

## Global ICT Capacity Building Symposium

Embracing Capacity Building Opportunities in the Digital Era

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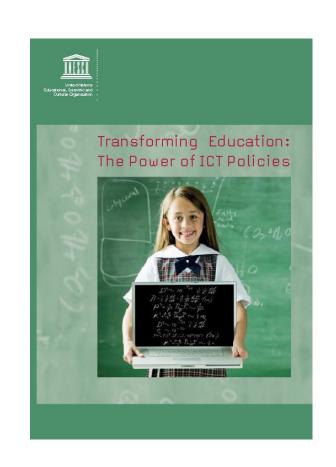


### ICT in Education as a concept

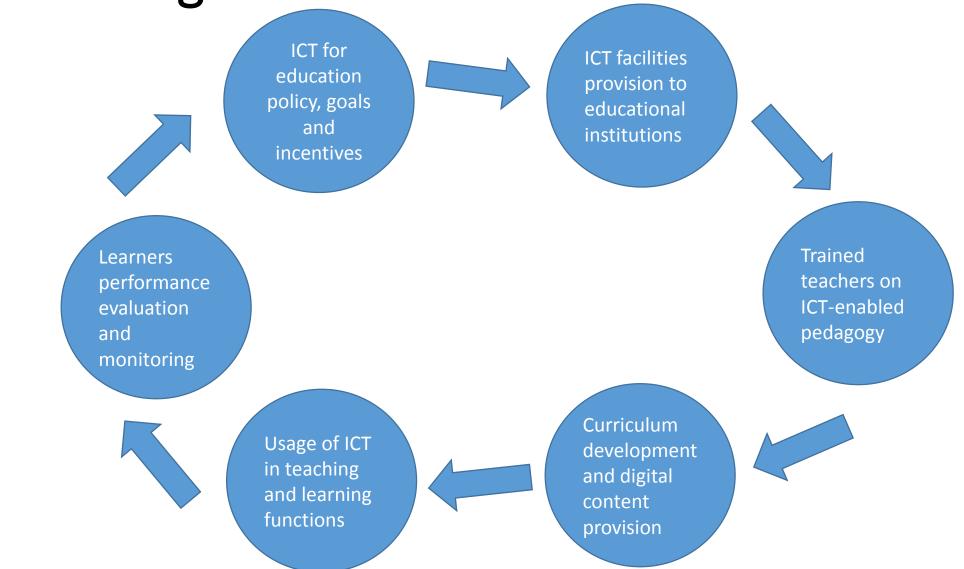
- Clear understanding of ICT Integration in Education;

- The expanding ICT in Education market;

- Policies that are holistic and focus on all necessary elements.



# Operational and conceptual framework for ICT integration in education





#### Accessible and inclusive ICT

- Variety of devices, connectivity options that change all the time

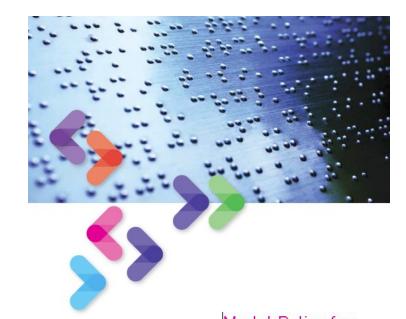
- Scalable models that work within the context of a country/institution

- Accessible ICTs are still unknown and not integrated as standard



#### Accessible and inclusive ICT

- Policy environment more conducive for the use of Inclusive Education and Access to Information;
- Development of educational material in accessible formats;
- Building the capacity of stakeholders to ensure Inclusive Education and Access to Information.
- Tracking and monitoring the implementation of initiatives related to the use of Assistive Technology for Inclusive Education and Access to Information.



Model Policy for Inclusive ICTs in Education for Persons with Disabilities









## Capacity to make use of ICT in Education

 Prioritizing capacity development in ICT integration in Education;

- Capacity building for a range of actors;

- Holistic approach to capacity building in ICT integration in Education.



# UNESCO ICT Competency Framework for Teachers

Approach:  COMPONENT:	Technology Literacy	Knowledge Deepening	Knowledge Creation
Understanding ICT in the Classroom	Policy awareness	Policy awareness	Policy innovation
CURRICULUM AND ASSESSMENT	Basic knowledge	Knowledge application	Knowledge society skills
PEDAGOGY	Integrate technology	Complex problem solving	Self management
ICT	Basic tools	Complex tools	Pervasive tools
ORGANISATION AND ADMINISTRATION	Standard classroom	Collaborative groups	Learning organizations
EACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT	Digital literacy	Manage and guide	Teacher as model learner



### Content development

- Recognizing digital content as an asset;

Addressing intellectual rights as a priority;

- The content development process

















- a)Foster awareness and use of OER;
- b) Facilitate enabling environments for use of ICT;
- c)Reinforce the development of strategies and policies on OER;
- d)Promote the understanding and use of open licensing frameworks;
- e)Support capacity building for the sustainable development of quality learning materials;
- f)Foster strategic alliances for OER;
- g)Encourage the development and adaptation of OER in a variety of languages and cultural contexts;
- h)Encourage research on OER;
- i)Facilitate finding, retrieving and sharing of OER;
- j)Encourage the open licensing of educational materials produced with public funds.



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