



## INVITATION



**Friday, 6 March 2015, 12pm – 3pm**  
**Conference room 4, UN Headquarters**

*The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Korea and UNESCO  
cordially invite you to two events on*

### **GLOBAL EDUCATION**

***Secretary-General, Mr. Ban Ki-moon, will open the events***

#### **12pm – 1pm : Information meeting on World Education Forum (WEF) 2015**

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The global community – including Heads of State and Government, Ministers of Education and Development Cooperation, CSOs, the private sector and global advocates – will gather in Incheon (Republic of Korea) from 19-22 May to take stock of achievements and shortfalls in the implementation of the Education for All goals and education-related MDGs and to agree on a joint position for post-2015 education agenda and how to realize it. Please join the meeting to learn more about the objectives and expected outcomes of this landmark Forum, the largest and most high-profile reunion on education since 2000.

Speakers will include **H.E. Mr. Oh Joon**, Permanent Representative of the ROK mission, and **Ms. Irina Bokova**, Director-General of UNESCO.

#### **1:30pm – 3pm : Seminar on Global Citizenship Education (GCED)**

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Please join Ms. Jamira Burley, GEFI Youth Advocate, UNESCO Chairholder Prof. Carlos Torres of UCLA, Mr. Chris Castle of UNESCO and Mr. Utak Chung of the Asia Pacific Centre of Education for International Understanding for a lively discussion on why Global Citizenship Education matters for tackling 21<sup>st</sup> century challenges and how it contributes to the entire post-2015 development agenda by equipping learners with the skills and values to live together.

The panel will be moderated by **H.E. Mr. Hahn Choong-Hee**, Deputy Permanent Representative of the ROK Mission.

**\* 1:00 p.m. -1:30 p.m.: A light buffet lunch will be served \***

**\* Please RSVP by 3 March 2015\***

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- Introductory remarks by **H.E. Mr. Oh Joon**, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Korea
- Opening remarks by **Mr. Ban Ki-moon**, Secretary-General of the United Nations
- Information on the WEF 2015 by **Ms. Irina Bokova**, Director-General of UNESCO
- Event logistics presentation by **Mr. Young-gon Kim**, Secretary-General of the WEF 2015 Host Committee Secretariat, Ministry of Education
- Q & A moderated by **Mr. Qian Tang**, Assistant Director-General for Education of UNESCO

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- Welcoming remarks by **H.E. Mr. Hahn Choong-Hee**, Deputy Permanent Representative of the Republic of Korea to the UN
- Opening remarks by **Ms. Irina Bokova**, Director-General of UNESCO
- Global citizenship for a sustainable future: A youth perspective by **Ms. Jamiara Burley**, GEFI Youth Advocate
- Global Citizenship Education for Fostering a More Peaceful and Inclusive World by **Mr. Chris Castle**, UNESCO
- Role of GCED in achieving the post 2015 development agenda by **Prof. Carlos Torres**, UCLA
- GCED in practice and knowledge sharing by **Mr. Utak Chung**, APCEIU
- Q & A moderated by **H.E. Mr. Hahn Choong-Hee**, Deputy Permanent Representative of the Republic of Korea
- Closing remarks by **Mr. Qian Tang**, Assistant Director-General for Education of UNESCO