



AGA KHAN FOUNDATION



Improving Education for a more Equitable World

Aga Khan Foundation
and Schools2030 at
CIES 2023

External Schedule: 19th – 22nd February



Panel Sessions for CIES 2023

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Improving Education for a More Equitable World: Critical Perspectives

Featuring a presentation of AKF and Oak Foundation's paper, 'Learning differences, equity and inclusion: A review of policies and practices across ten countries'.

Sunday 19th February | 2:45–4:15pm
Independence Level (5B), Franklin Square

SPEAKERS:

Assaf Meshulam, Ben Gurion University of The Negev (Chair)
Jose Cossa, Pennsylvania State University,
Patrick Henri Pierre Montjourides, Unesco
Ellen Smith, Aga Khan Foundation,
Bethiel Girma Holton, Oak Foundation
Madhumita Bandyopadhyay, NIEPA



Educational Transformations and Improvements in Response to Unprecedented Health, Socio-economic, and Political Requirements: Stories from Afghanistan

Monday 20th February | 9:30–11:00am
Constitution Level (3B), Constitution D

SPEAKERS:

Ramazan Khademi, Aga Khan Education Service, Afghanistan (Chair)
Qurban Ali Waezi, Aga Khan Education Service, Afghanistan
Atiqullah Ludin, Aga Khan Foundation in Afghanistan



Advancing Equity through Schools2030: How might a Focus on the Whole Child Advance Equitable Learning for All?

Monday 20th February | 2:45–4:15pm
Independence Level (5B), Franklin Square

SPEAKERS:

Ellen Smith, Aga Khan Foundation (Chair)
Saba Saeed, Idara-e-Taleem-o-Aagahi (ITA)
Agatha Kimani, Zizi Afrique
Duishon Shamatov, Nazarbayev University
Sarfarozi Niyozov, OISE-University of Toronto



Global Education during the Climate Crisis: Opportunities and Solutions from Research, Practice and Transnational Collaboration

Highlighted Session

Monday 20th February | 2:45–4:15pm
Declaration Level (1B), Declaration B

SPEAKERS:

Matthew I Aruch, Earth Day Organization (Chair)
Iveta Silova, Arizona State University
Ann Nielsen, Arizona State University
Jennifer Williams, Take Action Global
Andrew Cunningham, Aga Khan Foundation
Matthew I Aruch, Earth Day Organization



Roundtable Session 7: How might we use Education Networks to Better Support Schools and Teachers across Contexts?

Featuring a presentation of AKF's paper, 'Schools2030: Co-designing "micro innovations" to support teachers and school leaders'.

Tuesday 21st February | 4:45–6:15pm
Declaration Level (1B), Cabinet

SPEAKERS:

Laurel Schmitt, Results for Development (R4D) (Chair)
Bronwen Magrath, Aga Khan Foundation
Crystal Green, HundrED.org
Laurel Schmitt, Results for Development (R4D)



Successes and Challenges with Evidence Uptake: How Funders and Researchers can apply Certain Methods and Learn from Real Life Examples

Tuesday 21st February | 4:45–6:15pm
Constitution Level (3B), Renwick

SPEAKERS:

Renaud Comba, UNICEF (Chair)
Kate Ross, UK FCDO
Andrew Cunningham, Aga Khan Foundation
Elizabeth Dolan, University of Notre Dame
Tricia Wind, International Development Research Centre
Maria Brindlmayer, Building Evidence in Education (BE2)



Unpacking Holistic Learning: Defining and Measuring Socio-Emotional Learning

Wednesday 22nd February | 3:15–4:45pm
Constitution Level (3B), Washington Boardroom

SPEAKERS:

Rachel Outhred, Oxford Measured (Chair)
Baela Jamil, Idara-e-Taleem-o-Aagahi (ITA)
Vendelin Simon, University of Dar es Salaam
Rayana Fazli, Aga Khan Foundation Afghanistan
Ana Camacho, University of Porto
Abbie Raikes, University of Nebraska (Discussant)

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