





INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON QUALITY EDUCATION 2023

"Conference, Networking, Expo, and Awards on SDGs for Quality Education"

Sep 29 - Oct 04, 2023 At Colombo, Sri Lanka.

More Details:

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Introduction

The International Conference on Quality Education 2023 is organized by the International Association for Quality Education (IAfQE), which is an international non-profit education association working to upgrade the quality of education to achieve Sustainable Development Goal No. 4: Quality Education in 2030.

The conference will be focused on new trends in education, the latest pedagogical approaches, assessments and evaluation methods, as well as new approaches in school management and capacity building for teachers and professionals in education.

Individuals have to face the volatility, uncertainty, complexity, and Ambiguity (VUCA) situation of the present global society. It will be emphasized the ways to develop skills essential to the 21st century as well as the mindfulness of the individual to be a skillful and spiritually well-being person to overcome the competitiveness of the global society. The conference will be a platform to discuss new strategies, research findings, and best practices to identify new frameworks for that.

"Greening Education" aims to deliver strong, coordinated, and comprehensive action that will prepare every learner to acquire the knowledge, skills, values, and attitudes to tackle climate change and promote sustainable development. The implementation of the greening education concept in the school system will also be discussed at the conference.

Keynote speakers will share their best practices, research findings, and new knowledge on different kinds of themes related to quality education.

In addition to that, the performance of the schools will be evaluated under the identified key performance criteria. Selected schools will be recognized for their excellence.

School visits, honoring ceremonies, and cultural programs have also been scheduled to make the conference colorful.

The conference is an international benchmark for global leaders in education to make international networks and work collaboratively to empower their schools and institutes with standards of quality education.

The conference will be held physically from September 29th to October 4th, 2023, in Colombo, Sri Lanka, with the participation of educators in the South Asian Region as well as other Countries.

Awards will be granted by the Prime minister of Sri Lanka or the Minister of Education of Sri Lanka.

The Conference is limited to 100 educators, and selections will be made based on early registrations, qualifications, and experience.







Problem Statement

Existing curriculums, Teaching-learning processes, and assessment and evaluation methodologies in schools still don't give more priority to developing knowledge, skills, attitudes, and mindsets (K-SAM) in children to overcome a competitive global society.

Curriculums, teaching-learning processes, and assessment and evaluation methodologies in schools are not being rapidly developed to be compatible with fast-moving global needs such as education for employability.

A huge gap exists between the expected outcome of the children in the school system by the universities and vocational education institutes and the real product of the school system.

Traditional teacher training mechanisms are out-of-date, and those mechanisms have no capacity to develop quality teachers to upgrade the skillfulness and mindfulness of children.

Opportunities are limited for individuals and schools to find solutions and new strategies to the above issues and to share research findings and best practices.







Vision

Upgrade the quality of global education towards skillfulness and mindfulness in children to overcome the challenges of modern society for the sustainability of individuals and global society to achieve the SDGs in 2030.

Mission

Motivate educators, schools, and policymakers to upgrade the quality of school education towards the skillfulness and mindfulness of children to overcome challenges in modern society for the sustainability of individuals, countries and global society by creating and disseminating new knowledge, skills, attitudes, and mindsets and sharing best practices and research findings, honoring the dedicated services of educators and schools.









Objectives

Upgrade the quality of school education towards the skillfulness and mindfulness of children to overcome challenges in modern society for the sustainability of individuals, countries and global society.

Build up platforms to create and disseminate new knowledge, share best practices and research findings, and to empower knowledge, 21st-century skills, attitudes, and mindsets (K-SAM).

Build up networks and connections among educators in global society to overcome challenges in education and to enhance the skillfulness and mindfulness of children for the sustainability of individuals, countries and global society.

To honor the dedicated services of educators for new knowledge, research findings, sharing of best practices, and commitment to quality education.

To honor the dedicated services of schools for their innovations, best practices, and education leadership.









Main Tasks

School Curriculums for 21st Century Skills and Mindfulness of Children.

Pedagogical approaches for 21st Century Skills and Mindfulness in Children.

 $Assessment\ and\ Evaluation\ systems\ for\ 21st\ Century\ Skills\ and\ Mindfulness\ in\ Children.$

Greening Education for 21st Century Skills and Mindfulness in Children.

Capacity Building of Teachers for 21st Century Skills and Mindfulness of Children.

School Management for 21st Century Skills and Mindfulness of Children.

Quality and Standards of School for 21st Century Skills and Mindfulness of Children.







2023

To school owners and top-level management of the schools in the South Asian region as well as all other countries who need to upgrade their knowledge, who need to make networks, who need to share their best practices, and who would like to get appreciation from international platforms for their dedicated service to the field of education.

To school principals in the South Asian region as well as all other countries who need to upgrade their knowledge, who need to make networks, who need to share their best practices, and who would like to get appreciation from international platforms for their dedicated service to the field of education.

To Teachers and educators in the South Asian region as well as all other countries who need to upgrade their competencies, who need to make networks, who need to share their best practices, and who would like to get appreciation from international platforms for their dedicated service to the field of education.

Teacher supervisors, Curriculum Developers, Education Administrators, and academic leaders in South Asian Countries as well as global society.









Benefits to the Participants

The knowledge, skills, attitudes, and mindset of the Participants will be upgraded with the outcome of the conference.

Participants will have the opportunity to give a keynote speech on an international platform.

Well-performed speakers and presenters will be awarded international awards.

Educators will be honored for their dedicated service to the field of education.

Selected schools will be awarded for their performance and dedicated service to the field of education.











Awards and Certificates will be granted in two categories

Awards will be granted by the hand of the Prime Minister of Sri Lanka or the Minister of Education of Sri Lanka.

Category: 01

"Excellence in Education" awards will be granted to keynote speakers.

Excellence in Education" Awards will be granted to the educators based on the performance of their professional careers.

Special awards will be granted to educators based on their performance at the conference.

Active Participation Certificates will be granted to all who actively participate at the conference.

Category: 02

Special Awards will be granted to the schools for their performance on

- 1 Excellence in School Curriculums for 21st Century Skills
- 2 Excellence in Best practices in pedagogical approaches for 21st century skills
- 3 Excellence in Holistic Development of Children for 21st Century Skills
- 4 Excellence in Assessment and Evaluation Systems for 21st Century Skills
- 5 Excellence in Capacity Building of Teachers for 21st Century Skills
- 6 Excellence in School Management for 21st Century Skills
- 7 Excellence in "Quality and Standards" of the School
- 8 Excellence in "Sustainable Development Goals.
- 9 Excellence in Greening Education for 21st Century Skills
- 10 Excellence in Mindfulness and Happiness of the School
- 11 Excellence in Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)







Program Schedule

Date	Event		
29th September 2023	The arrival of the Delegates		
30th September 2023	Inauguration ceremony, Keynote Speeches, Presentations, Panel Discussions, workshop sessions on themes, awarding and honoring ceremony		
01st October 2023	Inauguration ceremony, Keynote Speeches, Presentations, Panel Discussions, workshop sessions on themes, awarding and honoring ceremony		
02nd October 2023	School visit and Inauguration ceremony, Keynote Speeches, Presentations, Panel Discussions, workshop sessions on themes, awarding and honoring ceremony		
03rd October 2023	Sightseeing in Bandarawela and Ella in Uwa province Locations to visit: Ella Rock, Little Adam's Peak , Ravana WaterFalls, Ravana Caves, Adisham Bungalow, Lipton seat Dambathnne Tea Factory, Nine Arches Bridge		
04th October 2023	Sightseeing while travel to Colombo Sita Amman Temple, Askoka Vatika (Now this is converted as Hakgala Botanical Gardens) or Royal Botanic Gardens Kandy, Divurumpola Buddhist Temple, Sri Bhaktha Hanuman Temple (Believed that Hanuman was searching for Sita Devi from a place called "Ravana Goda" close to this Bhakta Hanuman Temple. Key Ramayana site in Sri Lanka.) visit Tea Factory, Tooth Relic Temple / Visit Elephant Orphanage Pinnawala. After 4.00 pm onwards drop to airport		







Themes for the Presentations

Education should be focused on the Sustainability of individuals, countries, and global society. Therefore, the teaching and learning process should be focused on developing the Knowledge, Skills, Attitudes, and Mindset (K-SAM) of the children. They must have opportunities to gain skills that are needed in the 21st century for their skillfulness and mindfulness to overcome the competitiveness of global society.

- 1. 21st century skills and the K-SAM approach.
- 2. Mindfulness for a successful life.
- 3. New strategies for global leadership in the VUCA world.
- 4. School Curriculums for 21st Century Skills and K-SAM.
- 5. Pedagogical approaches to developing 21st century skills and K-SAM.
- 6. Assessment and evaluation methods for 21st century skills and K-SAM.
- 7. Capacity Building of Teachers for 21st Century Skills and K-SAM.
- 8. School Management for 21st Century Skills and K-SAM.
- 9. "Quality and Standards for School" for 21st century skills and K-SAM.
- 10. My best practices for 21st century skills and K-SAM.
- 11. 21st century skills and K-SAM for special needs children.
- 12. Happy parenting and holistic habits.
- 13. Education for sustainable development.
- 14. Greening Education



Getting awards from the Minister of Education of Sri Lanka at the International Conference 2023, Colombo, Sri Lanka



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Registration Fee

Category	Sri Lankans	SAARC Countries (With Accommodation, Local Transport and meal)	Other Countries (With Accommodation, Local Transport and meal)	
Category I / for Individuals (Educators, Principals, Teachers)	20,000 LKR (Only for Sep 30, Oct 01st and 2nd) 35,000 LKR (Conference and hill country tour with accommodation, transport and meals)	300 USD (4 Days 3 nights without hill country tour) 400 USD (6 Days 5 nights with hill country tour)	400 USD (4 Days 3 nights without hill country tour) 500 USD (6 Days 5 nights with hill country tour)	
Category 2 for Schools	25,000 LKR (Only for Sep 30, Oct 01st and 2nd) 35,000 LKR (Conference and hill country tour with accommodation, transport and meals)	300 USD (4 Days 3 nights without hill country tour) 400 USD (6 Days 5 nights with hill country tour)	400 USD (4 Days 3 nights without hill country tour) 500 USD (6 Days 5 nights with hill country tour)	
Special Notice	Only 100 delegates will get the opportunity to participate in the conference. Therefore, complete your registration to take advantage of this valuable opportunity. By paying 100 USD, you can register, and the balance can be paid on the first day of the conference.			

One representative from the school is eligible to participate free of charge at the conference when the school applies under category II.















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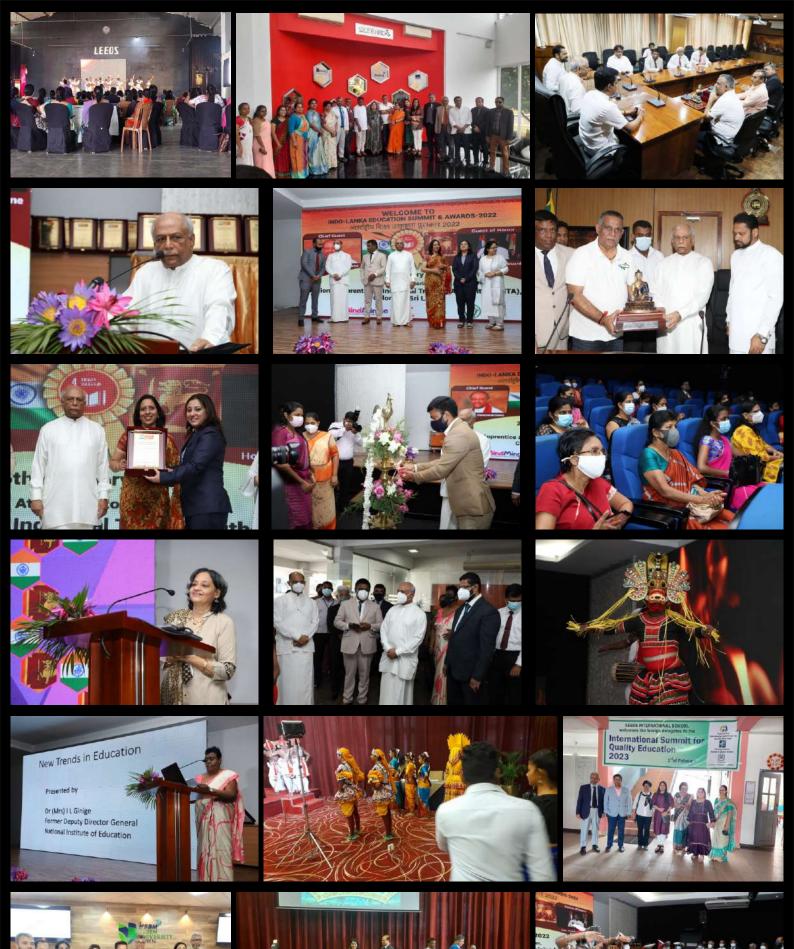


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