

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

WALKING TOGETHER LEARNING LEADER



YOU HAVE A HEART FOR CHRIST-CENTRED EDUCATION.

WE HAVE LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AROUND THE WORLD.

TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A
BEAUTIFUL, LASTING DIFFERENCE –
FOR STUDENTS IN THIS GENERATION
AND THE ONES TO COME.

EduDeo Ministries advances Christ-centred education for children worldwide, so that every community is transformed by the Gospel.

A quality education integrated with the love of Jesus Christ is a pathway to whole-life transformation for children and entire communities. When a child has access to a quality education, they also access opportunities to build a meaningful career, give back to their community, combat material poverty, and so much more. When that education is built upon the Good News of Jesus, everything they do will be driven by a heart of Christ-like love and service for their neighbours and communities.

You know and believe all this.



You're a passionate professional working in Christ-centred education in your own community. You've already seen the heart-transforming, life-changing things that happen when the Gospel joins with education. You care about students, teachers, leaders, and schools everywhere.

That's why we want you to join us.

EduDeo partners with locally-led school associations and organizations around the world. These groups of schools are led by passionate men and women just like you. They've seen God working through Christ-centred education already.

But they want to grow. They want their teachers and leaders to be the best they can be. They want to learn and implement current best practices in Christ-centred education. They're looking to their peers around the world to stand beside them as mentors, guides, leaders, and friends.

EduDeo's partner organizations offer their teachers and leaders professional development opportunities in all areas of education. We are seeking experienced educators to provide leadership for these workshops and coaching sessions.



LEARNING LEADER VOLUNTEER ROLE DESCRIPTION

As a Learning Leader you will always work in conjunction with EduDeo partner leadership. All services provided by EduDeo and you as a Learning Leader are done so at the request of partners, based on the needs they themselves perceive in their own organization. You will volunteer your time and professional expertise in preparing for and conducting activities such as workshops, conferences, mentoring, etc.

Relationships are a crucial part of this role. EduDeo highly values authentic, meaningful, trust-based relationships with partners – and we ask that you do the same. When getting to know the partner organization, take time to connect with people to learn more about their lives, work, experiences, communities, culture, and more.

Workshops, conferences, and mentoring can happen either virtually or in-person. EduDeo covers the logistical costs of international travel such as flights, in-country transportation, accommodations, visas, immunizations, and supplemental health insurance. On a case-by-case basis, EduDeo may also cover supply teacher costs for your school if your service is during the school year.

Additionally, as a Learning Leader, you will be asked to:

- Prepare to live and work together with partners who often teach in modest or challenging circumstances (such as the lack of regular power, higher incidence of visible poverty, limited facilities, more basic living accommodations)
- Participate in Learning Leader orientation and cross-cultural training provided by EduDeo
- Adhere to EduDeo Ministries' mission, vision, and statement of faith.



LEARNING LEADER *QUALIFICATIONS*

As a Learning Leader, you should have most if not all of the following:

- Ideally, 10 years of experience in Christian schools as a teacher or leader
- Ability to articulate your philosophy of transformational Christ-centred education
- Professional qualifications and experience that have equipped you with a Christ-centred perspective and shaped your instructional and classroom practice
- Demonstrated innovative and effective teaching/ learning practices or leadership
- Led workshops or courses which have demonstrated your ability to mentor and teach your peers insights in Christian schooling or have participated in curriculum projects
- Received recognition by your colleagues as an exceptional Christian school teacher or leader
- Recommended by your principal or school leader
- Demonstrated appreciation of the interests and needs of Christian teachers and school leaders around the world
- Demonstrated awareness of how different cultures shape different educational practices and approaches
- Demonstrated desire to continue learning to improve your own teaching or leadership practices



NEXT STEPS

Whether you have more questions or are ready to start the application process, we want to connect with you! Contact Keith Cameron and Sheila Dykstra – EduDeo's Walking Together Co-Leaders.

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