



**SUSTAINABILITY AND
HIGHER EDUCATION
INITIATIVE**

The first steps of Sustainability and Higher Education Initiative

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SHEI

Driving forward sustainability higher education, at national and international levels.

We are focusing on how we implement, evaluate, and research teaching and learning in sustainability.

The initiative will link:

- **Our academics,**
- **Alumni,**
- **and students ,**
- **with the rest of Higher Education and general public interested in sustainability.**

We will also combine all efforts in sustainability, teaching and learning coming from our **4 institutes** and **MSc programmes!**



Ours are a combination of external and internal activities...

Some examples:

MSc Dissertation open to public webinar

Book on Sustainability and HE

Projects with companies and local authorities

Internal trainings for staff

Participating to national and international webinars and events

Public speaking training,
with an actors' trainer



Our Internal Trainings/Activities:

- We want SHEI to offer the Teaching and Learning activities we could not offer before within the department.

Some examples:

- *Public speaking training, with an actors' trainer*
- *Internal Seminar/Experiment on AI generated essays (Oct 2022)*
- *Education day on Inclusive Groupwork, BAME Careers support, Peer teaching dialogue, continuous module feedback*

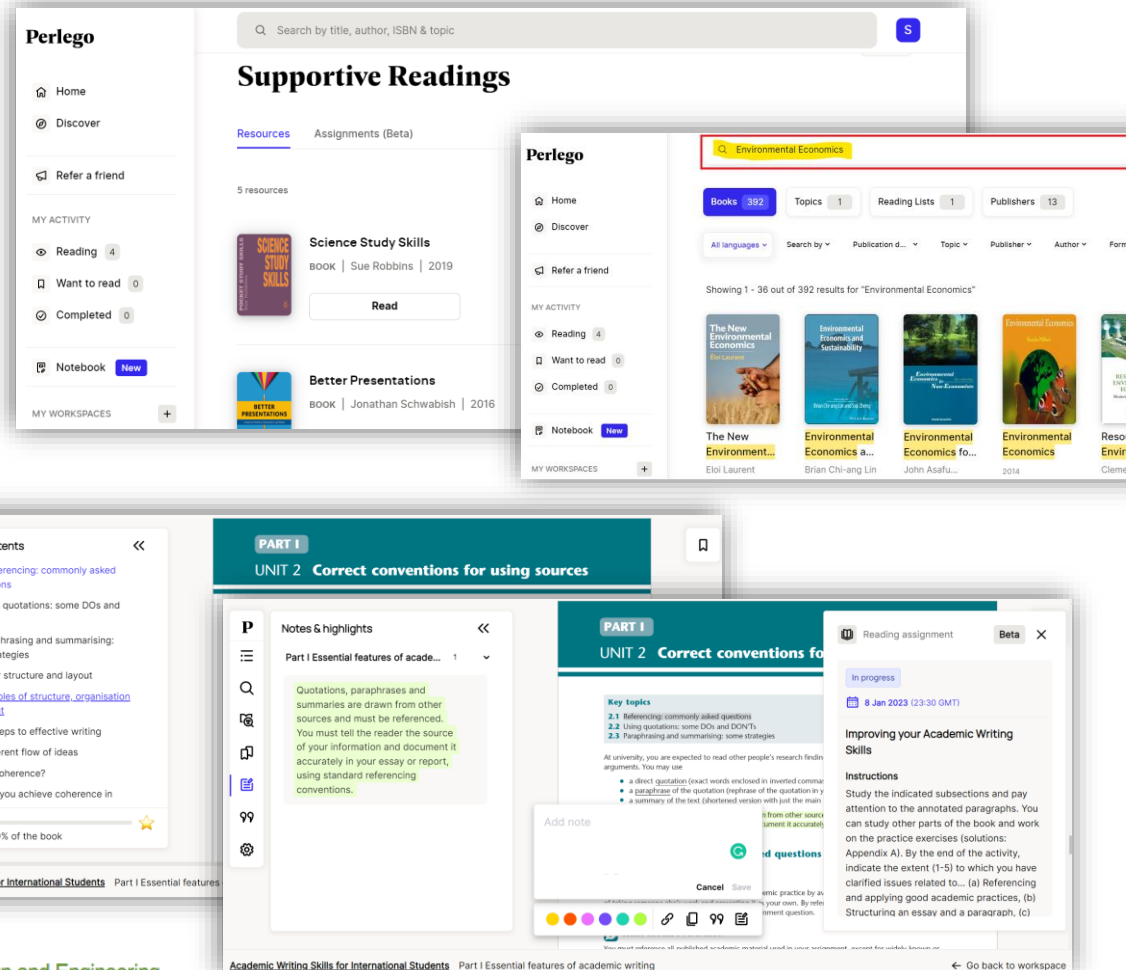
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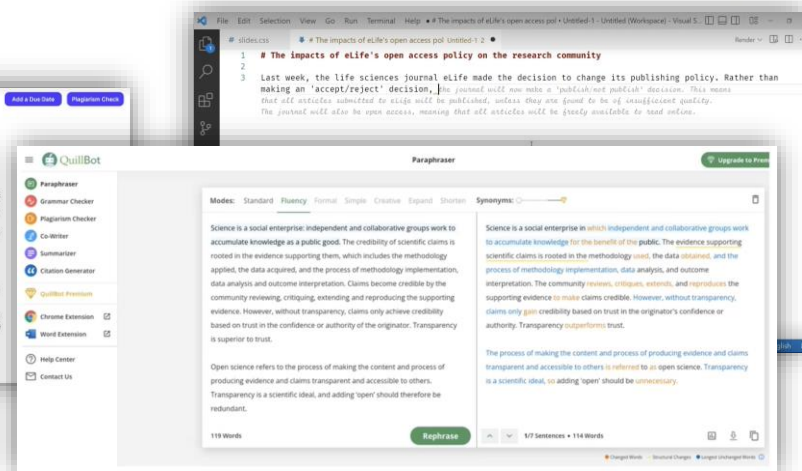
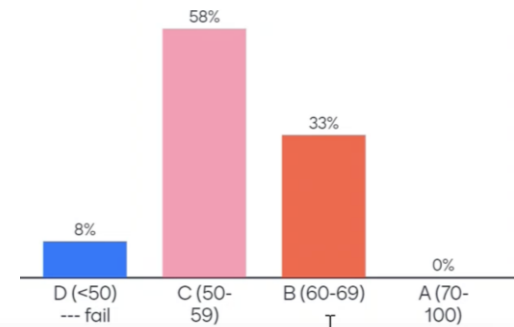
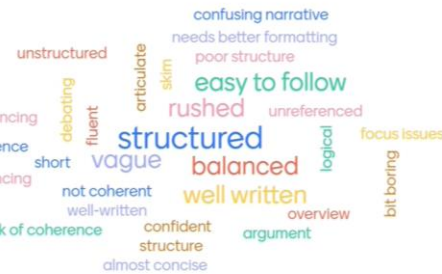
Academic Writing and Supportive Readings using **Perlego**

SHEI piloted Perlego and approached students facing difficulties, offering them...

- ✓ Access to a wide collection of books and resources
- ✓ Tailored readings with specific chapters/sections
- ✓ Due date readings for incentivized study
- ✓ Perlego tools for increasing studying efficiency



- Challenges in HE
- Informal marking experiment
- Discussions around integration, detection, acceptance

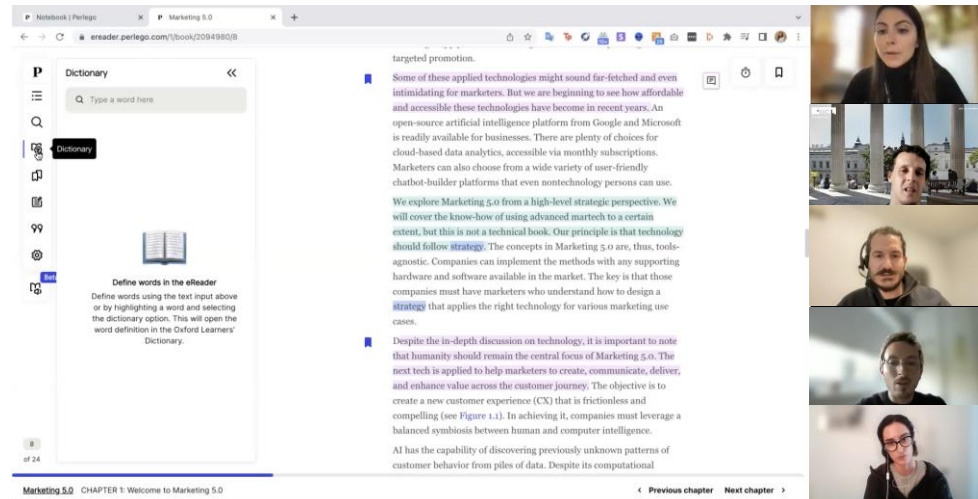


SHEI Sustainability Student Challenge

in partnership with **Perlego**

- Invitations sent through IntoUni, Westminster Council, etc.
- Reading lists, research questions, guidance texts and videos
- Staff and students voluntarily support the project through various roles
- Mentoring webinars and online thinking groups are to be scheduled
- Evaluate submissions, shortlist participants, and provide feedback
- Organising and running the event in central London

The Sustainable Food Consumption Challenge



Thank you for your attention!!

Any questions for us??

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