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➢ Indian Higher Education has started reacting to the impact of globalization.

➢ The Government of India has now become proactive towards internationalization of Higher Education.

➢ The term Internationalization of Higher Education is not completely understood by Indian HEIs.

➢ The ‘source’ of foreign students coming to India are mainly from neighbouring Afro Asian Countries.

➢ Majority of the foreign students opt for traditional or general programmes like Bachelor of Arts (BA), Bachelor of Commerce (B.Com), Bachelor of Science (B.Sc) as compared to professional programmes like Engineering, Medicine, etc.

➢ Foreign students come to India for undergraduate education. As compared to Masters / Doctoral programmes.

➢ The corporate world in India expects Indian HEIs to prepare their students to become global citizens.

➢ There is a potential for India to project itself as an education hub.

➢ There exists a framework to identify some Indian Universities as “International Universities”

➢ Symbiosis International University, the focal institution of the researcher, is a near comprehensive model of Internationalization of Higher Education in India.