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The 16th Asia-Pacific Regional Meeting
"Expanding ESD Capabilities to Achieve SDG 4 (Quality Education)"

12-15 September 2024, Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic

Instructions: Lightning Presentation and Application for Case Study Presentation

In the 16th AP Regional Meeting, RCE members will have the opportunity to make presentations in the following two sessions: 1. Lightning presentations and 2. Case Study Presentation, scheduled for Thursday, 12 September 2024 (Day 1) as follows:

1. Lightning Presentation (Day 1, Session 1)

The Lightning Presentations in Session 1, provide RCE members with a valuable opportunity to deliver a concise presentation. Speakers will be allocated **3 minutes** to convey the introduction of each RCE with a one-page PowerPoint slide. We kindly request all in-person participants to attend this session, fostering engaging and dynamic exchanges. Please note that each RCE will have a designated time slot of 3 minutes for their presentation, even if multiple members from the same RCE participate.

For the lightning presentations, all presenters, including both for in-person and online attendees*, are required to submit a one-page PowerPoint slide file by **Friday, 16 August 2024 (KGT)** to RCE Kyrgyzstan (nurgul.baktybekova.92@bk.ru).

*For online participants, presentation details will be provided via email.

2. Application for Case Study Presentation (Day 1, Session 3)

1) Application documents
To apply for making a presentation in Case Study Presentation in Session 3 (Good ESD Practice Sharing Session), it is required to submit the Registration Form and RCE Project Report as follows:

1. Please complete the online Registration Form
2. Please submit your RCE Project through the RCE portal site. (See the detailed instruction in b. below.)
   a. The overall session theme is '*Expanding ESD capabilities to achieve SDG 4 (Quality Education)*'- Sharing good ESD practices, successful activities, teaching methods/methodologies to improve education quality). In the registration form you will be asked to select one of the breakout sessions

in which you want to present from the three sub-themes below. The duration of each presentation will be around 10-15 minutes.

- · Local actions on transforming learning environments
- · Local actions on building the capacities of educators
- · Local actions on empowering and mobilizing youth

b. Please note that the submitted RCE Project will be the basis for evaluating the suitability of your project for presentation at the Regional Meeting. Your RCE Project will be published on the RCE Portal once you submit it.

- · Instructions on how to submit a project can be found on the [RCE Portal: Create RCE Project.](#)
- · A [video tutorial](#) is available to guide you through the process. If you have any issues in logging in or submitting your RCE Project through the RCE Portal, please contact Global RCE Service Centre (rceconference@unu.edu).
- · If you experience any technical difficulties submitting your RCE Project through the RCE Portal, please contact Global RCE Service Centre (rceconference@unu.edu).

2) Deadline: The deadline for submission is **Friday, 16 August 2024 (KGT).**

3) Selection Criteria

- Address how your project is contributing to the implementation of SDGs through education
- Demonstrate engagement of multiple stakeholders, including participation and support of local communities
- Demonstrate contribution to the theme '*Expanding ESD capabilities to achieve SDG 4 (Quality Education)*'
- Analyse impacts in terms of how projects have brought positive changes to the communities
- Discuss ways of further scaling up, mainstreaming, and deepening ideas and actions of the project (ways forward)

4) Selection results: The selection result will be notified by around **the end of August 2024 (KGT)** via email to the applicants from the Secretariat of RCE Kyrgyzstan.

3. Contact

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