ISTP 2025 Programme



Pre-Summit Monday 24 March

08:00 - 15:00	Registration/hospitality desk open	Harpa - 2 nd floor
08:30	Optional transport to conference venue	Conference hotels
09:00 - 09:45	Icelandic education system and policy Recent developments in the Icelandic education system and policy – setting the scene for the school visits	Harpa - 2 nd floor Norðurljós
10:00	Departure from Harpa to school visits Transport organised by the host	Harpa - Main entrance
10:30 - 11:45	School visits	
11:45 - 12:00	Departure from schools to Harpa Transport organized by the host	
12:00 - 13:00	Buffet lunch *Slots for bilateral meetings	Harpa - 2 nd floor Hörpuhorn
13:15 - 15:00	Pre-Summit seminar Exploring the frontiers of AI in education See Pre-Summit seminar agenda on the right	Harpa - 2 nd floor Norðurljós
15:00 - 15:15	Refreshments	
15:15 - 17:00	ISTP briefing by Education International and the Icelandic Teachers' Union on the programme and the main topics of the Summit (El affiliates only) *Slots for bilateral meetings	Harpa - 2 nd floor Norðurljós
15:15	Optional transport to conference hotels	Harpa - Main entrance
19:15	Departure from conference hotels to Harpa Transport organised by the host	Conference hotels
19:30 - 21:30	Welcome reception for all participants	Harpa - Hnoss – Ground floor
21:00 & 21:30	Departure to conference hotels Transport organised by the host	Harpa - Main entrance

Exploring the frontiers of AI in education

Pre-Summit seminar agenda Monday 24 March 13:15-15:00

13:17 - 13:27 Scene-setting from Andreas Schleicher, OECD

13:27 - 13:37 Scene-setting from Randi Weingarten, Education International

13:37 - 14:20 Small group discussions

Each table will be invited to examine one of the guidelines & guardrails, using the guiding questions:

- How has your country followed this guideline?
- What are some of the challenges of implementing this guideline, and why?
- If we were to develop a new version of the guidelines and guardrails, what should we focus on?
- Where do countries see value in further work at the international level on AI in education?

Groups are also encouraged to discuss the guidelines more broadly, focusing on which of the guidelines they have used, which need updating, and which new guidelines could be needed.

14:20 - 14:55 Facilitated open discussion

The moderator will reconvene all groups to facilitate an open discussion

14:55 - 15:00 Final remarks by the moderator

Summit Day 1 – Tuesday 25 March

08:30 - 17:30	Registration/hospitality desk open	Harpa - 2 nd floor
08:30	Optional transport for delegates to conference venue for HOD and HOD+1	Conference hotels
09:00	Optional transport for other delegates to conference venue	
08:45 - 09:15	Morning reception for ministers and union leaders (HOD and HOD+1 only)	Harpa - 2 nd floor Eyri
09:30 - 11:30	Opening session (Open to the media and streamed) Refreshments on hand in Eyri in front of Silfurberg	Harpa - 2 nd floor Silfurberg
11:30 - 11:45 11:45 - 12:00	Official photograph of the ministers (family photo) Photograph of official delegations (up to 4 members)	Harpa - Main stairs
12:00 - 13:00	Buffet lunch *Slots for bilateral meetings	Harpa - 2 nd floor Hörpuhorn
13:00 - 15:00	Session 1 - Building a foundation for equitable and inclusive education: The role of high-quality early childhood education and care	Harpa - 2 nd floor Silfurberg
15:00 - 15:15	Refreshments	Harpa - 2 nd floor Eyri
15:15 - 17:15	Session 2 - Supporting educators to foster equity and well-being: How well-established services enable educators to promote inclusive, supportive learning environments	Harpa - 2 nd floor Silfurberg
17:30	Optional transport to conference hotels *Slots for bilateral meetings	Harpa - Main entrance
19:15	Departure for the evening programme for ministers Transport organised by the host	Parliament hotel
19:30 - 21:30	Ministerial dinner Ministers only	Harpa - La Primavera Restaurant 4 th floor
19:30 - 21:30	Trade union leaders event El affiliates only	UPPI, located above The Fish Market, Aðalstræti 12, 101 Reykjavík
21:30	Departure to conference hotels Transport organized by the host	Harpa - Main entrance
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Summit Day 2 – Wednesday 26 March

08:30 - 16:00	Registration/hospitality desk open	Harpa - 2 nd floor
08:30	Optional transport to conference venue *Slots for bilateral meetings	Conference hotels
09:00 - 11:00	Session 3 - The educator's role in child-centred education systems: Empowering young people to actively participate in shaping their futures	Harpa - 2 nd floor Silfurberg
11:00	Refreshments	Harpa - 2 nd floor Eyri
11:00 - 12:00	Working session / Country delegations' meetings	Harpa - 2 nd floor Norðurljós
11:30 - 12:00	Press conference with the organisers	Harpa - 2 nd floor Hörpuhorn
12:00 - 13:00	Ministerial and trade union leaders lunch HOD and HOD+1 only	Harpa - 6 th floor Björtuloft
	Buffet lunch for delegates	Harpa - 2 nd floor Hörpuhorn
13:00 - 15:00	Closing session (Open to the media and streamed)	Harpa - 2 nd floor Silfurberg
15:00	Refreshments	Harpa – 2 nd floor Eyri
15:15	Optional transport to conference hotels	Harpa - Main entrance
15:00 - 16:00	*Slots for bilateral meetings	
15:45 / 16:00	Optional excursion	Departures from Harpa