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INCLUSIVE EDUCATION: 'FROM WEST TO THE REST'

*About the need of getting
aware of Knowledge
(In-)Equity & Open Science*



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PhD Project:
Persons with disabilities and their in- or
exclusion in educational offers in rural
Ghana

#NotBoring

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*Open Science thought
together with Knowledge
(In-)Equity is important!*

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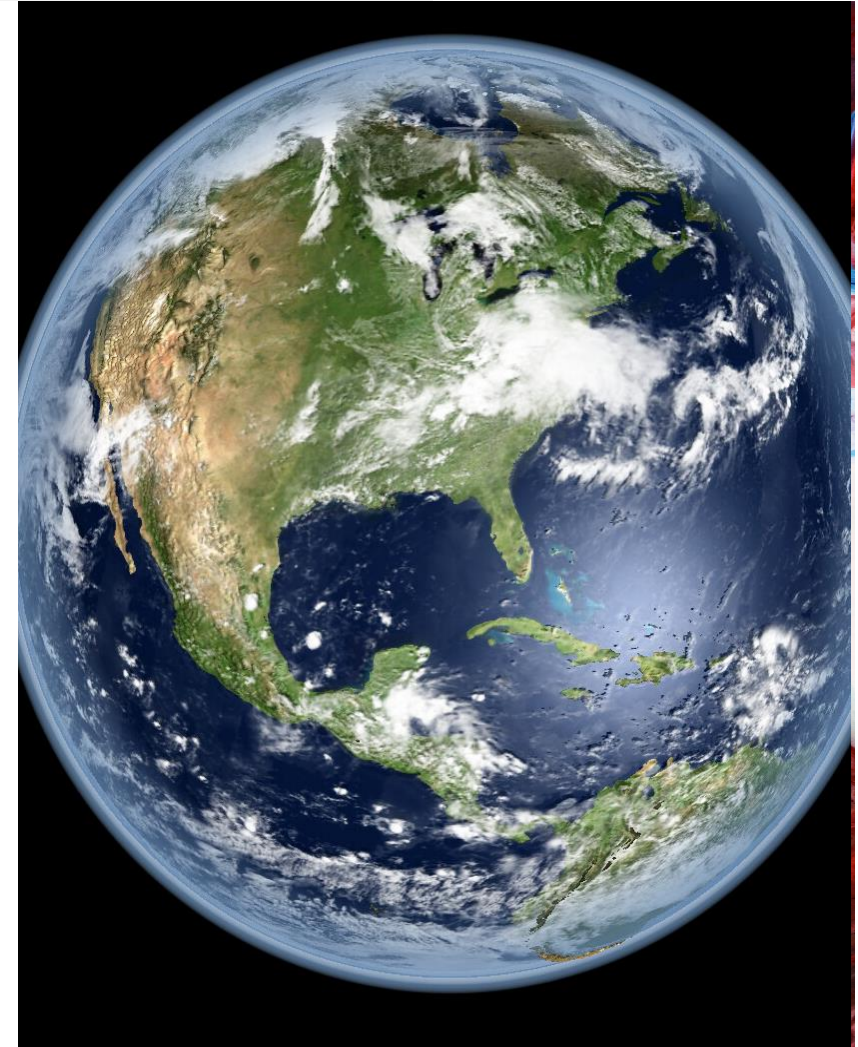
INCLUSION: A GLOBAL MOVEMENT!

Agenda 2030 (UN. SDGS. 2030 Agenda)

- „Transforming our world [by building] peaceful, just and inclusive societies...”
- Aiming to „a just equitable, tolerant, open and socially inclusive world in which the needs of the most vulnerable are met.”

UN-Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UN-CRPD. Article 19)

- „Article 19: Living independently and being included in the community”



INCLUSIVE EDUCATION: AN IMPORTANT MOVEMENT!

„a just equitable, tolerant, open and socially inclusive world in which the needs of the most vulnerable are met.“

(UN. SDGS. 2030 Agenda)

- Aiming to Ensuring „inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all“ (UN. SDG4. 2030 Agenda)
- “States Parties shall ensure an inclusive education system at all levels and lifelong learning ...” (UN-CRPD. Article 24)

Inclusive Education can only be achieved through inclusive education!



INCLUSIVE EDUCATION: A GLOBAL MOVEMENT?

„...the concept of inclusive education has emerged from reforms in educational systems in developed countries.“ (Werning et al. 2016, 9)

Inclusive Education as a movement arising from:

Developed Countries
The Global North
Industrialized Societies
The First World

targeting...

Developing countries
The Global South
Agricultural Societies
The Third World

...because we simply can!

Attention:
stigmatizing
simplifications are
getting nearer!



INCLUSIVE EDUCATION: A ,GLOBAL' AGENDA & A PROBLEM!

- Inclusive Education as a (de-)colonization project (Muthukrishna & Engelbrecht 2018)
- Inclusive Education as a globalization product (Artiles & Dyson 2005)
- Inclusive Education can be seen as a form of ('western') cultural imperialism (Haskell 1998)
- Inclusive education in a nutshell: "From west to the Rest" (Grech 2011, 88)

We can not speak of a global understanding of inclusive education, because...

- Inclusion is handled as a 'slippery concept' (Booth 1995)
- Disability is seen differently in different contexts (Singal 2013)

Long road from
well-intentioned
to well done...



INCLUSIVE EDUCATION: A ,GLOBAL' MOVEMENT & ITS KNOWLEDGE INEQUITY PROBLEM

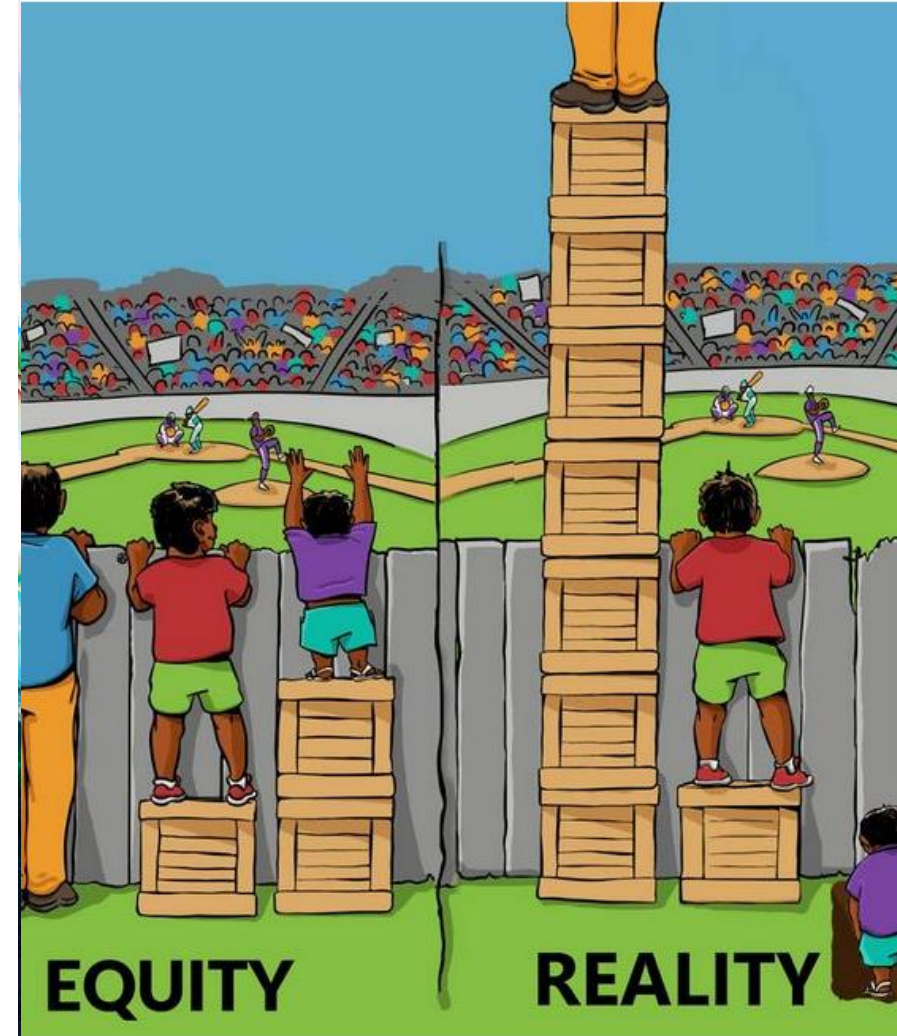
	A ,Western' concept of Inclusive Education
+	Power Dynamics
=	Knowledge Inequity

Ignoring the fact that other concepts and experiences regarding to inclusive education exist, we...

...are widening this knowledge inequity

...are perpetuating our dominating power in these dynamics

→ also in scientific research!





I felt uneasy
about...

I. Doing research in Ghana & taking my data
back to Germany

#OpenAccess

II. Prefabricated research design in a field that
needs to be heard

#OpenMethodology

III. Analysing & discussing data with my german
colleagues

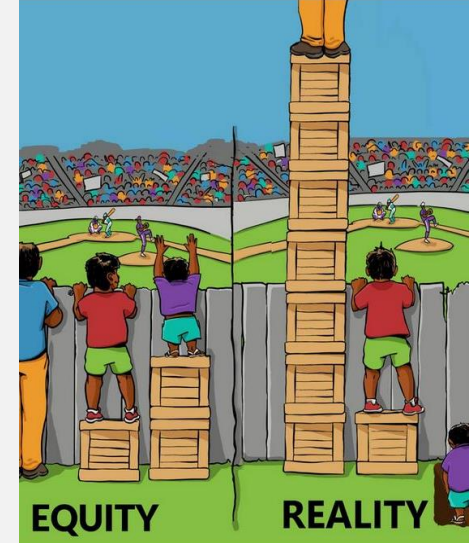
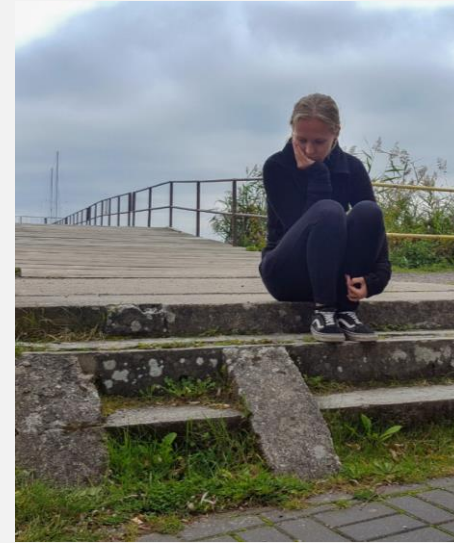
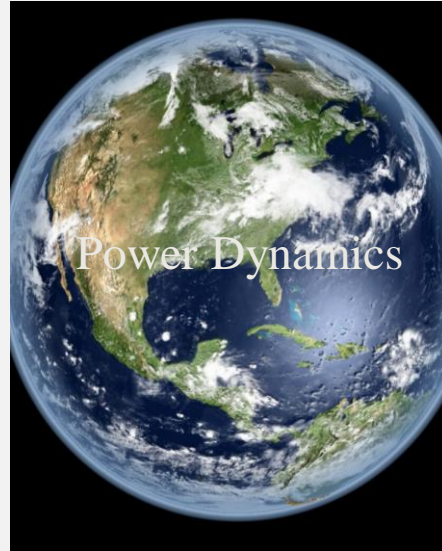
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rural Ghana*



INCLUSIVE EDUCATION: WHAT DO WE HAVE?



People, we need Open Science to solve that!



Storybased Strategy. The 4th Box.

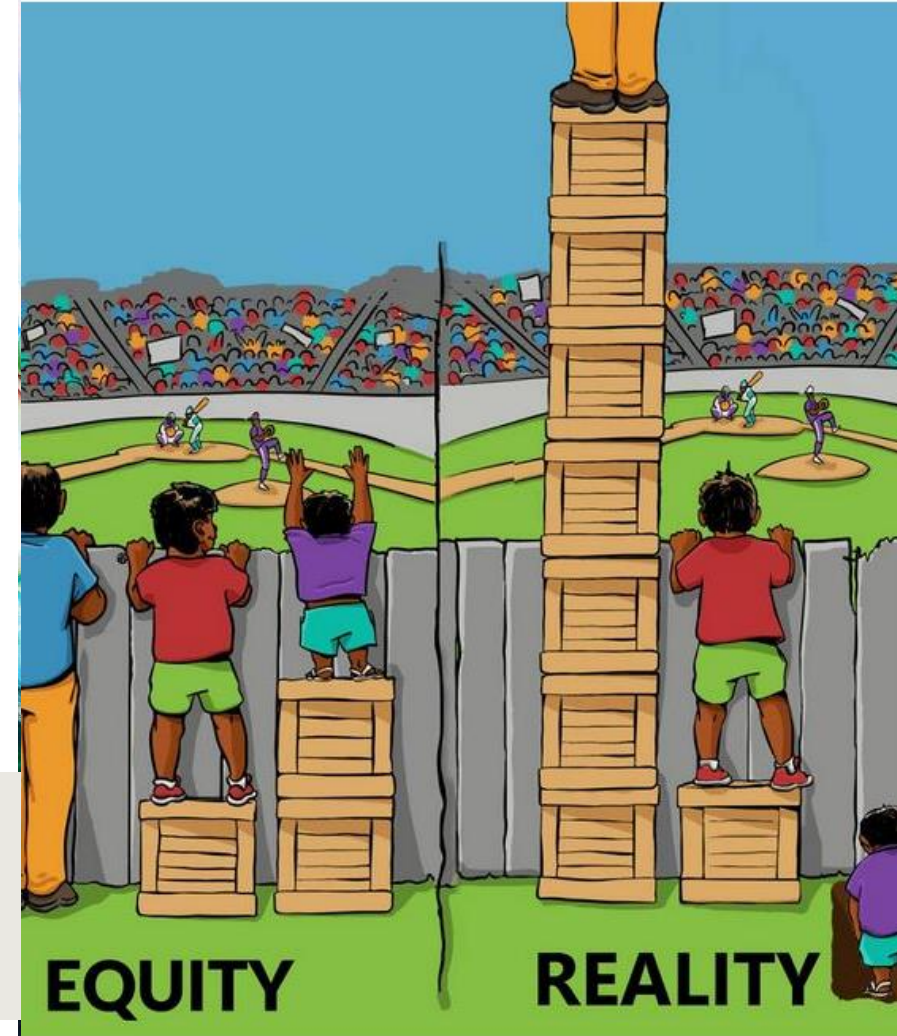
DISCOVER & AVOIDING THE BAD – DOING GOOD

O P E N S C I E N C E

Who is benefitting and who is not?
Who is leading through theoretical
discourses and why?
Whoses voices are being heard and
whose are staying silent and why?

Knowledge
Equity

Keep in mind: Who
is left behind & why?
#LeaveNoOneBehind



QUESTIONS I CAN'T GET OUT OF MY HEAD:

- Is Open Science automatically leading to Knowledge Equity?
- How are we deciding what is meant to be equitable? Especially: Who is deciding?
- Why is not everyone working with Open Science criteria?
- How can I use the position in my project to re-direct knowledge with Open Science criteria the best?
- What the hell is going on here?

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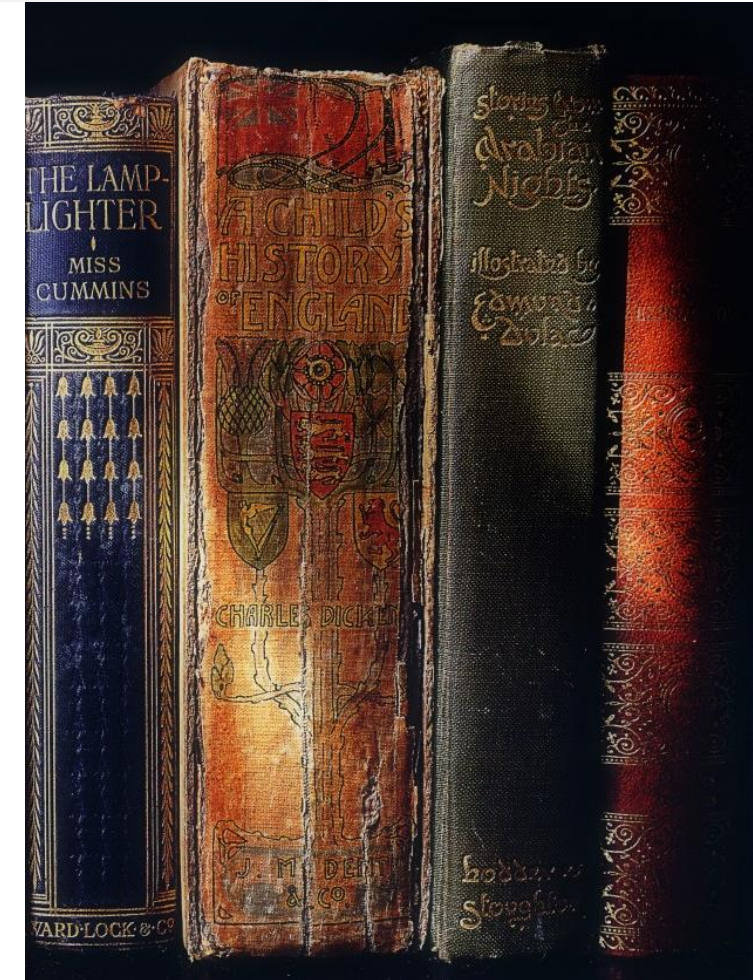
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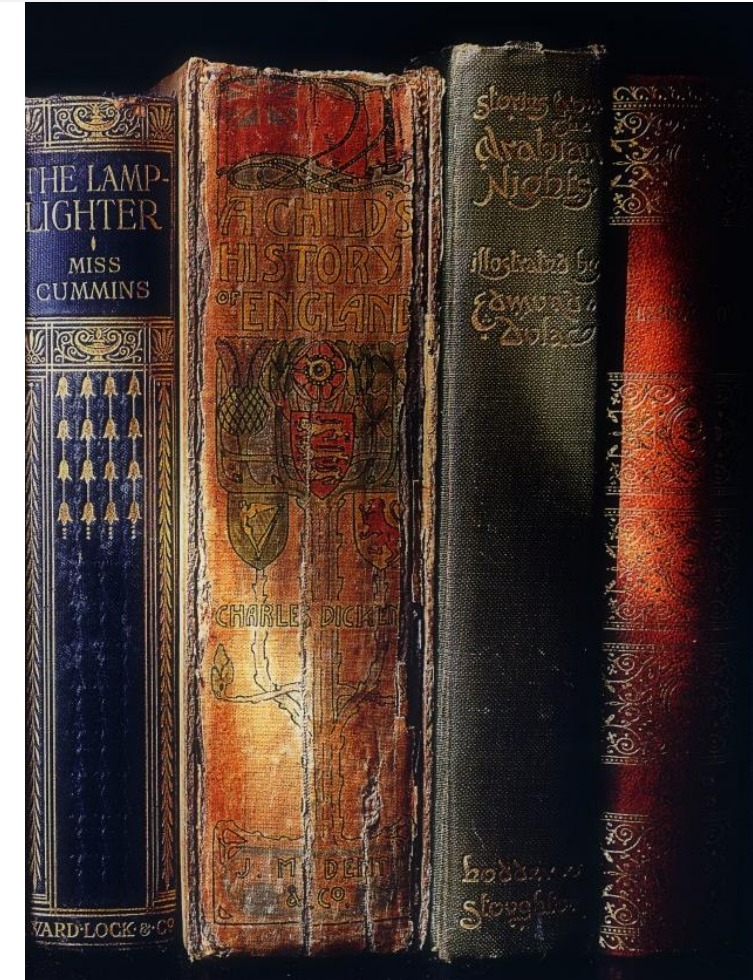
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IT WAS A PLEASURE!

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