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15-17 OCTOBER 2024, JOHANNESBURG

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We are thrilled to welcome you at the third annual meeting of the Feminist Network for Gender Transformative Education (GTE). We are excited to advance our collective vision of gender equality in and through education.

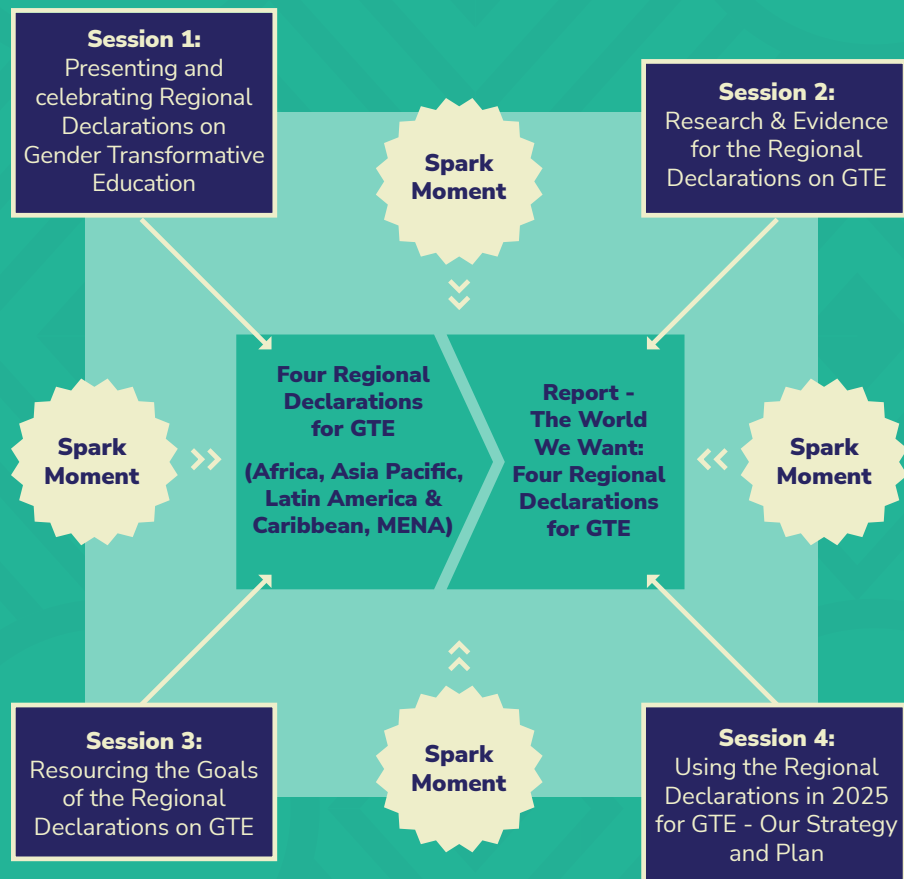
We will use our time together in Johannesburg to agree as a Network on the priorities for GTE that we want to advocate for and work towards. Over the past months, intensive consultations have resulted in four Regional Declarations (Africa, Asia and the Pacific, Latin America and the Caribbean, South West Asia and North Africa) that bring together the priorities of 551 organizations and experts from 112 countries.

The outcome for this year's convening will be a new report -

The World We Want: Four Regional Declarations for Gender Transformative Education.

In these two days we will discuss how to develop the report so that it helps us address barriers and gaps in the Regional Declarations and advocate jointly and strategically for gender equality in and through education in 2025 and beyond.

FEMNET4GTE AGENDA AND OUTCOME



AGENDA

15 October 2024, Tuesday

- 10:00 - 18:00 Registration desk is open
Venue: Hotel foyer
- 18:00 - 21:00 Welcome to FemNet4GTE!
Opening cocktail
Welcome by UNGEI and Siviwe Gwarube, Minister of Basic Education in South Africa
Venue: Protea Hotel by Marriott® Johannesburg Balalaika Sandton Hotel

16 October 2024, Wednesday

- 09:00 - 09:15 Solidarity Moment by Young Activists
Welcome remarks by Antara Ganguli, Head of UNGEI Secretariat
- 09:15 - 09:30 Agenda-setting
- 09:30 - 10:30 Presenting & Celebrating Regional Declarations on GTE:
1. Southwest Asia and North Africa (by The Asfari Institute for Civil Society & Citizenship, FEMALE, Politics4Her)
2. Asia and the Pacific (by Aahung, Asia South Pacific Association for Basic Education, Pratisandhi)

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee/Tea Break

- 11:00 - 12:00 Presenting and Celebrating Regional Declarations on GTE:
3. Africa (by Forum for African Women Educationalists, Oxfam, Plan International, Usawa Agenda)
4. Latin America and the Caribbean (by CLADE, Fos Feminista)
- 12:00 - 12:30 **Spark Moment 1:** Standing up Against Sexual Violence in Education Settings
Co-led by: Bongwiwe Maome-Dikana, Girl Club and Ronel Koekemoer, GRIT-Gender Rights in Tech

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

- 13:30 - 15:30 **Workshop:** Research and Evidence for the Regional Declarations on Gender Transformative Education
Co-led by: Brookings Institution, Population Council, Rutgers Graduate School of Education, Sexual Violence Research Initiative, Texas A&M University - College of Education and Human Development

15:30 - 16:00 Coffee/Tea Break

- 16:00 - 16:30 **Launch** of Gender Transformative Education Glossary
Led by: Dr Karishma Desai, Rutgers Graduate School of Education
- 16:30 - 17:00 **Spark Moment 2:** Education in Emergencies
Co-led by: Khalida Popal, Girl Power and Zoya Miari, The Refugee Education Council
- 17:00 - 17:15 Close and look ahead for day two

17 October 2024, Thursday

- 08:00 - 08:45 Optional well-being activity
Venue: Well-being room at the event venue
- 08:00 - 09:00 Consultation for African Community of Practice for GTE
Optional session organized by the co-leads of the Regional Declaration on GTE- Africa, co-led by FAWE, Oxfam, Plan International, Usawa Agenda
Venue: Breakout room at the event venue
- 09:00 - 09:30 Welcome & Day 2 Opening Remarks from UN partners
- 09:30 - 11:30 **Workshop:** Resourcing the Goals of the Regional Declarations on GTE
Co-led by: BMZ, CAMFED, Echidna Giving, Education Shifts Power, Fos Feminista, Girls First Fund, ODI, Protsahan

11:30 - 12:00 Coffee/Tea Break

- 12:00 - 12:20 **Spark Moment 3:** LGBTIQ+ Inclusive Education
Co-led by: Anita Graham, CHEVS, Omar van Reenen, ILGA World and Sylvain Seguy, UNESCO
- 12:20 - 12:30 Grounding & reflection moment
FemNet4GTE Group Photo

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch

- 13:30 - 13:50 **Spark Moment 4:** Gender Transformative Climate Education
Co-led by: Engy Adel Abdelnasser, Climate Sirens and Renata Koch Alvarenga, Empodera Clima
- 13:50 - 15:50 **Workshop:** Using the Regional Declarations in 2025 for GTE - our strategy and plan
Co-led by UN Women, Plan International, Amplify Girls, Women Deliver, IPAS

15:50 - 16:20 Coffee/Tea Break

- 16:20 - 17:15 What Next for FemNet4GTE?
- 17:15 - 17:25 Closing Remarks by Marianna Knirsch, BMZ and Dana Schmidt, Echidna Giving
- 19:00 - 22:00 Feminist Party and Dinner
Venue: Constitution Hill

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Our facilitators for the in-person space are Nosipho Twala and Ahmad Hegab; facilitators for the virtual space are Aayushi Aggarwal and Khanysa Mabyeka, Gender at Work Associates.

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