# MASHAV - Israel's Agency for International Development Cooperation



The MASHAV Educational Training Center in cooperation with Concept – Strategic Analysis

Is inviting professionals to participate in the

### **An Online course:**

## Pedagogical Innovation tools towards Education 2030

6 meetings, once a week, between 12/04-24/05/2021











"Education is no longer about teaching students something alone; it is more important to be teaching them to develop a reliable compass and the navigation tools to find their own way in a world that is increasingly complex, volatile and uncertain. Our imagination, awareness, knowledge, skills and, most important, our common values, intellectual and moral maturity, and sense of responsibility is what will guide us for the world to become a better place." Andreas Schleicher- Director for Education and Skills OECD

The rapid changes, which characterize the times we live, impose a considerable challenge to the educational systems around the world. As questions and concerns about unprecedented social and economic challenges became increasingly urgent, these systems need to consider developing education for the best future carefully.

There is a need to step back and look at the bigger picture to see the longer-term challenges facing education to guide students to navigate wellbeing for themselves, their community, and the planet.

#### Aim and Orientation

The course is of a practical nature. It introduces core elements of the needed skills for the 21st-century vision and pedagogical innovations to create a platform where these concepts will be examined, considering cultural, economic, and organizational contexts.

The course aims to support participants in the creation of an implementation plan of a process adapted to local needs and context. This design is to be created by participants through work groups.

#### Course Overview

The course will focus on some of the core elements of the needed skills:

- Well-being as the purpose of education
- Agency as a recommended attitude for stakeholders in education
- Learning as a continuous improvement process
- Competencies as the basis for curriculum

#### Audience

This online course is designed for policy makers and practitioners, such as Directors in Education Departments of Ministries of Education and local authorities, Principals of primary and secondary schools, Coordinators in primary and high schools, Teachers, Educational Trainers, and Lecturers in Education.

#### Course Structure

The webinar will comprise six meetings, each two-hour long, from 11:00- 13:00 Israel Time. Each meeting may include various activities, such as lectures, presentations, discussions, and group work.

<sup>\*</sup>Participants will need to create a G-mail account.

Training phase	Date	Time	Duration	Main Topics
1 <sup>st</sup> meeting	12/04/21	11:00-13:00	2.00	Introduction, and an overview of the Learning Compass and the course's goals
2 <sup>nd</sup> meeting	19/04/21	11:00-13:00	2.00	Well-being as the purpose of education
3 <sup>rd</sup> meeting	26/04/21	11:00-13:00	2.00	Agency as a recommended attitude for stakeholders in education
4 <sup>th</sup> meeting	03/05/21	11:00-13:00	2.00	Learning as a continuous improvement cycle
5 <sup>th</sup> meeting	10/05/21	11:00-13:00	2.00	Competencies as the basis of curriculum
6 <sup>th</sup> meeting	24/05/21	11:00-13:00	2.00	Presentation, review, and discussion of participants' proposed implementation, adapted to their local context and needs

#### **Application**

Those interested are invited to complete the attached form and submit it through the nearest Israeli Embassy by 21.3.2021

#### About MASHAV

MASHAV - Israel's Agency for International Development Cooperation is dedicated to providing developing countries with the best of Israel's experience in development and planning. As a member of the family of nations, The State of Israel is committed to fulfilling its responsibility to contribute to the fight against poverty and to the global efforts to achieve

<sup>\*</sup>The course is accompanied by a Learning Management System, where tasks and material will be shared between meetings.

sustainable development. MASHAV, representing Israel and its people, focuses its efforts on capacity building, sharing relevant expertise accumulated during Israel's own development experience to empower governments, communities, and individuals to improve their own lives. MASHAV's approach is to ensure social, economic and environmentally sustainable development, and it is taking an active part in the international community's process of shaping the Post-2015 Agenda, to define the new set of the global Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). MASHAV's activities focus primarily on areas in which Israel has a competitive advantage, including agriculture and rural development; water resources management; entrepreneurship and innovation; community development; medicine and public health, empowerment of women and education. Professional programs are based on a "train the trainers" approach to institutional and human capacity building and are conducted both in Israel and abroad. Project development is supported by the seconding of short and long-term experts, as well as on-site interventions. Since its establishment, MASHAV has promoted the centrality of human resource enrichment and institutional capacity building in the development process – an approach which has attained global consensus.

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#### About the A. Ofri International Training Center

The A. Ofri International Training Center was established in 1989 as a professional extension of MASHAV - Israel's Agency for International Development Cooperation. The activities are targeted to meet the Millennium Development Sustainable Goals-SDGS set by the United Nations to be fulfilled by the year 2030.

The Center's vision is that education is the starting point for a person to build himself/herself, a gate to new possibilities. Education is the key to a better future and shields against physical harm and confronts moral dilemmas. Education enables us to ask for proper healthcare when needed, and the way to stay healthy and adopt responsible behavior with our bodies. Education is sharing, learning, and growing up together with others. Through education we can learn to take better care of our world, treat it respectfully and use wisely the resources it offers us. Education concerns itself with learning at all levels, from elementary and secondary school through adult education, and provides knowledge and training for basic skills development, civic awareness, community education, education for special populations, treatment for youth (Including those at risk), youth integration, youth leadership, education for health and the prevention of drugs abuse.

Since its inception, the A. Ofri Center has trained thousands of professionals from countries throughout the world. The Center cooperates with senior staff in the Israeli Ministry of Education, academic experts, governmental organizations, and non-governmental organizations. In addition, it communicates and cooperates with key international organizations such as UNESCO, OECD, USAID, UNODC, OAS, IOM and the World Bank. In adopting the UN's Millennium Development Goals, the A. Ofri Center contributes to the sustainable development of human resources internationally, based on knowledge and experience accumulated in Israel.

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