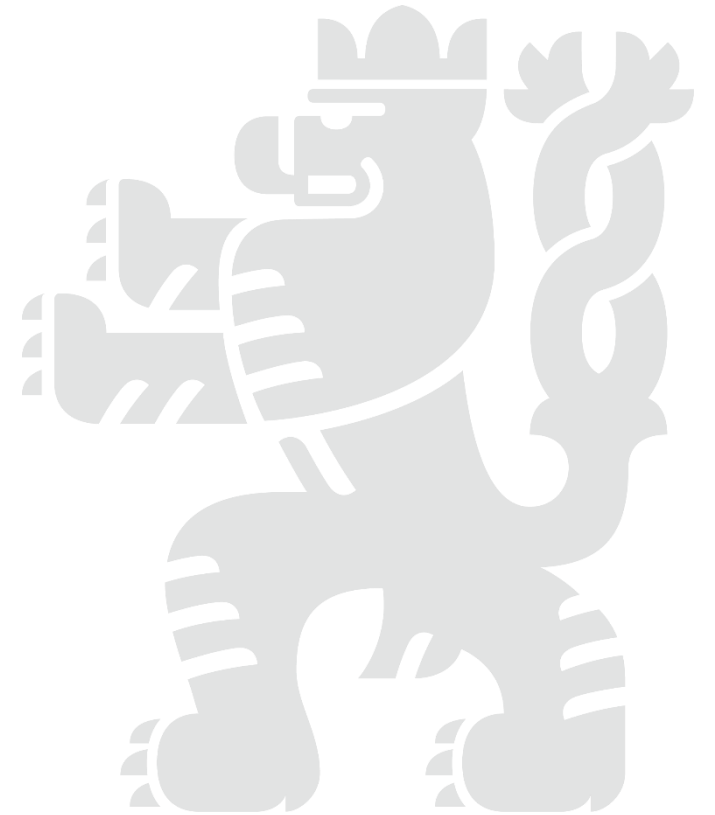
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Benchmarking through measuring the sustainability and learning what is necessary



Testing sustainability measures



What is sustainability in your view?

What is your wish CZU looks in 2030? Just the wishes

Are your wishes possible (sustainable) - be critical

How will we contribute to the wishes become the reality and how do they match Sustainable Development Goals?

Involvement of academic community

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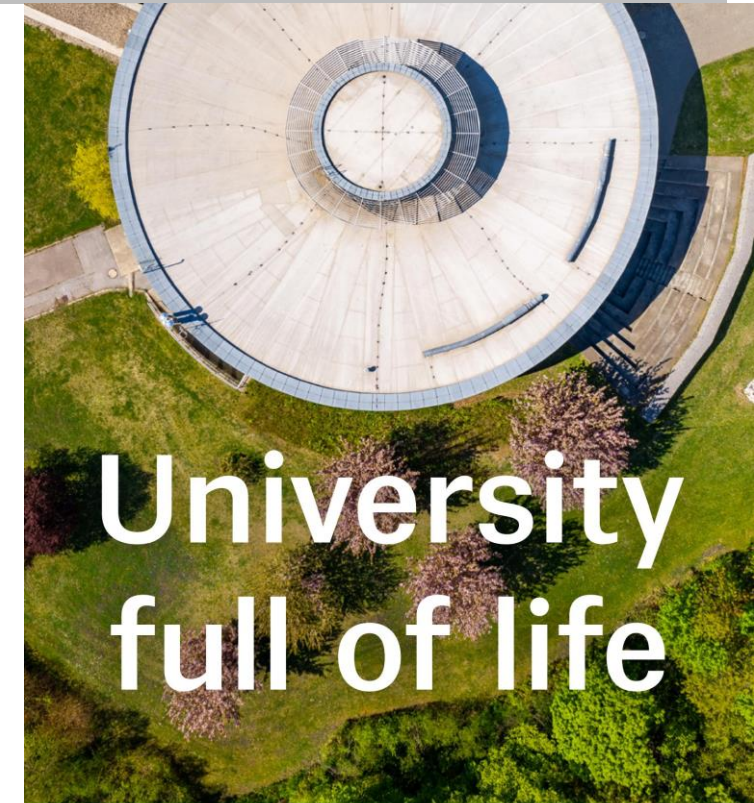


Ochrana zvířat při sklizni a sečích

Lessons learnt

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- Transitions towards sustainability takes 5 – 10 years
- Necessitates appropriate sociotechnical landscape
- Necessitates the existence commitment to sustainability within university niches
- Necessitates investments



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