

# Central Asia Sub-Regional Training Workshop on “Strengthening National Capacities in Education Data and Statistics for Evidence Based Policy Making, Planning and Monitoring of SDG 4”

Almaty, Kazakhstan, 29 November – 1 December 2022

## Agenda

Time	Item	Topic	Methodologies
<b>Day 1</b>			
08:00 - 08:45	<b>Registration</b>		
08:45 - 09:15	<b>Opening and Welcome</b>		
09:15 - 09:35	<b>Item 1</b> - SDG4 Targets and monitoring	SDG 4 monitoring Framework and Indicators (benchmarks)	Presentation and Discussion
09:35 - 10:00	<b>Item 2</b> - SDG 4 Monitoring and International Education Data and Statistics	SDG 4 Indicators - data sources, methodologies, interpretation, and use for decision making	Presentation, discussion, and Exercises
<b>10:00 - 10:30 Coffee Break</b>			
10:30 - 12:00	<b>Item 2</b> (continued)	<b>Topic 1</b> – SDG 4 Indicators - data sources, methodologies, interpretation, and use for decision making	Presentation, discussion and Exercises
12:00 - 12:30		<b>Topic 2</b> - International Standard Classification of Education (ISCED 2011) mapping	Presentation and discussion
<b>12:30 - 13:30 Lunch Break</b>			
13:30 - 14:30	<b>Item 2</b> (continued)	<b>Topic 3</b> - Review of National Education systems and ISCED mapping	Individual country group to review national ISCED mapping followed by discussion
14:30 - 15:00			Plenary
<b>15:00 - 15:30 Coffee Break</b>			
15:30 - 16:15	<b>Item 3</b> - UIS tools and data collection processes	<b>Topic 1</b> - Introduction to UIS annual surveys and UIS new template for international data compilation	Presentation and discussion
16:15 - 17:00		<b>Topic 2</b> - Issues and challenges in responding to UIS questionnaires	Group work based on guided questions

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<b>Day 2</b>			
09:00 - 10:00	Item 3 (continued)	<b>Topic 3</b> - Strengthening data system to respond to UIS questionnaires including future data needs	Plenary discussions
10:00 - 10:30	Item 4 -Strengthening National Education data system	<b>Topic 1</b> - Mapping of national education data system, availability and gaps in data and indicator for SDG4 (based on pre-workshop survey)	Presentation
10:30 - 11:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>		
11:00 - 11:45	Item 4 (continued)	<b>Topic 2</b> - Developing a comprehensive National SDG 4 monitoring system and Strengthening EMIS for better quality and accurate data	Case studies and group presentation
11:45 - 12:30		<b>Topic 3</b> - Establishing School Management Information System (SMIS) for strengthening EMIS	Country presentations (2-4 countries 5 -7 minutes each country)
12:30 - 13:30	<b>Lunch Break</b>		
13:30 - 14:15	Item 4 (continued)	<b>Topic 4</b> - Improving HHS and Learning Assessment data	Country Cases (1 country?) (15min)
14:15 - 15:00	Item 5 - Education data analysis and use for decision making	<b>Topic 1</b> - Understanding the linkage between data/ indicator and policy analysis	Presentation and discussions
15:00 - 15:30		<b>Topic 2</b> - Exercise on data analysis	Case analysis and group exercises
15:30 - 16:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>		
16:00 - 17:00	Item 5 (continued)	<b>Topic 2</b> (continued)	Case analysis and group exercises

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<b>09:00 - 10:00</b>	Item 5 (continued)	<b>Topic 2</b> (continued)	Case analysis and group exercises
<b>10:00 - 10:30</b>		<b>Topic 3</b> - Reflection and lesson learned from the exercise	Open talk
<b>10:30 - 11:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>		
<b>11:00 - 11:30</b>	Item 6 - Regional and national Benchmarking	<b>Topic 1</b> - Overview of Regional and National benchmarking process, challenges, and way forwards	presentation
<b>11:30 - 12:30</b>		<b>Topic 2</b> - Presentation and discussion on establishing Regional minimum Benchmark values for additional regional indicators	presentation
<b>12:30 - 13:30</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>		
<b>13:30 - 14:30</b>	Item 7 - National Mid Term Review of SDG 4	<b>Topic 1</b> - Objectives, process, and approaches of National Mid Term Review of SDG 4	presentation
<b>14:30 - 15:15</b>	Item 7 (continued)	<b>Topic 2</b> - Establishing national mechanism and outlines of the report	Group works
<b>15:15 - 15:45</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>		
<b>15:45 - 16:30</b>	Item 7 (continued)	<b>Topic 3</b> - Strategies for data collection, compilation, filling data gaps for undertaking Mid Term review	Guided discussion
<b>16:30 - 17:00</b>	Closing		Remarks