

If Not Us, Then Who?

Dynamic teacher education for a dynamic society

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➤ School system

- ▶ Everyone has the right to education. Education shall be free, at least in the elementary and fundamental stages. Elementary education shall be compulsory.

Universal Declaration of Human Rights 26(1)

Who doesn't go to school?

- Girl
- Poor
- Rural
- War zone
- Disabled

➤ School system

Schools not fit for purpose!

- School system
- Inclusion discourse
- Teachers and teaching
 - teacher supply
 - 'teaching'

What to do?

➤ School system

❑ Educating every child

- Access
- Improvement
- Monitoring



Education

- Triple preschool in Sub-Saharan Africa
- 100% primary education in SSA
- *Enhance female education*
- Improve exams and teacher accountability
- Increase secondary school completion

Copenhagen Consensus 2015



What to do?

➤ School system

☐ Making schooling relevant

- Big Education Debate
- Curriculum audit
- Tackle assessment!

What to do?

➤ Inclusive education

What to do?

➤ Teachers and teaching

- Initial teacher education
- In-service education
- Targeted professional development

SDG 4.1

By 2030, ensure that all girls and boys complete free, equitable and quality primary and secondary education leading to relevant and effective learning outcomes

Indicator

Proportion of children and young people: (a) in grades 2/3; (b) at the end of primary; and (c) at the end of lower secondary achieving at least a minimum proficiency level in (i) reading and (ii) mathematics, by sex

