



## Announcement

### News on ICT in Education

#### Highlight

##### [ICTs in Education Prize: call for nominations](#)

“Digital Opportunities for All: Preparing Students for 21st-Century Skills” is the theme of the 2008 UNESCO King Hamad Bin Isa Al-Khalifa Prize for the Use of ICTs in Education.

#### News & Events

##### [E-skills and information literacy central to development](#)

E-skills and information literacy will become central in the development process, Abdul Waheed Khan, UNESCO's Assistant Director-General for Communication and Information, told participants at the Global Alliance for ICT and Development in Kuala Lumpur.

##### [UN ESCAP's ICT training centre has launched three new initiatives to bridge the digital divide](#)

The UN regional institute held a global forum and launched two events aimed at promoting the use of ICT for national development.

##### [How can the Internet make the world a better place?](#)

OECD and YouTube launched a “Future of the Internet” initiative at the OECD Ministerial Meeting in Seoul, Korea.

##### [Consultative meeting for the establishment of a regional knowledge network of tele-centres in Central Asia](#)

The meeting was one activity within an UN project entitled: “Knowledge networks through ICT access points for disadvantaged communities”.

##### [2008 International Conference on ICT in Teaching and Learning: “Technology-Enriched Learning Spaces”](#)

This Conference, organised by the Open University of Hong Kong (OUHK) and the Hong Kong Web Symposium Consortium, will be held on 7-8 July in Hong Kong SAR.

#### Programmes

##### [Learning the 3Rs through discovery, interaction and participation for children of nomadic tribes](#)

The Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay taught nomadic children in three experimental camp schools using ICT-based solutions.

#### Resources

##### [Low-cost computing devices and initiatives for the developing world](#)

A short inventory of known projects related to “low cost ICT user devices for the developing world”, with special attention to the education sector.

### [Future of online ‘textbooks’ and modules](#)

This article explores the potential of online textbooks, which can be tailored to the needs of each individual learner.

### [Implementation of ICT in higher education based on activity theory](#)

This paper develops a theoretical model of the implementation of ICT in higher education based on activity theory and on a case study in a Danish university.

### [The Education Clip Library](#)

The Education Clip Library is an online business-to-business service designed to fulfil the growing demand for high quality, curriculum-based video clips from educational business users worldwide.

### [Using document management software in education](#)

This article explains the benefits of document management software for educational institutions.

Best regards,

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