

18th Asia-Pacific Training Workshop on EIU

20 - 28 July 2018 / Seoul and Inje, Republic of Korea

Background

In an increasingly interconnected and interdependent world we live in today, teaching universal values and fostering global citizenship among learners at all age is more important than ever. Teachers play a central role in preparing learners to become responsible and active global citizens to ensure a more peaceful and sustainable future. Recognizing the significant role of teachers and teacher educators as agents of change for better tomorrow for all, the Asia-Pacific Centre of Education for International Understanding (APCEIU) has offered various capacity-building programmes for educators.

As a flagship capacity-building programme of the Centre, the Asia-Pacific Training Workshop on EIU (APTW) has been organized annually since its establishment in 2001, having trained over 500 key teacher educators in the Asia-Pacific region. The Workshop offers a unique training opportunity for the participants to understand the transformative educational initiatives such as Education for International Understanding (EIU) and Global Citizenship Education (GCED) within the context of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Designed as a Training of Trainers (TOT), the Workshop not only focuses on the substantive themes and issues of EIU and GCED, but on enhancing training expertise of the participants that can maximize the impact of the training in the region.

In 2018, the APTW will bring together 30 key teacher educators in the Asia-Pacific to provide an intensive training experience with lectures, discussions, workshops, in-depth seminars, field visits, and action planning on designing localized training programmes. Facilitated by a faculty of international experts in subject areas and pedagogy of GCED and guided with a practical guidance on developing training interventions on GCED, the 9-day training workshop will enable and empower the participants to become expert trainers with a renewed commitment and confidence.

Objectives

- To deepen the participants' knowledge of key concepts and themes of EIU/GCED
- To reorient the participants' perspectives towards a Culture of Peace and global citizenship through critical and reflective analysis of the current educational issues
- To strengthen the participants' practical skills to design and implement GCED programmes tailored to their respective local context

Expected Outcome

- Action plans on designing GCED training programmes

Date and Venue

- Dates: 20-28 July 2018 (9 days)
- Venue: Seoul and Inje, Gangwon Province, Republic of Korea

Workshop Language

- English

Organizers and Partners

- Organizer: Asia-Pacific Centre of Education for International Understanding (APCEIU)
- Sponsor: Ministry of Education of the Republic of Korea

Participants

- 30 teacher educators from the UNESCO Member States in the Asia-Pacific region

Participant Selection

1. **APPLICATION:** Application must be submitted via the National Commissions for UNESCO, UNESCO National Offices, UNESCO Cluster Offices or designated APCEIU partner organizations. All applications must be filled out **online** and recommendation letter should be sent to APCEIU at training@unescoapceiu.org by **15 May 2018**.

Eligible candidates must fulfill the following requirements:

1. Be a teacher educator/trainer with a minimum 5-year career experience or in a position to impact teacher education policies if not directly training educators
2. Have **commitment and capacity to implement GCED training programmes within 6 months after the participation of the workshop**
3. Be proficient in spoken and written English

2. **SELECTION:** Submitted applications will be screened by a selection committee, composed of international experts on GCED.
3. **NOTIFICATION:** Notification of selection in the form of invitation letters will be sent to the successful applicants by **31 May 2018**.
4. **REGISTRATION:** All selected participants must register by **10 June 2018** at the latest. Late registration cannot be accepted and will be considered as cancellation of participation. In case of cancellation, the participation invitation will be forwarded to the next applicant on the waiting list.

Main Components of the Workshop

1. **SESSIONS:** Sessions will include lectures on the introduction of EIU/GCED and its key issue areas and pedagogical approaches, participatory and interactive workshops, in-depth seminars, engaging dialogue, study visits to relevant sites, and small group activities.
2. **FIELD VISIT:** Field trip to DMZ Peace-Life Valley near the northern border of the Republic of Korea will be made to explore in depth the issues of peace and sustainability.
3. **ACTION PLANNING:** Participants will be involved in the process of planning and designing GCED training programmes tailored to the participants' local context

4. **REFLECTION & SYNTHESIS:** Time will be allotted for recapping the learning points of the past sessions by sharing reflections with fellow participants and facilitators, and linking across different sessions.
5. **CULTURAL EXCHANGE AND INFORMAL ACTIVITIES:** Opportunities will be given to build a sense of community among participants while sharing cultural elements and insights with one another.

Structure of the Programme

The Workshop will be structured in 3 main segments in accordance with the Workshop's goals and objectives.

	Key Component	Sessions
Day 1	Arrival & Orientation	
PART 1: Transformative Education to Foster Global Citizenship		
Day 2-4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New vision for education: Transformative educational initiatives • Introduction to GCED in the context of SDGs • Key issue areas and sub-themes of GCED 	Lectures & workshops
PART 2: Teach to Transform: Innovative Approaches & Methodologies of GCED		
Day 4-6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pedagogical principles & approaches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Transformative pedagogy - Teaching tools and methodologies • Teaching GCED in formal, informal and non-formal settings 	Hands-on activities, group discussion & workshops
PART 3: Act for Change: Action Planning		
Day 7-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to design GCED Training Programmes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mapping & identifying priority areas - Guidelines on framing training workshops • Presentation & Sharing feedback 	Guided work & presentation
Day 9	Closing & Departure	

Workshop Costs

1. **AIRFARE:** Participants are expected to cover their own airfares. However, for applicants who are unable to fully cover international travel costs by themselves, the organizers may provide (partial or full) airfare sponsorship.
2. **PROGRAMME EXPENSES:** For the duration of the workshop, the programme expenses including workshop materials, board and lodging* will be provided by APCEIU. Participants will be responsible for all other expenses. Also, participants are responsible for the upcoming expenses for any extended stays beyond the workshop period. There will be no daily allowance (per diem) provided by APCEIU.

**Accommodations (on a twin sharing basis): Check-in on 19 July, check-out on 28 July (meals will be provided from 20 to 28 July.)*

3. **INSURANCE:** Participants are advised to bring their own medical insurance for the duration of their stay in the Republic of Korea. APCEIU only covers basic domestic travel insurance for cases of emergency during the workshop.

Contact Information

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ONLINE APPLICATION FORM

(<https://goo.gl/forms/PKwbHa0EwIaY41Bm1>)

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- Application Deadline: 15 May 2018

Watch the video of the 17th APTW (2017): <https://youtu.be/BddqpN4vZ00>

1) *Why would you like to participate in this workshop? Tell us what motivates you and the reasons to apply for this workshop. (Maximum 1800 characters)*

2) *How will your participation contribute to the promotion of education for a Culture of Peace in your institution/community/country? (Maximum 1200 characters)*

3) *One of the requirements for eligibility is being a teacher trainer/educator with a minimum of a 5-year career experience or being in a position to impact teacher education policies. Regarding to this, please describe your experience as a teacher trainer/educator or professional in relevant areas in the field of teacher education. (Maximum 3000 characters)*

I. BASIC INFORMATION

Full Name of applicant	First Name _____ Last Name _____		
Date of Birth		Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Others
Nationality			
Affiliation/ Organization	Name of Organization:		
	Position:		
	Please describe your current position and job responsibilities:		
English Proficiency	<p><i>Note: As the workshop sessions will be delivered in English, participants are required to have good command of spoken and written English.</i></p> <p><i>Please check (V) one of the following.</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Basic <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Fluent <input type="checkbox"/> Native</p>		
APCEIU's Workshop Experience	Have you participated in APCEIU's training workshops in the past? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. <input type="checkbox"/> No.		
	If yes, please indicate the title of the workshop and year of participation. Title: Year of Participation:		

II. CONTACT INFORMATION

E-mail Address	
Phone Number (Office)	
Phone Number(Home)	
Mobile Phone	
Mailing Address (Office)	
Mailing Address (Home)	

III. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Please answer the following questions as precisely as possible. Please bear in mind that all participants will be selected essentially based on the information stated here.

4) Participants are required to implement EIU/GCED training workshops in their local areas within 6 months after the participation of this workshop. In relation to this, please describe your concrete implementation plan. Be as specific as possible. (Maximum 3000 characters)

IV. WORKSHOP COSTS

For the duration of the workshop, the programme expenses including workshop materials, meals, accommodation (on a twin sharing basis) and transportation for field trips will be provided by the organizer.

However, due to limited funds to support the travel expenses of the participants, the organizer can provide airfare to only limited number of participants. Therefore, applicants who can cover their own airfare may be given priority during the selection process

Please also note that the organizer will not provide any daily allowance.

Please tick one of the boxes below.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I will cover my airfare to participate in the workshop. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I can cover 50% of my airfare. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Without a full airfare sponsorship, I cannot participate in the workshop.. |

V. CHECKLIST

Thank you for completing the application form. Please note that in order to complete the application process, the following documents must be sent to training@unescoapceiu.org by 15 May 2018:

- 1) A cover letter signed by your nominating organization.
- 2) A brief CV.

I understand the application process and will make sure the documents above will be sent to APCEIU by 15 May 2018.

Date: _____ Signature: _____

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