

# INNOVATION IN HIGHER LEVEL SKILLS (IHLS)

Business-led course development in Cornwall and IoS



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**EXETER** 197  
**107** people, from  
businesses.

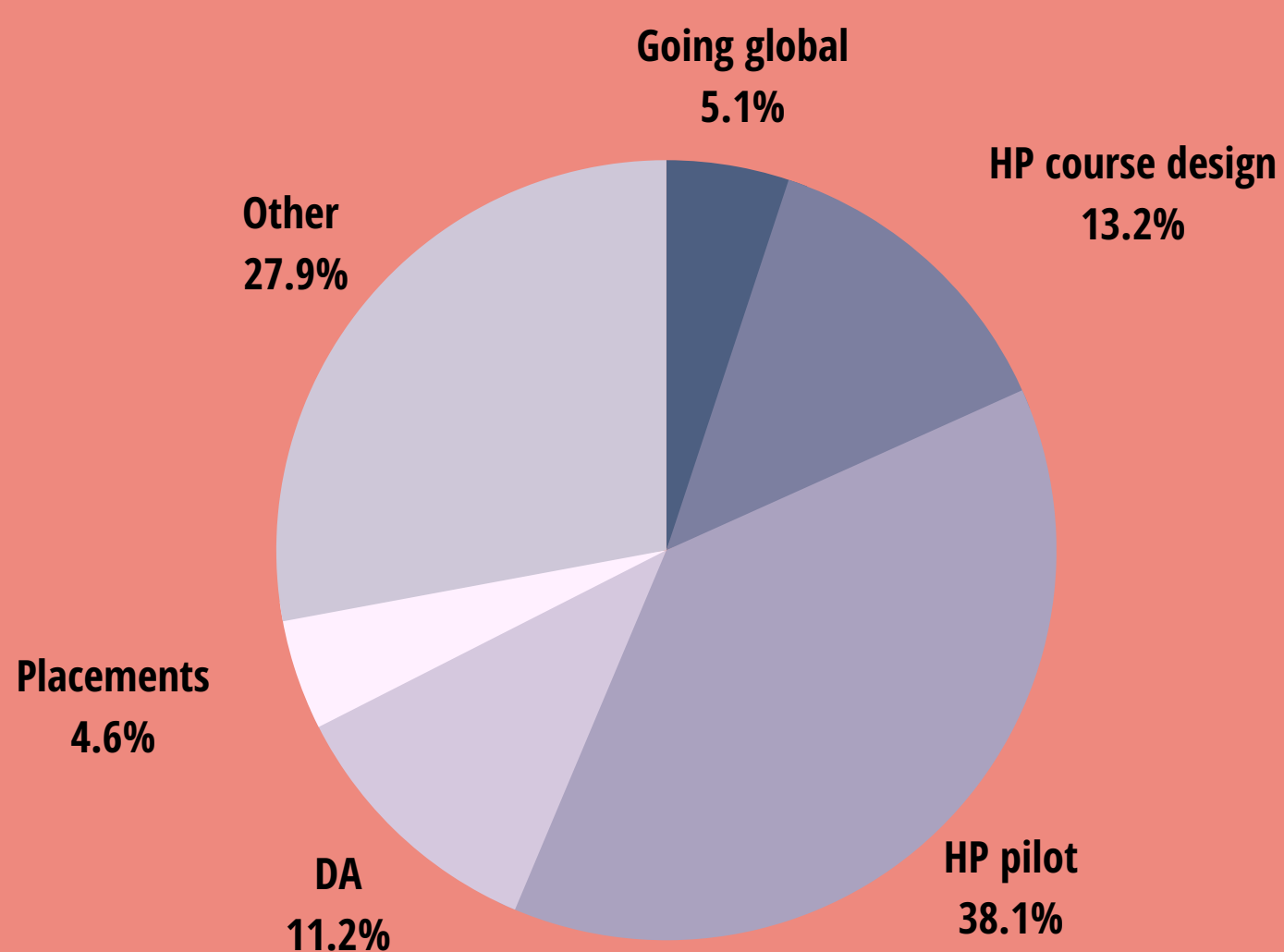
engaged with the University through the project.

## BACKGROUND

From 2018 - 2021, The University of Exeter took part in the ESF-funded IHLS project, alongside Truro & Penwith College, Falmouth University, the University of Plymouth and Cornwall College.

Each institution worked with small businesses to develop new training courses to meet business needs.

## No. attendees engaged in each strand



HP = Heat pump  
DA = Degree Apprenticeships

Other = introductory events and business consultations

**European Union**  
European  
Social Fund

## 9 Student placements



"The internship has been very successful and has had a tangible impact on the Trust"

The Hypatia Trust

## Online courses 2

### Heat pump systems designer

"Very good team, excellent lecturers and guests. Thanks for a great course."



Lifeboat Homes

### Going Global Communication and trade

"The course was engaging from start to finish and I looked forward to attending the sessions."

Anja Jones Translations

## Degree Apprenticeship Renewable Energy Systems MSc 1



"We have a keen interest in the development of a Masters as a platform for people already in business, and as a succession planning tool."

RES-Group