

## Summary of projects from shortlisted EuroTeQ Collider teams at TU/e participating at the EuroTeQathon.

### **Challenge- Unite with light**

**Team name** - Bright Bytes

**Challenge Collaborator**- Team IGNITE

**Summary of the project**- International students at TU/e face a common challenge: adapting to a new culture and feeling isolated. Bright Bytes proposes a website/platform that offers a step-by-step checklist, local tips and tricks, volunteer assistance, and social matchmaking. By providing a centralized and user-friendly resource, this platform aims to reduce stress, increase excitement, and ultimately make international students feel at home in Eindhoven. Bright Bytes aims to decrease stress and increase confidence and well-being in students, and thus retention rates and overall university success. The scale of Bright Bytes' project is for now the TU/e, however they are planning to implement the project in the rest of the Netherlands and the rest of Europe as well.

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