ICT Competency Framework for Teachers Version 3

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About the workshop:

This workshop will provide an overview of the main aspects of the ICT CFT Version 3 (2018). This session will provide:

- A background on the evolution of the document and the international principles underlying the Framework, focusing on links between the Framework and Sustainable Development Goal 4, 'Inclusive Lifelong Education'.

- A synopsis of the three levels and six competencies that constitute the Framework.

- Outlines examples of how the ICT CFT has been implemented worldwide since 2011, including in the development of ICT in Education policy, teacher standards, assessment criteria, curriculum design, and courseware development.

Meet the presenters:

Zeynep Varoglu is the Programme Specialist for ICTs in Education in the Communications and Information Sector at UNESCO Headquarters in Paris. Ms Varoglu's work currently focuses on the UNESCO ICT Competency Framework for Teachers (ICT CFT) and initiatives in open, distance, flexible and online education. Ms Varoglu also works on projects related to open educational resources (OER) and new developments in ICT in education. Ms Varoglu holds a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) from the University of Toronto and a Master of Education (M.Ed) from the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education (O.I.S.E.), University of Toronto.