



**SEAMEO and UNESCO**  
**Webinar in celebration of World Teachers' Day 2022**  
**The Transformation of Education Begins with Teachers**

5 October 2022 (Wednesday)  
9.00 to 12.00 hrs (GMT+7, BKK Time)

**TENTATIVE AGENDA**

As of 3 October 2022

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9:00 – 9:15	<b>Welcome Messages</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dr Ethel Agnes Pascua-Valenzuela, Director, SEAMEO Secretariat</li><li>• Mr Shigeru Aoyagi, Director, UNESCO Asia-Pacific Regional Bureau for Education, Thailand</li></ul>
9:15 – 9:35	<b>Message from the UNESCO Headquarters</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dr Carlos Vargas Tamez, Chief of Section for Teacher Development and Head of the Secretariat for the International Taskforce on Teachers for Education 2030, Division for Policies and Lifelong Learning Systems. UNESCO Headquarters, France</li></ul>
9:35 – 9:50	<b>Panel 1: Policies on Teacher Transformation (7 minutes/ presentation)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• H E Ms Sara Zimmerman Duterte-Carpio, Secretary of Education, Philippines, Vice President of SEAMEO Council (TBC)*</li><li>• H E Datin Seri Paduka Dr Hajah Romaizah binti Haji Mohd Salleh, Minister of Education, Brunei Darussalam (TBC)</li></ul> Moderator: Dr Kritsachai Somsaman, Deputy Director for Administration and Communication, SEAMEO Secretariat
9:50 – 10:00	<b>Stories from SEAMEO TikTok Challenge “The Transformation of Education Begins with Teachers”</b>
10:00 – 10:30	<b>Panel 2: Partnerships for Teacher Transformation (7 minutes/ presentation)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dr Libing Wang, Chief of Section for Educational Innovations and Skills Development, UNESCO Asia-Pacific Regional Bureau for Education, Thailand</li><li>• Ms Cecilia Soriano, Regional Policy and Advocacy Coordinator, Asia South Pacific Association for Basic and Adult Education (ASPBAE)</li><li>• Mr Anand Singh, Regional Director, Education International Asia-Pacific Region, Malaysia</li><li>• Mr Chris Harte, Government and Academic Engagement Lead for Australia, New Zealand and Southeast Asia, Google for Education, Australia</li></ul> Moderator: Ms Natalie Hong, Senior Project Officer, Teacher Programme, Section for

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10:30 – 10:40	<b>Stories from SEAMEO TikTok Challenge “The Transformation of Education Begins with Teachers”</b>
10:40 – 11:10	<p><b>Panel 3: Innovations on Teacher Transformation (5 minutes/ presentation)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Le Nguyen Tue Hang, Vice Provost, Duy Tan University, Vietnam</li> <li>• Dr Shah Jahan bin Assanarkutty, Director, SEAMEO Regional Centre for Education in Science and Mathematics (SEAMEO RECSAM), Malaysia</li> <li>• Mr Vo Tran Trung Nhan, Programme Officer, SEAMEO Regional Centre for Higher Education and Development (SEAMEO RIHED), Thailand</li> <li>• Dr Mohd Azlis Sani bin Md Jalil, Deputy Director, SEAMEO Regional Centre for Special Educational Needs (SEAMEO SEN), Malaysia</li> <li>• Prof Tom Corcoran, Senior Advisor, SEAMEO Regional Centre for STEM Education (SEAMEO STEM-ED), Thailand</li> </ul> <p>Moderator: Dr Kamaleswaran Jayarajah, Research, Evaluation and Assessment Specialist, SEAMEO Secretariat</p>
11:10-11:50	<p><b>Stories on Building Back Better</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stories of Teachers Transforming Education</li> </ul>
11:50 – 12:00	<p><b>Closing Message</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Ethel Agnes Pascua-Valenzuela, Director, SEAMEO Secretariat</li> </ul> <p><b>SEAMEO Song</b></p>

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