

Education for the End of Poverty: Implementing All the Millennium Development Goals

Friday 28 April, 2006

Hotel Y, 489 Elizabeth St, Melbourne

The second Millennium Development Goal (MDG) is the achievement of universal primary education, yet achieving *all* the MDGs requires a substantial focus on education in the context of a learning community. The means of communities moving forward in their development is supported only when community-wide learning is occurring.

Education for the End of Poverty: Implementing All the Millennium Development Goals will explore the issues around life-long education in a development context. Speakers will include educationalists, practitioners from NGOs and implementing agencies working in areas of education and poverty reduction.

The conference will interest development practitioners and theorists, school teachers and policy makers who will be able to share the lessons learned from recent experiences of community development from various parts of the world.

Program Details

8.30 - 9.00 Registration

Welcome and Keynote
Prof John Fien
UNESCO and Education for Sustainable Development

9.00 - 10.30

Dr Anugerah Pekerti
Education and Development in Indonesia: What are the critical linkages?

10.30 - 11.00 Morning Break,
View displays and stalls

11.00 - 12.30 Concurrent Sessions
Country Studies
NGO Case Studies 1
Teacher Sessions 1

12.30 - 1.30 Lunch

1.30 - 3.00 Concurrent Sessions
Education Approaches
NGO Case Studies 2
Teacher Sessions 2

3.00 - 3.30 Afternoon Break
View displays and stalls

3.30 - 5.00 Plenary
Dr. Matthew Clarke and Dr. Simon Feeny
Achieving the Millennium Development Goals in Asia-Pacific

Rev Tim Costello
The Global Campaign for Education

5.00 - 6.00 Post Conference Drinks

Registration Form

Please note places are limited
Accommodation available at Hotel Y

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8.30am to 5.00pm, 28 April 2006
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Name: _____

Development sector: Practitioner Student

Education sector: Primary/Secondary Teacher
Tertiary Lecturer/ Academic

Organisation/School (if applicable): _____

Postal Address: _____

Tel: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Registration Fees

Teachers/ Development Sector \$115
 Student/ Concession \$85

Payment Details:

Total payment \$ _____

By Cheque payable to: RMIT University

By Credit Card: Visa Mastercard Bankcard

Credit Card number:

Expiry Date: /

Name on card: _____

Signature: _____

Forward to:

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Key Speakers will include:

Professor John Fien

Professor John Fien has been at the forefront of the emergence of education for sustainable development. John has been a resource person for UNESCO at the Commission for Sustainable Development and the World Summit on Sustainable Development. He is the creator of the interdisciplinary CD ROM *Teaching and Learning for a Sustainable Future* for UNESCO, and is currently Innovation Professor of Sustainability at RMIT University. His keynote presentation will explore the leadership UNESCO has provided in the global education campaign and provide specific insight into education for sustainable development.



Dr Anugerah Pekerti

Dr Anugerah Pekerti is a former President Director of the Institute for Management Education and Development in Jakarta, and a former chair of the World Vision Indonesia Board. He has been a leading supporter of formal and informal education in Indonesia for many years. Dr Anugerah will be speaking on the role of education in Indonesia's emergence as a country dealing with democracy and a developing economy

Rev. Tim Costello

Rev. Tim Costello is the Chief Executive Officer of World Vision Australia. He has long been a voice for marginalized communities through his Baptist ministry and as former Executive Director of Urban Seed, a Christian not-for-profit outreach service for the urban poor. In 2005 Tim was made an Officer of the Order of Australia for service to the community through contributions to social justice, health and welfare issues, international development assistance and ministry to the Baptist church. Tim will be giving a keynote address on the *Global Campaign for Education*.



Workshop Presentations will include:

Education and training for demobilised soldiers, Afghanistan
Rajendra Godi (Education Officer, WV Afghanistan)

UNESCO Teachers of the Future Initiative
Brownyn Knox (Catholic Education Office)

Achieving the Millennium Development Goals in Asia-Pacific
Dr Simon Feeny and Dr Matthew Clarke (RMIT)

Community Learning: a Bangladeshi model for change
Kate Ramsey (PLAN Australia)

The Millennium Goals and Timor Leste
Dr Greg Carroll and Glenda Kupczyk-Romanczuk (U. of New Eng.)

Education and workers in the informal sector, Sri Lanka
Fikreth Shuaib (Foundation for Development Cooperation) and
Dr Basil van Horen (University of Queensland)

Embedding formal education within non-formal education
Dr Jose Roberto Guevara (RMIT)

Early Childhood Care and Education Program
Jan Parry (PLAN Australia)

The Girl Child: Sustainable education models from Somalia
Jacquiline Wattimah (WV Somalia)

Global education and the Make Poverty History campaign
Suzanne Gilbert (RMIT and TEAR)

Social Exclusion and Quality in Education
Dr Elaine Furniss (Former Senior Education Advisor- UNICEF)

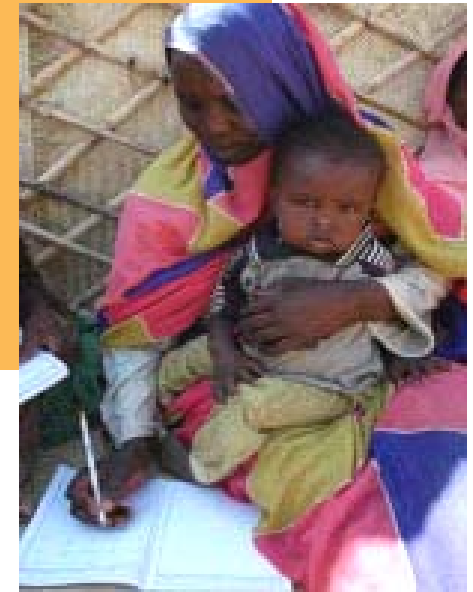
Non-formal Education, Empowerment, and Participation in Myanmar
Karl Dorning (Burnet Institute)

What is a Rights-Based Approach to education?
Doug Orr (PLAN Australia)

Teaching and learning participation and empowerment in the university
Dr Bruce Missingham (Monash University)

Curriculum Development in Indonesian Madrasahs
Robert Kingham (LAPIS Program, AusAID)

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