Education Finance Network

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The Education Finance Network convenes diverse education stakeholders with a focus on directing non-state resources toward creating inclusive, high-quality education in low- and middle-income countries globally.

**Aim of the Network**

Drive equity, inclusion, and improved access and learning outcomes for disadvantaged learners through private sector innovation.

- Increase the efficiency and effectiveness of private sector education finance
- Mobilize more non-state resources toward improving education outcomes
- Increase public-private dialogue and cooperation towards problem solving around education for disadvantaged learners

**Defining non-state education**

The global non-state education sector is diverse, with key actors including:

- **Ancillary Service Providers**
  - EdTech, admin systems, teacher training, etc.
- **Private Finance**
  - Foundations, impact investors, corporates, education lenders, impact bonds
- **Non-State Schools**
  - Early childhood centers, K-12, independent operators, social franchise, non-profit, commercial chains, technical and vocational educational trainings
- **Ecosystem Builders**
  - Research, advisory, networks, donors

**What is the role of non-state education?**

We believe that non-state actors have an essential role to play in addressing the education needs of disadvantaged learners, by complementing and supporting state-led education. Non-state support to education systems is increasing around the world to fill growing gaps in education access, quality and finance, reach low-income communities and achieve social results.
Why should we join the Education Finance Network?

Network with community of peers and relevant actors:
- Connect with peers globally to promote co-investment, partnerships, and knowledge exchange to scale up what works
- Participate in regional and global members' meetings to showcase your work to the community and key decision-makers

Gain access to knowledge products:
- Case studies on core and ancillary services summarizing evidence models with proven success in achieving student learning outcomes
- Interactive evidence gap map continuously updated to facilitate access to existing evidence, with summary of key findings
- Thought leadership pieces produced in collaboration with members

Engage government on key issues:
- Guidance, toolkits and policy communications on engagement with non-state education actors for governments and the global donor community
- Streamlined, transparent, public-private education dialogue through policy forums
- Knowledge exchange on public-private partnerships models, and innovative finance to support the public education system

Go deep on technical issues and trends affecting the sector.
Focused working groups will include:
- Innovative EduFinance
- Enabling regulation
- Private support to public systems
- Additional themes that reflect members' priorities

Participate in trainings and workshops on non-state education topics of interest, such as:
- Impact measurement, standards and regulations in non-state education
- Innovative finance facility structuring for education finance
- Structuring private support to public education for impact at scale
Who makes up the Education Finance Network?

The Network is open to a broad range of organizations, including:

- Foundations and family offices
- Donors
- Impact investors
- Practitioner networks
- Research and advisory orgs

Organizations are a good fit for membership if they:

1. Support the growth, equity, or improvement of non-state education
2. Are working to improve the quality, access and/or relevance of education for disadvantaged learners in low- and middle-income countries
3. Are committed internally and externally to diversity, equity and inclusion
4. Are motivated and able to contribute knowledge, time, and other relevant resources to the community

Are there member fees?

There will be no fees for membership through 2022. Interested members will be asked to contribute a fee (to be determined via consultations) starting in 2023.

How do I join?

If your organization aligns with the characteristics mentioned on this page please submit your application online through this form, or write to the contact email below and the Education Finance Network membership team will be in touch with you within one week to follow up.

Questions?

Please submit any questions to educationfinance.network@dalberg.com

The executive committee members who advise and support the Network are: