Meeting of National Commissions for UNESCO

The Education Sector’s Global Priorities
UNESCO is mandated to lead **SDG 4 – Education 2030**

The 10 Expected Results in the 39 C/5, which are closely aligned with SDG 4, will continue into the 40 C/5:
- sector-wide policy and planning
- technical and vocational education and training
- skills, including literacy and ICTs
- higher education
- teachers
- education for sustainable development and global citizenship
- gender equality
- education for migrants, refugees and internally displaced persons, as well as persons with disabilities
- SDG 4 coordination and monitoring
- research and foresight

The **2018 Brussels Declaration** called for greater inclusion and investment in education as well as collective action particularly in the areas marked in red.
What? Three priorities to be fast tracked in the next biennium

• **Girls’ and women’s education**
  o better data; better legislation, policy and planning; and better quality learning opportunities to empower
  o to be launched on 5 July 2019 during the G7 Conference on Girls’ and Women’s Education at UNESCO

• **Education for migrants, refugees and internally displaced persons**
  o building more resilient education systems to respond to crises, ensure the right to education and promote a culture of inclusion
  o facilitating the recognition of prior learning and higher education qualifications

• **Research and foresight**, which underpins education
  o reaffirming UNESCO’s intellectual leadership and repositioning it at the heart of global policy debates on education to anticipate emerging issues
  o new global Report on the Future of Education to be released in 2021
How? Education Sector Organigram in the 40 C/5 – Strategic Transformation

Office of ADG/ED

- Division for Policies and Lifelong Learning
- Division for Peace and Sustainable Development
- Division for Education 2030

Future of Learning and Innovation Team (ED/FLI)
Global Education Monitoring Report Team (ED/GEM)
Executive Office (ED/EO)

Agile Priorities

- Education for girls & women
- Education for migrants, refugees and IDPs
- The Future of Education Report

53 field offices
7 education institutes & UIS
Where? Coordination and Partnerships
The Global Education Architecture

Funding Mechanisms, United Nations, Regional Organizations

- Bilateral Donors
- GPE
- Education Cannot Wait
- World Bank
- Education Commission
- IFED
- UNHCR
- UN Women
- UNESCO
- UNICEF
- OECD
- European Union
- African Union
- Other Regional & Sub-regional entities
- Civil society
- Private sector