IN SUPPORT OF GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION: The SEAMEO INNOTECH Initiatives

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Southeast Asian Ministers of Education Organization
Regional Center for Educational Innovation and Technology
Hosted by the Philippine government
To facilitate teaching and learning through innovative and technology-based research and training solutions in order to fully develop the potentials of the peoples in SEA

Vision
To be the preferred education solutions provider in Southeast Asia and beyond

Mission
Peace education
- PEACeXCELS
- MYDev

Sustainable development
- LEADeXCELS
- DRRM Toolkit
- Integrating ESD in Secondary Ed

Human rights
- RBE Approaches to Education in SEA

Cultural diversity
- SEAeXCELS
- Weaving Identities Toolkit

Media & Info Literacy
- MT4T Toolkit
- MTEI Toolkit
Education for Peace
MYDev Program
Mindanao for Youth Development Program

• A five-year project funded by USAID (July 2013 – June 2018)
• Supported by Education Development Center (EDC), SEAMEO INNOTECH, private sector resource partners and local service providers in Mindanao
• Aims to address the key constraints to peace and stability in selected conflict-affected areas in Mindanao through enhancing the life skills and employability of out-of-school youth (OSY)
MYDev Program

- Capacity-building program for program managers/Alternative Learning System (ALS) implementers (service providers of MYDev)
- Strengthening the capacity of local government units, communities and stakeholders to deliver education and training services for OSY
- Increasing OSY access to relevant education, skills training and employment
- Includes OSY in Mindanao in all phases of development process
PEACeXCELS
Peace Education Excellence in School Leadership for Southeast Asia

- A flexible learning solutions course designed for Southeast Asian principals
- Anchored on Competency Framework for SEA school heads
- Aims to capacitate those in school leadership and management positions on their important role in promoting and exercising a culture of peace and respect for cultural diversity
- Chosen as one of the EIU Best Practices by APCEIU
eXCELS Implementation

- Self-instructional modules (print, CD, web-based)
- Use of webinars and live chat discussions
- Certified flexible learning tutors
- Internet-based chat and discussion forums in iFLEX (INNOTECH Flexible Learning System)
Education for Sustainable Development
LEADeXCELS
Excellence in Leading Education in Emergency Situations

- A flexible learning course designed for SEA principals
- Strengthen the capacity of SEA school heads in preparing for and responding to natural disasters and conflict situations
- Ensure that education and learning continue even in emergency situations

“Schools and school leaders play a central role in the life of communities.”
TOOLKIT FOR BUILDING DISASTER-RESILIENT SCHOOLS COMMUNITIES

KEY THEMES

1. Disaster profile and status of disaster risk reduction and management in Southeast Asia
2. Initiatives and innovations for safer schools in Southeast Asia
3. Anthology of reference materials
4. Disaster risk profiles and DRRM efforts of SEAMEO member countries
5. Organizations involved in DRRM projects in the education sector
TOOLKIT FOR BUILDING DISASTER-RESILIENT SCHOOLS COMMUNITIES

• DRRM initiatives from over 40 schools in 9 SEAMEO member countries

• To be adapted in support of ASEAN Safe School Initiative (ASSI)
Integrating Education for Sustainable Development into Secondary Education Social Studies Curriculum in Southeast Asia: A Toolkit for Educators, Curriculum Developers and ESD Advocates

Aimed at providing specific strategies, methods and activities to integrate ESD in secondary school social studies curriculum content and delivery in Southeast Asia

Helps teachers gain understanding of their critical role in promoting education for sustainable development
Human Rights
Scoping Study into Human Rights-Based Approaches to Education in Southeast Asia

Assess the status of rights-based education (RBE) in SEAMEO member countries through the review of the implementation of RBE-related policies, programs and projects

Recommend effective innovations and possible solutions to RBE issues
Cultural Diversity
Promote a shared regional identity among Southeast Asian primary and secondary school learners

Anchored on 3 identified themes: 1) respect for national heritage; 2) respect for diversity; and 3) sense of community (by having a common set of goals)

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Weaving Identities
A Teacher Toolkit Towards a Southeast Asian Community

This toolkit aims to promote the Southeast Asian community by providing information and classroom resources about our shared values, history, and heritage. This project is in support of the ASEAN Vision 2015. Learn more.

PHOTO CONTEST

We would like to announce that the Photo Contest is officially closed. Thank you very much for joining.

Click here for winners.
SEAeXCELS
Excellence in School Leadership for Southeast Asia

- A flexible learning solutions course designed for Southeast Asian principals
- Designed to equip school heads with competencies to promote an understanding of Southeast Asia community within and beyond their schools and community
- 2 modules: 1) Develop an awareness and understanding of the SEA community in oneself; 2) Cultivate an awareness and understanding of the SEA community among stakeholders
Media and Information Literacy
Mobile Technology for Teachers

a teacher resource kit that promotes the use of mobile technology in the context of Southeast Asia by providing guides in using mobile devices for teaching and learning HOTS and values as well as for personal and professional development.
Digital natives & digital migrants

Prepare teachers to suitably guide, mentor and coach their students to use mobile technologies productively and embedded with appropriate values.

Equip them with skills and resources on the many possibilities and usage of mobile technologies for personal and professional development and instruction.

Enhance teacher’s 21st century skills acquisition and develop higher order thinking (HOTS) skills & that of their learners.
Policy Research & Development of a Mobile Technology Toolkit on Cyber Safety & Emotional Intelligence (EI)

1. **Policy research** to study data on policies & programs in Southeast Asia that address issues of infollution & digital citizenship

2. **Resource Kit** for teachers to enhance their capacities to develop in learners EI as a foundation to responsible use of ICT and safe, green & empowered digital citizenship
Negative polluting side effects of IT resources, e.g., open access to obscene materials, internet/video game addiction, cyber-violence, spamming

A project to address infollution and encourage responsible use of ICT within the educational context of Southeast Asia
By enhancing the emotional intelligence, children are better able to protect themselves from the effects of infollution and become responsible digital citizens.

Social and emotional learning will help learners manage their emotions, resolve conflict non-violently and make responsible decisions in both online and offline worlds.

Promote Southeast Asian values and global citizenship within the context of ASEAN 2015 integration.
• Policy support for Mother Tongue-based Multilingual Education (MTB-MLE)
• Southeast Asia Primary Learning Metrics – Global Citizenship Domain
Future Directions

- 9th Five-Year Development Plan (2016-2021)
- New Vision: A better future for every learner in Southeast Asia
- Themes: ESD, inclusive quality education

Challenge: A GCED context that is relevant to Southeast Asia
Thank you