



**Asia-Pacific Regional Technical Capacity Development Workshop on  
Effective Planning of Education Sector for Achieving SDG4-Education 2030  
24-28 July 2017  
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia**

**Provisional Agenda  
(as of 13 July 2017)**

Time	Activity/Session	Facilitators/Presenters
<b>Day-1: 24 July, 2017 (Mon)</b>		
8:00 – 9:15	Registration	
9:15– 9:45	<b>Youth Innovation Education Challenge</b>	UNICEF Malaysia
9:45 – 10:00	Coffee break	
10:00 – 10:20	<b>Check-in session Introduction of the participants</b>	
<b>Module 1. Strategic education sector planning in the context of SDG4</b>		
10:20– 11:00	<b>Stock-taking</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What are the implications of the SDG4-Education 2030 commitments to education planning?</li> <li>Regional status on integration/alignment of SDG4 into national education sector plans</li> </ul>	Chair: Dr. Habibah Abdul Rahmin, Director of EPRD Presenter: Ms. Maki Hayashikawa, UNESCO Bangkok
11:00 – 12:30	<b>Session 1: Countries’ experiences to integrate SDG4 into national planning: progress and challenges</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What have countries done so far to review and revise the existing education sector plans in light of SDG4?</li> <li>What are the progresses and challenges?</li> </ul>	Chair: TBD Presenters: Uzbekistan Vanuatu Cambodia Mongolia Afghanistan Nepal
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch break	
14:00 – 14:45	National Anthem of Malaysia Prayer Recital <b>Opening remarks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UNESCO Bangkok Ms. Maki Hayashikawa, UNESCO Bangkok</li> <li>UNICEF</li> <li>MoE Malaysia H.E. Deputy Minister of Education Malaysia</li> </ul>	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Group Photo</li> </ul>	
<b>Module 2: Malaysian experience in developing and implementing Education Blueprint</b>		
14:45 – 16:00	<b>Session 2: Participatory sector analysis, visioning and development of the Malaysia Education Blueprint</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify Key Challenges and Opportunities</li> <li>Setting a shared vision for the future?</li> <li>How were the shifts and phases in the Blueprint identified and designed?</li> <li>How are the linkages between school education and higher education ensured?</li> </ul>	Chair: Ms. Maki Hayashikawa Presenter: Dr. Habibah Abdul Rahim, MOE Dr. Guan Eng Chan, MOHE
16:00 – 16:15	Coffee break	
16:15 – 17:30	<b>Session 3: Implementing and monitoring the Malaysian Education Blueprint</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What are the key factors of a successful implementation mechanism?</li> <li>How were the shifts and phases in the Blueprint identified and designed?</li> <li>How to set a practical monitoring and evaluation framework?</li> <li>How are bottlenecks and challenges addressed?</li> </ul>	Chair: Ms. Maki Hayashikawa Presenters: Ms. Khadijah Abdullah, PADU Mr. Radziffuddin Nordin, PADU Ass. Prof. Dr. Norhayati Mohamed, MOHE
17:30 – 17:40	<b>Check-out Session</b>	Dr. Hj Rusmini Ku Ahmad
18.30 – 20.00	Networking Reception	
<b>Day-2: 25 July, 2017 (Tue)</b>		
<b>Module 3: Sector analysis/diagnosis – analyzing the current situation of the education sector and the context</b>		
9:00 – 10:30	<b>Check-in Session</b> <b>Session 4: Conducting country situation analysis</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How to understand where we stand vis-à-vis the international commitment?</li> <li>What are the key analytical questions to ask in light of SDG4?</li> <li>How to maximize participation of the key stakeholders?</li> </ul>	Chair: Dr. Ahmad Rafee Che Kassim, MOE Presenter: Mr. Anton De Grauwe, UNESCO IIEP
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee break	

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10:45 – 13:00	<p><b>Session 5: Identifying the key challenges</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hands-on exercise</li> </ul> <p><b>Session 6: Setting visions and goals</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How to prioritize the goals?</li> </ul>	<p>Facilitators: Dr. Isham Ishak, Mr. Hazif Azli, Mr. Hairul Hilmi, Ms. Nur Fakhriyyah El-Emin &amp; UNESCO IIEP</p> <p>Chair: Ms. Rohayati Abd Hamed</p> <p>Presenter: Mr. Anton De Grauwe, UNESCO IIEP</p>
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch break	
<b>Module 4: Policy formulation – setting visions, goals and strategies</b>		
14:00 – 15:15	<p><b>Session 7: Selecting strategies and designing programmes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presentation &amp; Discussion</li> <li>How to select the most efficient and effective strategies to achieve goals?</li> </ul>	<p>Chair: Ms. Rohayati Abd Hamed</p> <p>Presenter: Mr. Anton De Grauwe, UNESCO IIEP</p>
15:15 – 15:30	Coffee break	
15: 30 – 16:45	<p><b>Session 7: Selecting strategies and designing programmes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hands-on exercise</li> </ul>	<p>Facilitators: Ms. Norlia Abdul Aziz, Mr. Saw Yu Shen, Ms. Noor Hayati Uteh , Ms. Zurina Zulkarnain with UNESCO IIEP</p>
16:45 – 17:00	<b>Check-out Session</b>	Dr. Saidatul Rajeah Zamzam Amin
<b>Day-3: 26 July, 2017 (Wed)</b>		
<b>Module 5: Plan operationalization – defining precise objectives and the means to achieving them</b>		
9:00 – 10:30	<p><b>Check-in Session</b></p> <p><b>Session 8: Defining objectives and targets</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How to set concrete (and quantifiable) objectives and targets?</li> <li>How to assess feasibility of the targets?</li> </ul>	<p>Chair: Mr. Radzifuddin Nordin, PADU</p> <p>Presenter: Ms. Lily Neyestani-Hailu, UNESCO Dakar Regional Office</p>
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee break	
<b>Module 6: Resource planning - identifying resources required for plan implementation</b>		
10:45 – 13:00	<p><b>Session 9: Resource projection</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction to simulation modeling</li> <li>Projecting resource requirements to achieve SDG4</li> </ul>	<p>Chair: TBD</p> <p>Presenter: Ms. Satoko Yano, UNESCO New Delhi</p>
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch break	

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14:00 – 15:15	<b>Session 9: Resource projection (cont’d)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Simulation exercise</li> </ul>	Chair: Ms. Maki Hayashikawa Presenter/Facilitator: Ms. Satoko Yano, UNESCO New Delhi
15:15 – 15:30	Coffee break	
15: 30 – 16:45	<b>Session 9: Resource projection (cont’d)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Scenario building and using the simulation results for planning</li> </ul>	Chair: TBD Presenter/Facilitator: Ms. Satoko Yano, UNESCO New Delhi
16:45 – 17:00	<b>Check-out Session</b>	Ass. Prof. Dr. Norhayati Mohamed
<b>Day-4: 27 July, 2017 (Thu)</b>		
<b>Study visits to the Malaysian authorities and schools</b>		
9:00 – 13:00	TBD	Mr. Hisham Rahmat, MOE
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch Break	
<b>Module 7: Action planning</b>		
14:00 – 15:30	<b>Session 10: Linking policy, planning and budgeting</b> <b>Mobilisation of Resources – Private-Public Partnership</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What are the key considerations to ensure coherence among policy, planning, and budgeting?</li> </ul>	Chair: Dr. Habibah Abdul Rahim, MOE Presenters: Ms. Shahira Ahmed Bazari, Yayasan Hasanah Malaysia Ms. Lily Neyestani-Hailu, UNESCO Dakar, Regional Office
15:30 – 15:45	Coffee break	
15:45 – 16:45	<b>Session 11: Designing implementation framework</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Defining roles and responsibilities for implementing agencies/authorities</li> <li>Partnership building</li> <li>Capacity needs assessment and capacity development</li> </ul>	Chair: Dr. Habibah Abdul Rahim, MOE Presenter: Ms. Satoko Yano UNESCO New Delhi
16:45 – 17:00	<b>Check-out Session</b>	Ms. Khadijah Abdullah
<b>Day-5: 28 July, 2017 (Fri)</b>		
<b>Module 8: Monitoring and evaluation</b>		
09:00 – 10:15	<b>Session 12: Data and indicators for monitoring and evaluation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review and exercise of the basic education indicators</li> </ul>	Presenter: Mr. Akihiro Fushimi UNICEF EAPRO
10:15 – 10:30	Coffee break	
10: 30 – 11:45	<b>Session 13: Designing a monitoring and evaluation framework</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Key concepts in monitoring and evaluation</li> </ul>	Chair: Datin Haryati Mohamed Razali, MOE Presenter: Mr. Akihiro Fushimi

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are input, output, and outcome indicators?</li> <li>• How to collect, analyze, and disseminate the information?</li> </ul>	UNICEF EAPRO
11: 45 – 12.15	<b>Lessons learned from the study visit</b>	Chair: Hisham Rahmat, MOE
12: 15 – 14:30	<b>Lunch Break</b>	
14:45 – 15:15	<b>Next steps</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What needs to be done at the country level as a follow-up?</li> <li>• What can be done at the sub-regional level?</li> <li>• What can be done at the regional level?</li> </ul>	Chair: Ms. Maki Hayashikawa
15:15=15:30	Coffee break	
15:30 – 16:15	<b>Concluding remarks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Country representative</li> <li>• UNESCO Bangkok</li> <li>• Malaysia MoE</li> </ul>	Chair: Director EPRD, MOE  Ms. Maki Hayashikawa Dr. Habibah Abdul Rahim