

KIX Africa 19 Hub

CONCEPT NOTE

Baseline Survey Findings Validation - Virtual Meeting

When: Thursday, November 26, 2020

Time: 3:30 - 4:30 pm (GMT+3/Addis Ababa time)

Themes: Baseline Survey Finding Validation Workshop

Organizers: The KIX Africa 19 Hub Consortium Partners (UNESCO-IICBA, UNICEF, AU)

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Introduction

The Knowledge and Innovation Exchange (KIX) is a joint endeavor between the Global Partnership for Education (GPE) and the International Development Research Centre (IDRC). The KIX Africa 19 Hub aims to support GPE member countries to accelerate progress toward Sustainable Development Goal 4 for quality education and the African Union's Continental Education Strategy for Africa (CESA) 2016-2025.

Purpose of the Validation Workshop

The workshop will provide an opportunity for the Africa 19 Hub stakeholders to discuss the:

- Main findings from the baseline survey;
- Data collection gaps that need to be overcome in order to better monitor education progress and benchmark the KIX Africa 19 work at the national level; and
- Possible uses of the report's recommendations, particularly in policymaking and national development planning, and the monitoring and evaluation of each member state's education programme.

Member State Reflection on Baseline Findings

The purpose of the workshop is to share the findings of the baseline survey, seek comments and feedback from the participants in order to validate the baseline survey report. To the extent possible, the comments and suggested revisions will be incorporated into the final revised version of the baseline survey before publication. This validation is not meant to reiterate the facts and findings of the baseline – readers interested in the findings should rather read the findings in the report – but to discuss the way forward and how to apply the report's recommendations to education practice and the Africa 19 Hub's activities.

Workshop Outputs/Outcomes

The expected outputs and outcomes of the workshop will be:

- Detailed comments/feedback on the findings from the participants;
- Validation of the baseline finding by member states and participants;
- Recommendations for future policymaking at the national level and recommendations on how the finding can be used to support the design, implementation and monitoring of the Africa 19 Hub;
- Consensus on the way forward for future updates to the KIX Africa 19 Hub monitoring, evaluation and learning (MEL) tools (indicators, etc.).