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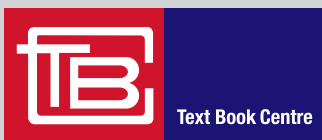
...Matching Capabilities to Society's needs

*Exploring technological developments that
will harmonize educational strategies
and teaching methods within the region*

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Matching Capabilities to Society's needs

Dear Industry Leader

Society needs are and should be at the heart of any learning and education. As the society evolves, so should the learning and educational strategies and structures. The 2nd East Africa Education Conference 2017 theme: "Matching Education to Societal Needs: Exploring Innovative Developments in Methods & Strategies" couldn't be timelier. Education systems in the region must seek ways to harmonize the educational strategies and teaching methods to match the societal changes, more so as the geographical boundaries become more blurred and market needs change.

Objective EAEC 2017

The flagship 2017 event will explore ways to synchronize the education value chain so as to promote teaching and learning strategies that will spur greater value in all areas of society. Participants will gain practical tools on how to strengthen and integrate societal needs and dynamics into the teaching and learning strategies as core parts of the institutional development. The conference will explore ways to harness the possibilities posed by new technologies in the production of inventive learning and performance learning solutions for today and tomorrow.



Structure of the event

The 2017 edition will be a combination of an experiential conference, breakout in-depth workshops and an exhibition.

- The conference will include a broad range of case studies, presentations and panel discussion on theoretical and practical experiences from the regional speakers and experts.
- An Exhibition where service providers will exhibit their products and services. The exhibition will be open to visitors.
- Workshops on day two –targeting each category (Primary, secondary and university) - This will feature presentation of technical papers on various thematic areas including policy, technology developments etc

As with past conference, the program will cover important case developments, critical practice issues, and notable industry trends. Don't miss your chance to learn what lies ahead and connect with other regional leaders.

Who is Exhibiting ?

Leading vendors will demonstrate their solutions that will help keep you on the cutting edge of education services delivery.

- Stationary suppliers
- Leading Learning & Educational Technology suppliers
- ICT infrastructure & equipment
- Printers & Peripherals, Photocopiers
- Media and Content, Books, magazines and eBooks, Publishing
- Library management Solutions
- Furniture, equipment, storage & Sports Equipment
- Financial Services
- Education and technology Consultancy

Who Should Attend ?

- Principals & Head Teachers of primary and Secondary Schools
- College Educators
- Program directors, curriculum planners and teachers
- Foundation Leaders
- School Board Members
- Community Educators
- Media Specialists
- Presidents, vice-chancellors, and university policy-makers
- Senior administrators and academics
- Government officials, especially those working in the ministry of education
- Quality assurance bodies involved in the maintenance of academic quality assurance in the national or /and regional level
- Student services and career offices
- Graduate recruitment directors and staff of major public and private sector employees

Agenda EAEC

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SESSION 1

The Overview of the East African Education Framework

This session will explore ways the East Africa region can become a robust common education block by looking at the future regional and sustainable developments for Education. Is this even viable and what needs to change.

Key Discussion Points

- The legal framework-Evolution of education planning and administration in East Africa
- Dealing with variances in the integration of educational and economic planning
- The effect of rapid expansion on the quality of education
- Formation of Education Hub - "East Africa Academic World"
- Rural and indigenous Education and Educational projects.

SESSION 2

Lifting School Leaders - The Educators Education and Training

A great school depends on great leadership - from administrators and from teacher leaders. The strand will focus on the exciting opportunity for leadership development by providing programs that specifically address the various administrative and academic needs of school leaders

Key Discussion Points

- **Educational Programs and Teaching**
 - Strengths and weaknesses of current leadership preparation programs;
 - New strategies and tools currently available to support teaching and leadership excellence
 - Dealing with the issues of supply of and demand for teachers,
- **Harmonized Monitoring and Evaluation- Current and Future**
- **What type of Educators-Educator of internet age?-**
 - New learning and teaching models
 - Relationships First- "Students won't care what you know until they know that you care."

SESSION 3

Societal Needs in a Global Context - Disrupting Inequity

How are schools and individual educators challenging inequity and rethinking assumptions about poverty, race, and gender?

Key Discussion Points

- Overcoming Barriers that create opportunity gaps- financial resources, teacher quality, technology instruction, and access to a challenging curriculum
- Training strategies for disadvantaged youth
- School mapping and geographical information systems
- Non-formal education and poverty alleviation

SESSION 4

Societal Needs in a Global Context- The ICT Landscape for Education

This session will explore ways the region can achieve a comprehensive framework that will use all specialist ICT goods and services to enhance education-Strategies for teaching and learning success by integrating technology across the curriculum, from kindergarten to college

Key Discussion Points

- Creating Schools that are Future Ready
- Navigating capacity and capabilities – ensuring fit for purpose ICT
- Preparing Teachers for the Integration Technology into the Classrooms-
- Building structure for Home schooling- how do we train this

SESSION 5

Societal Needs in a Global Context - Global-Ready Graduate

The world is now one big village. Education must help students develop the global competencies as active, responsible citizenship in an increasingly interconnected world. Students, administrators, faculty, and nonprofit professionals gather will be speakers in this session and will share effective practices, improve personal skills and organizational strategies, discover opportunities and resources, exchange stories, be inspired and challenged to sustain our efforts

Key Discussion Points

- Instruction programs that further career success, inform civic engagement, and promote flexible thinking, creativity, and problem solving
- Community service and Learning- Civic engagement of college students in community service, service-learning, community-based research, advocacy and other forms of social action.
- Explores global perspectives on the future of management education.

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SESSION 6

Economics of Education

Key Discussion Points

- Balancing between education as an investment and as a social service
- The myriad of private institutions and harmonizing them with Public schools
- Dealing with exodus to universities and colleges outside the region - East Africa a common higher education zone
- The bearing of educational planning upon external aid
- Attracting more investment into public schools



Workshop

Primary School and Secondary School

Pedagogic Innovations

- Redefining a New Generation Learner?
- Technological influencers on the New Generation Learner and how to leverage them

Powerful Lesson Planning-"Creative educators take joy in planning a variety of lessons

- Approaches that strike a balance between planning required content and allowing lessons to follow students' questions and enthusiasms

Getting Personalization Right

Reclaiming Personalized learning

To what extent is personalization possible in a standards-oriented education environment? How can technology best aid and define student-centered learning and what will look like in schools- This small semantic change signals a shift in acknowledging that no two brains are the same, so no two students learn in the same fashion.

- Shift the paradigm from "learning disabilities" to "learning differences"
- Case studies in research into the science of various learning differences as well as articles on skills-based strategies that help students learn.



Workshop

Universities and colleges



National trends and innovative approaches to undergraduate education reform

How faculty and instructional development is envisioned at various campuses

Benefiting from technological developments

- Distance learning- what technologies fellow faculty members are using, what works, and what special techniques for teaching at a distance exist
- Scaling up with Technology than building more classes
- Collaborative Professional Development strategies



Speakers 2017

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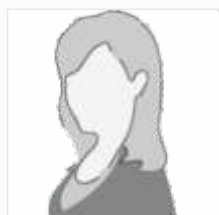
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