

## World Teachers' Day 2020

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World Teachers' Day 2020 Opening Ceremony & Award Ceremony of the 6<sup>th</sup> Edition of the UNESCO-Hamdan bin Rashid Al-Maktoum Prize for Outstanding Practice and Performance in Enhancing the Effectiveness of Teachers

Monday, 5 October from 13.00 to 15.30 (Paris) GMT +2

English, French, Arabic, and Spanish interpretation available.

## Registration

### Context

This event will officially open this year's World Teachers' Day (WTD) celebrations. UNESCO's Assistant Director-General for Education will be joined by the Heads of co-convening partners UNICEF, ILO and Education International to recognize the work of teachers worldwide, to take stock of achievements, and

to raise awareness of the challenges faced in the profession as education systems adapt to the 'new normal' post-COVID-19, while seeking to 'build back better.'

After WTD is formally inaugurated, the three winners of the 6<sup>th</sup> UNESCO-Hamdan bin Rashid Al-Maktoum Prize for Outstanding Practice and Performance in Enhancing the Effectiveness of Teachers will be announced by UNESCO Director-General Ms Audrey Azoulay and His Highness Sheikh Hamdan Bin Rashid Al-Maktoum, of the United Arab Emirates. The occasion will also serve to launch the "Knowledge Platform" of the International Task Force on Teachers for Education 2030.

Following the Award Ceremony, the projects of the three laureates will be discussed in greater detail by the winners during a panel discussion on connectivity and learning. The session will be moderated by the president of the Prize's Selection Committee. The event will then build on this discussion with a session featuring the top ten short-listed projects of this year's UNESCO-Hamdan Prize for the Effectiveness of Teachers.

### How to register

To register, click on the 'Registration' link above.

#### Agenda

Monday, 5 October 2020	
13h00 – 13h30	World Teachers' Day 2020 Opening Ceremony
	Moderator: Borhene Chakroun, Director, Division of Policies and Lifelong Learning, UNESCO
	Opening Statement: Stefania Giannini, Assistant Director-General for Education, UNESCO
	Statements by Heads of Co-Convening Partners: UNICEF, International Labour Organization, Education International  Tackbox Tackbox Partners:
	<ul> <li>Teacher Testimony</li> <li>Closing Remarks and Transition: Borhene Chakroun</li> </ul>
13h30 - 13h45	Award Ceremony of the 6th Edition of the UNESCO-Hamdan bin Rashid Al-Maktoum Prize for Outstanding Practice and Performance in Enhancing the Effectiveness of Teachers (pre-recorded)
	<ul> <li>Video Statement by Ms Audrey Azoulay, Director-General, UNESCO</li> <li>Video Statement by His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al-Maktoum, Deputy Ruler of Dubai, Patron of the Hamdan Foundation</li> </ul>
	Video Awarding Ceremony of the 6 <sup>th</sup> Edition of the UNESCO-Hamdan Teacher Prize
	<ul> <li>Video Launch of the TTF Knowledge Platform</li> <li>Closing Remarks and Transition: Borhene Chakroun</li> </ul>
13h45 - 14h15	Panel Discussion with the 2020 Laureates of the UNESCO-Hamdan Teacher Prize 6 <sup>th</sup> Edition
	Connectivity and Schools as Development Hubs to Empower Teachers after Covid-19

	<ul> <li>Moderator: Luc Ria, President of the UNESCO-Hamdan International Jury</li> <li>Discussion with the laureates</li> <li>Closing Remarks and Transition: Luc Ria</li> </ul>
14h15 – 15h15	Panel Discussion with the top 10 Finalists of the UNESCO-Hamdan Teacher Prize 6 <sup>th</sup> Edition
	Scaling up Innovative Teaching Practices to Support the Transformation of Educational Systems in the Aftermath of Covid-19
	Moderator: Dr Khalifa, Hamdan Foundation
	Building better educational systems and school environments: Colombia, Palestine, Kazakhstan, Rwanda.
	Building new teacher community of practices to support teacher development:  Bosnia Herzegovina, Peru, South Africa.
	Scaling teacher training practices and the use of ICT: India, Brazil, Canada.
15h15 - 15h30	Closing Remarks
	<ul> <li>Closing Remarks and Presentation of World Teachers' Day 2020 Virtual Programme: Borhene Chakroun, Director, Division of Policies and Lifelong Learning, UNESCO</li> </ul>

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