

REFUGEE EDUCATOR ACADEMY WEBINAR SERIES

Join us for *Perspectives from Schools: Refugee Educator Practice Notes*

Connect with refugee educators around the world. Get a view inside their teaching and learning contexts and engage in conversation around critical issues in the field of refugee education.

2020 WEBINAR SCHEDULE

(updated July 2020)



Building inclusive teacher communities

Saturday, MARCH 7, 2020
11am EST / 4pm UTC

Presenter: Marissa Winmill

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Teaching internally displaced Syrian students

Saturday, APRIL 18, 2020
12pm EDT / 4pm UTC

Presenter: Ali Mohamed Alissa

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Language teaching in refugee contexts

Saturday, MAY 2, 2020
12pm EDT / 4pm UTC

Presenter: Gentile Dusenge

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Supporting refugee teachers

Saturday, JUNE 6, 2020
11am EDT / 3pm UTC

Presenter: Suha Tutunji

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Inclusion of refugee students in national schools

Saturday, JUNE 27, 2020
12pm EDT / 4pm UTC

Presenter: William Muchugia

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Learner-centered pedagogy & refugee education in host countries

Sunday, August 9, 2020 (DATE CHANGE)
12pm EDT / 4pm UTC

Presenter: Melissa Hauber-Özer

Melissa is a PhD candidate in International Education at George Mason University who has worked extensively with adult language and literacy learners and developed programs and curricula centered on student goals and needs. She currently lives in Turkey, where she is conducting research on the experiences of Syrian refugee students in Turkish universities.



Helping refugees integrate into national schools

Saturday, AUGUST 29, 2020
12pm EDT / 4pm UTC

Presenter: Lisa Wakefield

Lisa teaches English as a new language in a public high school in Arizona. A graduate of Grand Canyon University, she has taught high school ESL for over 30 years and has worked in a variety of international contexts including in Peru and Chile. She has led teacher training projects throughout Peru in partnership with the Ministry of Education and as an English Language Fellow.



Accelerated learning in displacement: Bridging barriers to higher education (NEW SESSION)

Saturday, SEPTEMBER 19, 2020
12pm EDT / 4pm UTC

Presenter: Uwezo Ramazani

Uwezo is the Interim Executive Director of Resilience Action International (RAI), a refugee run organization founded in 2010 with operations in Kakuma (Kenya) and Nyarugusu (Tanzania). Uwezo has served in many educator roles including teacher, headmaster, and, prior to accepting his current position with RAI, as coordinator for RAI's Accelerated Learning Program in Nyarugusu.



Working with diverse student groups

Saturday, OCTOBER 3, 2020
12pm EDT / 4pm UTC

Presenter: Anne-Fleur Lurvink

Anne-Fleur teaches English at a high school in Rotterdam, with high levels of cultural and social- economic diversity amongst the students, many with migrant or refugee backgrounds. She specializes in capacity strengthening of youth in development/aid settings and serves as a UNESCO coordinator.



Empowering refugee women & supporting the whole child

Saturday, NOVEMBER 7, 2020
11am EST / 4pm UTC

Presenter: Kitala Mupenge Fabrice

Kitala is founder and CEO of the refugee led, Community Based Organization: *There is Hope Africa*. Originally from the Democratic Republic of the Congo, he now lives in Kakuma refugee camp in Kenya where he continues his education and civic engagement work.



Engaging refugee parents in schools

Saturday, DECEMBER 5, 2020
11am EST / 4pm UTC

Presenter: Kelly Cooper

Kelly teaches English as a New Language in a newcomer high school academy in New York. After serving as a case manager at a NY state refugee resettlement agency, she continued her education earning her MA in TESOL and then started her teaching career.



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