Capacity Building: Report of the NEQMAP Secretariat

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Outline

• Questionnaire results
• Planned activities
• Points for discussion
What did the questionnaire tell us about potential topics/themes for capacity building workshops?

**Assessment literacy**
- Basic concept of learning outcomes, assessment tool development

**Use of data and information**
- Translating measurement results to policy advocacy
- Interpretation and reporting of assessment data

**Methodologies and Models**
- Multi-level analysis
- Various education/assessment models (self-assessment and peer group assessment analysis)
What did the questionnaire tell us about potential topics/themes for capacity building workshops? (cont’d)

**Assessment of transversal/21st century skills**
- Curriculum frameworks
- Assessment systems
- Assessment tools and measurement

**Experience and knowledge sharing**
- Teacher competencies and standards, effective methods to evaluate teachers
- Principal standards, effective methods to evaluate school leadership
What did the questionnaire tell us about the capacity building needs of organizations and countries?

Around half of the respondents expressed their need for capacity building workshops for their respective country/organization, as follows:

- Understanding of the assessment of learning outcomes, interpretation and implication of its results for policy making
- Technical support for advanced level statistical or research analysis
- Knowledge on school and teacher evaluation
- Analysis on student learning achievement vis-à-vis in resource allocation and classroom factors
What are the planned/potential activities?

• Regional training workshop on assessment literacy

• Regional training workshop on international assessments

• Regional training workshop on articulation of curriculum, pedagogy and assessment

• 2 country-specific training workshops for GPE countries, with focus on building solid assessment systems

• Technical assistance for support in aligning curriculum and assessment

• Dissemination of training modules (e.g. online)

• Design of online learning portal
Points for discussion

Who?
There is need to define who will be target audience for the different workshops.

How/where?
• Residential or online workshops?
• Eventual sub-regional workshops?

When?
• Possibility to organize 3-4 days of training/workshop in June or July this year should be explored.