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**IREG-5 Conference: *The Academic  
Rankings: From Popularity to  
Reliability and Relevance***

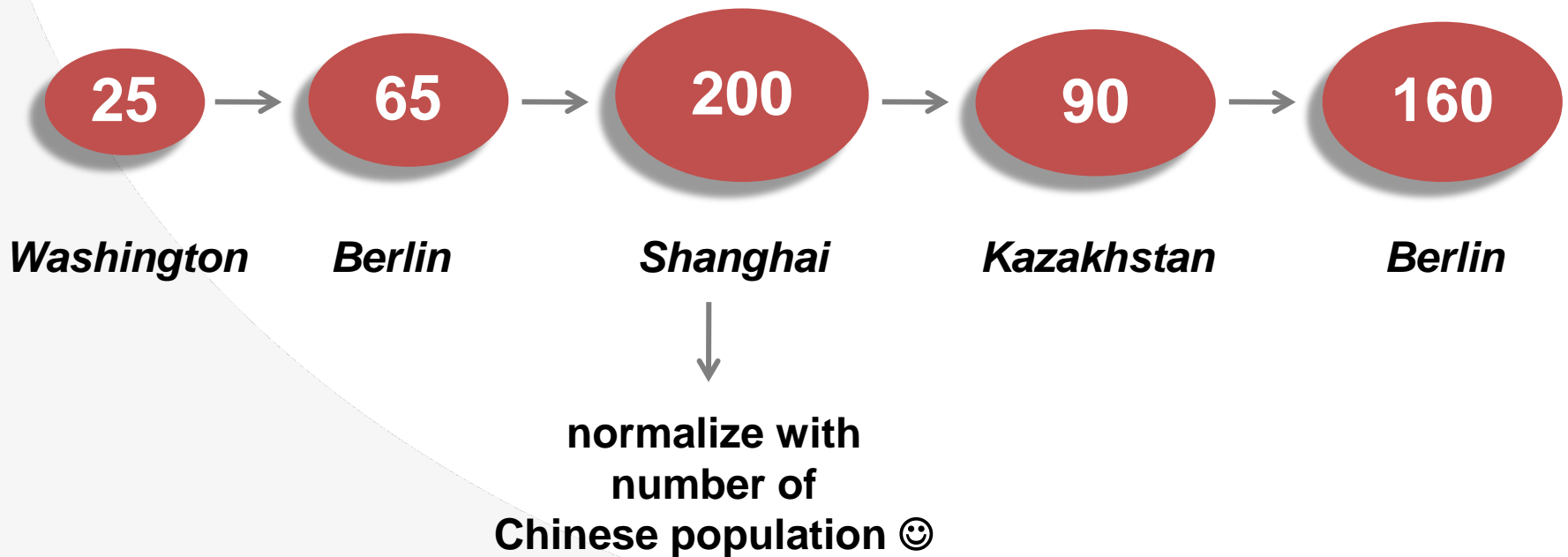
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## **From Popularity to Reliability and Relevance**

**popularity: „I don't  
believe in rankings, and  
my university is on place  
257.“**

## IREG-Conferences: number of participants



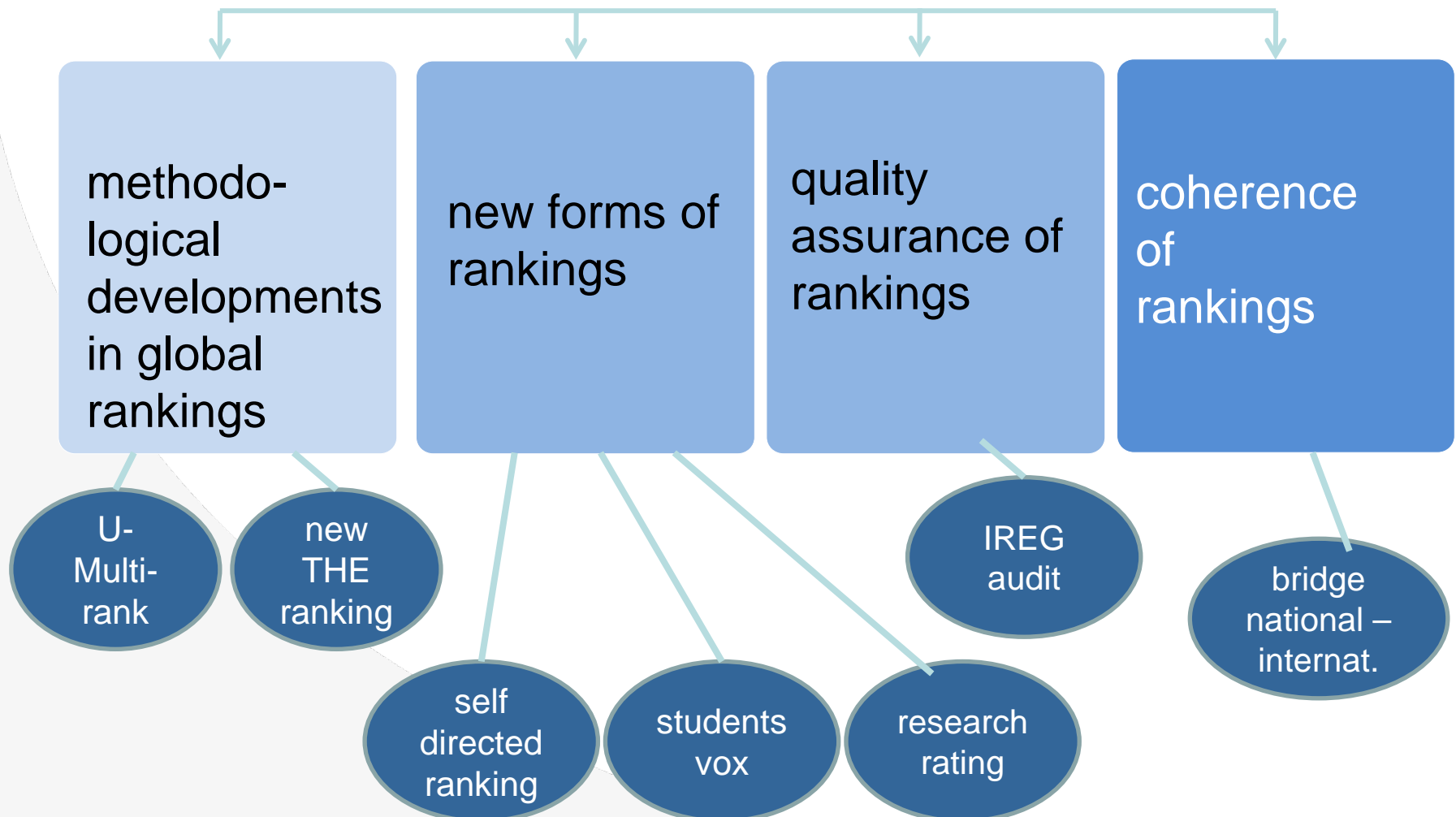
# Popularity



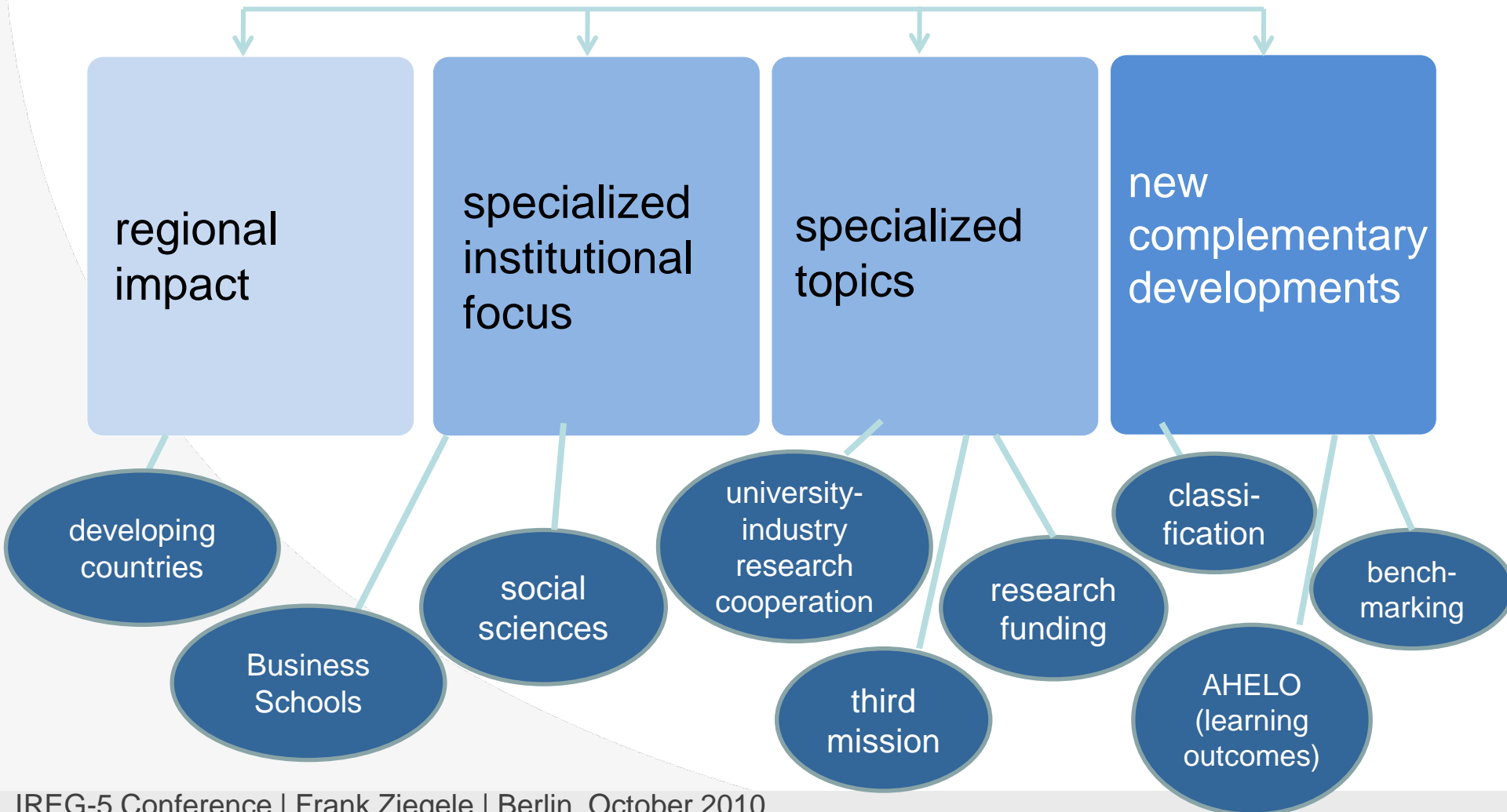
but how can we come to reliability  
and relevance?

a puzzle with many pieces, some of  
them hopefully put together on this  
conference

## dynamics to become more reliable



## dynamics towards more relevance



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