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Abstract: International organizations, as autonomous bodies, have specialized bureaucracies that, due to their legitimacy and knowledge, are able to spread their principles, agendas and interests in the international system. This study seeks to identify how international bureaucracies play this role, verifying what mechanisms are available for exercising this influence and why they are chosen. The proposal is to examine the official documents from UNESCO's 19 field offices located on the African continent, to select, categorize and analyze their interventions, which attempt to influence the education policies of member states. The results will generate data on the behavior of this international organization, but will also allow the proposition of inferences about other organisms, institutions and agencies of the same nature.

Resumo: Organizações Internacionais, como organismos autônomos, dispõem de burocracias especializadas que, em razão de sua legitimidade e conhecimento, difundem seus princípios, agendas e interesses no sistema internacional. Este estudo busca identificar como as burocracias internacionais desempenham esse papel, verificando quais são os mecanismos disponíveis para o exercício dessa influência e por que eles são escolhidos. A proposta é examinar os documentos oficiais dos 19 escritórios de campo da UNESCO localizados no continente africano, para selecionar, categorizar e analisar suas intervenções, que tentam influenciar as políticas educacionais dos estados membros. Os resultados gerarão dados sobre o comportamento dessa organização internacional, mas também permitirão a proposição de generalizações sobre outros organismos, instituições e agências da mesma natureza.

Résumé: Les organisations internationales, en tant qu'organismes autonomes, ont des bureaucraties spécialisées qui, en raison de leur légitimité et de leurs connaissances, sont capables de diffuser leurs principes, programmes et intérêts dans le système international. Cette étude cherche à identifier comment les bureaucraties internationales jouent ce rôle, en vérifiant quels mécanismes sont disponibles pour exercer cette influence et pourquoi ils sont choisis. La proposition est d'examiner les documents officiels des 19 bureaux hors Siège de l'UNESCO situés sur le continent africain, de sélectionner, de catégoriser et d'analyser leurs interventions, qui tentent d'influencer les politiques éducatives des États membres. Les résultats généreront des données sur le comportement de cette organisation internationale, mais permettront également de proposer des inférences sur d'autres organismes, institutions et agences de même nature.

List of Abbreviations

A T T	A C .	T T .
Λ I I	A trice	วท I∣ทı∧ท
ΑU	-AIIIC	an Union

DFI – Development Finance Institution

EFA – Education for All

ESG – Environmental and Social Governance

IIEP – International Institute for Educational Planning

IO – International Organization

IPA - International Public Administration

IR - International Relations

LN – League of Nations

MAPS – Mainstreaming, Acceleration and Policy Support

MDGs – Millennium Development Goals

PA – Public Administration

SADC – Southern African Development Community

SDGs – Sustainable Development Goals

UN - United Nations

UNDG – United Nations Sustainable Development Group

UNESCO – United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

WHO - World Health Organization

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1. Introduction

1.1 Background

Emerging in the 1910s, the international civil service has its origins traceable to the ideas of the League of Nations' first Secretary-General, the British diplomat Sir Eric Drummond. His view contrasted to that of other members of the Paris Peace Conference, who were inclined to organize a diplomatic structure that remained based on national loyalties, simply extending the allied war effort and covering the basics of dialogue administration. For him, the political risks of having nationalistic views embedded inside the permanent structure of the new organization were too great, and could risk the work of a global institution whose focus was to watch over international welfare. As Weiss (1987) shows, Drummond even tried to prevent the establishment of permanent delegations to the League in order to avoid governmental pressures on Geneva's officialdom (Weiss 1987).

Despite Sir Drummond's efforts, the Covenant of the League of Nations (LN) had no provision on the issue of national loyalty, and member-states expected to have a Secretariat filled directly from diplomatic ranks. Among many issues, Weiss argues, "the League's failure was, in part at least, due to the pursuit of narrowly defined national interests by certain staff members (especially Italian and German) despite the increasingly international character of its expanding staff". After World War II, this debate reemerged, and speculation arose as to whether the global institution, which came to be the United Nations (UN), would once again fall short of constituting a truly international staff, one committed to a renewed agenda that responded to an international interest and remained detached from sovereign concerns - and the feeling was that "the success or failure of a new attempt at world government would depend in part upon the competence of the newly assembled staff" (Weiss 1987).

In the 1940s, thus, we could say that the political debates on an "International Public Administration" *avant la lettre* gained momentum:

"In the United States the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace sponsored conferences on the experience of Geneva-based international officials. Interest in the experiment in international administration also revived elsewhere; the most important work was performed in London under the auspices of the Royal

Institute of International Affairs and the Institute of Public Administration. The combined evaluations of experiences by former officials of the League of Nations and the International Labour Office indicated that international administration was practicable and would be indispensable for the success of future international institution" (Weiss 1987, 290-291)

1.2 Justification

Global governance lies at the forefront of IR research and contemporary world politics, as we are faced with increasingly complex international issues. The UN is undoubtedly a major player in this sense, as both a convener, allowing states to meet and discuss their challenges and controversies, and a protagonist, proposing its own ideas and solutions. In order to understand how global governance works, we should look at how the UN operates; to do so, we must understand the actors, interests and dynamics that lie at its core.

The UN system is formed by multiple organizations and agencies, with employees in virtually all countries. The UN Charter provides it with a mandate that ranges from international security to human rights, spamming through nearly infinite themes in between. The United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) is one of its main bodies, "[using] education, science and culture to inform, inspire and engage people everywhere to foster understanding and respect for each other and our planet" (UNESCO 2021).

Founded in 1945 and headquartered in Paris, UNESCO is formally an International Organization (IO), governed by a General Conference with 193 member-states, coordinated by an Executive Board of 58 member-states and managed by a Secretariat, with an international staff and *in loco* representations (UNESCO 2021). Its standards and projects are responsible for steering nations towards international cooperation in education, science and culture, and developing better national policies in these same areas.

In 2000, UNESCO and its member-states promoted the World Education Forum in Senegal, the first-ever global conference to coordinate on universal education, through which there was the launch of the Dakar Framework for Action: Education for All. This international document is a landmark, as the first to engrave the notion of Education for

All (EFA), a commitment to ensure access to education for all children, youth, and adults by 2015. The commitment was later reinforced, while also reassessed, by the World Education Forum of 2015, in South Korea, where the Incheon Declaration on Education for All by 2030 was issued (UNESCO 2015).

More importantly for the purpose of this research, the World Education Forum of 2000 recognized the essential role in global governance of regional and local institutions, a signal, in the education sector, of the "local turn" we see in international peacebuilding (Mac Ginty and Oliver 2013). The Dakar Framework for Action was composed of a global commitment and six regional action plans; the global document, in this sense, "states that the 'heart of EFA lies at country level", calling national governments to develop public policies that could ensure universal education by 2015 (UNESCO 2000).

This was consolidated in Sustainable Development Goal 4, "Quality Education". UNESCO plays a central role in the achievement of SDG 4, especially as "it aims to "ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all." (UNESCO 2015). The SDG 4 comprises 10 targets, which UNESCO uses as the guidelines for its regional and national programmes, as the teacher, advocate and supporter of educational policies. The SDGs also emphasize national and local levels as being key to achieve global change, something that Local 2030, a systematic effort to support on-the-ground delivery and achievement of this agenda, makes even clearer.

UNESCO established in its Medium Term Strategy for 2022-2029 the Global Priorities of "Africa" and "Gender Equality". In this sense, "UNESCO and development partners are attentive to 54 African countries with a stronger and better-targeted strategy. The African Renaissance is underway, with the adoption of the African Union Agenda 2063 and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development paving the ground for the African Economic Community". This was further reinforced by the Brazilian Presidency of the General-Conference (2021-2023), which has committed to putting Africa in the forefront of the organization's agenda.

The UN's importance justifies a better understanding of its international bureaucracy, as well as a systematic view of its day-to-day operations. UNESCO is formed by an international staff, which brings together international cooperation and education, science and culture and embodies its organizational agenda. At the same time, a central aspect of

UNESCO's work is its dialogue with member-states, in attempts to influence national stakeholders in the development of more effective public policies. How this all takes place is what fundamentally concerns us.

1.3 Research question

The field of International Relations (IR) has greatly advanced since its formal establishment a century ago, especially when it comes to understanding the multiplicity and complexity of actors involved, and the interactions between the international and domestic realms. There is no doubt that IOs are central actors in contemporary international relations, having a say in much of the world's political and economic dynamics, especially by shaping how we see and understand global problems (Barnett and Finnemore 1999).

Thanks to such advancements, discussions that started on liberal-internationalism and the duality of "hard power" and "soft power" have evolved to ones of much greater complexity. Now, some of IR's most prominent scholars from Constructivism and of IO-based background study themes as diverse as the effectiveness of human rights and environmental regimes (Haas 2002), multinationals, civil society and the concept of ESG (Ruggie 2020), global performance indicators and ranking systems (Kelley and Simmons 2020), among many others.

In this sense, Eckhard and Ege (2016) point to the emergence of a research agenda inside IR which is focused on international bureaucracies and their influence on policy-making (Ekchard and Ege 2016). They show how Michael Barnett and Martha Finnemore's *The Power, Politics and Pathologies of International Organizations*, of 1999, has encouraged scholars to dive deeper into the "black box" of IOs, resulting in a prolific batch of studies targeting International Public Administrations (IPAs), from epistemological perspectives (Bauer and Weinlich 2011) to their roles in policy transfer among member states (Busch 2014).

At the same time, the Millenium Development Goals (MDGs) and the subsequent Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) have created a momentum for new themes to rise in the global agenda. International cooperation, social inequality, human development and education, among other topics, became central to any discussion (Sen

1999, Adesina 2007). IOs, such as the UN, were responsible for bringing a progressive lineup to the forefront of international discussions, and their IPAs, or international bureaucracies, act as the champions of such ideas.

IPAs are the International Organizations' bureaucratic structures, usually composed of secretariats and civil servants, who are responsible for managing, independent and irrespective of member-states policies, its agenda, budget and programmes. IR literature understands that the IPAs emerged in 1919, with the formation of the League of Nations, when countries decided to form an autonomous body, and "for the first time defined 'the international as a space distinct from the sum total of member states' interests" (Eckhard and Ege 2016).

However, we understand that more fundamental questions regarding IPAs have already been addressed. Eckhard and Ege (2016) explored if international bureaucracies influence policy-makers at all. Biermann et al (2009) addressed how to study international bureaucracies and their influence from a conceptual perspective. Ege, Bauer and Wagner (2021) and Herold et al (2021) addressed why national ministries consider the advice of international bureaucrats. Carvalho, Silva Fernandes and Pimenta de Faria (2021) explained how international bureaucracies and national policies may be intimately intertwined (Eckhard and Ege 2016; Bierman et al 2009; Ege, Bauer and Wagner 2021; Carvalho, Silva Fernandes and Pimenta de Faria 2021).

Against this backdrop, and seeking to contribute to the debate, we propose our research question: how has UNESCO's international bureaucracy influenced African countries' policymakers in the development of their educational policies? Complementarily, we propose a set of secondary questions that will guide the study: a) What is the general consensus among the IPA literature on international bureaucracies' mechanisms for influencing national policies?; b) How does UNESCO's international bureaucracy use these mechanisms to influence the policymakers of its member-countries in practice?; c) What explains the choice or preference of mechanisms by the international bureaucrats when trying to influence national policies?

1.4 Hypothesis

In this work, we are in line with the view that IPAs can be seen as autonomous bodies, whose individual bureaucrats are capable of engaging in strategic behavior and promoting their own agenda. "Societies expect that policy-makers base their decisions on available expertise and thus rationalize them; confronted with uncertainty over complex policy problems and the need to solve these issues, domestic policy-makers turn to international bureaucracies" (Littoz-Monet 2017 *apud* Herold et al 2021, p.4).

Although we agree that expertise is the main factor for international influence (Barnett and Finnemore 1999; Biermann and Siebenhüner 2009; Ege et al 2021; Herold et al 2021; Knill et al 2018; Littoz-Monet 2017 and 2020), we believe other factors may also of utmost importance when defining the use of influence mechanisms over member-states: neutrality and initiative.

This is where we find our hypothesis core. While expertise is a compulsory element for an influence mechanism to be considered, neutrality and initiative are supplementary considerations that define which mechanism will preferentially be used. In other words, we believe UNESCO international bureaucrats will always look for influence mechanisms that are based on showing expertise on a specific theme, and among these, will choose those in which they can display neutrality and engage earliest in the policy cycle.

We think of neutrality as IOs have been tasked with providing knowledge and early warnings on a wide range of issues, but state leaders may be specially skeptical when their information appears to corroborate known biases (Fand and Stone 2012). We consider initiative because IOs are known to be entrepreneurial, and in light of global dynamics and development challenges that change on a daily basis, proactivity becomes a matter of usefulness.

- H1 IPAs always try to showcase expertise above all other considerations in their engagement with stakeholders
- H2 IPAs try to showcase neutrality in their engagement with stakeholders
- H3 IPAs try to showcase initiative in their engagement with stakeholders
- H4 IPAs choose the mechanisms that express more neutrality and initiative in their engagement with stakeholders

1.5 Objectives

1.5.1 Primary Objective:

• Analyze the nature and expression of UNESCO's international bureaucracy over African countries in the development of their educational policies.

1.5.2 Secondary Objectives:

- I. Consolidate a conceptual framework that delineates which mechanisms IPAs can use to influence member-states in the development of national policies.
- II. Verify if such mechanisms were used by UNESCO's international bureaucracy to influence the development of educational policies of African member-countries.
- III. Assess whether *neutrality* and *initiative* are considered by UNESCO's international bureaucracy as valid considerations for the choice of influence mechanisms.

1.6 Methodology

Our work is based on a combination of literature review and document analysis, with an heuristic nature that seeks to apply theoretical propositions from IPA's literature, which we feel are still too abstract, to analyze UNESCO's experiences in the real world. Our literature review serves the purpose of building our proposed framework, as a conceptual amalgam informed by multiple authors in separate works, in a single and cohesive structure where categories speak to each other. Our document analysis provided us with the empirical evidence to test our hypothesis and assess the validity and usefulness of our proposed cadre.

The literature was obtained and compiled via consultation to academic databases through the use of a set of predefined keywords. We consulted JSTOR, ResearchGate, Google Scholar and SciElo. The keywords used were "International Organizations", "IOs", "International Public Administrations", "IPAs", "International Bureaucracies", "International Civil Service", "Policy Advice", "Policy Recommendations" and "Policy Transfer". A set of Journals were consulted in the look for related papers, including "International Organization", "International Affairs", International Studies Quarterly", "The Review of International Organizations", "Global Governance: A Review of Multilateralism and International Organizations" and "Revista Brasileira de Política Internacional".

The UNESCO official documents in English and French were obtained via UNESDOC Library. Each UNESCO Field Office has a landing page with the collection of published documents, which were filtered for the collection of the Activities Reports and Country Programming Documents between 2015 and 2021. For UNESCO Field Offices that had document gaps in the covered years, their official websites were consulted to identify, in newsletters and news sections, the recorded interventions. All documents were analyzed in the look for "interventions", and each of these was scanned for discursive patterns that could correlate to literature's proposed categories. For each Field Office, a table with interventions numbered and categorized was created, and these informed a set of charts and graphs to compare data.

1.7 Thesis structure

To address our research question, check our hypothesis and fulfill our proposed objectives, this work is structured in three chapters. Each chapter tries to address one of our secondary objectives, in the order above. Our first chapter is dedicated to reviewing IPA's existing literature and building a systematic view of the mechanisms that international bureaucracies can use to influence national policies. Our second chapter tests this conceptual framework, applying it to collected data on UNESCO's interventions in African countries to see whether the analytical categories are useful or not. Our third and final chapter revisits the systematic view of the mechanisms we proposed, making amendments and refinements in light of the empirical evidence, to improve it for further analysis.

Conceptual Framework: How Can IPA's Influence National Policies

2.1 Literature Review: IPA studies in a nutshell

In the field of IR, IOs are undoubtedly among the "usual suspects" of mainstream research; the very founding of IR chairs, as it is well known, is intimately linked to the creation of the League of Nations in the 1910s and 1920s. Much has been said on these units, and the IR field is no short of great scholars exploring their intricacies (Barnett and Finnemore 2004; Bauer and Ege 2016; Nay 2011; Littoz-Monnet 2020). The uniqueness of IOs, their simultaneous autonomy and dependence of member-states, and the way they have evolved over time, influencing world politics, is what draws our attention to this theme.

Some scholars, like Weiss (1982), often argue at their respective times that, despite IR literature's traditional neglect towards IOs (and, by extension, to their civil bureaucracies), a spark for the study of this subject is always iminent. Nonetheless, it seems like most of the literature, especially the non-theorizing, analytical work, is only drawn to IOs bureaucracies circumstantially. At the same time, with more than 100 years since the founding of the League of Nations and the establishment of a more consistent international civil service, only in the early 2000s experts stopped looking to IOs exclusively through the simplistic lens of "billiard balls" responding to external stimulus and started looking at their agency with drivers from within.

It is challenging to trace an origin point to this IPA research agenda (and this is not, by any means, a goal in this thesis), but we will try to estimate at least two driving forces. On the academic front, it seems to be consensual that Barnett and Finnemore's "Rules for the World", from 2004, inaugurates a new moment in IO's research agenda, one that looks further into the organization's complexities. On the empirical front, we could say this coincides with an important inflection in international politics, especially in the way the UN sees itself. Before the 1990s, the UN was stuck amidst bipolarity, and diplomats eclipsed the role of international bureaucrats with political debates, making it a mostly responsive organism. After the 1990s, the UN thrived in a multipolar world, where the

emergence of "new themes" in the international agenda gave bureaucrats a greater voice, and transformed the UN into a more propositive organism.

There is also a "conceptual gulf between Public Administration and International Relations research" (Eckhard and Ege 2016, p.3), which is partly responsible for a lack of focus, and consequent dissensus, in IPA research. Some steps have been taken to design a conceptual framework for analyzing if, why and how international bureaucracies affect national policymakers in empirical studies (see Biermann et al 2009), but there is still a long way to go, especially when it comes to harmonizing the set of variables and indicators we seek to compare in case studies. Usually, PA and IR scholars work together focusing on state behavior, and how public bureaucracies shape the countries' foreign policies (Kissinger 1966; Mangi 1994; Drezner 2000; Greenstock 2013; Sleicher and Platiau 2017), and not so much on how this same bureaucracy model applies to these contrasting, inter-governmental, international structures.

Concept cross-fertilization between PA and IR is a key avenue for the future of IPA - even though the acknowledgment and pledge for theory pluralism is not new. It still presses to emphasize how both PA and IR should reach beyond their conventional disciplinary limits. In an overview article, Bauer and Weinlich (2011) reinforce the view of Helfer (2006), which shows how the study of organizations *per se* (and its multiple theories, from historical institutionalism, to rational design and neofunctionalism) has helped explain IOs organizational change. The authors also exemplify how sociological institutionalists have sought to use concepts and hypotheses from organizational theories, while scholars from a rationalist agenda have incorporated from the ideas of organizational psychology, for instance.

Fleischer and Reiners (2021) argue that the debate has not come very far over the past decade, "partly because of the dynamics of how scholarly debates and the corresponding theoretical foundations and methodological orientations progress in the discipline". Both disciplines that nurture the IPA studies have shown promises and pitfalls that have not converted into full-fledged collaboration "to advance knowledge and to provide crucial focal points to build resilient bridges". Bauer and Weinglich (2010) propose three avenues for stronger collaboration: (1) systematic comparative research on the agency of IPAs, (2) integration of concepts from organizational theories on change and learning in IPAs, and (3) more refined methods to study effectiveness and legitimacy of IPAs as

autonomous nonstate actors. At the same time, Fleischer and Reiners (2021) propose a focus on politics and agency as suitable bridges for connecting these literatures when studying the issue at hand.

In short, the research agenda of IPAs is new, dispersed and complex - and, in our view, deserving of further attention. IR's vast literature on the politico-diplomatic dimension of the IOs without considering its international bureaucracy undeniably overpowers IR's limited amount of studies that consider IPAs at all. (Eckhard and Ege 2016). IPAs research had a short peak, not consistent, in the 1970s, but only increased and diversified from 2004 on. By applying a systematic keyword-based analysis in major academic outlets, Eckhard and Ege (2016) were able to identify the core body of IPA literature as 83 empirical articles and books published between 1965 and 2014 (Eckhard and Ege 2016, p. 2-3). Of these works, the majority has a research focus on institutional design (30), in which authors are concerned about decisions that lead to changes within the organization itself. These were only seconded by publications on policy implementation (29) - i.e. on the IPAs interest over global and national policies - and on policy formulation (17) - i.e. on the IPAs decisions and performance (Eckhard and Ege 2016, p.6-7).

Owing much to the influence of Political Science, International Law and Administration, the systematic review shows that IOs are usually studied in terms of their political and institutional themes, which serve as basis for their mandate and work and how they respond to global issues. There is less bibliography on external and substantive themes, especially international and national public policies that advance the multiple subjects on the international agenda (Ekchard and Ege, 2016; Knill and Bauer 2016). Understandably, as IOs constitute their own bodies and become closer to the main political and administrative reference there is (i.e. the state) they are prone to being analyzed from the same lenses, shedding light over their rules, leadership and dynamics. The clusters' subgroups with more publications focus either on the design and change of international organizations (15) or on the composition or growth of the international civil service (15) (Ekchard and Ege, 2016).

Even when IOs are studied in terms of their external and substantive roles, scholars tend to pay greater attention to the repercussions of these organizations actions on interstate relations, lending much less space to the effects of their actions on national governments and their domestic policies (Carvalho, Fernandes and Pimenta de Faria 2021). It took some time for research advancements to create methodologies and concepts to analyze the contact between systemic and domestic variables more precisely (Cortell and Davis 1996), with scholars relying on a poor identification of correlations or causes and effects between IPAs' actions and public policies. As shown again by Eckhard and Ege (2016), the clusters' subgroup concerned with policy-transfer to member-states received the least attention overall (7).

We understand that our theoretical framework is based on the convergence of two traditions, which nestle IPA research. First, neo-institutionalist theories, which follow a common consideration that organizations matter when defining the behaviors of its groups and units - an assumption that lies at the very core of our discussion object (Hall and Taylor 1996; March and Olsen 1983). Second, a social-constructivist perspective, which provides a norm-centered understanding of actors and institutions as being highly intertwined (Wendt 1987). This is important to understand how IOs, with usually few material resources, can use ideas to shape the very understanding of international relations and achieve change at the very grass-roots levels of domestic societies.

Systematic reviews (Eckhard and Ege 2016) and empirical studies (Herold et al 2021) have dedicated much time to the analysis of IOs (and, by consequence, IPAs) that deal with "high politics", such as diplomacy, security, trade, and finance-related themes. The UN (including its many funds and programmes) was subject to 26 studies, the European Union of 18, World Bank of 12, International Monetary Fund of 10 and the World Trade Organization of 9. In the core body of IPA literature, only 5 studies covered UNESCO's influence in policymaking (Eckard and Ege 2016, p.6). In a comprehensive survey covering 18 IOs and 106 countries, Development Finance Institutions (DFIs) took the forefront, and no agencies and bureaucracies covering education were even addressed (Herold et al 2021, p.6)

We recall that Finnemore (1993) studied briefly the role of UNESCO as a *teacher of norms*, which led to the development, in member-states, of prescribed scientific policies. In this paper, Martha Finnemore argues that UNESCO generated a new norm (or norm-like prescription) at the international level, i.e. the idea that coordination and direction of science (and the existence of a science policy) are necessary for the modern state, led to institutional innovations at the state level. At that point, however, IOs literature was more

concerned with the structure-agency debate vis-a-vis nation states, and IPA research was not as developed as it is today. Also, for a scope limitation, an important component of UNESCO's mandate was left out (Finnemore 1993), leaving a gap in the study of the IPA's influence on educational policies to be covered by future efforts.

Finally, we recognize that, although IPA studies have not neglected Least Developed Countries (see Busch et al 2021; Carvalho, Fernandes and Pimenta de Faria 2021; Herold et al 2021), this agenda is still very Euro-Atlantic and research units are most common in European academy. Plus, much like in the rest of IR research, the interface between international bureaucracies and African countries is relatively underappreciated. This is particularly concerning in the case of UNESCO, which has 47 field offices in Least Developed Countries, of its 51 globally, with Multisectorial Regional Offices and National Offices, alongside specialized institutes and *ad hoc* specialists, forming a vast bureaucracy supporting legislations and projects in the continent (UNESCO 2021).

Hence, despite the study of IOs themselves becoming more consolidated, we are targeting IPAs to reinforce this growing, but still limited, research agenda. Our deviation from institutional themes to focus on substantive ones sheds light into this slightly overshadowed portion. Our focus on these organizations' roles in international-domestic relations rather than purely international ones also contribute to an underperforming agenda. Finally, our case study of UNESCO and African countries, through the induction of better educational policies, will hopefully build up the collection of empirical studies in this area.

2.2 Theoretical considerations: Bureaucracy, Information, Authority, Influence and Advice

IOs, *lato sensu*, can assume multiple forms, like inter-governmental organisms, multilateral development banks and regional blocs; their structures and logics vary. Most commonly, IOs are formed by political bodies, such as assemblies, councils and commissions, where member-states find representation with diplomatic corps, and secretariats, also known as the IPAs or international bureaucracies, which are formed by

international civil servants that are bound by an oath of international loyalty¹. As Biermann and Siebenhüner (2009) point out, "international bureaucracies in the sociological tradition, can be defined as 'hierarchically organized group[s] of international civil servants with a given mandate, resources, identifiable boundaries, and a set of formal rules of procedures" (Biermann and Siebenhüner 2009, p.37).

Based on Weber (*apud* Barnett and Finnemore 1999), we can say that, much like nation-states in traditional research, there is a need to understand IOs in terms of their bureaucracy: "Bureaucracies are political creatures that can become independent from their creators, and can end up dominating the societies they were formed to serve" (Weber *apud* Barnett e Finnemore 1999). In contrast to member-states' heterogeneity of positions and interests among themselves, international bureaucracies can achieve rather homogeneous and consensual positions (Hawkins et al 2006). This may seem counterintuitive given the international civil service principle of ensuring multiple representation through wide geographical and cultural distribution in its staff (Weiss 1987), but IOs have advanced greatly, through advocacy and recruitment, in embedding internationalism in its employees' minds.

In this sense, it is possible to state that IOs function as bureaucratic organizations in a Weberian sense, conceived as an organized, impersonal and technical bloc to rule social interactions. Reinalda and Verbeek (2004) and Rittberger et al (2012), on their side, understand IOs as problem-processing systems, being a technocratic body that is highly efficient in taking social action. We can find common ground in stating that their bureaucratic power lies in the combination of a rational-legal authority (ability to create norms and rules for social interactions) and control over specialized information (ability to produce and control social knowledge); IOs possess formal and material capacity to define what matters (Barnett and Finnemore 1999, 2004; Finnemore 1993, 1996; Nay 2012).

As stated by Barnett and Finnemore (1999), IOs are commonly created as *structures*, with the ultimate goal of overcoming the barriers in the way of Pareto Efficiency, stemming from the anarchy of the international system, e.g. incomplete information, transaction

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¹ As Weiss (1987) shows, in the case of the United Nations, this is established under Articles 100 and 104 of the UN Charter, which recognize the supranational loyalty, independence and impartiality of the administrative staff and their extraterritorial freedom and immunities, respectively.

costs, the security dilemma. This structural nature, devoid of its own substance, stems from nation-states' reluctance and struggle to yield political and economic capital to an independent actor that may be dissonant from its sovereign goals. As structures, they are usually analyzed by classic theories with an economic perspective, which tend to focus solely on the reasons that member-states pursue for their establishment, based on a logic of efficiency maximization: IOs are formed purely and simply to facilitate states convening to overcome security dilemmas.

Nonetheless, Barnett and Finnemore (1999) demonstrate that IOs may extrapolate their founding purposes, consequently assuming the roles of *agents*, acquiring themselves social content, e.g. bureaucracies, norms, and organizational culture. As agents, they are often analyzed from a sociological standpoint. This is perceived in research agendas that focus on their autonomy and power, concerned not with their founding purposes as defined by external units, but their very operation based on self interest (Barnett and Finnemore 1999). It is noteworthy that in international politics as they stand, agency is scattered all around, and the multiplicity of actors make IOs seem simultaneously stronger and weaker in some senses; more importantly, it seems, agency can assume new forms, with social media and information taking a center place in steering social change at international and national levels.

It is interesting to see how the vision for IOs as mere structures reflected in their concrete architectures in the past, and how IOs grew to become actors by themselves. The League of Nations was formed by three organs and admittedly had auxiliary organizations, committees and commissions aiming to facilitate international cooperation in specific fields² (United Nations 2022); while an internationalist spirit of organizational autonomy could be felt, its *raison d'etre* was undeniably bringing together member-countries to avoid the secret diplomacy and alliance agreements that had led to World War I. The United Nations, on its side, was formed with a more complex body, comprising six organs and multiple subsidiary organs, funds and agencies (United Nations 2022). Although it

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² "Among these organizations were the Economic and Financial Organization, the Communication and Transit Organization, the Health Organization, and the Intellectual Cooperation Organization. All of them played an important role and, in some cases, paved the way for the creation of UN Agencies, Funds and Programmes. Some, like the Permanent Advisory Commission for Military, Naval and Air Questions consisted of military experts appointed by the governments concerned. Others, like the Permanent Mandates Commission, were composed of experts appointed for their qualifications, irrespective of their nationality." (United Nations 2022).

emerged in a different context, one with further awareness of the importance of international cooperation across different areas, it still carried the realist-based balance of power in its very nature³.

It is worth commenting that IPAs are not merely a global copy of their national counterparts, and contrasts can be clearly noticed. We agree with Bauer, Knill and Eckhard (2016) in saying that there is one IPA peculiarity (vis-a-vis national bureaucracies) that is actually consequential, and that lets us affirm that it is a new type of bureaucracy: the environment in which they operate, i.e. the international system, characterized by structural anarchy. In other words, this specific context in which IPAs operate provides them with a systematic feature, which is high autonomy, even less contained and controllable than national bureaucracies; they "benefit from changing opportunity structures and actor relationships in ongoing global affairs" and can "exploit particular structures and actor constellations" that reshape the balance between political control and bureaucratic autonomy at the international level (Bauer, Knill and Eckhard (2016, p.4).

Other IPAs peculiarities, while indeed important, are not so impactful in defining their unique behavior - or, in the words of Bauer, Knill and Eckhard (2016), are not what render them a 'distinctive beast'. These include the dependence on the member-states in terms of resources, their insufficient means to enforce their decisions directly, and a strong reliance on national administrations for the implementation of their proposed policies. Even the multiplicity of their external relations, which results in a high volatility in their external environment, which 'changes with every admission of a new member, with every revolution, almost with every election, etc' is not particularly distinguishable, as national bureaucracies also face complex constellations that change (Bauer, Knill e Eckhard 2016)

At the same time, it is important to note that IR theories also raise some critical concerns regarding IOs. On one side, Marxist and Gramscian works argue, for instance, that "international institutions embody the rules which facilitate the expansion of hegemonic

³ A handwritten document by Franklin D. Roosevelt in 1943 presents an outline of what was envisaged as the international organization that would emerge in the post-war period. As stated in the notes, the organization international would be composed of an executive body, an international assembly with the 40 members prospects, and an imposing body dubbed the Four Policemen (Franklin D. Roosevelt Library and Museum, 1943).

world orders", legitimating, co-opting and absorbing ideas that reinforce its own status and, ultimately, perpetuate inequality (Cox 2000). The UN bureaucracy has been often criticized, for example, for its efforts of nation-building, which reflect a Western-based perspective of how societies should be organized. At the same time, critical theories argue that Great Power dynamics also circle IOs and their actions, making them susceptible to influence and deviation. Critical literature goes all the way to the Euroatlantic and Colonialist origins of the UN in 1945 to shed light over how the international system with structural inequalities can only render IOs that reflect such inequalities as well. A major example being the existence of a Trusteeship Council for countries managing colonial lands.

Barnett and Finnemore (1999, p.713) also define the ways in which IOs exercise their power in international relations, and they reinforce the view that there is a culturally constructed status, of them as authority sites, that backs this power. They argue that IOs do so by creating meaning (shaping the understanding of global phenomena, thus influencing decision-making, e.g. the definition of international development); producing classifications (organizing information and managing units, rankings and indicators, e.g. the concept of refugee) and developing norms (defining what are acceptable and unacceptable behaviors, e.g. the condemnation of colonialism). This view in itself, despite being seminal and serving as a background, is insufficient for our study.

Lenz (2017) recalls that recent decades, despite growing nationalism and the emergence of an "anti-globalist movement", were marked by a rising authority of IOs, signaled by less control by individual states (Lenz 2017), and by the proposition of a self-sustaining global agenda. Increase in IOs authority is partially explained by (i) a functional quest for effective cooperation; (ii) the diffusion of authoritative institutional templates amongst international organizations; (iii) increasing political demand for participation by non-state actors (Lenz 2017); and, we would add, (iv) pressure from global issues for decision-makers to come up with truly international solutions. IOs growing authority, Lenz explains, resonates in the greater extent in which national governments promote pooling - setting aside their vetoes by endorsing majoritarian forms of decision-making - and delegation - empowering independent institutions to act on their behalf (this second one, carrying greater importance for IPAs).

Authority, in a general sense, is a relational phenomenon and is primarily based on voluntary deference (Heinzel and Liese 2021). On authority being a relational phenomenon, we understand that it depends on the existence of a relationship between two or more actors, and materializes when a superior actor, an authority holder, holds this status over an inferior actor, who is an authority addressee. On authority as based on voluntary deference, we recognize that the addressee must "acknowledge the authority's privilege through deference to its demands" (Hurd 1999 *apud* Heinzel and Liese 2021). Most important for IPAs, and linking to other conceptual discussions, is the notion that authority is a distinct form of power, operating more through voluntary subordination than coercion (Lake 2010; Zürn 2018 *apud* Heinzel and Liese 2021).

Here, Busch *et al* 2020 remind us of the duality (and gap) between *de facto* and *de jure* authority, a concern that is often raised over IPAs influence in policy-making internationally and nationally. The authors seek to understand to what extent does IPAs *de facto* expert authority (the recognition of and deference to an authority in practice) conform with their *de jure* expert authority (the extent to which states approve formal rules to delegate authority to these bodies), and what may explain dissonances between these two. Findings show that *de facto* and *de jure* expert authority do not always conform, sometimes leading to positive or negative authority gaps, but as a general rule, IPAs with more *de jure* expert authority also have more *de facto* expert authority. Their marked contribution to IPA literature is the conceptual deepening, as well as illustration, of international bureaucracies expert authority over national administrations (Busch *et al* 2020).

In this same direction, as put by Busch *et al* (2020) we reinforce that IPAs authority is different from compliance and performance:

"First, authority can lead to compliance, but there are other ways to induce compliance with requests, like the discussed persuasion or coercion. In any authority relationship, authority addressees have 'a certain degree of freedom to act otherwise' (Krisch 2017, p. 242). Hence, they might not always change their behavior in line with an IPA's requests even when they consider the IPA as an expert authority. An IPA can still enjoy authority even if its addressees do not always comply with its requests (Hurd 2008). Second, authority is not the same as high performance of the IPAs in their tasks. IPAs' performance can be understood as the output, outcome or impact of IPAs (Gutner and Thompson 2010; Tallberg et al. 2016). Holding expert authority can

empower IPAs to perform better. Nevertheless, performance refers to the quality of a given IPA action, while authority is a feature of the IPA itself. Indeed, there are important cases where IPAs used their authority in ways that ended up being detrimental to the performance of their tasks (Barnett 2002)" (Busch *et al* 2020, p.233)

We agree with Bauer, Knill and Eckhard (2016) in stating that, for IPAs, expertise and information are more important than rules and formal powers. Indeed, the emergence of bureaucracy as a core component in organizing modern societies depends on their provision of norms "to resolve political problems and provide common goods" (Bauer, Knill and Eckhard 2016), without which the grounds for any authority would be gone, and order would not be possible. This is also true for IOs, and rules and formal powers stand as the basic foundations for their autonomy. However, IPAs seem to rely much less on rules as a support for their positions in terms of policy-making, precisely because international anarchy makes it so hard to create binding, and even harder to create enforceable ones. There are other sources, especially information, that explain and back IOs authority in most instances (Bauer, Knill, Eckhard 2016).

Heinzel and Liese (2021), in this line of exploring how IPAs use specialized information, contribute with an original conceptual understanding of authority as source heuristic. In a study about the World Health Organization (WHO) and other health-specialized institutions' role in the definition of the United Kingdom and Germany's health policies during COVID-19, they sought to understand whether expert authorities' endorsements affected the acceptance of public measures by authority addressees (in this case, countries' citizens). They present, as a basis for such expert authority, the concept of source heuristic, which are "cognitive shortcuts that people use when they base their evaluation of a claim on characteristics of the source rather than on its content" (Heinzel and Liese 2021, p.1259). They also examined the extent to which source characteristics shape the perception of expert authority, such as expertise, neutrality and exposure, and found that expertise is usually linked positively to citizens' support.

IR and PA scholars have advanced in the studies of international bureaucracies, developing strong arguments in favor of their independent behavior (Eckhard and Ege 2016; Stone 2020, 52–55) or, as Biermann and Siebenhüner (2009) put it, their quality of "managers of global change". Here, we see the IPA's influence as being of utmost importance, and we stand in accordance with several scholars when it comes to defining

it as synonymous to 'having an effect' (in some situation, agent or behavior). As Fleischer and Reiners (2021) state, "interest in IPAs is connected to key questions in the disciplines of autonomy, influence, and authority in global governance", and we feel that influence is the glue connecting the other concepts. "Research asks for the aim at the level of IPAs' autonomy, how this autonomy affects their authority, and how actors in the IO influence its agenda and decision-making" (Fleischer and Reiners 2021, p.1233).

Literature also raises some practical critique; here we highlight the principal vs agency dissonance, which is of particular relevance when we reflect on the vectors of influence that involve IOs (Vaubel 2006). As Vaubel puts it, "the principal-agent problem is due to the fact that the international organization has vested interests which differ from the preferences of the voters and that the voters cannot effectively control the international organization because they are rationally ignorant of most of its activities and/or lack the power to impose their will" (Vaubel 2006, p.127). It is argued that, due to incentive problems and information costs, IOs are as far and as removed as any institution can be from the attention and control of voters; this has an impact on the ultimate legitimacy of their voice when proposing solutions for real-world problems.

Finally, essential to IOs actions in global affairs, and a key way of finding international bureaucracies influencing national policies, is the concept of policy advice. Using the definition of Halligan (1995 *apud* Herold et al 2021), we understand policy advice as international bureaucracies' outputs and policy recommendations, which aim at guiding national policy-making on specific issues, or an activity that aims to support policy-makers' decision-making by analyzing policy problems and proposing solutions (Herold et al 2021, p.3). As Fang and Stone (2012) put it, policy advice occurs when an international institution conveys information over a specific topic to a national government - dependent upon trust and credibility in the information transmission (Fang and Stone 2012), either to a leadership, representative or techno-bureaucrat, be it in the form of policy prescriptions, early warnings, corrective measures, etc.

From IR, we perceive the role of IOs as, at least partially, the shapers of global governance, using information to steer the interests of the international community, collectively, and of other actors, individually; one of the many ways to promote change is via the provision of policy advice. In light of both political and epistemic needs (Zurn, Binder and Eckhardt 2012 *apud* Carvalho, Fernandes e Faria 2021), IPAs are inherently

called by a sense of common need to provide policy recommendations, as either the most legitimate (politically), the most capable (epistemically), or both. At the same time, Busch et al (2021) argue that "scholarship has demonstrated that individual international bureaucracies' advice can affect the decisions taken by national actors even in the absence of more coercive means of policy transfer, like conditionality" (Busch *et al* 2021, p.2).

At last, we derive from PA, specifically from the study of policy diffusion, a supporting assumption for this study. That is, the notion that public policies are not uniquely and exclusively originated from domestic idiosyncrasies, or political, economic, social and cultural matters of domestic coalitions; in contrast, institutions, programs and policies are also originated by international inputs, be it from IOs, other states, epistemic communities or a myriad of external agents altogether (Oliveira and Faria 2017, p.5). At the same time, it is also understood that public policies may be affected at any point in the policy cycle by international inputs, from the very problem delimitation to the monitoring and evaluation - although, in this sense, advice impact may vary accordingly.

2.3 Proposed cadre: An attempt to categorize IPAs mechanisms

We combine IR and PA theoretical grounds to build a conceptual framework, which will be used to analyze how international bureaucracies influence national policymakers. That is, we are concerned with the mechanisms (otherwise strategies, channels, means) through which such influence moves from one unit into another. While there are virtually infinite ways through which international bureaucrats and national policymakers can interact, we systematize these relations into a small group, which serves as an umbrella for empirical findings.

It is essential to note that this study is of empirical nature, and both critical analysis and normative discussions are beyond the scope of our work. Our contribution to IPA literature, from this case study of UNESCO, African countries and educational policies, is expected to provide empirical evidence to corroborate or refute currently accepted conceptual propositions. In other words, we recognize that, by limiting our research focus, we will not address whether IPAs issue effective policy advice, nor if international bureaucracies should or should not do so.

Meddling the works of Biermann et al (2009), Ege, Bauer and Wagner (2021) and Carvalho, Fernandes and Pimenta de Faria (2021), we can roughly design a conceptual framework for the analysis of international bureaucracies vs. national policies. Each of these researches provides us with an analytical lens that focuses on a distinct aspect of the IPA mechanisms of influence, resulting in a cadre that we can put over each empirical situation. They are not concurrent notions, but complementary ones, and can even be seen from a more abstract to a more concrete range.

In Ege, Bauer and Wagner (2021), with a little rearrangement, we can see the these mechanisms from the perspective of an IPA's expertise domain:

"Since IPAs have no formal vote in IO policymaking, their most important procedural strategies for exerting policy influence is through IO stakeholders. IPA shapes the draft policies' content strategically to steer the outcome of the negotiations in a particular direction (...) One of the IPA's main tasks is to provide evidence-based information for IO stakeholders. This may include collecting data from countries and summarizing research or a description of lessons learned in a certain sector" (Ege, Bauer and Wagner 2021, p.5-6).

In Biermann et al (2009), we have influence as cognitive, normative or executive; that is, IPAs as knowledge-brokers, negotiation facilitators and/or capacity-builders:

"First, we analyze whether international bureaucracies influence the behavior of political actors by changing their knowledge and belief systems (...) Second [we] analyze how international bureaucracies influence (...) through the creation, support and shaping of normbuilding processes for issue-specific international cooperation (...) Third, we analyze the influence of international bureaucracies (...) through the direct assistance to countries in their effort to implement international agreements, which might reshape national interests" (Biermann et al 2009, p.47-48).

Finally, Carvalho, Fernandes and Pimenta de Faria (2021) give us a rather practical view on these mechanisms, complementing a conceptual taxonomy proposed by Jakobi (2009):

"We will take as the basis the taxonomy proposed by Jakobi (2009), for understanding that it contemplates the different forms IOs can act in the processes studied. The author groups the instruments adopted in five categories: discursive diffusion, standards-setting, coordination roles, financial means and technical assistance. (...) Besides the aforementioned instruments, we propose a

sixth category: space for dialogue, even informally" (Pimenta Faria 2021, p.6, translated by the author)

To complete our conceptual framework, we clarify in a few words our understanding of some basic concepts. These may sound very intuitive, but since they compose our proposed framework, and thus serve as the guidelines in our search for empirical evidence, it is better to avoid misunderstandings. First, expertise is understood as specialized knowledge about development issues and optimal understanding of possible solutions. Secondly, neutrality is seen as distance from domestic politics and/or controversial issues. Finally, initiative is understood as policy entrepreneurship and creativity to propose new solutions.

Moving on, expertise-based concepts also need attention. Procedural knowledge is, for instance, the preparation of draft proposals of documents, policies or programs, to strategically steer the outcome of the negotiations in a particular direction. Policy involvement can be collaboration with like-minded stakeholders, to make sure a certain agenda item is discussed in the legislative or executive body. Technical expertise can be the provision of evidence-based information, such as research and data, actively frame information or the broader discourse and selectively present problems/or solutions.

Other concepts to be considered: Cognitive influence is assumed as influence over the behavior of member-countries and political actors by changing their knowledge and belief systems. Secondly, normative influence is influence over member-countries through the creation, support and shaping of norm-building processes for issue-specific international cooperation. Finally, executive influence is influence over member-countries through the direct assistance to countries in their effort to implement international agreements.

We also exemplify some of the possible activities. Opening space for dialogue: organizing conferences, seminars, workshops and other activities in which bureaucrats can interact, formally and informally. Diffusion of meaning: advocacy, promoting ideas and launching concepts to shape the understanding of specific issues. Standards-setting: developing recommendations, guidelines, indicators, metrics and good practices that can serve as a pattern of good behavior. Coordination roles: high-level meetings, international missions, inspection visits, dispute settlement, naming and shaming. Financial means: financial aid, loans, donations, grants or any other type of transference of financial

resources. Technical assistance: infrastructure development, capacity-building, technical visits, courses, consultancies.

Finally, we put the expertise, influence and activities inside the neutrality spectrum and the initiative spectrum. We consider that the neutrality and initiative spectra walk together, which means that expertise, influence and activities that present high neutrality also present high initiative, and vice-versa - but only for a matter of coincidence, as we do not consider them to be correlated. To illustrate: opening space for dialogue through the promotion of an international forum is a very distant way of influencing policies, and is usually a starting point for reflecting about issues and debating policy alternatives; supporting ministerial officers to write a national policy is a very participatory way of affecting policies, and is usually one of the last steps in the the development of public policies.

	Mechanism										
Neutrality	High			→							
Initiative	High		\rightarrow								
Expertise (Ege, Bauer and Wagner 2021)	Procedural	Knowledge	Policy Inv	volvement	Technical Expertise						
Influence (Biermann et al 2009)	Cognitive	Influence	Normative	e Influence	Executive	Influence					
Activity (Carvalho, Fernandes and Pimenta de Faria 2021)	Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards- setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance					

Table 1. Proposed cadre for the selection, categorization and analysis of interventions.

3. Analysis of UNESCO's Interventions in Educational Policies in Africa

In light of our central question, this research project is based on qualitative methodologies (Berger 2013), and this section is structured around a series of documental analysis to identify structural and discursive patterns. The ultimate goal is heuristic and instrumental, to check whether theoretical concepts from IR and PA, especially deriving from their symbiotic IPA, are actually able to explain an empirical phenomenon (Baxter and Jack 2008). That is, is it possible to explain, with our current categories, how IOs attempt to push for the incorporation of international proposals in member-states' public policies?

As put by Bauer, Eckhard and Knill (2017, p.10), "analyzing bureaucracies rests largely on the belief that these organizations have developed superior ways to handle policy relevant information", bearing the expertise to assess complex issues and provide policy proposals; according to them, however, "pure information is of ever less value for public administrations". IPAs uniqueness and value, thus, lies in their "capacity to filter relevant and trustworthy information about appropriate policy solutions and in inter-connecting the right sample of relevant actors", in other words, acting as a 'clearing house' (Bauer, Eckhard and Knill 2017).

As literature suggests (Eckhard and Ege 2016; Ellis 2010; Ganghof 2005), we are thinking of a causal relation, in which IPA influence is deemed necessary for national policymaking, but not sufficient. In other words, we are cautiously applying an 'x-centered research design', where 'x' would be IPA's influence, to analyze the effects of a single factor on policymaking, and avoiding a 'y-centered research design', where 'y' would be the policy choice, which would lead us to the trap of exploring all possible causes of of effects of certain policies (Eckhard and Ege 2016, p.14).

Also, we must note that, IPAs empirical research faces a trade-off between analytic depth and breadth, which forces the study to focus on a single component, either the conditions, mechanism or outcomes of the influence alone (Eckhard and Ege 2016). The development of an integrated IPA theory, and the study of the underlying explanation and conditions

for international bureaucracies' influence has already been the object of comprehensive studies. Here, we are proposing a study of very limited-scope, to systematize and test what we know so far about IPAs mechanisms to exert said influence.

In other words, we don't seek to explain, dissect or test the origin of IPAs influence; we want to verify what are the mechanisms that these IPAs are using to exert it. In the end, our expected outcome is a general cadre of IPA influence mechanisms that can be laid over (virtually) any analysis, regardless of the IO, state, theme, policy or case study, and help shed light on why an international bureaucracy used the mechanisms it did. In other words, the IPA studies, usually targeting autonomy and relevance (on one end) and effectiveness and results (on the other) leave space for us to explore the middle ground, or how these international bureaucracies end up doing so in practice.

Previous studies, on one end, most notably Herold et al (2021), show that states' ministries do in fact consider policy advice from international bureaucracies, being their perceived expertise the major source of influence overall (Herold et al 2021, p.3). We take the basic perspective of Herold et al (2021) and reverse it, for while they were concerned with how national ministries saw IPAs' alleged expertise, we want to focus on the perspective of IPAs on their own work. This, we hope, will enable us to see and reflect on UNESCO's position as a "corporate actor", which behaves in systematic and formulaic ways (Ege, Bauer and Wagner 2021).

Also, on another end, we are not primarily concerned with the content, reception or utility of policy advice per se. Other studies (e.g. Fang and Stone 2012) have shown that IO policy advice to states, in terms of expected effectiveness (and perceived value) depends on a complex "game theoretic model of persuasion". They connect principal-agent literature to communication literature and estimate the credibility of signals sent from IPAs to governments (Fang and Stone 2012). The IO in their model goes beyond the *mise en place* work we are attempting here, putting in an analytical model in practice, and concluding that "IOs exercise influence when it is able to send a credible signal to the government".

Instead of UNESCO's Secretariat, which is arguably more influential in a broader sense, we prefer to collect data from Field Offices, for their direct interface with member-states. Once again, adapting Herold et al (2021):

"Furthermore, for our purpose of assessing officials' self-reports of international bureaucracies' influence on their policy-making, as well as their attributions of expertise to international bureaucracies, we deemed it indispensable to focus on the "small group of individuals" with "first-hand knowledge about the influence of expert actors on a specific decision" (Christensen 2020, 10). These individuals know best whether their policy units have considered the advice provided by various international bureaucracies in a given policy field. We also regard these survey respondents as particularly well positioned to comparatively rate international bureaucracies' expertise in the policy fields in which they are themselves specialized." (Herold al 2021, et p.2)

UNESCO's 19 Field Offices located in the African continent, covering the AU and all 54 African countries, are analyzed - this includes the Regional Offices (Abuja, Cairo, Dakar, Harare, Nairobi, Yaoundé), the Liaison and Cluster Offices (Addis Ababa and Rabat) and National offices. UNESCO has a total of 51 Field Offices, spread across all continents and regions, with our sample representing 37% of its local representations. The option for African countries is based not only on UNESCO's own Africa priority (UNESCO 2021), but also the coverage of a single continent, which we assume brings relative homogeneity to the international bureaucracy's strategy and to the member-states' reception.

Although UNESCO covers several fields (namely Education, Culture, Natural and Mathematical Sciences, Human and Social Sciences and Communications), for a limitation of scope and space, we chose to focus on the Education field and educational policies alone - a division that is reflected in UNESCO's documents as well. As Herold et al (2021) opted for a limited scope of agriculture and finance, our option for education instead of the other themes is discretionary, so we can limit our empirical analysis to a specific area (Herold et al 2021). We hope this will help our sample to be better outlined and our lens to be better calibrated, smoothening the process of identifying concrete situations in which the influence mechanisms were used.

To find our empirical evidence, we are looking at UNESCO's primary sources between 2015 and 2021⁴, publicly available either at (i) UNESDOC digital library or at (ii) Field Offices websites. We are considering as valid information only that coming from the

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⁴ The timeframe is based on the launch of the Agenda 2030 (2015) and the most recent annual reports for most UNESCO Field Offices by the time of writing (2021).

following sources, which we looked for in this particular order: (a) Activities Reports; (b) Country Programming Documents; (c) Offices newsletters and news sections. Activities Reports and Country Programming Documents were not available for all field offices in all covered years, and Office newsletters were also sparse, and news sections often had broken links, which made information inaccessible.

A summary of the scope and period analyzed, considering the contrasting availability of official documents, is drawn below:

Field office	Year							
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	
Abidjan					X	X	X	
Abuja	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Addis Ababa	X			X	X	X	X	
Accra	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Bamako		X	X	X	X			
Brazzaville	X				X	X		
Cairo		X	X			X		
Dakar	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Dar es Salaam	X	X		X	X	X		
Harare ⁵		X	X	X	X	X	X	
Juba	X	X	X				X	
Khartoum					X	X	X	
Kinshasa	X	X	X		X	X	X	
Libreville	X	X	X	X	X		X	

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⁵ UNESCO Field Office in Harare produces "Reports on UNESCO-SADC Cooperation" every year; these were not analyzed in this study, as we understand that any intervention of relevance for this study, including those in coordination with SADC and regional countries, is very likely to have been captured in the "Activities Reports" of the same year.

Maputo	X	X	X				
Nairobi		X			X	X	X
Rabat						X	X
Windhoek	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Yaoundé	X					X	X

Table 2. List of official sources on UNESCO interventions by Field Office between 2015 and 2021.

We establish an important assumption, which reflects on the very way we look at UNESCO's influence, expertise and activities in this study: we deem that every external action taken by UNESCO Field Offices is, to a lesser or greater degree, attempting to steer the member-states public policies - they just vary in form, scope, duration, etc. Consider examples: (a) Development of a set of policy recommendations for ministries and public officers to mainstream gender equality in basic education; (b) Training of school teachers in gender inclusive techniques in basic education. Both actions ultimately have policy effects: one top-down, the other bottom-up; one direct, the other indirect; one seeking long-term goals, the other short-term results.

Hence, we disagree with some analysis that understand the UN (and UNESCO, by extent) is only partially devoted to offering *policy advice*. In a recent paper, for example, Baumann (2022) argues that the UN works through 3 modalities to support host countries in their development efforts: shaping national policies, helping to build capacity, and implementation works; *policy advice* would only be present in the first modality, which they argue is eclipsed by the other two. Baumann (2022) recognizes that the UN has no official definition of *policy advice*, and across the organization, the term may be understood to include different things; he, in response, proposes his own definition of *policy advice*, as "those UN activities that aim to shape national policies (expressed in laws, budgets, agendas, or strategies) through high-level dialogue with national decision makers" (Baumann 2022, p. 384) - which we find narrow and limiting.

For us, the UN has *policy advice* so engraved in its core mandate that this point is what actually glues all of its actions. The UN understands that, with limited resources, the only way of ensuring sustainable impact is by making states adopt better public policies; it is,

thus, permanently providing *policy advice* through these several mechanisms. When UNESCO promotes a civil society conference on early childhood to spur dialogue, it advises the states on the importance of a participatory process in policy-making. When UNESCO provides capacity-building for school teachers in rural areas, it is advising on the policy gaps that should be covered to ensure human resources are aligned with existing demands. The *policy advice* as a synonym to high-level shaping of national policies is understood, in our model, as the coordination roles.

We believe, as Baumann (2022) himself shows, that *policy advice* is constantly pursued, both at the upstream level (through the grand programmes, for instance) and downstream level alike (through the "pilot interventions", for example):

"Pilots" are projects of limited scope that are intended to test or demonstrate a concept or solution that can then be scaled up to the level of nationwide change. According to the wider aid literature, they can play a role in narrowing the "micro-macro gap" between national policies and practice at the local level. As "local development needs and interests seldom enjoy a supportive policy environment," pilots can help create local experiences as a basis for advocating for policy changes" (Baumann 2022, p.395)

In terms of analyzing the empirical evidence, we see the proposed cadre and its conceptual categories as progressively going from more abstract to more concrete, as we move from "expertise" to "influence" to "activity". Still, all these nomenclatures are based on specialized literature and carry abstractions, in order to become generalizable concepts that apply to multiple cases - which makes them very difficult to be seen in empirical scenarios. In this sense, our lens is focused on what we call "interventions". Hence, we need to go "a level below" to reach the observable field, in order to map the concrete actions that are taken by the organization's leaders and officers to steer countries in multiple directions.

We find interventions a suitable term, not only for its recurrent use to characterize IOs' actions in member-states, in general, but also due to its presence in UNESCO's own documents, reports and releases, specifically. In contrast to other parts of the official documents, which are usually the background, narrative, proposed goals and expected results, presented in a more reflective and analytical language, the interventions *per se* are commonly stated in a descriptive form; they are roughly identifiable by the presence

of a subject, verb and complement, and often contain geographic and quantitative specifications (e.g. "Organization of a training workshop in Gambia on "Peace sustainable development and global citizenship" for 200 young people").

Again, reinforcing our option for the interventions as our common denominator, we see it used in UNESCO Field Offices' language, in both English and French.

In the UNESCO Field Office in Abuja, Activities Report 2020, for instance:

"The pandemic, no doubt, brought about new ways of working, which demanded an intelligent risk management of programme **interventions**. The office had its hands full, as there was widespread misinformation and disinformation in countries under its purview. Fake news about COVID - was rampant. The good news was that UNESCO lived up to expectations by targeting young people and improving public access to correct information about the pandemic while countering conspiracy theories with facts based on science" (UNESCO 2020, p.iv - highlighted by the author).

In the UNESCO Field Office in Kinshasa, Rapport Annuel 2021, for example:

"Sur cette base, l'approche de l'UNESCO s'articule sur le principe d'accompagnement technique des priorités de l'éducation nationale. En ce sens, une gamme d'interventions portant sur le renforcement des capacités des acteurs nationaux du secteur de l'éducation ont été menées durant l'année 2021 dans un contexte dominé par la crise sanitaire de la COVID-19 (...) Dans les lignes qui suivent, le secteur ED retrace ses **interventions**, partant de l'approche stratégique de politique et planification aux activités de pratique en milieu scolaire, en tenant en compte la question du genre et les vulnérabilités" (UNESCO 2021, p.21 - highlighted by the author).

We used the proposed cadre to map UNESCO's interventions, field office by field office, year by year. First, we read the primary sources and identified the language, standards and clichés. Then, we went through the primary sources once again, with a calibrated lens to identify interventions. We found, separated and highlighted discursive patterns, and based on these markings, we allocated each intervention into the categories. This process was repeated 19 times, until each field office had a table filled with information; based on these findings, the data was collected, filtered and systematized, and we built a collection of graphs for better visualization.

In our proposed cadre, we copied and pasted UNESCO's record of the "interventions" in its own words, to preserve the original meanings - coupled with a few order rearrangements and grammatical corrections, to ensure clarity. There were discursive patterns worth mentioning, which we believe indicate a corporate view of the organization's role and activities embedded in the bureaucracy that produces the activities reports. The exact terms "dialogue", "coordination", "standards", "financial" and "technical", with supporting terms, such as "organization", "promotion", support", "provision", and "assistance", were often used; on the other hand, the exact terms "diffusion" and "meanings" were never used.

Arguably, many of UNESCO interventions are so complex and multi-layered that could be categorized in two or more of the proposed categories; even if we split into multiple components, some still gather defining characteristics from multiple categories. In these cases, in which categorization was blurry, we focused on the very nature of the intervention, that albeit subjective, was usually implicit. For instance, "as a result of UNESCO support to the Zanzibar Ministry of Education and Vocational Training review (...) the task team developed new indicators to enhance data collection for adolescent girls and young women on these aspects" surely has components of technical assistance involved, but is ultimately focused on making Zanzibar follow global standards.

Also, as we mentioned, the proposed cadre and its concepts will not be found in UNESCO's documents *ipsis litteris*; they need to be "translated" to the language used by the organization regarding its own interventions. Initially, this may seem like a discretionary categorization, but we pre-determined a set of basic rules (and criteria) to help us categorize them, thus trying to avoid a confirmation bias. Below, how we understand this general translation, based on the identification of the discursive patterns in UNESCO' official documents and:

• Programmes are usually comprised of several projects; projects are usually comprised of several interventions. Different iterations of the same intervention are considered one thing; different sessions or focal groups of training programs on the same theme are considered one thing (e.g. organization of training session for 60 school directors in 2019 and organization of training session for another 60 school directors in 2020). Sub-regional meetings are also counted as one intervention, and only in the section of the Field Office that acted as host.

- Programs, projects and initiatives that can be split into multiple components are considered separate interventions (e.g. (i) consultation workshop for the development of draft document that led to (ii) the finalization and publication of a study that was used in (iii) high-level meeting between UNESCO director and a Minister of state; (iv) that led to a training workshop for economists and statisticians).
- Policy analyses are polyvalent and attributable on first sight to multiple mechanisms; we distinguished them in the following sense: UNESCO uses its own specialists to produce an official report published under its emblem, usually in the form of a diagnosis or assessment - diffusion of meanings; UNESCO supports, assists or coproduces an official report published with the governmental emblem - technical assistance.
- Reports and studies are also polyvalent and attributable on first sight to multiple
 mechanisms; we distinguished them in the following sense: UNESCO produces a
 study on a single member-state/ not catalog of good practices, solutions and/or
 technologies diffusion of meanings; UNESCO produces a study that is a comparative
 research of two or more member-states/ a catalog of good practices, solutions and/or
 technologies standards-setting.
- Distribution efforts are also polyvalent and attributable on first sight to multiple
 mechanisms; we distinguished them in the following sense: UNESCO distributes
 communication materials aiming at spreading a specific message diffusion of
 meanings; UNESCO distributes working material aiming at providing in-kind support
 financial means.
- Events are also polyvalent, attributable on first sight to multiple mechanisms; we
 distinguished them in the following sense: UNESCO convenes a conference, summit
 or forum or event with unspecified purposes opening space for dialogue; UNESCO
 convenes a seminar, webinar or lecture diffusion of meanings; UNESCO convenes
 as a sub-regional event standards-setting; UNESCO convenes a high-level meeting coordination roles; UNESCO convenes a capacity-building activity technical
 assistance.
- Workshops are also polyvalent, attributable on first sight to multiple mechanisms; we distinguished them in the following sense: UNESCO convenes a dialogue,

consultation or preparation workshop - opening space for dialogue; UNESCO convenes an advocacy, sensitization or dissemination workshop - diffusion of meanings; UNESCO convenes a comparative, recommendations or good practices workshop - standards-setting; UNESCO convenes an approval, validation or internalization meeting - coordination roles; UNESCO convenes an training workshop - technical assistance.

3.1 UNESCO Field Offices in Africa

UNESCO Field Offices in Africa recorded 1992 interventions over the course of the analyzed period. As mentioned, these interventions were unequally reported, both in terms of field office and in terms of years. Below, an overview of the distribution across the 19 Field Offices located in the African continent:

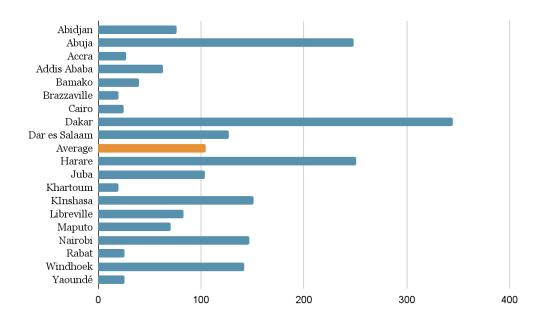
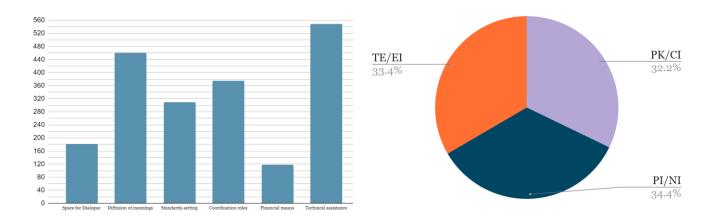


Chart 1. Overview of UNESCO Field Offices' interventions in Africa.

We identified a massive predominance of technical assistance, with 548 interventions. Overall, financial means were the least identified, with only 118 interventions. This resulted in an impressive balance in terms of demonstration of expertise and influence predominance, with procedural knowledge and normative influence slightly ahead, at 34.4%, followed by technical expertise and executive influence, at 33.4%, and procedural knowledge and cognitive influence, at 32%. The neutrality and initiative spectrum was weak in the high section, strong in the mid-high and mid section, very weak in the mid-low section, and very strong in the low section.



Africa split by activity⁶.

Chart 2. Total interventions by UNESCO Field Offices in Chart 3. Total interventions by UNESCO Field Offices in Africa split by expertise and influence⁷.

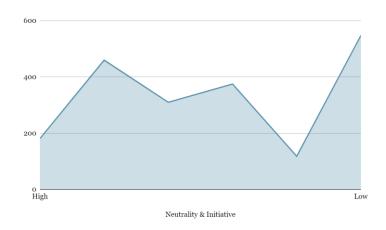


Chart 4. Total interventions by UNESCO Field Offices in Africa under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Further analysis of the UNESCO Field Offices interventions across the African continent also show a noticeable homogeneity when it comes to the use of most interventions. Below, a box plot showing the Field Offices distribution when it comes to the activities that were used:

⁶ From left to right: Space for Dialogue, Diffusion of meanings, Standards-setting, Coordination roles, Financial means, and Technical assistance.

⁷ The abbreviations are: Procedural Knowledge (PK)/Cognitive Influence (CI), Policy Involvement (PI)/Normative Influence (NI) and Technical Expertise (TE)/Executive Influence (EI).

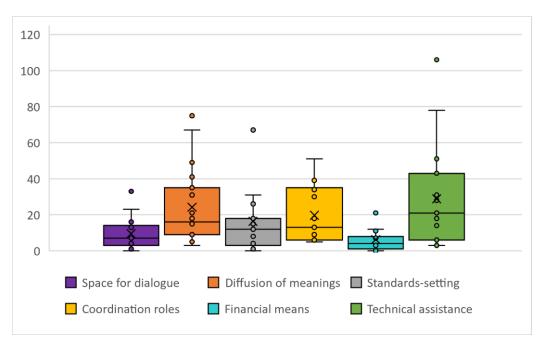
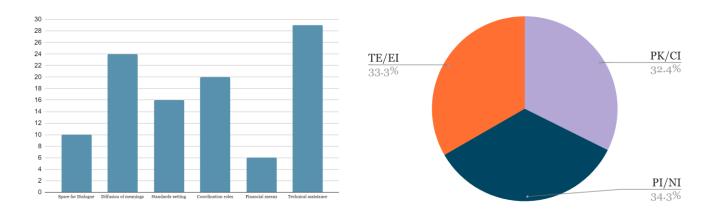


Chart 5. Box plot showing the minimum, maximum, interquartile range, outliers and median of UNESCO Field Offices interventions split by activity.

We also identified that, on average, the structure and distribution remained similar. Technical assistance was still the most used, with 29 interventions; the greatest changes came with space for dialogue, which was diluted, and coordination roles, which was inflated. The distribution in terms of expertise and influence remained very similar, headed by policy involvement and normative influence, with 34.3%, followed by technical expertise and executive influence, at 33.3%, and finally by procedural knowledge and cognitive influence, with 32.4%. The neutrality and initiative spectrum barely changed, still weak in the high section, moderate in the mid-high and mid section, very weak in the mid-low section, and very strong in the low section.



Africa split by activity.

Chart 6. Average interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Chart 7. Average interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Africa split by expertise and influence.

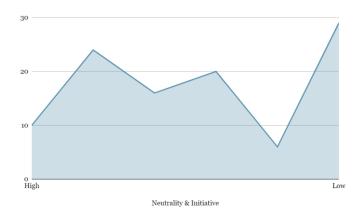


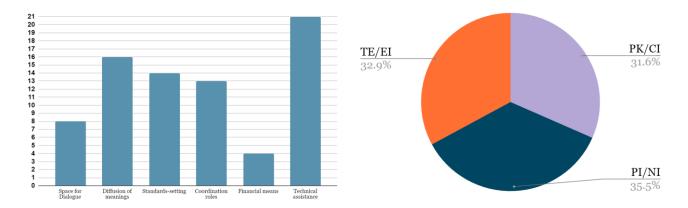
Chart 8. Average interventions by UNESCO Field Offices in Africa under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

We note that, as the result of a manual, extensive and detailed effort, the mapping process was subject to human error - which were hopefully mitigated by the proposed standardization, as well as the multiple re-readings and reviews. Nonetheless, we understand that, in light of the sample size of overall interventions and the significant differences between categories, a small amount of quantitative errors does not structurally harm the research itself. With over 1992 interventions cataloged total and 100 average for each office, 1 to 3 overlooked interventions represent only 1% to 3% as a margin of error.

3.2 UNESCO Field Office in Abidjan

The UNESCO Field Office in Abidjan recorded 76 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

There was a predominance of technical assistance, with 21 interventions. Nonetheless, the field office struck an impressive balance between the forms of influence and expertise, approximating at nearly 33% in all fronts. The neutrality and initiative spectrum was heavier on the lower end, despite some strength in the middle and mid-high section.



split by activity.

Chart 9. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Abidjan Chart 10. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Abidjan split by expertise and influence.

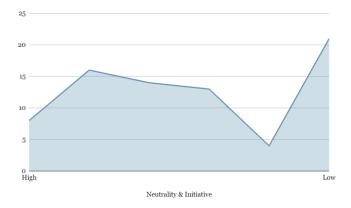


Chart 11. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Abidjan under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

7 - Project d'Education aux Médias et a

8 - Formation et renforcement de capacités des agents de statistiques et formateurs/trices

d'enseignant(e)s à l'utilisation des techniques

9 - Atelier de renforcement des capacités des enseignants du CNRPN en scénarisation et

10 - Formation continue de encadreurs

d'enseignement/apprentissage de l'ECS.

production de capsule vidéo.

linformation des organisations de jeunesse.

Procedural Knowledge Cognitive Influence		Policy Involvement Normative Influence		Technical Expertise Executive Influence	
1 - Le 202ème Conseil Exécutif de l'UNESCO précédent la conférence générale () la délégation ivoirienne a fortement bataillé lors des débats.	1 - Caravanne et inventaire des alliances interethniques et autres mécanismes () pour sensibiliser les jeunes dans 8 localités .	1 - UNESCO Abidjan <i>a réalisé l'étude comparative</i> des systèmes Éducatifs de Corée du Sud, Burkina Faso, Ghana, Malaise et Vietnam	1 - UNESCO ADG/ED Mme Stefania Giannini est présent aux côtés de la Ministre du MENA Kandia Camara dans le cadre des Etats Généraux de l'Education (EGENA) (2022-	1 - Appui financier aux Etats Généraux de l'Education et de l'Alphabétisation (EGENA) après sollicitation par le Gouvernement de la Côte d'Ivoire.	Organisé près de 50 ateliers de formation touchant environ 1165 enseignants et encadreurs pédagogiques dont 605 pairs- formateurs.
Atelier de restitution de formation a été organisé afin de présenter les principaux travaux du Forum des Jeunes du Programme MAB. Organiser une journée de restitution sur	A organisé un séminaire de sensibilisation des administrateurs et modérateurs des réseaux sociaux sur le thème « Roles Et Responsabilites Des Editeurs En Ligne Face Aux Commentaires Des Internautes ».	2 - Appuie des actions de la Recherche-action sur la mesure des apprentissages des bénéficiaires des programmes d'alphabétisation (RAMAA) et (ii) des orientations de l'Alliance mondiale pour l'Alphabétisation (GAL)	2023). 2 - La Directrice générale de l'UNESCO, Mme Audrey Azoulay, au cours de sa visite officielle en Côte d'Ivoire, en février 2019.	2 - Utilisations des fonds UBRAF et BUF pours soutenir des filles en difficulté afin de renforcer leur niveau scolaires pour leur maintien à l'école.	2 - Permis le développement d'un environnement virtuel de formation des enseignants reposant sur la plateforme Moodle
migrations et medias () dont "L'objectif principal de <i>faire la restitution</i> des campagnes de sensibilisation auxquelles elles ont pris part". 4 - Appui à l'organisation des activités du	3 - A organisé une journée d'échanges pour des campagnes d'information () cette journée de sensibilisation qui a réuni diverses organisations de jeunesses, a permis d'une part, de les sensibiliser	3 - Semaine mondiale de l'éducation aux médias et à l'information 2020 dans la région de l'Afrique de l'Ouest qui n'est pas située au Sahel.	3 - Participé, aux côtés d'autres partenaires, à l'élaboration du document de politique nationale de développement de la petite enfance, qui été validé au cours d'un atelier à Grand	3 - Distribution de kits composés des outils de santé basique pours les élèves se familiariser avec leur corps.	3 - Contribue au processus de réalisation du Projet de Contrat d'objectifs et de performance (COP) du Ministère de l'Éducation et de l'alphabétisation, via l'Inspection générale.
Ministère de l'Education pour concertations dans les 31 régions, 14 districts et commissions thématiques.	4 - En fin de Journée Internationale de la Paix, une déclaration sur la culture de la paix a été formulée et lue par les jeunes.	4 - Ainsi, les programmes et pratiques d'alphabétisation exceptionnels annoncés lors de la cérémonie de remise des Prix	Bassam. 4 - La concertation nationale pour un engagement de haut niveau sur l'ECS et la	4 - Cooperación avec l'enterprise SpaceCom pour la <i>connexion a la réseau d'internet des</i> établissements scolaires localisés dans les zone non couvertes.	4 - Appuie les institutions d'éducation aux médias et à l'information (MIL) par l'élaboration, l'adaptation et l'application de
5 - Réalisation d'une enquête en ligne pour identifier avec la population, et obtenir des informations auprès d'un ensemble plus large d'acteurs ivoiriens, sur les besoins relatifs à	 5 - Adoption de la <i>Déclaration d'Abidjan</i> qui se résume en 14 recommandations ainsi que sur le cadre réglementaire. 	internationaux d'alphabétisation 2022 de l'UNESCO. 5 - La Côte d'Ivoire a signé un protocole	préparation de la rencontre régionale des Ministres de l'éducation et de la santé. 5 - Visites sur les sites de l'Université Felix	Zone non couveres.	politiques et de programmes, et le renforcement des capacités.
éducation et TIC. 6 - Construction d'une alliance avec l'Association	6 - Plus de 300 jeunes ciblés via les réseaux sociaux ont été retenus et sensibilisés sur les concepts de	d'accord afin d'adhérer à la Rechercheaction sur la mesure des apprentissages des bénéficiaires des programmes d'alphabétisation	Houphouet Boigny (UFHB) et l'Institut National Polytechnique Houphouet Boigny (INPHB) .		5 - Appui technique aux travaux préparatoires, consultations de partenaires et organisations des journées nationales des Etats Généraux de l'Education et de
des étudiantes des filières scientifiques dénommée "Sciences et Technologies au Femenin". 7 - Organisation d'un événement international	l'ECS à travers une approche ludique et des jeux de cartes. 7 - En raison de la pandémie de la Covid-19	(RAMAA). 6 - A accompagné la Côte d'Ivoire dans la mise	6 - Participation des réunions au Cabinet Ministériel dans le domaine de l'éducation pour penser un document stratégique sur les TICs, à travers du projet "E-éducation".		l'Alphabétisation (EGENA). 6 - Projet D'alphabétisation Fonctionnelle Des Femmes Par Les Technologies De
7 - Organisation d'un evenement international hybride de deux jours en Côte d'Ivoire, pour la Journée Internationale de l'Alphabétisation	7 - En raison de la pandemie de la Covid-19 essentiellement par <i>le biais de webinaires, afin de s'informer</i> des orientations, suggestions et recommandations en matière d'éducation et de	en place d'un dispositif de pilotage du suivi et de l'évaluation de la qualité de l'offre d'alphabétisation grâce à un atelier technique régional.	travers du projet "E-education". 7 - Organisations d'une mission d'évaluation des établissement scolaires ciblés sur les		Des Femmes Par Les Technologies De L'information Et De La Communication (Tic) () basée sur des <i>contenus de formation</i> numérisés
8 - L'UNESCO a organisé, le symposium régional	continuité pédagogique en période de COVID-19.	- A X 1 .	interventions des TICs.		5 D :

8 - Présence la Journée Internationale de la Paix

du Ministre de l'enseignement supérieur,

9 - Participation des trois Ministres de

l'éducation de Côte d'Ivoire, du Ghana et du

Liberia et de la Sous-Directrice générale de

l'UNESCO pour l'Éducation dane le symposium

régional sur le « Droit à l'éducation et l'inclusion

10 - Validation des référentiels d'évaluation qui

représentant Monsieur le Premier Ministre.

7 - Après plusieurs concertations et travaux des

12 pays de la RAMAA II , a été élaboré le

«Référentiel de compétences harmonisé» pour

standardiser les offres de formation et en

8 - Prix UNESCO-Confucius d'Alphabétisation

pour l'ONG Groupement des Alphabétiseurs par

les Technologies de l'Information et de la Communication (GA-TIC).

9 - Utilisation de la plateforme "Imaginecole"

comme une communauté de pratiques et

améliorer la qualité.

sur le « Droit à l'éducation et l'inclusion ». Ce

symposium a regroupé plus de 100 participants de

toute l'Afrique

8 - Intégration de la thématique de l'ECS dans

trois référentiels de compétences du Ministère de

9 - Enquête de « Recherche-actions sur la

résilience du système et l'efficacité des services

10 - Organisation d'une campagne commune (i)

2000 affiches et 2000 dépliants pour *sensibiliser*

élèves et parents et des messages de sensibilisation,

plus lancement d'une application mobile "Hello

l'Éducation Nationales sur ECS et SSR

d'enseignement à distance »

Ado" avec informations fiables sur l'ECS;.

- 11 Réalisation de l'étude préparatoire avec une analyse des besoins de formations en rapport avec les compétences lieu au numérique.
- 12 Réalisation d'un film sur la lutte contre les violences de genre entre UNESCO, OMS et ONU-Femmes.
- 13 Organisation de la Journée Internationale de la Paix 2020.
- 14 L'organisation de l'édition 2022 de la Journée Internationale de l'Alphabétisation.
- 15 La Journée mondiale des enseignant(e)s 2020.
- 16 Séminaire Fake news sur l'Impact de la désinformation en période électorale. Organisé par le PNUD, en partenariat avec la CEI, avec l'appui technique de l'UNESCO.

d'apprentissage qui intègre les 10 pays concernés dans ce projet, avec la construction d'un répertoire régional qui sera mutualisé.

- 10 Élaboration dans la Déclaration d'Abidjan de 14 recommandations portant sur la pédagogie, la planification, le suivi et l'évaluation ainsi que sur le cadre réglementaire
- 11 Élaboration d'un manuel pour les formateurs des enseignants et un module de formation d'ESVS/ECS comprenant 14 fiches pédagogiques pour les enseignants.
- 12 Appui a élaborer un cadre national de compétences TIC pour les enseignants afin d'orienter la conception et le déploiement d'initiatives de formation des enseignants.
- 13 Élaboration et lancement de deux cadres stratégiques de production pérenne des données statistiques de qualité pour la formation professionnelle ainsi que pour l'enseignement supérieur et la recherche scientifique.
- 14 Un atelier d'élaboration de deux cadres stratégiques de production pérenne des données statistiques de qualité pour la formation professionnelle ainsi que pour l'enseignement supérieur et la recherche scientifique.

- régulent (i) l'évaluation institutionnelle, (ii) l'offre de formation et (iii) les programmes de recherche
- 11 L'occasion de participer au « Lancement de l'observatoire sur l'apprentissage tout au long de la vie ».
- 12 Participation de la Journée mondiale des enseignant(e)s 2020, par la Ministre de l'Éducation nationale, de l'enseignement technique et de la formation professionnelle
- 13 Atelier de validation sur module de formation en ECS comprenant 14 fiches afin que le Ministère de l'Education Nationale, de l'Enseignement Technique et de la Formation Professionnelle.

pédagogiques et inspecteurs généraux et formation de 19 ONGs partenaires à la sensibilisation des communautés pour une mise en œuvre plus étendue sur le territoire ivoirien.

- 11 Intègre des approches novatrices basées sur les TIC pour l'éducation à travers de *la création et la mise à l'essai* de cyber-écoles (eschool) au niveau de l'enseignement secondaire.
- 12 Formation des 200 points focaux qualité et des personnels des institutions de l'enseignement supérieur (publiques et privées) et des centres de recherche scientifique, sur la période août-octobre 2019.
- 13 L'UNESCO travaille à l'exécution du plan d'action au développement professionnel des éducateurs du développement de la petite enfance.
- 14 Ce sont 300 femmes, membres de dix groupements agricoles qui ont bénéficié de l'alphabétisation fonctionnelle basée sur leurs activités socio-professionnelles. La session de formation a été assurée par vingt-trois jeunes.
- 15 L'accompagnement pour la création d'une bibliothèque et la formation de 25 techno-pédagogues en scénarisation et production de capsules pédagogiques.
- 16 Appui technique au lancement de la plateforme "Imaginecole", pour mise à disposition des ressources pédagogiques, spécialement pour la formation des enseignants et imprégnations des Directeurs régionaux de l'éducation.
- 17 Production d'un bibliotheque de ressources éducatives adaptées au programme éducatif en cours pour les disciplines français, anglais, mathématiques, physique-chimie et sciences.
- 18 Promotion des STEMs dans les établissements scolaires ciblés via les *ateliers* de renforcement de capacités.
- 19 Appui pour mettre à jour la politique et la strategie nationale des TIC dans l'éducation en mettant l'accent sur l'inclusion et le genre;
- 20 Soutient les pays dans le renforcement des systèmes de l'enseignement supérieur en appuyant la création d'organismes nationaux d'assurance qualité..
- 21 Élaboré un plan d'action dont la mise en œuvre a mis l'accent sur l'accompagnement de

					la Côte d'Ivoire dans l'élaboration de sa politique nationale de développement de la petite enfance (DPE).
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Table 3. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Abidjan identified in UNESCO Abidjan Activities Reports of 2019, 2020 and 2021.

3.3 UNESCO Field Office in Abuja

The UNESCO Field Office in Abuja recorded 248 interventions over the course of the analyzed period. This high number is probably due to it being a Regional Bureau.

There was a majority of technical assistance, with 78 interventions. Demonstrations of technical expertise and executive influence were predominant, but not overwhelming. Here, too, the neutrality and initiative spectrum was heavier on the lower end, but now with some presence in the mid-low section; all things considered, it also provided data against our proposed hypothesis.

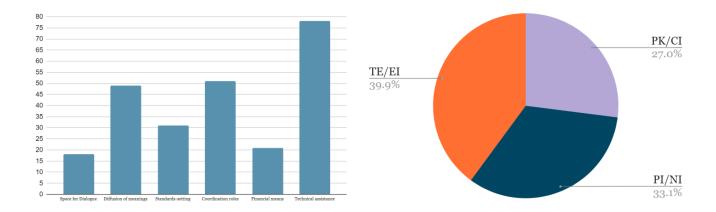


Chart 12. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Abuja split by activity.

Chart 13. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Abuja split by expertise and influence.

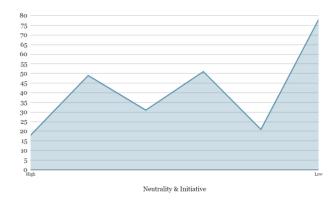


Chart 14. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Abuja under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

MIS software for effect utilization of the developed

10 - Direct training for 4,589,637 learners under the

11 - A three-day capacity building wasr organised

for Non-Formal Education Facilitators (NFEF) as

12 - Training of 20,000 learners through recorded

13 - Support, during the Train the Trainers

workshop, for the development of curricula.

well as Formal Education teachers

classes of lessons in six subject areas.

portal..

Technical Expertise

Executive Influence

Rivers State and Federal Capital Territory.

8 - RAYL Project distributed laptops preloaded,

training manuals, books, pencils and flash drives

containing Literacy programme to RAYL

9 - Inauguration of the ICT Computer

Laboratory in Liberia by UNESCO in

collaboration with the Ministry of Education in

10 - UNESCO Regional Office in Abuja funded

the Mano River Union Youth Parliament

Nigeria.

Liberia.

Cogmus o mindence		1 tormative influence		Executive influence		
Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance	
1 - Bring together diverse stakeholders in the NFE to interface, develop content, share experiences and jointly participate in the project implementation under RYAL. 2 - Establishment of 621 Centre Based Management committees in the 146 RAYL Local Government areas. 3 - Participated in the stakeholders meeting organized by the Federal Ministry of Education, Nigeria on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in Education. The forum provided an opportunity for a cross-fertilisation of ideas. 4 - Called on Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) to double their efforts in support of the government to eradicate illiteracy in the country and spoke at the meeting organized by the Agency. 5 - The recent political transition in Gambia was the focus of a two-days Conference on: "Youth, Peacebuilding and Regional Solidarity: Lessons from Africa".	1 - Advocacy and communication component of the Revitalizing Adult and Youth Literacy (RAYL) in Nigeria. 2 - Mobilization and sensitization on the relevance of literacy in the 146 RAYL pilot LGAs across the country. 3 - Advocacy and use of print and electronic media platforms leading to increased participation of NGOs and State Governments for increased awareness on the importance of literacy. 4 - Translation into transborder languages and distribution of a UNESCO Publication for education, "Bouba et Zaza". 5 - Celebration of the 2015 World Teachers Day was in Nigeria on 5th October with the theme "Empowering teachers, building sustainable Societies". 6 - A CapEFA website was designed for electronic mapping of PTE in the TVET subsector in Benin.	1 - Held a 'Train the trainers' workshop () with participants drawn from the five English-speaking West African countries. 2 - Sub-regional workshop was organized to finalize the development of a basic education curriculum and other materials. 3 - Training of teachers of basic education, and especially literacy and nonformal education attended by nationals of Burkina Faso; Ivory Coast, Niger, Mali, Senegal and Togo. 4 - Regional training course () to assist West African educational institutions to integrate diversity and gender education in primary and lower secondary classrooms. 5 - Development of a Draft Global Tool on School Related Gender Based Violence which was tested for appropriateness and usability in West Africa. 7 - Participated in a Regional Workshop () with experiences of UNESCO Regional Office, Abuja shared through a presentation titled "Teacher Policy Development in West	1 - Steered leaders for policy changes towards increased commitment of States in supporting literacy efforts leading to increased budgetary allocations to LNFE. 2 - Inauguration of three leadership structures namely the National M&E Committee, the FCT Project Implementation Task Team and the Rivers State Project Implementation Task Team and the Rivers State Project Implementation Task Team and the visited Port Harcourt, Rivers State and met and held discussions with the Permanent Secretaries of the State Ministry of Education. 4 - Sessions for the adoption of regulations, management and coordination of TVET sector support. 5 - High-level meeting between UNESCO Regional Director for Abuja and Executive Director of AMEFOND to recognize and push to the realization of EFA goals in Nigeria. 6 - High-level coordination at the 2015 World Teachers Day in Nigeria () with the President of the Republic and the heads of UNICEF, UNDP, ILO, UNESCO.	1 - Donation of Skills acquisition equipment for the seven model learning community learning centers were purchased and distributed to States. 2 - Development and printing of 5,000 copies of 15 modules manual for the training of NFE facilitators and 2,000 copies of a handbook for training of trainers of NFE facilitators 3 - Printing and distribution of 10,000 copies of Literacy by Radio primer and 2,000 copies of facilitators Guide to learners through the State Agencies for Mass Education. 4 - Distribution of additional, translated versions of the primers in four (4) Nigerian languages (Igbo, Hausa Khana and Yoruba) to relevant States 5 - Distribution of over 180,000 units of learning materials (exercise books and pencils) by the RAYL and UNESCO-P&G projects. 6 - The Education Sector of UNESCO in Abuja provided five laptops and educational materials to Aver Angela Wada Foundation (AMEFOND).	1. Policy review and analysis component of the RAYL in Nigeria, to strengthen the national capacity for designing, delivering, evaluating and monitoring quality literacy programmes. 2 - Training of facilitators from all the thirty-six States and the Federal Capital Territory. 3 - Capacity-building workshop for staff of NMEC, SAME, NGOs and Universities. 4 - Capacity-building workshops for participants on action research for Revitalizing Adult and youth literacy in a Multi-lingual context. 5 - Support for the establishment of an additional 192 centres with an average of 25 learners per centre in the 146 RAYL LGAs. 6 - Training for Centre-based Management Committee Executive members from the 146 RAYL GAs 7 - Development of Non-Formal Education Management Information System NFE-MIS, with the software developed. 8 - CapEFA activities in Togo aimed to design	
Universities. 8 - Supported the establishment of 60 school clubs for female secondary school students in 60 nather schools in Nigaria.	from 2012 to 2013 and 2013 to 2014. 8 - LNFE resources were reproduced on CDs and disseminated to all the six education areas of the country.	African Region" 8 - The long-standing cooperation between UNESCO and ECOWAS, which dated back to the 80s was taken further at a warkshan.	7 - Regional statistics were the subject of feedback at the decentralized level with the authorities and local education communities before the 2016/2017 campaign that takes into	7 - UNESCO / Procter & Gamble Project provided Exercise Books, Teachers Guides, training manuals and visibility materials for	training materials in LNFE. 9 - Training of NMEC, AME, NatCom UNESCO, MDGs, SAME and NGOs in the use of the NFE-MIS software for effect utilization of the developed.	

before the 2016-2017 campaign that takes into

7 - UNESCO and the Inter-ministerial Task

Force (IMTF) on TVET jointly organized a two-

day technical conference to review the TVET

policy and Operational Plans (2015-2020) and

8 - Promotion of an external evaluation exercise

of the RAYL project (...) The evaluation team

visited Nigeria at least twice and in addition to

embarking on field visits, had met with key

account indicators on the SDG 4, 2030.

validate the draft Policy review report.

stakeholders.

the 80s, was taken further at a workshop,

organized on 24th and 25th May 2017 held at

the ECOWAS Headquarters Abuja, Nigeria.

10 - UNESCO and the Human Sciences

Research Council (HSRC) hosted the first

meeting of the UNESCO Inclusive Policy Lab

11 - Finalization of the TVET Curriculum

Handbook, which is currently being utilized

by TVET institutions and development

partners as a guide for designing all TVET

in Southern and Western Africa.

related curricula in Liberia.

Policy Involvement

Normative Influence

Procedural Knowledge

Cognitive Influence

the country.

was carried out.

9 - National statistical data of the countries

statistical campaigns were presented to

authorities, government, local and international

10 - A study on the model of the National

Accounts of Education (NEA) in Côte d'Ivoire

11 - Organized a seminar on TVET in Liberia.

which was attended by more than 50 developmen

partners and government ministries

60 partner schools in Nigeria.

Teachers Network in Liberia.

Gender-based Violence.

9 - Engaged with and mobilized traditional and

religious leaders, women organizations, market

women, youth and community gatekeepers by

organizing key stakeholder consultative

10 - Supported the setting up of a TVET

11 - Education conference within the

framework of the 16 Days of Activism Against

meetings on second chance education.

- 13 Organized a *national consultation* on the situation of adolescents and young people in relation to their education health and access to sexual and reproductive health information and services.
- 14 UNESCO assisted to constitute and support a dedicated group of teachers and facilitators.
- **15** Organization of international conference to launch the EFA Global Monitoring Report with the theme "Education for All 2000-2015.
- 16 Launch ceremony of the National TVET Policy and Operational Plan on 26 May 2015. The event was attended by more than 150 development partners, EU, US embassy and UN agencies.
- 17 Inter-Ministerial Task Force on Technical and Vocational Education and Training set-up by the presidency organized a National Stakeholders Forum (NSF).
- 18 Provided technical support for the AYP national consultation.

- 12 Synthesis and dissemination of 10 key pillars which are essential to the transformation of TVET in Liberia.
- 13 Advocacy visits to many States in the country to secure further support of the project on the Revitalizing Adult and Youth Literacy in Nigeria (RAYI).
- 14 *Dissemination of results* from Regional Workshop on Teacher Policy Development
- 15 Dissemination, par l'atelier bilan a Cotonou, à tous les acteurs du système TVET et au grand public.
- 16 Finalization and launching of the concept note on "The Use of Micro-science Kits for effective delivery of STEM education in schools in Liberia"
- 17 Engagement with youth through traditional and new communication tools is a key component of the project. Community radio and radio talk show, interviews were used.
- 18 Sensitized Junior High Schools students (particularly girls) on STEM-related careers through engagement with female role models and other activities.
- 19 Produced a documentary of the Project UNESCO P&G funded Project on Empowering Girls and Women in Literacy and Skills Development using ICTs.
- 20 Presentation of the video clip of the literacy and skill development project that won the 2018 UNESCO Confucius Prize for Literacy.
- 21 Engaged in sharing information on current events and the implementation of TVET projects and programmes in Benin through the publication of an electronic newsletter; and the UNESCO Antenna Facebook account.
- 22 Integration of play and resilience have been identified as part of the new contents in teacher education curriculum by National Commission for Colleges of Education and support for the adoption of the training manuals.
- 23 Conducted SERAT assessment of Nigeria FLHE Programme.
- 24 Sensitized education policy makers at the 2nd National EMIS Conference that led to the approval of a review of Annual School Census tools to integrate CSE/HIV indicators.
- 25 Established public-private partnership with (...) for *marketing* O3 Programme to a plethora of

- 12 Launching of the Global Education Monitoring (GEM) Report.
- 13 A guide to the production and training of the ICT modules produced was also published by UNESCO.
- 14 Dissemination of Evaluation Referentials to provide the Higher Education and Scientific Research System with a set of 3 national reference systems.
- 15 Award of the Confucius Prize for Literacy (...) to the literacy and skill development project of the Nigerian Prisons Service as a model to be replicated in other parts of Africa.
- 16 Peer Review meeting in Nigeria with the other pilot countries and China to share experiences gathered during countries' needs assessment exercise.
- 17 UNESCO and ECOWAS launched a new initiative (...) to deepen integration and harmonization, create a common identity, promote the transparency of multiple and complex systems.
- 18 UNESCO, in collaboration with ECOWAS, has launched an initiative aimed at the development of NQFs and RQF.
- 19 UNESCO and ECOWAS organized a Ministerial round table, providing an opportunity for participants to discuss several key aspects of the TVET initiative.
- 20 Organization of Regional Technical Workshop on NQF in the ECOWAS Region for building a community of practice within ECOWAS and moving towards a "common language".
- 21 Embarked on the process of developing a harmonized Framework with a common orientation for professional standards, for the professionalization of teachers of basic education in West and Central Africa.
- 22 Co-organization of a workshop with several concrete recommendations, in particular, for Member States, international organizations and experts in digital education.
- 24 Jointly conducted a five-day sub-regional training workshop for ICT experts in higher education from Benin, Côte d'Ivoire, Liberia, Morocco, Nigeria, Liberia and Sierra Leone on the use of online learning and Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs).

- 9 Attendance at the launch ceremony of the National TVET Policy and Operational Plan on 26 May 2015 by the Vice President of the Republic of Liberia.
- 10 UNESCO mission visited Liberia in early 2014. The team met with development partners and members of the Inter-Ministerial Task Force.
- 11 Technical experts presented the policy during an organized Stakeholders Forum attended by the Vice President of the Republic of Liberia (...) which was then approved by members of cabinet that included the Presidency.
- 12 Provided the The International Development Partners TVET in Benin subgroup with a strategic action plan to ensure the coordination, technical assistance and validation of the strategy.
- 13 Regional Director, and team undertook an *advocacy visit* to Rivers State to discuss two UNESCO-managed projects.
- 14 The international development partners group on education paid courtesy visit to Federal Ministry of Education (...) meeting were the Honourable Minister of Education.
- 15 Attendance at the bilingual regional training workshop by *Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research of Côte d'Ivoire.*
- **16** *Introduction of a joint communication to the Council of Ministers* for the approval of these projects and the signing of the Agreement.
- 17 The high-level symposium was attended by 5 Education Ministers, the ECOWAS commissioner (...) and UNESCO Assistant Director-General for Education.
- 18 The NOGALSS (...) executives of the Association were later presented to the NMEC and UNESCO was represented at the Occasion.
- 19 The UIS Statistical Cluster Adviser visited Nigeria and met with education authorities in Nigeria including the Honourable Minister for Education.
- 20 Set of GBV recommendations articulated and endorsed by the leadership of the lead Ministries, Ministers of Education and Health.
- 21 Attended and made presentation at the 3rd Biennial International Conference on Gender with attendance by Honourable Minister of State for Health of Nigeria.

- Liberia Chapter (MRUYP)
- 11 The SMLA *procured and distributed* over one thousand, one hundred and ninety (1,190) mobile devices directly to the beneficiaries.
- 12 Procured and distributed 40,000 exercise books and other learning materials to the target groups.
- 13 Mobilized additional resources of USD\$1,825,668 through the UNEU Spotlight Initiative to support the achievement of SDG 5 for Nigeria.
- **14** *Provision of financial resources* to the establishment of LiTCOM in Liberia.
- 15 Within the framework of CFIT@Togo (...) 13 FacLab/MediaLab and Wifi platforms have been created, equipment for the 13 training institutions were presented to the Government of Togo.
- **16** *Provided* a total of 3,795 learning tablet computers to learners.
- 17 UNESCO mobilized 300,000 EUR from GIZ for all stages of education from ECCE to higher education, including TVET, formal, and non-formal literacy efforts.
- 18 UNESCO conducted free and voluntary HIV/AIDS Testing Services (HTS) and distributed free condoms across communities.
- 19 UNESCO and UNFPA, alongside Save the Children and Plan International, provided financial support for the AYP national consultation.
- 20 Devices were distributed and content installed on computers in schools and learning centers (...) and devices were procured and distributed, with funding support from the government of Bauchi State.
- 21 Laptops received from Samsung Electronics were distributed to 23 newly established model community learning and vocational centres...

- **14 Organisation d'un atelier** a Cotonou pour des enseignants et leurs représentants au profit des autres pays, en vue de **renforcer leur capacité**..
- 15 Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) delivered via formal, non-formal and informal learning platforms.
- **16** Development of educational statistics StatEduc2_Benin, a *management computer application, was completed.*
- 17 Training of super users for StatEduc2 Benin.
- **18** Build the capacity of a critical mass of personnel to handle the planning, monitoring and evaluation, as well as translation into mother-tongues of the DLNEF sub-sector
- 19 National technical team and regional technical teams were set up in Togo to develop a SIMLNFE.
- 20 Provided technical expertise to the Parliament and Office of the Presidency in fine-tuning and submitting the draft TVET legislation to plenary for debate
- 21 Liiteracy and non-formal education *personnel* were trained in monitoring and evaluation of literacy and NFE programmes.
- 22 Heads of decentralized services were trained on andragogy, methods, techniques and approaches used in INFF
- 23 Train-the-trainers workshop was conducted and training manual for LNFE was developed. The training was cascaded at the decentralized level.
- 24 Updating the cooperate social responsibility (CSR) sector and financial simulation model (FSM)
- 25 Strategies and tools were developed; training of personnel in the Strategy, Planning and Statistics (SPS) as well as Regional Coordinators of statistics on the use of StatEduc2.0. were also conducted.
- **26 Development** of CSE curriculum for Vocational Schools in Lagos State.
- 27 Assistance for the development of the TVET Policy, TVET Action Plan (2014-2015) and TVET Operational Plan (2015-2020) in Liberia.
- 28 Provision of technical support for TVET information sharing through the creation of a webbased information sharing platform
- 29 UNESCO / P&G Project trained Facilitators

- stakeholders, including high-level policy makers and financial institutions during the 5th Lafarge National Literacy Competition.
- 26 Reached in- and out-of-school adolescents and young people through SMS with CSE/SRH and life skills information using FLHE curriculum.
- 27 Sensitized 74 community leaders (47 females and 27 males) on the need for access to CSE/SRH information and services for adolescents and young people
- 28 Publication of National TVET Strategy Paper for Togo.
- 29 Production of planning resources for TVET in Togo, which were the subject of a sharing workshop held in Lomé. The workshop attracted the participation of TVET stakeholders in Togo, including technical and financial partners.
- **30** Adoption of a call for action for the development of National Qualification Frameworks (NOFs).
- 31 Publication and disponibility of resource package that consists of 5 modules of Pedagogical Resources On The Use Of ICTs In Teacher Training to Togo.
- **32** UNESCO *sensitized* school principals, teachers, gender officers, counselors on gender based violence (GBV) and other themes.
- 33 In *cooperation with two media houses* in Bauchi State, learning content was aired through dedicated programming on television.
- 34 Developed technical country summaries for Côte d'Ivoire, Nigeria and Liberia, examining the instrumental role that legislation on the right to education can play in achieving SDG4 targets in each of the three countries of the West African sub-region.
- 35 Sensitized and advocated for community gatekeepers, including parents, community and religious leaders to be supportive of Family Life and HIV Education (FLHE).
- 36 UNESCO and its partners developed an action plan to increase women's empowerment and participation in civic life.
- 37 UNESCO conducted a survey to analyze if Family Life and HIV Education (FLHE) and other themes were included or integrated in school rules and regulations.
- 38 Printing and distribution of the National

- 25 Organized a regional high-level symposium to discuss the implementation of the 1960 Convention against discrimination in education and adopt an ECOWAS framework for inclusive education.
- 26 UNESCO developed 15 ECOWAS country factsheets for each of the 15 ECOWAS countries. Country factsheets pointed out data gaps, recommendations and indicators.
- 27 Survey results led to the *development of prototype school rules and guidelines* that included all forms of SRGBV.
- 28 UNESCO supported the approval of guidelines for TVET.
- 29 Proposal of a set of recommendations for addressing situations of adolescents and young people's health and access to information and services, as well as gender-based violence.
- **30** Organization of UNESCO-Procter & Gamble event, held at the ECOWAS secretariat on 5th May 2016.
- 31 Conducted a national SDG 4 workshop in Côte d'Ivoire and in Guinea for building capacity on mainstreaming SDG 4 into the national education agenda.

- 22 Speech at UNESCO-Always event by the wife of Nigeria's President, represented by the wife of the Vice President.
- 23 Visit of the UNESCO Assistant Director General-Education to Liberia and meeting with the Chinese Ambassador in Liberia and Liberian Minister of Education, Hon. George K Werner
- 24 The NSF was attended by UNESCO Assistant Director General-Education in support of Liberia's TVET reform.
- 25 The Senior Programme Specialist from the UIS, was in Nigeria on a mission, with reference to a proposed project on Lifelong Learning.
- 26 The IMLD event (...) was chaired by the former Minister of State for Education, and the Director-General's Message was read.
- 27 The Executive Governor of Ebonyi State, Nigeria, His Excellency, Engr. David Umiah, was in UNESCO Regional Office Abuja to pay a courtesy call.
- 28 Representation at "Conakry Capitale Mondiale du Livre" at Guinea Conakry with the effective presence of the President of Guinea, His Excellency Alpha Condé.
- 29 High-level bilateral meetings with the Minister of Youth of Ghana, the Minister of Education of Togo, the Minister for Higher Education of Guinea and the Minister of Basic Education of Guinea.
- 30 La cérémonie de lancement de la nouvelle phase du CapED (...) présidée par Ministre des Enseignements Secondaires et de la Formation Technique et Professionnelle.
- **31** The Nigerian Government and UNESCO signed a Memorandum of Understanding to launch a three-year project titled "Revitalizing Adult and Youth Literacy in Nigeria" (RAYL).
- 32 The Government of Bauchi State played host to UNESCO and Procter & Gambles (...) under the distinguished Special Guest of Honour, Minister of Education.
- 33 Monitoring mission to Liberia met with the Speaker of the MRUYP and his team.
- 27 The National Assembly of Namibia and UNESCO hosted a two-day workshop on the "Role of Culture of Peace in Policy Making and Implementation of Sustainable Development Goal 16" in the Chamber of the Parliament

- and enrolled Non-formal Education learners and Junior Secondary School Students.
- **30 RAYL Project Trained** Facilitators and executive members of CBMC and developed capacities of university staff.
- 31 Focal persons were also exposed to a training session (...) The focal persons from finance, accounts and budget departments also had a separate training session.
- **32 -** Convened *a two-day stakeholders' workshop in Abuja to develop* Benchmark Minimum Academic Standards (BMAS)
- **33** Gender and Transformative Leadership Curriculum used in 2015 *to train* facilitators prior to the 2015 general election in the country.
- **34** UNESCO/Always partnership of *providing literacy classes for girls* in Nigeria which started in 2014.
- 35 Organized a one-day planning meeting on to finalize the TVET Teachers Training Project Proposal.
- **36 -** *Appui à l'Annuaire statistique 2014-2015* (...) après la collecte des données a été réalisée en utilisant le logiciel SatEduc 2.
- 37 Organized skill acquisition for teachers' educators in some Teacher Training Institutes in Liberia. The training attracted teacher educators, school administrators and academic support staff.
- **38 Réalisation d'un atelier-bilan** sur la mise en œuvre du Programme CapED (2015-2016).
- **39** Organized a 2-day "STEM-Micro-science Kit Awareness and Fundraising workshop" in Monrovia, to finalize the draft concept note.
- 40 Two regional workshops were organized on 19 and 25 May 2017 in Liberia. Relevant trainings to build youth capacities and skills in conflicts transformation were conducted.
- 41 Developed an Application software capable of hosting both contents of the formal and non-formal lessons with the ability to run on Microsoft windows and Google android devices
- 42 Developed, improved and digitized 85 lessons content for Non-Formal Education learners as well as lessons
- 43 Trained personnel, which included 120 teachers and 80 facilitators to serve as the Training of Trainers for the Project

- Education Sector HIV & AIDS Policy and distributed among schools and stakeholders.
- 39 Conducted a *needs assessment* to better understand the challenges of the ECCE sector (...) and arafted and disseminated among stakeholders a policy brief on supporting childhood resilience through play in ECCE
- 40 Reached over 29,800 people through advocacy and sensitisation on GBV and ASCE.
- 41 Two webinars were organized and addressed the Higher Education Response to COVID-19 Higher Education in Africa Challenges and Solutions through ICTs, e-Learning, Distance Education and Digital Inclusion.
- **42 Capacity assessment** of MoEs in 4 countries (Nigeria, Ghana, Togo and Côte d'Ivoire).
- 43 Celebration of the International Mother Language Day (IMLD).
- 44 Organisation de *la cérémonie de lancement* de la nouvelle phase du Programme de développement des capacités pour l'Éducation (CapED).
- **45** Launch of the Phase II of the UNESCO-Always Project: Empowering Girls and Women in Literacy and Skills Development Using ICTs.
- 46 Launch of the "Our Rights, Our Lives, Our Future Project: Supporting Family Life And HIV/AIDS Education In Nigeria"
- 47 Official launch of the process of the development of a holistic national policy on the teaching profession took place in Cotonou in July 2018
- **48** *Organization of launch event* of the Global Education Monitoring Report 2019 in Liberia, Nigeria and Ghana.
- 49 Organization of an event that announced the extension of the UNESCO-Always literacy empowerment programme.

- 28 Nigeria and Liberia organized high-level events with the Honourable Minister of Education (...) and Assistant Minister for Teacher Education.
- 29 The School Meets the Learner Approach (SMLA) steered the mobilization of over 200 000 USD from Bauchi state government and IIBER
- 30 A Press Briefing with the Honourable Minister of Interior, the Honourable Minister of Education in Nigeria.
- 31 Organization of a validation workshop for the new version of TVET Benin Policy Review in the presence of a joint UNESCO mission and under the chairmanship of Minister of Secondary Education and Technical and Vocational Training.
- 32 Institutional visits to the sub-region with national authorities, development partners and UN agencies in order to define ways of cooperation.
- 33 UNESCO membership of ECD Working Group chaired by Federal Ministry of Education and National Child Rights Implementation Committee chaired by the Minister of Women Affairs and Social Develomment.
- 34 The Honourable Ministers of Education and Health launched the "Our Rights, Our Lives, Our Future Project" in Abuja.
- 35 Organization of national workshop for the validation of the curricula of the F1 and F3 industrial sectors, corresponding respectively to mechanical construction and electrical engineering in Lomé.
- 36 National Strategy was presented to the Minister of Technical Education and Vocational Training at a ceremony held in Lomé.
- 37 Supporting Benin and Togo in the implementation of their NQFs. Consequently, international experts were requested to conduct an exploratory mission to Benin and Togo.
- 38 InterMinisterial Task Force on TVET about TVET governance and led to the subsequent pronouncement by the Presidency to establish the LiTCOM through an Act by the National Legislature.
- 39 Official launch of the holistic national policy for the teaching profession in Cotonou *under the* chairmanship of the Minister of Nursery and

- 44 Update the Benin TVET Policy Review in light of the new socio-political context. The policy review involved two international experts and national executives.
- 45 A national technical team was formed, and staff involved in this process had their capacities strengthened to produce the legal documents and all the necessary institutional bodies.
- **46** *Capacity building* of stakeholders including teacher educators, school administrators, teachers, caregivers, community gatekeepers and parents.
- 47 Supported the National Agency for the Control of AIDS (NACA) to develop the Parent-Child Communication Toolkit on CSE/SRH.
- 48 3-day stakeholders' workshop on the design of a TVET Curriculum Handbook, in March 2018.
- 49 A follow-up training for TVET Curriculum Handbook in Liberia was organized and participants provided technical inputs to improve the initial draft of the Curriculum Handbook.
- 50 UNESCO Supports The Revision Of The Curricula Of Two Industrial Technical Fields in Togo using a participatory approach that enabled the capacity-building.
- 51 Supporting the development of a National TVET strategy, holding of three technical workshops for the participatory development of the strategy and its action plan.
- 52 Providing the government agency with documents for planning its development, in order to develop a sustained capacity for the pre and inservice training of trainers in the Togolese TVET
- 53 Held a capacity development seminar with participants from TVET institutions, government agencies and development partners.
- **54** *UNESCO* is providing Benin with its expertise through the methodological guide developed by the Teachers Task Force and its experts.
- 55 Providing pedagogical skills and knowledge in ICT for teacher educators in three rural teacher-training institutions and Teachers' College at the University of Liberia.
- **56 Supported Togo to set up a mobile training and learning system** based on ICTs in pedagogical practices.
- **57 UNESCO trained teachers** after the installation of the equipment to improve teaching practices through FacLabs and Wifi platforms.

Primary Education.

- 40 Handover ceremony in Lomé, in the presence of the Minister of Education of Togo, the Ambassador of China to Togo, the Director of the UNESCO Regional Office in Abuja.
- **41** *UNESCO and Benin signed an agreement* for a Plan of Cooperation covering 15 projects.
- 42 Establishment of a restricted interministerial technical committee in Benin.
- 43 Official visit of the Assistant Director-General of UNESCO for Education to Benin with the President of the Republic of Benin.
- 44 Attendance from the Assistant Minister, representing the Minister of Education of Liberia and VP of Nigeria in GEM launch.
- 45 Mobilized and built strong consensus among development partners including UNIDO and GIZ to establish an interim multistakeholder committee for TVET in Liberia.
- 46 UNESCO in partnership with the Ministry of Education coordinated health sector stakeholders to jointly revise and update the National Education Policy.
- 47 Attendance in AYP national consultations of the Minister of State for Education.
- 48 SERAT assessment findings have been reviewed and validated by stakeholders.
- **49** Validation of data from the 2012-2013 seasons through a workshop and report of data collection..
- 50 The RAYL team visited two literacy and vocational centers.
- **51 -** *Attendance* at the stakeholders' workshop on the design of a TVET Curriculum Handbook by the *Minister Youth and Sports*.

- **58** Organized a series of training and production workshops on ICT and Pedagogical modules for teacher training institutions in Togo.
- **59 Training of** experts and teacher-researchers in the national workshop For The Validation Of Evaluation Benchmarks in Côte D'Ivoire
- 60 Workshop to raise awareness and build capacity in quality assurance in higher education (...) and experts were trained during the event.
- **61** Technical support of UNESCO for the preparation of the 15 projects in education of the Plan of Cooperation by the ministries in Benin.
- **62** Provided remedial lessons and life skills training to female students, including on leadership, self-esteem, communication, negotiation, assertiveness, and refusal skills to girls at risk of dropping out of school.
- **63** Provided NFE and life-skills training to women and out-of-school girls in (...) developing locally relevant basic literacy information, and training NFE facilitators..
- **64 Revised the TTI curricula** (...) and **developed e-learning training elements** for a common ICT platform for teacher educators
- 65 Trained teachers on the common ICT platform, and equipped teacher educators from three rural TTIs and the teacher college of the University of Liberia with e-learning skills and knowledge.
- 66 UNESCO (...) developed a learning application named 'School Meet the Learning Approach (SMLA)'.
- 67 Trained teachers and facilitators in a training of trainer (TOT) capacity-building on technical aspects
- **68** *Developed and digitized* lessons in six subject areas and uploaded lessons on learning computers which were provided to students.
- 69 UNESCO supported the formulation of an education strategy and guideline to include for ECD
- 70 Provided technical support to conduct an Education Sector Assessment (ESA) that will ultimately lead to the preparation of the Education Sector Plan (ESP) of Sierra Leone.
- 71 Conducted a two-day capacity development training for County Education Officers on TVET and provided capacity development training to TVET teachers.

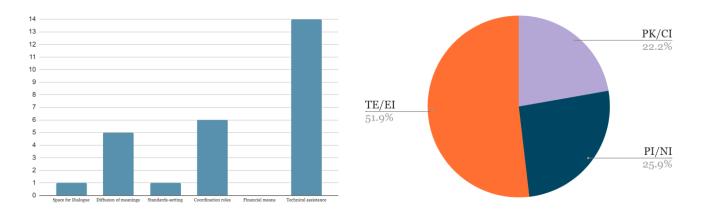
		72 - Supported the formulation of a National Policy on Violence-Free Schools for Children in Nigeria, a National Policy on Adolescent Health and Development.
		73 - Developed and updated FLHE resource materials and trained teacher educators and teachers, thus enhancing their knowledge and skills, as well as ensuring their commitment. () and developed teaching resource materials.
		74 - Followed the identified need to revise Liberia's outdated National Education Sector HIV & AIDS Policy
		75 - Built the human resource capacity of ECCE institutions through the capacity-building of policy makers, teacher trainers, school administrators, teachers, caregivers and others
		76 - Moved to review the TVET Policy and Operational Plans, by building the capacities of the Inter-ministerial Task Force on TVET to finalize the draft TVET legislation in Liberia
		77 - Offered basic literacy skills, sexual, reproductive health and rights (SHRH) education and taught women and girls how to spot violence and where to seek help
		78 - Organized a programme to provide basic literacy and livelihood skills to women and enhance the capacity of Low Performing Girls in Junior Secondary Schools in Bauchi State using ICTs.

Table 4. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Abuja identified in UNESCO Abuja Activities Reports of 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019 and 2020, complemented by UNESCO Abuja Newsletters from 2017.

3.4 UNESCO Field Office in Accra

The UNESCO Field Office in Accra recorded 27 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

There was a predominance of technical assistance, with 14 interventions; here, financial means had no interventions recorded. More than 50% demonstrated technical expertise and executive influence, and only a small amount focused on procedural knowledge and cognitive influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum again weighed towards the lower end, with a relative balance in the mid-high and mid-low sections.



split by activity.

Chart 15. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Accra Chart 16. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Accra split by expertise and influence.

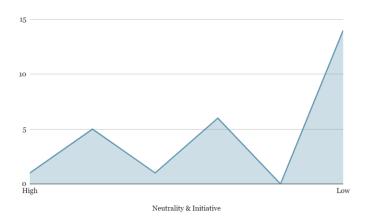


Chart 17. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Accra under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Technical Expertise

Cognitive Influence		Normativ	ve Influence	Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue 1 - Organized a two-day Annual Partners Review Meeting aimed at providing a platform for its implementing partners of the EHW programme	Diffusion of meanings 1 - Mobilization of massive public participation on the 2014 World Teachers Day to publicize the day 2 - Designed a 5-year girls' education () with a needs assessment and a capacity assessment conducted on the GEU of the Ghana Education Service. 3 - UNESCO Ghana graced the 4-day Ghana International Book Fair (GIBF) organized by the Ghana Publishers Association in Acera. 4 - Conference launch of the EFA GMR, which highlighted Ghana's remarkable progress in providing access to Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE). 5 - Celebration of the 2014 World Teachers Day in Ghana.	Standards-setting 1 - Contributed to conducting a research on Rural School Improvement in Ghana () aimed to identify best practice stories and experiences in school improvement that could be documented and disseminated.	Coordination roles 1 - UNESCO National Office in Accra 5-year girls' education project validated the GEU needs assessment and capacity assessment by key stakeholders. 2 - Ghana's Minister of Education and the Head of Office and Representative of UNESCO in Ghana jointly unveiled EFA GMR the report. 3 - High-level coordination at the 2014 World Teachers Day in Ghana. 4 - Attendance, on behalf of the Minister of Education, Mrs. Ama Servah Nerquaye Tetteh at the Partners Review Meeting on EHW. 5 - High-level engagement during the opening sessions of the Emergency Remote Teaching (ERT) training. 6 - Validation and harmonization from development partners, government and UN agencies of the draft TVET policies and operational plans.	Executi Financial means	Technical assistance 1 - Customized capacity strengthening programm was implemented in Ghana for 10 personnel of the EMIS and PBME 2 - Supported theNFED of Ghana's MoE to draft NFE policy document to guide the work of the NF subsector in the country. 3 - On-going support by UNESCO to the GEU of Ghana Education Service to prepare a strateg document to guide its work. 4 - Supported the TVET Division of the Ghan Education Service to organize training activitie aimed at facilitating youth transition between school and the world of work. 5 - Support for two draft policies as well as a Operational Plan in TVET. 6 - Supported the GEU of the GES to draft a Girls Education Strategy to guide the work of the actors in the girls' education subsector. 7 - Two separate capacity-building programme were organized for forty-four Girls Education Officers on project development, proposal writing coordination and report writing. 8 - Supported the Ghana Education Service to organize STEM Clinics in three districts () for girl to build their skills and interact with female scientist of the science teacher educators from three Colleges of Education and science curriculum specialists from the Mole with capacity building of gender sensitive STEM. 10 - Organized an orientation on reproductive health and HIV prevention education for thirty-site Headteachers and Parent Teacher Associatio (P.T.A.) members
					11 - Launched a 3-day Emergency Remot Teaching (ERT) training for JHS and SHS teacher in the Greater Accra Region

Policy Involvement

Procedural Knowledge

Table 5. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Accra identified in UNESCO Abuja Activities Report from 2019, 2020 and 2021, and complemented by UNESCO Accra News sections from 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018.

3.5 UNESCO Field Office in Addis Ababa

The UNESCO Field Office in Addis Ababa recorded 63 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

At the forefront, we see technical assistance, with 18 interventions. This time, 41% of interventions demonstrated technical expertise and executive influence, but in this case, it was followed by procedural knowledge and cognitive influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum had a peak in the mid-high section, but weighed towards the lower end.

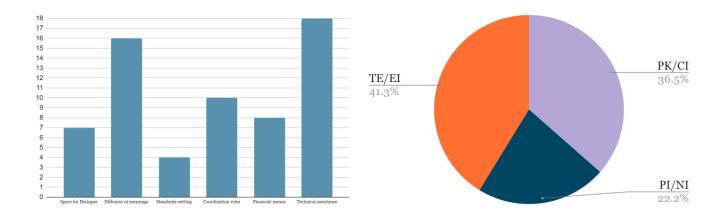


Chart 18. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Addis Ababa split by activity.

Chart 19. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Addis Ababa split by expertise and influence.

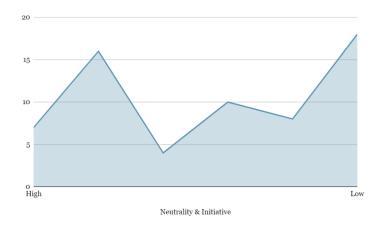


Chart 20. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Addis Ababa under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedura	Procedural Knowledge		volvement	Technical Expertise		
Cogniti	ve Influence	Normativ	re Influence	Executive Influence		
Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Tec	
1 - Convened a brainstorming conference in Addis Ababa () aimed at initiating discussions among academia, intellectuals, policy makers, human right activists and practitioners on the concept 'Medemer'. 2 - Thousands of youth across all corners of Ethiopia joined online on the First Ethiopian Youth Health Forum under the theme "Connect for Youth Health". 3 - UNESCO-UNFPA virtual meeting on CLSE discussed and reached consensus on CSE implementation. 4 - Hosted annual general meeting of the GAL for review of national education response plans and strategies. 5 - Organized a virtual meeting on the progress, challenges and the way forward of CSLE in Ethiopia.	1 - Celebration of the International Day of Education. 2 - Printing of 5,000 copies of ESDP IV and disseminated to beneficiaries. 3 - Members of parliament and journalists were sensitized on the ESDP IV implementation 4 - Production and finalization of ten year EFA assessment to examine the achievements and progress of the Ethiopian Education system towards the achievement of the six EFA Goals. 5 - A study was conducted on twenty-two Higher Education Institutions to assess the current responses to HIV/AIDS issues. 6 - Provided an awareness creation programme on sexual and reproductive health issues for 3,852 girls and other stakeholders.	1 - Documenting good practices to develop gender inclusive strategies and guidelines for improved learning and retention of adolescent girls. 2 - Co-organization of the first Continental Teacher Prize event. 3 - Publication of Occupational Standards on 13 agro-food processing fields which will be used by TVET providers across Ethiopia. 4 - Life skills manual was developed, 1,000 copies published and distributed to universities and other relevant partners for reference.	1 - Coordinated the moving on to Crowd Sourcing Girls' Education Project Phase II, with shift in focus to CSE in Ethiopia, with particular focus on the Oromia region 2 - Organized a workshop aimed at validating the draft Occupational Standards in 13 agro-food processing field 3 - Held a validation workshop for the communication and advocacy strategy for EHW. 4 - Education and Training Roadmap technical team joint scoping mission to Ethiopia from 30 June to 6 July 2019. 5 - First Ethiopian Youth Health Forum graced by the presence of H.E. President Sahle Work Zewidie. 7 - Attendance by the Minister of Science and Higher Education at the National Skills Competition and Show. 8 - The annual general meeting of the GAL hosted by the Commissioner for Human Resources.	1 - Facilitated schools' basic sanitation corners for girls to deliver reproductive health services. As a result, 1,341 girls benefited from the provision of sanitary pads and access to basic sanitary facilities. 2 - Delivered 831 reference books in Natural Sciences, Mathematics, English, and Social Sciences to 12 secondary schools. 3 - Provided 14 computers for pilot schools allowing 137 girls to be provided with training on basic computer skills. 4 - Provided resources to strengthen girls clubs in all schools and engage them in promoting gender issues. 5 - Financial support for economically disadvantaged university female students, creating an enabling environment for students mainly focusing on life skills training and tutorial support. 6 - Prizes of \$10 000 each were awarded to top	1 - Support for Education Secto (ESDP). 2 - Strengthening capacities with sp Regional Education EMIS, and dev strengthening the mimplementation of 1 3 - The newly-eeducation were leadership through to 45 senior mauniversities and CT 4 - Inspectors were inspection manuals provided; English lewere trained on te learning methodolo 5 - UNESCO provi HIV/AIDS Policy a	
6 - Organization of a 2 days* workshop with stakeholders, in which participants expressed their satisfaction and commitment to continue working together to realize the ESA ministerial commitment.	7 - Organized a community sensitization programme to promote the importance of girls' education. 8 - Conducted an assessment on CSE in Ethiopia.		Science and Technology of the African Union Commission (HRST-AUC) and counted on a ministerial panel from selected countries. 9 - Convened a five-day validation workshop for inputs from multidisciplinary professionals in 13	African teachers at the secondary school level. 7 - Provided financial support for the Ethiopian National Skills Competition, held, for the second time, from 20th to 26th April, 2021 in Addis Ababa.	6 - Familiarization HIV/AIDS Focal institutes were trai and monitoring of H	

agro-food processing fields

Ministry of Health.

10 - UNESCO is a member of the Adolescent and

Youth Health technical working group of the

9 - Conducted a rapid assessment of SRH services

in target clinics. in order to identify key areas for

improving their youth friendliness, effectiveness

10 - A statement of collective action was suggested

and get signed by the relevant stakeholders under the "Medemer and Other Indigenous Concepts"

and overall quality.

proposal.

7 - Organized a workshop for 29 senior

curriculum experts, where core gaps in

Ethiopian curricula with regards to CLSE and

SRH were identified and addressed.

Technical assistance

- Support for the elaboration of cation Sector Development P
- Strengthening national educational acities with special focus on four ional Education Bureaus (REBs), imp IS, and developing TMIS as ngthening the management and monitor lementation of EDSP IV at the federal
- The newly-established colleges cation were strengthened in ma ership through capacity developmen 45 senior management personnel ersities and CTE.
 - Inspectors were trained and general ection manuals and inspection checl vided; English language teachers from trained on textbook management ning methodologies
 - UNESCO provided support for Educa /AIDS Policy and Strategy to be deve
 - Familiarization workshops took plac /AIDS Focal points from higher itutes were trained in mainstreaming monitoring of HIV/AIDS activities.
 - 7 Provided tutorial support in natural subjects including physics, mathematic and chemistry and the English language girls in schools.

8 - Donated IT equipment for the Ethiopian

Federal TVET Agency to support the TVET

institutions with ICT facilities in the field of agro-

processing.

- 8 Training held for 160 (109 male and school principals, teachers and students media, project cycle management, and reproductive health issues.
- 9 University gender directorate directorate experts received Life skills training of (TOT) to cascade the training to studer

respective universities; also Life Skills were provided for 9,732 students

12 - Organized sta	akeholders meeting () a and the		secondary schools;
	on workshop was conducted to		10 Comment Laborate HINET in the
	ration and the creation of		10 - Supported the AU HRST in the
partnerships in lin	e with policy reform activities.		launching the Pan African Virtual and I University (PAVEU) as an arm of the Pa
			University.
	is communication and advocacy		Oliversity.
	ation for Health and Well-being		11 - Through online trainings, UNESCO
for Ethiopia.			52 participants from 8 Colleges of
14 D	4 1 1::		Education with expertise to provide on
	t and dissemination of the 2020- Global Alliance for Literacy.		SRH training.
2023 Strategy for	Global Affiance for Efferacy.		
15 - Launch of th	ne GME Gender Report "A New		12 - Working to reinforce the capacities of
	ars of efforts for Gender Equality		MoE and ARRA () through a
in Education".	and of chords for defined Equanty		development initiative for education pla
			supervisors.
16 - Supporting	the Ministry of Industry in the		
labour market	assessment on demand and		14 - Provide technical support to fir
available skills for	r young people		Education and Training Roadmap, to
			UNESCO technical assistance team was es
			16 - Organization of a one-week writing
			held from August 5-11, 2019 to fir
			Roadman.
			Tournap.
			17 - Capacity of literacy facilitators impr
			tailored lessons recorded, edited and put
			assigned devices/laptop computers and a
			achieved integrated basic literacy and life
			18 - Provision of technical support for
			National Skills Competition

Table 6. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Addis Ababa from UNESCO Addis Ababa Activities Reports of 2015 and 2018/2019, complemented by UNESCO Addis Ababa News sections from 2020 and 2021.

11 - Finalization of situation analysis on ESDP VI

3.6 UNESCO Field Office in Bamako

The UNESCO Field Office in Bamako recorded 40 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

There was a majority of technical assistance, with 14 interventions. While with a greater balance in terms of influence and expertise demonstrated, still had a predominance of 45% of interventions that showed technical expertise and executive influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum weighted towards the lower end, with almost a plateau in the midh-high section.

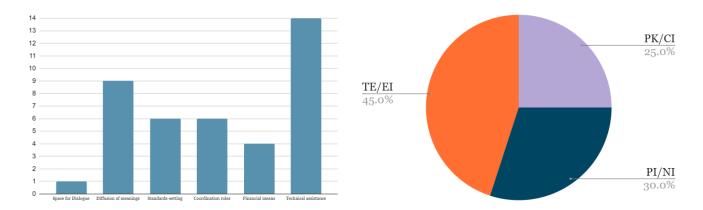


Chart 21. Bamako split by activity.

Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Chart 22. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Bamako split by expertise and influence.



Chart 23. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Bamako under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedura	al Knowledge	Policy Involvement		Technical Expertise		
Cognitiv	ve Influence	Normativ	ve Influence	Executi	ve Influence	
Space for dialogue 1 - Réunion de consultation et de planification du projet « Promotion de la paix et du développement durable par le renforcement des compétences pour la vie et le travail dans le Sahel ».	1 - Appui à l'organisation Journée Internationale des Filles 2 - Organisation du lancement national des initiatives sur PEV-E et EED 3 - L'atelier national de lancement officiel du projet « Améliorer l'enseignement dans les pays du G5 Sahel » a eu lieu au Niger. 4 - 100 000 personnes ont été sensibilisées sur l'importance de l'éducation des filles par la diffusion de messages clés en langues nationales à travers les radios, les spots publicitaires, les magazines/journaux, les sketchs, etc. 5 - Panneaux d'information géants en français et langues nationales implantés dans les principaux axes des capitales régionales ont été produits et une caravane de sensibilisation intitulée « Ma fille va à l'école ». 6 - Élaboration d'un argumentaire sur les documents de politique et de stratégie pertinents 7 - Élaboration, dans la cadre du (CapED Mali) ODD 4, d'un document d'identification des priorités thématiques de la question enseignante au Mali. 8 - Élaboration d'un modèle de simulation financière pour le PRODEC II, élaboré afin de définir les différents scénarios de politiques éducatives visant à relever les défis identifiés par le diagnostic sectoriel. 9 - Elaboration d'une cartographie des sources de données répondant aux priorités des politiques nationales, et d'un rapport d'Evaluation de la Qualité des Données (EQD).	1 - Elaboration d'un d'un Cadre National d'indicateurs (CNI), et intégrer près de 71 % des indicateurs de suivi des cibles de l'ODD 4 dans le PRODEC II. 2 - Le guide sur l'intégration de l'approche genre dans les pratiques d'enseignement et d'apprentissage a été édité. 3 - Adaptation du manuel d'éducation à la culture de la paix de la CEDEAO à la situation du Mali. 4 - Analyse diagnostique et stratégique des vulnérabilités liées à la démocratisation, la décentralisation et la gouvernance dans les pays du GS Sahel. 2018-2022 5 - Élaboration, dans la cadre du (CapED Mali) ODD 4, d'un référentiel de métier et de compétences de l'enseignant et du corps d'encadrement de l'éducation de base incluant le non formel. 6 - Appui à l'élaboration d'un guide des enseignants sur la PEV-E a également été conçu par les équipes techniques des ministères, et des enseignants des régions de Diffa et Torodi	Coordination roles 1 - Official visit of the UNESCO Director General to Niger in 2016. 2 - Appui au Ministère de la Réconciliation Nationale (MRN) à validation Programme National pour la Culture de la Paix (PNCP). 3 - Des rencontres et échanges ont eu lieu avec de potentiels partenaires africains et internationaux, notamment la ACBF, pour développer des projets conjoints sur le développement des compétences des jeunes par la recherche et l'innovation. 4 - Événement réunissant le Ministre de l'Education nationale du Niger et l'Ambassadeur de France au Niger, et le Directeur du Bureau International d'Education. 5 - La mission au Burkina Faso et au Niger par la délégation du secteur éducation du Bureau régional multisectoriel de l'UNESCO pour l'Afrique de l'Ouest. 6 - Participation et discours officiel de l'ouverture du lancement a été prononcé par le Ministre de l'Education Nationale du Niger dans l'atelier de lancement officiel du projet « Améliorer l'enseignement dans les pays du G5 Sahel ».	Financial means 1 - Mis à disposition 1500 kits aux dispensaires scolaires, aux infirmier(e)s et aux pairs éducateurs. 2 - Construit et réhabilité 34 blocs de 137 latrines adaptés aux filles à Bamako et 2 pompes à eau avec forage et d'accessoires électriques adaptés aux réalités de terrain. 3 - Mise a disposition de 744 fournitures scolaires pour les élèves déplacés. 4 - Distribution de 15 250 matériels sanitaires et hygiéniques pour 200 écoles.	Technical assistance 1 - A accompagné le Mali dans le d'élaboration de son Plan Sectoriel d'Education « PRODEC II » (2019-2028). 2 - Appui aux mécanismes de dialogue pu médiation a travers du renforcement des catechniques pédagogiques en matière d'expression et de sécurité des journalistes. 3 - Le renforcement des capacités des l'Education pour l'intégration de l'ODD de politiques et stratégies éducatives du pays. 4 - Appui à la définition d'une politique na formation des enseignants. 5 - Appui à la création de l'Ecole supé journalisme et de sciences de la commun Mali. 6 - L'appui constant par l'élaboration du P. National pour la Culture de la Paix (PNCP, 7 - Appui à le Ministère de la Réco Nationale (MRN) dans la mise en place de régionales et des Programmes Régionau. Culture de la Paix dans les Régions du Mali. 8 - Renforcement des capacités des enseignatière de VIH et SSR. 9 - Renforcé les capacités de 200 met Comités de Gestion Scolaire (CGS) sur leu responsabilités et à la prise en compte des quarité et de la dimension genre en milieu sco. 10 - Renforcement des capacités de plu animateurs de l'éducation non formelle (CAFÉ) sur les compétences pour la vie enseignants et directeurs d'école en m pratiques équitables en classe. 11 - Organisations des sessions de form l'intégration de l'approche genre dans les d'enseignement et d'apprentissage p	

Table 7. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Bamako identified in UNESCO Bamako Activities Report from 2018, complemented by UNESCO Bamako Country Strategy 2017-2019 and by UNESCO Bamako News sections from 2016.

3.7 UNESCO Field Office in Brazzaville

The UNESCO Field Office in Brazzaville recorded 20 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

Here, we see a majority of coordination roles, with 6 interventions. In contrast to other field offices, there was a tie of predominance between 40% of policy involvement and normative influence and procedural knowledge and cognitive influence, with only a minority of the interventions focused on executive influence and technical expertise. This contrast reflects in the neutrality and initiative spectrum, which is strong at the high section, peaks at the mid-low section and hits the weakest point at the low section

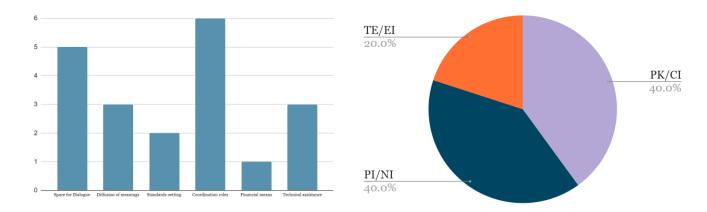


Chart 24. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Chart 25. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Brazzaville split by activity.

Brazzaville split by influence and expertise.

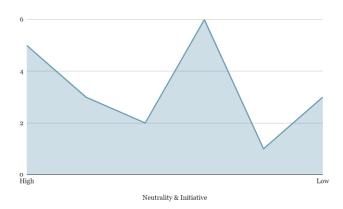


Chart 26. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Brazzaville under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedural Knowledge		Policy Involvement		Technical Expertise	
Cognitive Influence		Normative Influence		Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue 1 - Organisation de la première Revue sectorielle de l'éducation du pays. 2 - L'organisation de la réunion de concertation des minisières en charge de l'éducation, élargie au GPLE. 3 - La tenue de réunion de concertation pour la préparation du rapport de mise en œuvre de la stratégie sectorielle de l'éducation. 4 - 2ème Réunion du Groupe Local des Partenaires de l'Éducation du plan sectoriel de l'éducation () en vue de préparer et mettre en œuvre les consultations départementales.	Webinaire en Afrique a rassemblé plus de 70 participants pour débattre la riposte contre COVID19. 2 - Production du rapport de mise en œuvre de la SSE au Congo. 3 - Cérémonie de signature du contrat de contribution symbolique entre UNESCO et Congo.	Standards-setting 1 - Publication du "Module de formation des formateurs de formateurs dans le domaine des TIC et des TICE". 2 - Présentation de 6 recommandations de l'UNESCO concernant les examens	Coordination roles 1 - Participation du Ministre de l'Enseignement supérieur a la première Revue sectorielle de l'éducation du pays. 2 - Participation du Directeur de Cabinet du Ministre de l'enseignement primaire, secondaire et de l'alphabétisation a la 2ème Réunion du Groupe Local des Partenaires de l'Education 3 - Atelier sur le débriefing de la collecte des données relatives à l'élaboration du rapport de mise en œuvre de la Stratégie sectorielle de l'éducation 2015-2025 et l'examen du plan de rédaction du rapport. 4 - Participation du Ministre de l'Enseignement primaire, secondaire et de l'alphabétisation a l'atelier technique d'échange sur des pistes des évaluations de qualité, équitables et crédibles. 5 - Participation à la cérémonie de signature du contrat de contribution symbolique de la Directrice Générale de l'Education de Base, et le Directeur Général de l'Enseignement Secondaire. 6 - Le Ministre de la Culture du Congo Brazzaville a pris part au Webinaire sur la riposte contre COVID 19.	Financial means 1 - A apporté une contribution symbolique de 15 000 dollars afin d'atténuer l'impact immédiat des fermetures d'écoles.	Technical assistance 1 - Appui à la réalisation de la collecte l'éducation. 2 - A organisé un atelier technique d pistes d'évaluations de qualité, équitab 3 - Accompagner le Congo dans ce presectorielle avec le développement à route conduisant à l'élaboration du pla

Table 8. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Brazzaville identified in UNESCO Brazzaville News sections from 2015, 2019 and 2020.

3.8 UNESCO Office in Cairo

The UNESCO Field Office in Cairo recorded 25 interventions over the course of the analyzed period. This small number, despite being a Regional Bureau, is likely due to its focus on science and technology.

There was a majority tie between technical assistance and coordination roles, with 6 interventions each. Here too we see a predominance of 40% of policy involvement and normative influence, followed by nearly an equilibrium between other forms of expertise and influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum is marked by a strong mid-high and middle section, with a weaker high section, but an equally strong lower end.

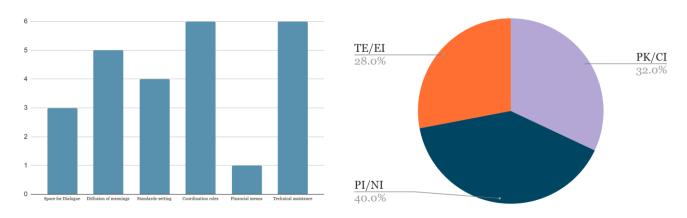


Chart 27. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Cairo split by activity.

Chart 28. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Cairo split by influence and expertise.

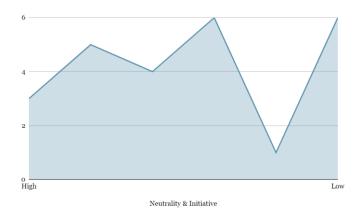


Chart 29. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Cairo under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedural Knowledge		Policy In	volvement	Technical Expertise	
Cognitive Influence		Normativ	e Influence	Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue 1 - Co-organized a national conference on SDG-4 in Egypt. 2 - An expert meeting was organized to present the draft proposed standards and discuss the different components () for a full day of consultations. 3 - Decision to launch the "Arab Network for Knowledge and Sustainable Development" () as an open network for the promotion of science/knowledge sustainable development interface.	Diffusion of meanings 1 - Launched a pilot to adopt a new literacy curriculum and methodology entitled "Al Mar'ah Wal Hayah". 2 - Publication of the Executive Summary of "Building knowledge societies in the Arab Region: Arabic language as a gateway to knowledge". 3 - New Literacy Curriculum and Methodology for Women's Empowerment launch event 4 - UNESCO and Microsoft signed an agreement to pilot an ICT-based literacy project in four selected countries, including Egypt 5 - Developed a country plan for Egypt and Libya respectively, which aims to respond to the education needs of the country	Standards-setting 1 - Publication of Toolkit for urban inclusion in Arab cities: cities promoting inclusion through public participation, access to information, sport, and citizenship and human rights education. 2 - Collaboration with the AEA to develop a set of national quality standards for adult education in Egypt. 3 - Participated in the development of the "Strategic Framework for Education in Emergencies in the Arab Region (2018 – 2021)" 4 - Formation of working groups (one group per SDG-4 target) at the national conference to develop the national framework.	Coordination roles 1 - Participation and patronage of the Minister of Education and Technical Education as national focal point for SDG-4 at the national conference for SDG-4 in Egypt. 2 - UNESCO and Microsoft ICT-based literacy project steering committee was formed to include all relevant stakeholders and direct the project in a participatory manner. 3 - Representatives from UNESCO HQ and Field Offices joined the Minister of Education and other high-level officials in a validation workshop for the education policy review in Sudan. 4 - Presence on the high level technical committees of relevant Ministerial Councils (Higher Education and Science, Water, Environment, and Energy). 5 - Serves as the secretariat and coordinates the "Arab Network for Knowledge and Sustainable Development". 6 - Policy review of the Paving the Road for Education 2030 in Sudan.	Financial means 1 - The UNESCO-Microsoft project has also invested substantially in hardware, where modern laptops and tablets have been purchased and will be provided to both facilitators and learners to commence a journey of digital literacy and empowerment.	Technical support 1 - Development of an educational, interactive, cross-platform digital application based on "Al Mar'ahWalHayah" literacy curriculum through a specialised digital solutions agency. 2 - Core group of facilitators and supervisors received training on delivering "Al Mar'ah WalHayah" literacy curriculum () followed by a series of training workshops for the core group on using ICT. 3 - AEA staff will receive training and coaching on how to adopt the quality standards in the field, to cover all aspects of the learning process in its entirety. 4 - Pilot phase of capacity-building in basic literacy and numeracy to target 600 girls and women aged 15-35 from four governorates. 5 - 124 trainers from six governorates were trained on the adoption of Al Mar'ah Wal Hayah in the field. 6 - Undertaking a project to support the building of Egypt's University Faculty members' capacities to develop and deliver distance education curricula.

Table 9. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Cairo identified in the UNESCO Cairo Activities Report of 2017, complemented by Regional Strategy of the UNESCO Regional Bureau for Sciences in the Arab States 2016-2021.

3.9 UNESCO Field Office in Dakar

The UNESCO Field Office in Dakar recorded 345 interventions over the course of the analyzed period. This higher number, we believe, is due to its regional coverage, coupled with the hosting of the International Institute for Educational Planning (IIEP) Dakar Office.

There was a massive predominance of technical assistance, with 106 interventions. We see a predominance of 37% of technical expertise and executive, followed by an outstanding balance between other forms of influence and expertise. The neutrality and initiative spectrum is marked by a plateau in the mid-high section, followed by a slump in the mid-low section and a peak in the low section.

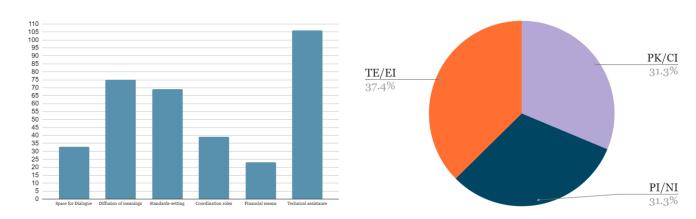


Chart 30. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Dakar split by activity.

Chart 31. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Dakar split by influence and expertise.

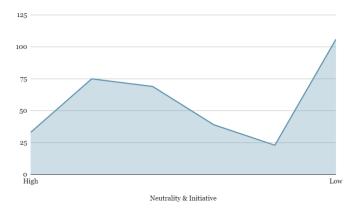


Chart 32. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Dakar under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

	Procedural Knowledge		Policy Involvement		Technical Expertise	
	Cognitive Inf	Cognitive Influence Normative Influence		Executi	ve Influence	
	Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance

- 1 A "community of practice" digital platform set up to facilitate experience sharing and collaborative work at a distance).
- 2 Consultation with local education stakeholders was held in Torodi under the "Tackling gender inequalities in Niger's education system".
- 3 Actively participated in the joint education sector reviews and Local Education Groups (LEG) of Senegal and the Gambia.
- **4** Organized the first international conference in Africa on the prevention of genocide, the promotion of a culture of peace and the historical lessons of the Holocaust.
- 5 West and Central Africa, at a regional conference to discuss CSE programs.
- 6 Sub-Saharan Africa Regional Ministerial Conference on Education Post-2015 in Kigali, 2015 coordinated by UNESCO Dakar and Nairobi offices
- 7 Organization of the Regional Consultation and Dialogue on Education 2030 Framework for Action for
- 8 Lead the setting up of The Teaching and Learning Educators' Network for Transformation (TALENT) to serve as a platform for knowledge production and sharing, technical support, advocacy and policy dialogue.
- 9 Celebrations of the WTD and the 50th anniversary coorganized with the respective took the form of sessions of policy dialogue between stakeholders.
- 10 Conference to sensitize the Senegalese academic community on the concept and history of genocides.
- 11 Participation and presentation on "UNESCO's work on peace education to PVE: lessons and findings" at USAID Senegal's consultation on "Countering Violent Extremism.
- 12 Participation at a consultation on "Developing and Incorporating Community Resilience and CVE Strategies

- 1 A national diagnostic study was conducted in Senegal, which highlighted the strengths and weaknesses on linking TVET and LNFE.
- 2 A technical note was developed to clarify the TVET concept, strategy, and methodology and to present the tools needed to undertake such diagnosis work at the national level.
- 3 Production of a study on the "Al-Azhar" education system (in Senegal).
- 4 Six preliminary national diagnostic studies on the issue of synergy between TVET and LNFE.
- **5** A wide survey enabled an accurate insight of the local context and challenges of girls' education.
- 6 Advocacy and awareness raising activities were organized in the targeted area of intervention
- 7 Celebration of the World Teacher Day and the 50th anniversary of the ILO/UNESCO Recommendation.
- 8 In Burkina Faso, formulation of the Advocacy and Communication strategy for the recently adopted curriculum reform (2015).
- **9 Production of four self-study modules** available on the internet, mobile, tablet or USB-keys.
- 10 The elaboration, validation and dissemination of five thematic training modules for teacher training
- 11 Production of a holistic study on Teacher issue in Mali.
- 12 Finalization of the Open and Distance Learning (ODL) platform on the Design, Implementation, and Assessment of ODL

- 1 Production of a study on the use of ICTs i literacy programmes in the Sahel countries.
- 2 Organization of a sub-regional workshop in Dakar (May 2015) for the countries of the Sahel region (Burkina Faso, Cabo Verde, Guinea Bissau, Mali, Niger, and Senegal).
- 3 20 experiences identified (and preliminary findings shared) on the use of ICTs in education and literacy and/or TVET.
- **4 Development of national roadmaps and key recommendations** to reinforce sub-sectorial synergy at the national level.
- 5 Production of a synthesis document was prepared to better capture the level of ICT integration in literacy programmes in the Sahel countries
- 6 A sub-regional country exchange and consultation meeting was organized and recommendations issued in view of the preparation of the Planning Guidebook on Extended Basic Education.
- 7 Use of the INEE Minimum Standards principles into the teaching and learning strategies in Mali.
- 9 Provided support to countries in the ECOWAS region aimed at fully aligning teacher preparation and professional development and promoting the 9-10 year basic education reform.
- 10 A workshop held in July 2015 resulted in the adoption of a common set of key tasks and expected competencies for basic education teachers.
- 11 Provided support to apply Inside & Out, a sexuality education assessment tool for civil society, in several West and Central African countries.

- 1 Organization of validation workshop for Al Azhar and ICT studies in Senegal in April 2015
- **2 Validation of national roadmaps** and preview of meetings to monitor the process and the implementation of roadmaps
- 3 Organization of interaction between the NGO and the inter-ministerial national committee.
- 4 A national team for ICT and Sankoré kits was established in each country to select modules in local languages and propose a strategy to scale up the experience.
- 5 TVET national strategy development was validated by the Prime Minister at the high political level and by technical and financial partners during a Round Table meeting.
- **6** Development of a partnership with the OIF to support the implementation of a joint roadmap for action in Mali.
- **7 Validation** of the UEMOA framework for information systems by the general consultative council of CAMES.
- **8** Developed a partnership framework of action which mobilized the ministries of Higher Education, the universities, the regional and international institutions to increase synergy and to avoid duplication.
- 9 Deliverables were used as inputs to the other two validation workshops organized by the REESAO and financed by WAEMU and WAHO.
- 10 Validation by the West African countries (Sahel) of the ECOWAS Reference Manual on Education for Peace and Development in West Africa.
- 11 The set of 20 activities produced was further assessed, by representatives of young people, teachers living with HIV, and Ministries of

- 1 Joint financial support to develop national capacity on TVET planning involving twelve ministries dealing with skills development in Mali.
- 2 UNESCO Dakar *donated 5 digital boards* (Sankoré Kits) to relevant institutions in Cabo Verde, the Gambia and Guinea-Bissau.
- 3 The thirty-six most successful girls in the 14 selected schools were *offered kits including textbooks and supplies, and a schoolbag* as an encouraging means to continue education.
- 4 The Ministry of Education was provided with 3,000 additional kits (5 modules and teaching guides) for further training of teachers on this approach.
- 5 -. The University Amilcar Cabral's *fiber optic* network has been created, with the provision of active network equipment.
- **6** As for field support, through *the funds mobilized* for Burkina Faso, Mali and Niger in the framework of the CapED programme.
- 7 In 2018, 500 copies of the guide on integrating gender into teaching and learning practices were printed and used effectively in training sessions for 158 teachers, including 79 women
- **8 Printing of 600 copies** of the training manual on education for a culture of peace, citizenship, civics, gender and illicit trafficking.
- 9 Provision of computer equipment, office equipment and transportation means to the twenty members of the Regional Reconciliation Support Teams (ERARs) in the Mopti and Segou regions.
- 10 220 latrines have been built/refurbished for the benefit of 4,802 students and 8 water points/wells with solar panels have been

- 1 Capacity development for 41 policymakers representatives of TVET and LNFE sub-sectors.
- 2 Capacity building in mobilizing resources (raising) at national level.
- 3 Senegalese NGO "Village Pilote" was selected specific support was provided in order to highligh transformation needs and develop a model for country.
- 4 Joint technical support to develop naticapacity on TVET planning involving two ministries dealing with skills development in Mal
- 5 A national strategy document for T development and planning was finalized through partnership to support Mali's TVET system.
- 6 Training workshops were also carried out in three countries and selected literacy providers trained in the installation and use of the Sankoré
- 7 UNESCO also supported Niger and Senegal in *preparation of the Acceleration Plan* in LNFE w the Big Push framework for EFA.
- 8 Technical support was provided to Guinea-Bi for the development of a sector-wide policy simule model and elaboration of the education sector p and 10-year strategic plan
- 9 Contributed to the formulation of their educa sector policy, as well as to the non-formal educa sub-sector analysis and its integration into the se wide education policy
- 10 Development of a school-profile software will be piloted in a selected number of schools enable schools and communities to better ma resources and performance.
- 11 Female teachers and pedagogical advisors trained on gender issues and their communic capacities under the "Tackling gender inequaliti Niger's education system".

into Peace Education Curriculum in the Sahel Region"

- 13 Support for the organization of "The First School Week for Citizenship Education in Burkina Faso"
- 14 Closely involved in the organization of the AIDS 2016 Conference, a major platform for the communication of scientific results and best practice in the HIV response globally.
- 15 Facilitated national dialogue on implications of the new education agenda on the preparation of Gambia's education sector policy.
- 18 Supported the shaping of the Local Education Group in Senegal and facilitation of dialogue on SDG4 integration.
- 19 In Mali, various stakeholders debated and discussed the results of the sectoral analysis and identified solutions, based on SDG4
- 20 Organization of discussions and deliberations on the formulation of a primary and secondary education teacher policy were also initiated in Niger.
- 21 Organization of a "National consultation on the situation of prison in Senegal.
- 22 On the occasion of PACE 2018, organized a panel discussion on good practices to address the learning crisis in Africa.
- 23 20 youth clubs and children's governments have been created in schools in the Ségou, Mopti, Timbuktu regions and in the district of Bamako.
- 24 The RCG4-WCA launched a three-month consultation process amongst its members and its task forces.
- **25 Institutional dialogue**, initially within MEN between the Office of the Inspector General for Education and Training (IGEF) and Virtual University of Senegal (UVS).
- 26 Use of the Hello Ado for youth associations interact with their members, with dialogues with over 400 users in Mali, Cameroon, and Côte d'Ivoire through secure and anonymous forums.
- 28 Organized a virtual meeting on the following topic: "Participation of Youth from the Liptako-Gourma Region Facing the Multidimensional Crisis in the Sahel Region".
- 29 PAQUET and Eighth Sector Review were held around all the actors involved for a situational assessment (...) and the consultation culminated with the signing of a written reminder.
- ${\bf 30}$ A ${\it national\ workshop}$ on ACAD was organized in Ouagadougou.

programmes for Teacher Trainers.

- 13 The diagnostic of strengths and weaknesses of the higher education institutes in human resources, a prerequisite for the development of the virtual education institute, was conducted.
- 14 Influenced the Nairobi Declaration and *Call*to Action on Education adopted by the AU
 Ministers of Education and partners.
- **15** *Summer camp* for 117 young people where they were *sensitized* on the themes of citizenship, culture of peace and values and environmental education
- **16** A *series of advocacy activities* among political leaders, faith-based organizations, teacher unions, or parents associations.
- 17 Production of a strongly worded call for action, jointly with detailed country roadmaps to strengthen education programmes on HIV, sexual and reproductive health, and gender-based violence.
- 18 Developed a new tool for cultural adaptation to make comprehensive sexuality education more appropriate.
- 19 The association of teachers living with HIV of Ivory Coast promoted the rights of people living with HIV among 2400 head teachers, school inspectors and teachers.
- 20 Promotion of advocacy campaigns and plans to strengthen sexuality education in the region.
- 21 The African Union (AU), and other education partners *adopted a statement* to promote the development of education across the region.
- 22 Publication of a closing statement of the Regional Consultation and Dialogue on Education 2030 Framework for Action for West and Central Africa (WCA).
- 23 A survey assessing gaps and status of ESPs was developed to help inform the preparation of technical guidelines for countries and partners..
- 24 Enhanced awareness about gendersensitivity in Mali among decision makers and key stakeholders through advocacy and information.
- 25 Communication materials on the importance of girls' education were developed, including an advocacy document.

- 12 Development of guidelines and manuals for the second year of the basic education cycle (2015).
- 13 Recommendations were made for the improvement of curricula and programmes in Cape Verde.
- 14 Modules and guides for in-service teacher training on Competence-Based Approach were developed (...) to be used as reference materials for in-service teacher training.
- 15 Developed a West African curriculum framework for formal and non-formal bilingual education.
- **16 Development framework** for information systems in the universities of the UEMOA area and the accreditation framework for CAMES open and distance learning.
- **17** *Supported* the REESAO in the *harmonization* of the remaining 7 fields of LMD education.
- 18 Workshop organized to support countries of the ECOWAS to integrate Global Citizenship Education (GCED) in their education systems.
- 19 Developed the module on values education and sports and physical education to complete the ECOWAS Reference Manual on Education for Peace and Development in West Africa,
- 20 Supported Cabo Verde, the Gambia and Niger in the strategic planning (...) to integrate the ESD concepts into education policies.
- 21 Carried out an in-depth analysis in 2013 to assess teacher training tools in Central African countries.
- 22 Production of a set of 20 classroom activities to make the education sector response to stigma, discrimination, and abuse more efficient.
- 23 Regional workshop took place in to integrate core global indicators on education and HIV in EMIS questionnaire.
- 24 Development of the Qualification standards for Basic Education Teachers in the ECOWAS region in June 2016.
- 25 UNESCO supported the Ministry of National Education in organizing the "Miss Sciences 2018 Competition".
- 26 Initiated the drafting of a Framework for

Education, Health and Culture..

- 12 Coordinated and worked with other UNESCO Field Offices to encourage and support all the 47 SSA countries to prepare national reports for the Regional Education Conference and Regional Consultation.
- 13 Support SSA Member States to participate in the World Education Forum in May 2015 in Incheon, Korea.
- 14 Coordinated the regional programme on HIV and health education in Western and Central Africa.
- 15 Established and coordinated the "Regional Coordination Group on SDG4-Education 2030 in West and Central Africa" (WCA-RCG4)
- 16 Consolidation of partnership with universities and research centers, such as the TImbuktu Institute and others, to promote education on peace and human rights.
- **17** Organization of the validation of the prior learning (VPL) for literacy facilitators.
- 18 Validated a consensual model for the introduction of national languages into the formal and non-formal education system, which is scheduled to be scaled up from October 2017.
- 19 Provided technical support for the validation of the Abdou Moumouni University (Niger) Master in Engineering, Design and Management of Educational Alternatives.
- 20 A coordination committee in charge of the development of an ACAD-based Master was set up.
- 21 In Côte d'Ivoire, a similar collaboration as in Senegal and Benin resulted in *validating* a UNESCO review of the national CSE programme.
- 22 Promoted effective partnerships for SDG4 by establishing the Regional Coordination Group on SDG4-Education 2030 for West and Central Africa (RCG4-WCA).
- 23 Played the role of lead agency for education development partners, as well as that of coordinating agency of the local education group in Senegal.
- 24 Deliberations with the African Union to better align the RCG4-WCA with that of CESA 14-24.
- 25 Organization of *validation meetings* for the diagnosis of SRGBV in Cameroon, Togo and Senegal.

installed in 8 schools involved in the project.

- 11 1,500 sexual and reproductive health kits have been made available to peer educators, teaching academies and school nurses.
- 12 15,250 health and hygiene materials have been made available to 200 schools.
- 13 Donation of 200 tablets and 200 Flyboxes. This equipment facilitated implementation of distance learning and represented an essential resource in increasing training.
- 14 This collective effort was achieved by mobilizing seven million Euros for Senegal through a COVID-19 fast-track funding request, "Educational Development Support Program: Response and Resilience in the Face of COVID-19."
- 15 The ImaginEcole the project plans to allocate 250 laptops through a competition for the best developers in order to support production of open educational resources in each of the countries.
- **16** 250 girls from disadvantaged backgrounds were provided with tablets.
- 17 750 tablets were bequeathed to learners, 105 laptops to teachers.
- 18 Three virtual laboratories in those three establishments were provided with multimedia equipment and simulation software.
- 19 600 students in Burkina Faso will be provided with a school kit according to the specifications of the Ministry of Education.
- 20 In Senegal, additional financial aid of US\$50,000 from the GPE through a pilot funding provided to Senegal's Ministry of National Education for its administrative support to the National GNPEF.
- 21 Funding for technical assistance on the continental report is provided by UNESCO, with additional support for printing, dissemination and advocacy from the BMGF.
- 22 The CapED Niger *financially supported* the training at the master's level of three officers of the Ministry of Secondary Education in managing the curriculum and decision-making about education in general.
- 23 Mali has passed a law creating the ANAQ-SUP and a draft of institutional evaluation standards has been developed.

- **12** *Training of* 70 new teachers to use new teaguides (2015); In-service training of 50 post-printeachers.
- 13 *Training of* Information staff and journalis three ministries in charge of education on advoc communication and web techniques.
- 14 Strengthened capacity of trainers and teac supervisors at ENS/UK; IDS and INFTS to pro online and distance learning modules for their pee
- 15 Intensive training of teachers, inspectors supervisors on priority themes identified by Ministry of Education.
- 16 Intensive training of the Higher Institut Training and Applied Research (ISFRA) on Software (statistical Package for the Social Science
- 17 CapEFA programme in Niger supported elaboration of a database for the managemen human resources and training of agents in charghuman resources management.
- 18 Ministry officials responsible for management of human resources were trained in use of the database and the introduction of natilanguages in teacher training programmes.
- 19 The programme also *supported the elabora* of a strategic plan and gender-sensitive teatraining on Maths, Science and Technology, capacity building of national actors and minist structures in charge of communication.
- 20 A pool of 55 trainers/inspectors from educational regions was trained on the compete based approach in the 5 subjects.
- 21 Selected trainers/inspectors trained 298 service teachers on this approach that is expecte allow more concrete, active and sustainable life
- 22 Capacities of the Ministry of Education reinforced through involvement and the leading of national experts in the whole primplementation.
- 23 Training of decision-makers in higher educations and higher education ministries on external transfer and higher education ministries and higher educ
- 24 *Training course* on the internal quality assurstanted in the West African francophone countries
- 25 The strengthening of the IT infrastructur universities was accompanied with the *capbuilding of* 39 IT technicians.

- **31** *Discussion groups* among peers addressed HIV and GBV in six higher education institutes in the country.
- **31** African scholars collectively examined issues (...) in view of rethinking the purpose of education in Africa in November 2016.
- 32 Conducted a multistakeholder participatory diagnosis and supported the implementation of the programmes that support the operationalization of vocational training reforms in three countries.
- 33 Organization of a national workshop that restructured teacher training programmes.
- 26 Capacity building and awareness raising through organization and/or presentations in seminars and workshops on GCED/peace/PVE (Preventing Violent Extremism).
- 27 Presentation on "UNESCO's work to promote peace and human rights education in West Africa" at a training on "Major challenges of West Africa: What perspectives?»
- 28 Support for the Celebration of International Day of Peace "Building Blocks for Peace" organized by the National Federation of the Gambia UNESCO Clubs and Centres (NAFGIIC)
- 29 Conducted a study on the Senegalese experience in TVET curricula development (formal and non-formal), both for trainers and trainers
- 30 Enhanced the capacity of decision makers and stakeholders to make informed decisions about health education through producing and sharing strategic information on key indicators of CSE
- 31 Distributed a special edition of a magazine for young people addressed the response to HIV and GB in secondary schools and higher education institutions.
- **34** A web platform on SDG4-Education 2030 coordination that will serve as the Group's knowledge management hub was developed.
- 35 Launch of research/study on Education and Youth ('Relevance of post basic education to the changing realities of youth in sub-Saharan Africa: Exploring the perspectives of young people')
- 36 UNESCO Dakar has been working to prepare a publication titled "Rethinking Education in Africa", aimed at promoting debate on the transformational role of education in responding to emerging challenges in Africa.
- 37 Online study and analysis for the strengthening of student-learning assessment systems (...) to reveal the weaknesses of national systems
- 38 Modules on didactic, active teaching and reactive approach to gender issues were introduced in the initial training programs of 11 primary teacher training institutes in Niger.
- **39** *Production of an issue note* on the importance of synergizing AENF and TVET programmes in the development of suitable general, technical and vocational skills in

- Guiding the Professionalization of Basic Education Teachers in West and Central Africa.
- 27 The activities of the TALENT included the Regional Workshop on Measurement of Early Learning.
- 28 The activities of the TALENT also included the Regional Technical Workshop on Professional Norms and Standard for Teachers.
- 29 Completed the monitoring and review of the ESD action plan implementation in seven countries.
- 30 In Senegal, a pedagogical model for the integration of national languages and ICTs in vocational training has been developed for at least one discipline that was selected with the national authorities.
- 31 Support for the development of the Policy framework, Qualification framework, Legal and regulatory framework including proposed regulatory texts, Certifier and Evaluator Guide, and the VPL Candidate's Guide.
- 32 Use of the study on the Senegalese experience in TVET to the development of a knowledge management and experience-sharing platform in the ECOWAS.
- 33 Supported the harmonization of Bachelor-MasterDoctorate (LMD) training programmes in the universities of the sub-region.
- 34 Provided technical support to UNODC for the introduction of the ACAD courses on the mechanisms of corruption and fight against corruption in the curricula of universities in Burkina Faso.
- 35 Reproduced the Pedagogic Guide for the Development of Skills in Reproductive Health, HIV and AIDS Education, and started distributing it among key partners in West and Central Africa.
- 36 Draft a concise and practical guide to make CSE culturally more appropriate for Subsaharan settings.
- 37 Assessed the readiness of Sub-Saharan African countries in the integration of the SGD4-Education 2030 targets and commitments into national education policies.
- 38 Development of tools for inclusive policy dialogue to accompany countries in the rethinking of their education and learning

- **26** Establishment of seven task teams covering SDG4-related areas.
- 27 Acted as Lead Agency of the Education and Training Thematic Group and Coordinating Agency of the National Group for Education and Training in Senegal.
- 28 Support for the finalization and validation of the Support Plan for Education Development and Training in Senegal, which will be financed by the GPE and the AFD, as GPE grant agent.
- 29 Three ministers of vocational and technical training from the Sahel countries have committed political support for the promotion and development of a regional qualification framework in the ECOWAS region.
- 30 Supporting the process leading to high-level regional engagement to ensure that adolescents and young people have access to CSE and SRH services in WCA.
- 31 The texts relating to the creation and status of the creation of the ANAQ-EnSuRe have been *validated* in Niger.
- 32 The *regional coordination group* for SDG4-Education 2030 in West and Central Africa (RCG4-WCA) has developed an acceleration strategy.
- 33 RCG4-WCA *validated* more than 50 planned activities that will benefit national politicians and decision-makers, as well as Local Education Groups (LEGs).
- 34 Acted as leader of the technical and financial partners (TFP) in the Senegalese educational sector, coordinating efforts among the TFPs to promote synergy.
- 35 Participation in the meeting "Participation of Youth from the Liptako-Gourma Region Facing the Multidimensional Crisis in the Sahel Region" by renowned personalities.
- 36 The policy document was validated in August 2021 in the presence of the highest authorities of the country, and in particular the Vice-President and the Minister of Higher Education, Research, Science and Technology.
- 37 A Steering Committee was set up to provide guidance and direction to the continental report, but also to provide feedback to the editorial committee and the technical team for the preparation of the report.
- 38 The national teams of the three beneficiary countries reviewed the educational materials

- 26 The development of a university portal an authentication servers for access to IT resort through Single Sign-On (SSO) mode by university across.
- 27 An important advancement has been achieve establishing a digital university and regional dilibrary.
- 28 One hundred sixteen universities' agents abeen trained in software deployment, including setting and the functional utilization of "INVENIO" software.
- 29 The training of 29 research professors in dieducation and e-learning methodologies took place
- 30 Technical workshops for the capacity building REESEAO gathered those who are responsible LMD in the field of Sciences and Technologies.
- **31** *A training workshop* for 70 community of journalists was organized by UNESCO Dakar's Stand Human Sciences and Education sectors.
- 32 A workshop was held to strengthen 30 ye people on management of risk and natural disas and sensitized on the Aichi-Nagoya Declaration FSD.
- 33 Supported Cameroon, Congo and Chaproduce a pedagogical guide to improve the qualiteacher training
- **34** Use of the guide and self-training tools to a 1,654 teachers, potentially benefiting over 62 ctudents
- 35 Training provided an increased capacity of participants from civil society and ministries education to lead advocacy campaigns on HIV.
- **36** The association of teachers living with HI Ivory Coast *strengthened the capacities* of 19 cmembers on stigmatization, legal provisions and at the workplace.
- 37 Strengthening the capacities of the institutio charge of developing teaching guides, trainer trainers and teachers on new pedagogical approa and use of new pedagogical guides.
- 38 Developing national capacities to design conduct the advocacy and communication campa necessary to support curriculum reforms. In Bur Faso, Mali and Niger, direct beneficiaries of capbuilding in 2016 ranged from 80 to 120 staff.
- 39 The CapED in Niger successfully piloted month distance training of 80 primary so directors in 2016.

response to national demands.

- **40 Production of study** in Mali on the use of ICT in the synergy of AENF and TVET.
- 41 Production of an evaluation report on Alazhar institutions.
- **42 Publication of guidance notes carrying the messages:** to achieve SDG4, the education sector must respond to HIV, teenage pregnancy and gender-based violence.
- 43 Dissemination of data on sexual and reproductive health in teenagers and young people, and the production of data on sexuality education programmes (carried out in Gabon).
- 44 Support, through diagnostic studies and animation tools, to Cameroon, Togo and Senegal in their response to school-related gender-based violence (SRGBV).
- **45** *Production of advocacy materials* in , i.e. two videos on girls' education in Africa and two videos on the recommendations and key messages from the 2019 GEM Report.
- 46 RCG4-WCA task team on Strengthening Education Systems (SYSTeam) advocated at PACE 2018, reflected as one of the commitments in the final Nairobi Declaration and Call to Action on Education.
- 47 DA study on the teaching and assessment of transversal (or "21st century") competencies conducted in nine countries
- 48 Launched its first advocacy paper on the "Alarming Levels of Learning in Africa".
- **49** In Mali, *translation of manual on education for a culture of peace*, citizenship, civics, gender and illicit trafficking into two national languages.
- **50** *Holistic diagnosis* of the sub-sector of technical and vocational education and training (TVET) *carried out* in Niger.
- 51 Digital resources illustrating lessons in Wolof were developed; and an illustrated 1200-word glossary on woodworking was developed for trainers and learners.
- 52 Development of a learning booklet on sexual and reproductive health education for elementary school students.
- 53 In addition, 100,000 people were sensitized on the importance of girls' education and sexual and reproductive health through the

systems around the new vision of lifelong learning for all and guiding the integration of relevant targets into national education plans.

- 39 In the sub-region, UNESCO Dakar facilitated sectoral and inter-ministerial dialogue.
- 40 Production of three guidance notes, presenting options and recommendations, on the integration of SDG 4 in national educational policy-making, on protracted crises, and on CSE.
- **41** Formulation of the "Guiding framework for the professionalization of basic education teachers in West and Central Africa".
- 42 Organization of regional TALENT workshop on the strengthening of national learning assessment systems s.in December 2017.
- 43 Progress review on the implementation of ESD in the 7 Sahel countries covered by the UNESCO Dakar Office.
- 44 Organization of a regional workshop on "Education to prevent violent extremism in West Africa and the Sahel".
- 45 Production of three guides (on evaluation, certification and for candidates of VPL) for Senegal.
- **46** *Produced a resource kit* for the training of teachers in bilingual education in Francophone countries.
- 47 Promotion of the international technical guidance on sexuality education in WCA.
- 48 The regional launch of the 2019 Global Education Monitoring (GEM) Report in West and Central Africa (...) provided an opportunity to exchange knowledge, experiences and strategies on the topi..
- 49 Senegal's Simulation model was aligned with the new results framework of the PAQUET-EF 2018-2030.
- 50 Support in Mali, in the process of developing a National Strategy for the Development of Education Statistics (SNDSE), in alignment with SDG4.
- **51** In Mali, *reference frameworks* for basic education teacher skills and the teaching profession *have been developed*.
- 52 Develop a training manual on education

developed in PVE-E in order to take into account Education, the Rule of Law and Gender as key themes.

39 - Support for the application in school-based programmes of the Sexuality Education Review and Analysis Tool in two new countries, Ivory Coast and Togo, to prepare further interventions.

- 40 Furthermore, the CapED programme in N promoted teaching practices free from biases gender stereotypes through inservice teacher traiand supervision.
- **41-** *Training of* 85 female teachers in the pilot schon gender- responsive approach.
- 42 Learning of about 1,300 students, mostly gir last grade of primary education level and first gras secondary education level, was supported thre remedial courses (French and mathematics).
- 43 Organizing a training of trainers on the wlinstitution approach to climate change for UNESA ASPNet in Dakar in November 2016. Diffe educational levels and functions were represente the workshop.
- 44 Organized a training seminar for ministric Education of Burkina Faso, Côte de Ivoire, the Gan Mali, Niger and Senegal in Dakar in November 20
- **45** *Training of 40 young African leaders* during celebration of the tenth anniversary of the Afri Youth Charter in the Gambia.
- 46 Supporting the country in the developmer skills training programmes for illiterate young pe It is also supporting the preparation and the effe implementation of a qualified LNFE teacher facilitators training policy.
- **47 Provided the country with tools** for qualification and certification of the professio facilitators in literacy.
- **48** Guinea-Bissau was supported to integrate LNFE policy into the education sector plan 2 2019.
- 49 A module on RAMAA, a participatory ac research for teacher training institutes was develop
- 50 Provided technical support to the REESAO regard to the signature of the legal text on the crea and status of the regional university digital librathe WAEMII
- 51 Supported countries engaged in strengthe their CSE curriculum (Benin, Côte d'Ivoire, Sen and Togo) (...) and 10 organizations who are acti involved in integrating reproductive health educin revised curricula benefitted from UNESt technical support.
- 52 In Côte d'Ivoire, *strengthening capacities* of MoE, civil society and UN staff in CSE, an planning for the development of a national straplan on CSE for the country.

dissemination of key messages.

- 54 Eight large information panels on the importance of girls' education and sexual and reproductive health in French and national languages were installed on the main roads of the regional capitals.
- 55 An awareness-raising caravan entitled «My daughter goes to school» for International Girls' Day for 100,000 listeners was organized.
- 56 Advocacy for the ratification of conventions and standard-setting frameworks in favour of youth and adult mobility in the ECOWAS region and in Africa.
- 57 "Learning to Live Together Sustainably" online platform was launched (...) allowing knowledge, resources and experiences concerning target 4.7 of the SDG and its implementation to be widely exchanged and shared
- 58 Development of a visibility strategy to further promote the "Learning to Live Together Sustainably" online platform throughout the region in 2020.
- 59 SESSTIM, and ANCS offered a digital service to adolescents and youth in (...) to access to needed information and services and are becoming equipped with healthier and more respectful attitudes and behaviors.
- 60 Young people were sensitized, through twenty-eight WhatsApp pages and two Facebook groups.
- **61 -** *A virtual parade* entitled "Masks on Display" *was organized*.
- 62 The Network of Traditional Storytellers for Development (RECOTRADE) was put to good use. *leading a large awareness campaign across the country* for preventive measures through traditional methods and means of communication.
- 63 Publication of "La continuité éducative au temps du Covid-19 et après" in 2021.
- 64 The ImagineSchool Initiative formed a regional platform and ten national platforms with 600 digital educational resources in universal subjects
- 65 *Two international webinars* on scenarization and distance learning practices were held.
- 66 An awareness seminar was held for 40

- for a culture of peace, citizenship, civics, gender and illicit trafficking.
- 53 The Gambia and Senegal have ratified the Addis Ababa Convention on the Recognition of Studies, Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees and Other Academic Qualifications in Higher Education in the African States.
- 54 A standard framework integrating national language and vocational training skills was developed.
- 55 Developed indicators related to SRH in the EMIS and supported their integration into databases.
- 56 The report reviewing Senegal's legal and regulatory framework relating to the right to education from targets 4.1, 4.2 and 4.5 of SDG4 was finalized and shared.
- **57 Recommendations were formulated** to improve the EMIS and harmonize the monitoring and evaluation of SDG4 and CESA.
- 58 Organization of Regional Workshop on National Qualification Frameworks in the ECOWAS.
- 59 Conceptualisation and development of the continental framework for certification began.
- 60 A guide to reopening schools during COVID-19 was made available to the Ministry of National Education.
- 61 Development of a continental report on the state of TVET digital transformation for Africa that serves as a baseline for assessing country progress in the coming years.
- 62 Launch of the written reminder presenting the recommendations resulting from the July 2021 joint sector review.
- 63 Coordinating the publication of the first continental report on the CESA 2016-2025, the African continental strategy on education, and the Sustainable Development Goal on Education by 2030.
- 64 Guidance for countries to check monitoring and evaluation activities of SDG4 and the CESA 2016-2025 at national level through preparation of national reports.
- **65 -** Supported the development of a roadmap for SDG4 integration into Mali's next ESP.
- **66 Technical support for the update** of Senegal's PAQUET-EF has been updated **to**

- 53 In Mali, support the plan for strengthenin CSE with the MoE and other partners an preparation for the implementation of activitie 2017.
- **54 Provided technical support for** implementation of a GBV project in DRC.
- 55 Provided technical support to Guinea-Bissa the strengthening of national education plan capacities, facilitating dialogue on policy trade and supporting the preparation of the education so strategic plan and its costed triennial action plan.
- 56 In Senegal, the updating of the ESP accompanied by support to the development of a education policy simulation model, establishme a national platform on education statistics, support to the updating of National Educations.
- 57 In Senegal and Mali, assisted in the enhancer of the information and data capacities and system identifying relevant indicators for SDG4.
- 58 Training module for teacher assistants in reac writing and mathematics was designed in the natlanguage of Mali, Bambara.
- **59** Organization of a training workshop in Garon "Peace sustainable development and gicitizenship" for 200 young people.
- **60** In Senegal, *supported the approval of mechanism* for the validation of prior learning (Vof "facilitators".
- 61 Facilitated the translation of carpentry trai materials for young people in the national langu Wolof, and the production of video animated less
- **62** Support for the harmonization of two natlanguages (Manjaco and Serere) in the Gambia Senegal, for the purpose of their use in formal and formal education programmes.
- 63 Support for the implementation, or strengthening of the capacities of national quassurance mechanisms in The Gambia, Mali, Niger Senegal.
- **64 -** *Strengthen the capacities* of the Cheikh Diop University and the Gaston Berger Universi Saint-Louis in university pedagogy.
- 65 Support the training in heritage manager occupations, citizenship and peace and functi Italian language in Senegal.
- **66** Support for the development of a consolic curriculum for comprehensive sexual education (6 in Senegal and Gabon.

executives from the ministries in charge of TVET in ALG.

- 67 Follow-up to the continental report on the CESA 2016-2025 with an advocacy and awareness-raising campaign.
- 68 Evidence-based communication and advocacy strategies on SDG4 were developed.
- **69** An *action plan* for follow-up and a maintenance plan for ICT and Sankoré kits *has been finalized*.
- 70 Analyses of young people's calls to, and SMS sent to, support services in sexual and reproductive health from seven countries in the region
- 71 Conducted a mapping of difficulties and constraints faced by the beneficiary universities.
- 72 Support to the organization of 2016 Global Education Monitoring Report (GEMR) launches in Senegal and in the Gambia.
- 73 Launched the Education 2030 Brief series to provide education policy makers and practitioners with relevant background information on education and learning in Sub-Saharan Africa.
- 74 Launch of research/study on Education and Culture ('Harnessing cultures to advance education in Sub Saharan Africa: Review of education policies and practices').
- 75 Elaboration of concrete action plans in relation to curricula, teacher training, regulation and sector planning for SRGBV.

take into account new national, subregional and international frameworks, including the SDG4-Education 2030 agenda.

- 67 Strengthened the capacities of participants from 27 African countries to undertake monitoring and single reporting on the implementation of SDG4 and the CESA16-25.
- 68 Technical support for the ratification of conventions and standard-setting frameworks in favour of youth and adult mobility in the ECOWAS region and in Africa.
- 69 In Burkina Faso, The Gambia, Mali, and Senegal, the SDG-4 national report analysis framework is additionally matched with workshops.

67 - Supported the development of teacher trait tools in Côte d'Ivoire and Ghana.

68 - Kickstarted the development, in partnership RAES, of a mobile app so that teenagers most at of contracting HIV can access CSE.

- 69 Support through training of trainers and teac in their response to school-related gender-b violence (SRGBV).
- 70 National Education Accounts were developed identify gaps, overlaps or misuses in educationancing and to explore strategies for improvement of the country in the preparation.
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- 73 Educational planners and evaluators fror countries were trained on the effective report dissemination and use of large scale lear assessments to improve educational policies practices.
- 74 In Niger, computerized human resound management database (allocation, use, redeployed has been finalized and users and administrators trained in its use
- 75 Also in Niger, *data collection tools* for forma non-formal primary education *have been harmor* and regional statistical officers *were trained* to pro a single statistical yearbook in 2019.
- 76 The capacities of primary and secondary so supervisors have been strengthened on pedago approaches and techniques.
- 77 In Mali, launched the process of developing national teacher policy.
- 78 In 2018, the capacities of curriculum develor and teacher trainers from the seven cluster coun were strengthened on the integration of the PV into education systems.
- **79** *An online platform* Learning to Live Tog Sustainably (http://www.vivons-ensemble.net/) *developed* by UNESCO Dakar and the OIF.
- **80** *Training of* young people on education culture of peace, citizenship, civics, gender and i trafficking.
- 81 Twenty members of the ERARs in the Mopti Segou regions completed a training in PV

82 - In Senegal, experts and external evaluators

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		of instructors in electronic pedagogy.
		97 - Leaders, policy makers and practitioners seven African countries, received high-level speccourses.
		98 - Countries were supported in the creation modules corresponding to their teaching curricular
		99 - Training workshops for teachers in pedago scripting and techno-pedagogy were held with the of guaranteeing quality for national productions, to platforms and ownership of the system deployed be different countries.
		100 - ImaginEcole webinars will be followed up practical workshops and allowed to have 200 schemes and a core of 102 digital educational tra was obtained through 72 virtual classes.
		101 - Teachers from various academies, educat and training inspectorates, and regional educat centres <i>have been trained</i> in techno-pedagogy.
		102 - Teachers were trained in the use of video-ec software (Camtasia and Adobe) for the production learning and training video materials.
		103 - UNESCO has helped The Gambia to advantational TVET Policy.
		104 - Contributed to the empowerment of vulnerable communities of Liptako-Gourna particular women and young people, thr vocational training for employment. Women young people were trained in the localities of Foundational training for supplying the contraction of the contraction
		105 - Young people aged 18 to 24 received short training in sewing, plumbing, poultry farming electrical engineering, as well as construction and energy.
		106 - In Burkina Faso and Niger, teachers <i>trained</i> using the revised materials. UNESCO <i>support teacher training</i> in Mali and Niger as we

Table 10. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Dakar identified in UNESCO Dakar Activities Reports of 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021.

3.10 UNESCO Field Office in Dar es Salaam

The UNESCO Field Office in Dar es Salaam recorded 127 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

We see a predominance of diffusion of meanings, with 35 interventions. There was a predominance of 38% in the demonstration of procedural knowledge and cognitive influence, with a fair equilibrium between other forms of influence and expertise. The neutrality and initiative spectrum had peaks and slumps, but was stronger in the mid-high, mid-low and low sections.

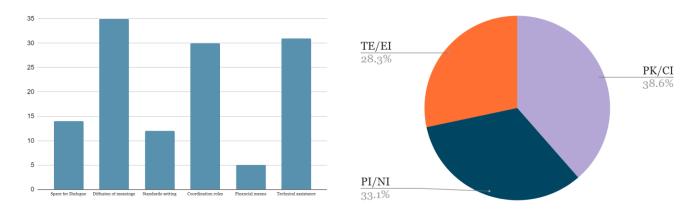


Chart 33. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Dar es Salaam split by activity.

Chart 34. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Dar es Salaam split by influence and expertise.

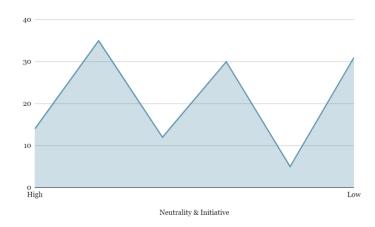


Chart 35. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Dar es Salaam under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

•	Procedural Kn	owledge	Policy In	volvement	Technic	al Expertise
•	Cognitive Influence		Normative Influence		Executive Influence	
ĺ	Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance
	1 - Organization of national consultation in preparation for			1 - Leadership by the Minister of Education at the	1 - Provision of financial support, alongside	1 - Review of the Education Sector Pla

- the Sub-Saharan Africa Regional Conference on the Post-2015 Education Agenda.
- 2 A 5-members delegation of the United Republic of Tanzania participated in the Sub Saharan Africa Regional Ministerial Conference on Education Post-2015 in Kigali, Rwanda from 9 to 11 February 2015.
- 3 Learners have established groups that are in the process of being registered by the district authorities to qualify for small loans to increase and sustain their businesses.
- 4 The Education Sector Analysis incorporated inputs emanating from stakeholders consultative meetings on the key sub-sectors preliminary findings from previous undertakings.
- 5 Organized 2 workshops which engaged 120 key community members from 18 shehias (wards).
- 6 UNESCO was instrumental in facilitating a large technical consultation for alignment of the Education Sector Development Plan (ESDP).
- 7 Facilitated community engagement to support girls' education in Micheweni and Korogwe (...) aimed to mobilize community members to support girls' education in their respective communities.
- 8 Gathering to discuss the organizational structure of the UNESCO - Global Learning XPRIZE Project, in which district officials had an opportunity to further present their inputs in improving the project organization structure.
- 9 In September 2016, organized the first national consultation workshop on Sustainable Development Goal -4 (SDG).
- 10 Establishment of 112 Safe Space youth clubs and provision of guidance and counseling at school level.
- 11 National dialogue on CSE and SRH as well as a timed theme-oriented national campaign on EUP.
- 12 Community members attended workshops on "Crowd

- core training material Resource Pack complemented by international case studies and thematic modules available to the trainees in soft and hard copies
- 2 Community members were introduced to the concepts of culture, gender, education, law and regulations, the role of parents and community members in education to support girl's retention in
- 3 Micheweni community radio capitalized the issues to come up with a message matrix for social behaviour change.
- 4 Community engagement to support girls education resulted in the community coming up with specific plans to be implemented over the next year.
- 5 Under the XPRIZE, specific community sensitization and mobilization interventions were undertaken in collaboration with the district. wards and village authorities and representatives.
- 6 The clubs focus on sensitising the school community on the importance of education. gender related issues, violence against children, academic excellence, bullying,
- 7 Implemented several interventions for CSE and SHR ranging from advocacy and awareness creation including through radio programs and social media
- 8 Several advocacy, sensitization, consultation and technical related activities organized reaching 520 people in Zanzibar.
- 9 Community engagement to increase support and sustained initiatives for promoting safer and inclusive community and school environment undertaken

- policy change advocated under the so-called UNESCO BEAP (Basic Education in Africa Programme).
- 2 Presentation and handing over of the reviewed ICT Competency Standards for Teachers to the MoEVT.
- 3 Adaptation of materials from Kenya, Uganda and Namibia systems, collected and submitted to the scrutiny of a team of national experts to ensure that the materials were aligned to international
- 4 Support the generation and dissemination of education reports which cover indicators around sexuality education, integration of HIV-Sensitive Indicators in EMIS
- 5 Support mainstreaming of HIV-sensitive indicators into the EMIS.
- 6 Devised a Model Qualifications Framework, which responds to the labour market needs of the
- 7 Facilitated the development and use of six school monitoring guides on sexuality education and child protection..
- 8 Development of gender-responsive action plans for Ngorongoro, mainstreamed in 14 district departments and 6 units - making Ngorongoro a potential role model/good
- 9 Development of new indicators to enhance data collection for adolescent girls and young women on these aspects.
- 10 Review and update of guides on how to fillin school data in SCQ from different education
- 11 Support for the elaboration of the Education

- 2 New policy in alignment with UNESCO BEAP championed by the president of the United Republic of Tanzania in February 2015
- 3 Attendance by the Minister of Education, in the Sub Saharan Africa Regional Ministerial Conference on Education Post-2015.
- 4 Facilitated the participation of a high level delegation of Tanzania to the 3rd Education World
- 5 Presentation of the GEM Report to the Office of the Prime Minister, and submission of a copy for presentation at the Parliament.
- 6 The Deputy Minister of Education of Tanzania Mainland and the Deputy Principal Secretary of Zanzibar attended the high level Forum on ICT for Education hosted by the PRC in 2015.
- 7 Signature of the agreement on teacher education witnessed by the Honorable Ambassador of the People's Republic of China to Tanzania
- 8 Attendance at a workshop for consolidation of the Education Sector Analysis by the Deputy
- 9 Graduation ceremony attended by the Director of Non Formal and Adult Education of the MoEVT and the representative of the Ambassador of Japan.
- 10 Handing over ceremony of the reviewed ICT Competency Standards for Teachers witnessed by the representative of the Ambassador of the People's Republic of China and other high-level
- 11 UNESCO and the XPRIZE signed an agreement for nearly 2M USD for s partnership for the implementation of a project titled "Xprize

- Performance, for the Post Graduate Diploma Course in Curriculum Design and Development
- 2 Mobilizing the support from UNICEF, SIDA, the WB and DFID to ensure a large participation by Tanzania in the 2015 World Education Forum (WEF) held from 19 – 22 May 2015 in Incheon, Republic of Korea.
- 3 Under the US\$15 Million Global Learning XPRIZE, around 4.000 children across 200 villages will participate in the test, each of whom will receive a tablet donated by Google
- 4 Equipped 2 Teachers Colleges (Monduli and Tabora) with ICT equipment, powered by solar energy, which will serve as the Centers of Excellence to improve Mathematics and Science teaching in all Tanzanian teacher training institutions.
- 5 Financial support to the MoEVT Zanzibar provided to assess capacity of in-service teachers to teach life skills based sexual & reproductive health, HIV and gender education.

- 2 Organization of the fourth edition of Graduate Diploma Course in Curriculum Development in Africa.
- 3 Carried out a 5 days training workshop Platform Training to develop and knowledge and skills of participants
- 4 Supported adolescent girls and your who dropped out of school through cen young mothers were provided with (... which consisted in complementing the ba and numeracy skills with life skills.
- 5 Opening of training centers for Distance Learning (ODL) in the region, In the Ministry placed a resident tutor in Shir will assist the young mothers enroll-
- 6 Workshop for consolidation of the Sector Analysis. This exercise, initiated in takes a capacity building approach, where experts from three education assigned mini hand in hand with UNESCO experts.
- 7 Support to the Government of T conducting the ESA and draft the ESI
- 8 Support the elaboration of the tea learning materials for the Higher Diploma Secondary Education.
- 9 Tutors from 8 Teachers Colleges acros acquired new knowledge and skills in integrating ICTs in teaching and learni and Mathematics and using Online
- 10 VETA was supported to develop an incentives scheme/mechanism for the in

Sourcing Girls' Education" in February 2016.

- 13 Workshop for technical consultation aimed to harmonize education priorities under the Five Year Development Plan (FYDPII) and other documents
- 14 First national consultation workshop on Sustainable Development Goal – 4 (SDG) "the Education 2030 Agenda"
- 10 240 copies of relevant government policy, guidelines and legal framework including the Education Act 253 of 2016 disseminated to all participants.
- 11 Support was also provided to 25 community radios to design and broadcast program addressing issues of local concern and creating community awareness around child protection.
- 12 Survey and report on teachers' knowledge, attitude and perception about provision of life skills based sexual & reproductive health, HIV and gender education to learners in Zanzibar.
- 13 Strides in spearheading the *implementation* of *HWE in Tanzania through integration* in school curriculum and teaching methods and inclusion in to government strategies, programming documents and plans
- 14 Key stakeholders at government and community levels including religious leaders have been sensitized aon EUP and GBV.
- 15 Supported programs on addressing issues non-violently in schools are operational in 50 schools of Tanzania mainland.
- **16** Development of *a policy paper and audiovisual content* on comprehensively addressing school-related gender-based violence.
- 17 Mapping of Partners in Distance Learning Solutions for Basic Education in Tanzania Mainland and Zanzibur was completed and reports are available.
- 18 Needs Assessment for the establishment of a Learning Management System for Basic Education in Tanzania Mainland and Zanzibar was complete and also available.
- 19 Support provided for improved access to SRH information through the development of a USSD messaging application model
- 20 A concept note on advocacy for the development and implementation of a qualifications framework for ANFE was developed in partnership.
- 21 Work with 4 districts and local government authorities to advocate for accountability in education.
- **22** *Engagement of parents and religious leaders* in providing SRH information to young people and community at large.
- 23 Piloting of two key information toolkits namely religious leaders SRHR tool kits and

For All (EFA) National Review.

12 - Capacity of PORALG has been improved following development and dissemination of self-explanatory guides on how to fill-in school dada to the schools in Tanzania Mainland.

Project for Promotion of Early Learning through Innovative Technologies in Tanzania".

- 12 Closure event officiated by the Commissioner of Education, Professor Eustella Bhalalusesa, alongside several dignitaries including the Ambassador of Japan in Tanzania.
- 14 The XPRIZE Project workshop of 16th September was graced with the presence and support of the Director of Primary Education from the MoEST.
- 15 Lead the educational aspects of the field test in collaboration with the MoEST and the President's Office Regional Authority and Local Government.
- 16 Attendance at the 50th Anniversary Celebration of the ILD by the Acting Commissioner of Education from the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology.
- 17 The first national consultation workshop on Sustainable Development Goal 4 was officiated by the Deputy Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Education
- 20 Vocational Education and Training Authority (VETA) in Tanzania Mainland was supported to establish partnerships between local enterprises and TVET providers.
- 21 The Deputy Minister within the President's Office Regional Administration and Local Government unveiled the plaque with the message to reiterate their commitment to campaign against EUP.
- 22 Partnership with the President's Office, Regional Administration and Local Government under the "Strengthening Prevention and Management of Gender-Based Violence".
- 23 Supported the President's Office, Regional Administration and Local Government to undertake joint supervision and monitoring visits.
- 24 Organized a national coordinators' meeting on CSE and SHR in Moshi in December..
- 25 UNESCO as the lead for the Education Outcome Group coordinated restructuring of the results framework.
- 26 Joined the efforts of the UNESCO Regional Office for Eastern Africa, in mobilised partners, including technology companies, to support continuity of learning.
- 27 10 partnerships were established between local enterprises and 2 TVET training providers for work-based learning arrangements.

offer more placements and internships to be teachers and trainees.

- Capacity building towards the Lab Information findings to Key TVET stakeh conducted.
- 12 Vocational Training Authority developed new programs targeting han agribusines (...) and are working on decurriculum framework towards environmental sustainability, digital entrepreneurship skills in the new program
- 13 Supported VETA to develop organization and operational model for Vocational Teacher Training College.
- 14 Support government efforts to imprand reproductive health, gender and outcomes for adolescents and young Tanzania by delivering accurate, rightsgood quality CSE programmes.
- 15 Supported trainings of in-servic dissemination of curriculum support ma provided technical support to government and non-government organizations arou education.
- **16** *Implementation of a pilot* of Corresponding a curriculum-based tool for
- 17 Capacity building sessions were org whereby district education officials, sch school-parent committees and religious & leaders were oriented
- 18 Technical support to the MoEV provided to assess capacity of in-service teach life skills based sexual & reproduc HIV and gender education.
- **19** *Provided technical support* to the Education, Science & Technology to ap GPE COVID-19 Acceleration Funding Wi
- **20 -** *Organized training* for stakeholders centers in Tanzania to better use labor mark in their operations.
- 21 Teachers from Zanzibar were a delivering life skills and SRH education and basic secondary levels
- 22 School personnel were trained managing WASH facilities at school and levels.
- 23 Out-of-school adolescent girls and you were given access to pre-vocational and i

parent-child communication Manual". 24 - Launching of two proje leaders, parents and car knowledge and develop posi 25 - Adolescents and you through timed event such a well as integrated social platforms.	ets enabling religious givers to acquire tive attitudes. ung people reached as EUP campaign as media and digital	28 - High political commitment was particularly demonstrated in Ngorongoro through the development of gender-responsive action plans for 2020/21/22. 29 - UNESCO's contribution has led to improved coordination of the country AYAS/ESA Stakeholders Working Group. 30 - Representatives from ministries, Development Partners and Youth based groups unanimously	education. 24 - Supported interventions on access cultural and age appropriate life skills-including on HIV and GBV. 25 - CBET curricula and training materials of creative industry and agribusiness were and these curriculums will be implemented Institute of Science and Technology. 26 - Establishment of the system that training the system is a support of the system.
26 - Produced a policy brie audiovisual documentary w and mobilizing partnerships initiative at scale in particul related gender based violence 27 - Launch and presentation	th focus on <i>advocacy</i> in view of taken this ar addressing school e in Tanzania.	endorsed the SADC agenda 2030.	the workbased learning through the between local enterprises and TVET prov 27 - Ministry-level officials participa training provided by the programm implementation of SRHE. 28 - Capacity development for the gov
28 - Organized a special e anniversary of Internationa 29 - Survey and report on serve as key reference to around curriculum revision. 30 - A roadmap for cre	Literacy Day. CSE in Zanzibar to nform programming		develop a prevocational curriculum fransecondary schools is in progress. 29 - Enhancement of capacity of a officials, of which 37 are newly elected or Ngorongoro District. 30 - Institutional and technical
linkages between Safe Sp gyouth centers was establishe 31 - Organization of the Graduate Diploma Course is and Development in Africa. 32 - Organization of gradu	ce youth clubs and d. launch of the Post of Curriculum Design		strengthened to generate data and evid sectors through the review of existing edu collection tools to promote adolescent young women's learning. 31 - A classroom-based program which school related gender-based violence classroom activities applied, through wh
"Empowering out of sch through second chance educ: 33 - Meetings have contr awareness of key stakeholde of sexuality education in a Gender based violence affect young people in Zanzibar.	pol young mothers attom?. ibuted in increased the importance addressing SRH and		benefited from the project by the acquisit for respect and non-violence relationship.
34 - Review and integrate and school-related SRGB teacher education curriculum 35 - Working hand in han ensure integration of C curricula (pre-primary, pr	V into pre-service d with UNESCO to EE components in		

Table 11. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Office in Dar es Salaam identified in UNESCO Dar es Salaam Activities Reports of 2018/2019 and 2020, complemented by UNESCO Dar es Salaam Newsletters from 2015 and 2016

3.11 UNESCO Field Office in Harare

The UNESCO Field Office in Harare recorded 251 interventions over the course of the analyzed period. Again, a higher number is likely the result of it being a Regional Bureau.

We see a predominance of diffusion of meanings and standards-setting, with 67 interventions each. There was a predominant demonstration of policy involvement and normative influence, with a weak demonstration of technical expertise and executive influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum was strong in the mid-high section, where it peaked, with some strength in the low section as well.

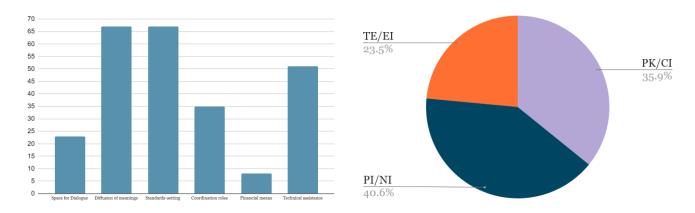


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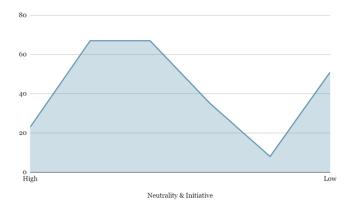


Chart 38. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Harare under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedural Knowledge		Policy Involvement		Technical Expertise	
Cognitive Influence		Normative Influence		Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance
1 - Supported national consultations on SDG4 in all the	1 - Celebrations of the International Literacy	1 - Developed thematic policy briefs shared with	1 - Needs assessment missions and site visits were	1 - 3,000 copies of the teacher resource pack	1 - Support Zimbabwe as a Member Sta

- 1 Supported national consultations on SDG4 in all the nine countries to discuss, clarify and unpack SDG4 and the Education 2030 agenda.
- **2 Discussions with** the SARUA to examine a practical approach to facilitate knowledge development, sharing and learning in the Southern Africa Region.
- 3 The TEVET Principals' Forum was also established to improve the organization and management of training centers
- **4** The regional Task Team conducted *national consultations* to further inform the framework will take place in 2018
- 5 Supported a two-day "Sub-Saharan Africa Conference on ESD: Local sustainable solutions for cities and communities" that took place in Nairobi.
- **6 Partners of the project,** "Play and Resilience: A China-Africa collaboration project for building a peaceful and sustainable future" *met* in Addis Ababa
- 7 Supported the running of 5 Youth and Entrepreneurship conferences held at Technical Colleges in Malawi
- 8 Regional Consultation Meeting for Anglophone and Lusophone African countries held in Johannesburg.
- **9 -** *Hosted a Zimbabwean National Consultation meeting* on Skills for Sustainable Development from in Harare.
- 10 In Zambia, brought together for a national consultation on policies and good practices on Skills for Sustainable Development.
- 11 Conducted a two-day workshop to develop a Masterplan for the country's Draft ICT in Higher Education Policy in Zimbabwe.
- 12 In Zambia, participants gathered for the first ever National Forum on the integration of ICT in Education.
- 13 Organised the second Global Citizenship Education

- 1 Celebrations of the International Literac Day were held.
- 2 Supported the roll out of the community engagement toolkit and activities at country level including radio programs on CSE featuring debates on SRH issues.
- 3 Supported the development of radio programmes reaching an estimated 4 million people
- 4 Namibia *rolled out programs* covering relationships, alcohol and drug abuse, teenage pregnancy and violence
- 5 Lesotho, Namibia, Uganda, Zambia and Zimbabwe incorporated the use of SMS in their community engagement interventions.
- 6 Outcomes from the SADC Parliamentary Forum meeting included a *communique by parliamentarians committing to advocate* for the ESA Commitment
- 7 Commemoration of the International Mother Language Day (IMLD) on 21st February 2017.
- 8 Implemented in Malawi six research studies, including one on the extent of gender-based violence in technical colleges were completed.
- **9** A music video was produced to break negative gender norms and beliefs by portraying women in traditionally male-dominated technical trades.
- 10 Malawi *launched* the Sustainability Starts with Teachers (SST) programme *with a two-day workshop*.
- 11 Lecturers at two teacher education institutions *were sensitized* on the integration of ICTs in teaching and learning.
- 12 In Malawi, *two research studies* on TVET teachers and instructors *were conducted*.

- 1 Developed thematic policy briefs shared with all the countries in the region (...) presenting key issues, relevant data, main challenges, good practices in the region and priority recommendations
- 2 Organized a *Southern Africa Regional Consultation* on SDG4 that explored and examined key priorities of SDG4 in the regional context.
- 2 A Regional Conference on "Ensuring Quality Early Childhood Care and Education" was organized in Swaziland (...) as a platform to share country policies, good practices, experiences and research results on ECCE.
- **3** During the International Literacy Day in Zimbabwe, 'best functional literacy centres' were presented with prizes.
- **4** The STEP being implemented in Malawi became a sharing platform on TVET programmes and practices for member states in the region.
- 5 Commissioned a study on teacher policy, towards the development of a SADC regional comprehensive teacher policy framework.
- 6 Commissioned a study on the status of the development of teacher professional standards and competencies, calling for harmonization and standardization.
- 7 Organized a Southern Africa Regional Meeting on Teacher Policies and Standards.
- **8 Regional meeting on GCED held** in Johannesburg.
- **9** Conducted an environmental scan on the practice of ESD in the nine SADC countries, to see how they have integrated ESD in their education.

- 1 Needs assessment missions and site visits were undertaken by colleagues from Headquarters to explain the project to the national authorities in Mozambique and Namibia.
- 2 A joint mission of representatives of Ministries of Education of Mozambique and Zimbabwe undertook a study mission to Korea and visited KERIS and KNOU sites.
- 3 The outcomes of the regional consultation were shared with the Global SDG4-Education 2030 Steering Committee.
- 4 Supported the implementation of the ESA Ministerial Commitment, an important platform for advocating for positive health outcomes for young people.
- 5 UNESCO, UNFPA and the World Bank supported the EAC secretariat to draft the EAC Regional Sexual and Reproductive Health Bill.
- **6 SADC Task Team was endorsed by the SADC ministers** to work on the SADC framework for teacher standards and competencies.
- 7 In Zimbabwe, UNESCO acted as lead agency in the UN Inter-Agency Task Force on TVET supported a dialogue working closely with the Department of Psychomotor Activities in the Office of the President and Cabinet.
- 8 In Swaziland, the *Prime Minister used the occasion of the IMLD celebrations to make a policy pronouncement* on use of the local language, Siswati, in teaching and learning in the early grades of the primary school.
- **9** Coordinated and followed up on the recommendations on the implementation of the GCED Network for Africa.
- 10 Attendance by Zambia's Ambassador to UNESCO, representing the General Education Minister for Zambia at the O3 official launch in

- 1 3,000 copies of the teacher resource pack have been printed for distribution.
- **2 -** *A bursary programme was launched* to support women and vulnerable populations to enter and complete training.
- 3 Initiated the process of establishing two ICT Teacher Education Centres of Excellence in Zambia. The required ICT infrastructure and equipment to be procured was identified.
- 4 Run bursary programs to encourage increased numbers of women and vulnerable persons in the TEVET. In total, 447 bursaries were offered through these training institutes.
- 5 UNESCO and the Republic of Korea handed over Information Communication Technology (ICT) equipment worth US\$300,000 to Zimbabwe's Minister of Primary and Secondary Education to benefit 20 schools in the country.
- **6 Ran a bursary programme** in non-formal training for vulnerable students in Malawi.
- 7 UNESCO *provided financial support* to the Eswatini Government review of its TVET policy and law on industrial and vocational training (IVT)
- **8 Handed over ICT equipment and software** procured under CFIT to Zambia.

- 1 Support Zimbabwe as a Member Sta TVET policy reviews and policy develop the Ministry of Higher and Tertiar Science and Technology Development.
- 2 A workshop was organized with the Profession of Zimbabwe to discuss and guide drafting of the project document in Ma
- **3 Regional workshop** held in Harare from Korea experts and UNESCO to he deepen their understanding on how to the project document
- 4 Conducted a two-day national wor which lecturers in teachers' colleges an were capacitated to utilize diverse met lifelong learning through ODL and e-sch
- **5** Supported the translation of the on CSE for teachers into French, Portugues to make the course accessible to more or
- **6** A *teacher resource pack was* complement the delivery of the onling providing an offline version of the course
- 7 Supporting the roll out of a comp CSE course for first year students (...) of by an interactive SMS-based platfor students with targeted SRH information
- 8 Technical assistance provided to development of an ICT in Higher Edu in Zimbabwe.
- 9 Initiated the revision of the ICT Policy and Implementation plan in Nar
- 10 Supported governments in the de TVET policy situation analysis.
- 11 Education staff at national and subswere trained on the Family Learning

- (GCED) networking meeting, for GCED experts and stakeholders from Sub-Saharan Africa in Johannesburg.
- 14 Convened a side meeting during the 6th Africa Regional Forum on Sustainable Development Goals (ARFSD) held in Victoria Falls to review progress and challenges in the implementation of SDG4.
- 15 Organized an online consultation meeting to deliberate on the draft declaration document of the 2020 GEM on Education Post-COVID19.
- 16 A Media Breakfast Forum was held at the UNESCO ROSA Offices in 2020.
- 17 Supported a social dialogue workshop held in Lilongwe.
- 18 Collaborated with governments and partners across ESA Commitment member states to convene national consultations to review country progress.
- **19** *Held a conference* to mark the end of the Skills and Technical Education Programme (STEP) in 2021.
- 20 Teacher conference held in June in Lilongwe. under theme: "Teachers, Education policy and practice in the time of COVID 19: opportunities and dilemmas"...
- 21 Participation in the Africa Regional Meeting on ESD for 2030 held on 26 May 2021.
- **22 Second regional meeting** "ICT Transforming Education in Africa" *held* in Rwanda and supported peer learning among Mozambique, Rwanda and Zimbabwe.
- 23 Mozambique hosted a national workshop on developing its ICT in Education Policy (...) to produce the second draft of the country's national ICT in Education Policy.

- 13 In South Africa, *a needs assessment was conducted* and revealed several challenges among them, gross shortage of ECCE teachers.
- **14** The CFIT project also *sensitized* staff at the TEIs on the integration of ICTs in teaching and learning in 2017.
- 15 Communities were reached with CSE content using short message services (SMS), television and radio platforms across the 17 project countries.
- 16 In Mozambique, a report of the holistic study on teachers' situation in the country was launched on 8th March 2018.
- 17 Ngwazi Zazikazi (female champion/hero), *a music video produced by UNESCO* won the European Union DEVCO)EUROPEAID Communication Award.
- **18** *Supported an assessment* of the sexual and reproductive health (SRH) needs of students and the extent of gender based violence (GBV).
- 19 A Gender and Inclusion study was conducted in twelve training institutions within the three regions of Malawi.
- 20 Support for the establishment of communication materials on prevention of sexual violence. (...) and distribution of orientation toolkits to different TEVET training institutions and trade test centres.
- 21 Research on training TEVET institution governance and management was finalized.
- 22 A study on monitoring by the private sector of TEVET in Malawi was finalized.
- 23 A study on the TEVET Training Fund was completed and UNEVOC with local partners developed.
- **24 -** A campaign to reduce EUP in Eastern and Southern Africa was launched on 20th June 2018 in Durban.
- 26 Countries in the region *celebrated World Teachers Day* on 5 October 2019 under the theme, "Young Teachers: The future of the Profession".
- 27 Zimbabwe's TVET *Policy Review Report was finalized* in 2019 after taking one and a half years to compile, validate and finalize.
- 28 Developed a TEVET Policy Review Report for Malawi.

- 10 The *Ministerial call to action on ESA*, and the 'Roadmap 2020', have been shared with all ESA countries for implementation
- 11 Draft a focused Programme of Action that will catalyze an accelerated implementation of the CSW resolution 60/2 at the national and regional levels within SADC Member States.
- 12 Development of a SADC regional framework for teacher standards and competencies.
- 13 Supported the SADC Secretariat in the development of the Second Strategic Framework for the development of TVET in SADC (2018-2027).
- 14 South Africa's FunDza Literacy Trust awarded UNESCO Confucius Literacy Prize.
- 15 Commissioned research studies such as a study on the situation of NQFs in the region and a review of TVET Policies.
- 17 Organization of the Southern Africa Regional Forum on TVET Teachers and Greening TVET in April 2017.
- **18** Participated in the SADC Technical Committee meeting on Higher Education and Training, Research and Development.
- 19 The *regional Task Team developed a draft framework* and national consultations to further inform the framework will take place in 2018.
- 20 Organized a Southern Africa Regional Meeting on Integrating ICTs in Teaching and Learning in Harare.
- 21 Commission an evaluation of the ESA Commitment (...) to assess progress and achievements, and inform the extension of the ESA Commitment to 2030 to align with Agenda 2030.
- **22 Convened a SADC Member States Consultation webinar** on Open and Distance Learning in Southern Africa.
- 23 Regional webinar for Southern Africa was held to facilitate collective reflection on education-related responses to the pandemic, challenges and practices of governments in the region.
- 24 Zimbabwe's Sihlengeni Primary School, Namibia's Namib Desert Environmental Education Trust (NaDEET) and Botswana's Camphill Community Trust amongst recipients of the UNESCO Japan Prizes on ESD.

Paris.

- 11 Presentation of the draft framework to the SADC meeting of Ministers responsible for Education and Training, Science, Technology and Innovation in 2018.
- 12 UNESCO and Sweden signed a new Funding Agreement to the value of 21.5 million Swedish Kronor to support Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) in Southern Africa.
- 13 TVET Policy Review Report was validated by various stakeholders in 2018 in Harare.
- 14 Participation at the Botswana regional workshop on WBL by Botswana's Assistant Minister for Tertiary Education, Research, Science and Technology.
- 15 The Codes of Conduct have had wide consultation with students and faculty and were approved by the MoLYSMD.
- 16 Republic of South Korea Ambassador to Zimbabwe and UNESCO Regional Director for Southern Africa handed over the Draft ICT in Higher and Tertiary Education Policy to the Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Higher and Tertiary Education, Science and Technology Development.
- 17 Namibia's Minister of Education, Arts and Culture officially launched the 2017/2018 GEMR at national level.
- 18 Sweden's Minister of Education joined representatives from UNESCO and the Zambian Departments of General Education and Higher Education to launch the "Our Rights, Our Lives, Our Future" (O3).
- 19 UNESCO ROSA Regional Director, handed over the Report to the Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Higher and Tertiary Education, Science and Technology Development.
- 20 The launch of the model school institution on the use of ICTs in education had the participation of the Ambassador of South Korea to Zimbabwe and UNESCO Regional Director and Representative.
- 21 Signature of agreement between the Government of Norway and UNESCO to accelerate the O3 program.
- **22 -** UNESCO, SIDA and Zambia's Ministries of Higher and General Education *signed a cooperation agreement* to launch the O3 project.
- 23 UNESCO and partners launched the "Let's Talk" campaign with the one for Zimbabwe *presided over*

learners were enrolled in the far programmes.

- 12 BEAR project in Botswana, Mala Zambia, and the Democratic Republic first phase with 744 *teachers that receiv*
- 13 BEAR project in Botswana, Mala Zambia, and the Democratic Republic first phase, 12 *new curricula were devei*
- 14 TVET leaders were equipped with skills to transform the TVET sector.
- 15 Supported the capacity developme training colleges and four universities utmethodologies for lifelong learning the trainings on ODL...
- 16 A Zimbabwe ICT Essentials for Te was developed in 2017 and master trained to deliver the course, and solvere trained in the course.
- **17 -** *An ESD training course* with five a "Sustainability Starts with Teachers" *wa* 2017.
- **18 Training** of preschool and nursery a teachers and caregivers in ECCE in Zim
- 19 With the technical support of U Zimbabwe Ministry of Primary an Education (MoPSE) developed a guidel required equipment and the process of eSchool.
- 20 Capacity building for southern Afrischool teacher educators on the SDGs (...) with courses to secondary teacher mainstreaming ESD.
- 21 Reached over 100.000 in-service 23.000 pre-service teachers with CSE to
- 22 Supported the Ministry of Labour and Manpower Development (MoLYS TEVET instructors in gender responsive
- 23 Learners successfully completed TEVETA certificate in area of solar pan maintenance and repair, graduated tailoring, or carpentry, and graduated Driven Solutions in entrepreneurship
- 24 Supported the review of draft Ma
- 25 Capacity development was prov workshops including DACUM facilitato TEVET course development procedures

- 29 Worked with technical colleges across Malawi to raise awareness about Gender Based Violence (GBV) at colleges.
- **30** UNESCO and partners *launched the "Let's Talk" campaign* in various countries participating in the O3 programme.
- 31 Facilitated collection of evidence on the impact of school closures on education in SADC Member States and on measures undertaken by governments.
- 32 Partnered with higher education institutions to undertake several studies on how education and training systems in SADC were affected by and could respond to COVID 19.
- 33 Commemorated the International Day of Education (IDE) on 24th January 2020 under the theme, "Learning for People, Planet, Prosperity and Peace".
- 34 On the occasion of the World Environment Day (5th June),
- 35 Launch of a website for the project (https://sustainabilityteachers.org) (...) to provide course materials, news, stories of change, policy briefs and an interactive learning space..
- **36** A series of videos and posters with key messages and actions for COVID-19 prevention and control were developed and disseminated widely across the region.
- 37 Content was developed for francophone adolescents and young people and disseminated using the HelloAdo application that was actively promoted in several WCA French speaking countries.
- **38** Digital channels and low tech solutions such as radio programmes were also used to ensure continuous learning.
- **39 -** *Studies addressed* the differentiated gender impact of COVID-19 on boys and girls, or on gender-based violence, in Nigeria and Côte d'Ivoire.
- 40 The Technical Working Group completed data collection from each country involved in the WCA Commitment process and developed 24 country fact sheets, infographics on health, education and gender issues.
- 41 Adaptation of the Let's Talk! Campaign on EUP to Lets' Talk at Home (...) through development and dissemination of a radio drama and key messages around the concept Let's Talk at

- 25 Hosted a SADC Higher Education Webinar to share outcomes of the case studies conducted in 4 SADC countries on the impact of COVID-19 on Higher Education.
- 26 Met virtually to review past achievements and plan for the future in a *Tripartite Consultation* webinar on Southern Africa.
- 27 Representatives from SADC countries converged for a consultation webinar on Data Gaps for Sustainable Development Goal 4 (SGD 4) targets and EMIS.
- 28 The Southern Africa Regional Experts group meeting on Capacity Professional Development for Teachers was held in Mozambique.
- 29 Teacher educator action learning workshop held in South Africa (...) offered delegates the opportunity to network and share with their peers from nine Southern African countries.
- 30 Botswana hosted a regional workshop on Work Based Learning (WBL) supported by UNESCO and SADC.
- 31 Hosted a regional meeting on TVET governance and financing in South Africa (...) in which SADC approved Strategic Framework Implementation Plan was disseminated.
- **32** Support for the establishment of standard Codes of Conduct for instructors and for trainees in Malawi.
- 33 Support the development of a draft National Qualifications Framework (NQF) Manual in Malawi.
- 34 Two-day regional workshop on Continuous Professional Development (CPD) for teachers was conducted in Malawi with delegates from SADC countries..
- 35 Supported Zambia in developing professional standards for its teaching force.
- 34 During the World Teachers Day 2019, outstanding teachers and head teachers from both primary and secondary schools across Malawi were awarded for the outstanding work that they do.
- 35 An Advanced Regional Training Programme (ARTP) targeting teacher and TVET educators was held in South Africa (...) to develop a shared understanding of the context for ESD in the three countries.
- 36 Hosted the Southern Africa Regional Workshop with Ministries from Tourism and

- by the country's First Lady.
- 24 UNESCO/SADC Joint Statement and Action Plan on ensuring learning never stops signed by the Executive Secretary of SADC and the Regional Director of UNESCO ROSA.
- 25 The Malawi Qualifications Authority (MAQA) Bill was finalized through stakeholder participation and submitted to the Ministry of Justice for tabling in Parliament.
- 26 Malawi's TEVET Policy was also finalized and submitted to Ministry of Labour for final approval.
- 27 Monitoring and Evaluation Framework for the TEVET sector was developed and approved by the Ministry of Labour.
- 28 Attendance of Under Secretary in the Ministry of Education and Training at Eswatini's TVET Policy Review Report launch.
- 29 Attendance at the SADC Meeting of Ministers responsible for Education and Training, Science, Technology and Innovation by the Assistant Director General for Education of UNESCO.
- 30 Attendance and opening by Botswana's Minister of Education, Research, Science and Technology of the Southern Africa regional policy dialogue on ESD.
- 31 The Inaugural Meeting of the 7th NATCOM for UNESCO took place in Pretoria, attended by the Basic Education Minister of South Africa.
- 32 Attendance at the launch of the "Our Rights, Our Lives, Our Future (O3) Plus" project by the Acting Minister of Higher and Tertiary Education, Science, Innovation and Technology Development of Zimbabwe.
- 33 Organized a two-day face-to-face workshop to review and validate the Curriculum Development and Technical Services Department materials.
- 34 South African President Cyril Ramaphosa congratulated the Puku Children's Literature Foundation for winning the UNESCO/King Sejong Literacy Prize 2021.
- 35 A high-level Ministerial Meeting held virtually, as part of the ICASA 2021, reaffirmed and expanded the commitment to scale-up sexuality education and youth-friendly SRH services in the region.

- 26 Ran a management training pr TEVET institution management pe associated community leaders.
- 27 Drafts of the new TEVET institution handbooks were developed with
- 28 Supported to host training w 'Digitization of Instructional Material Education'
- 29 Co-hosted the '21st Century workshop' (...) a 5 day training worksh capacities of librarians in Zimbabw colleges in applying ICT tools.
- **30 Teacher educators** from TVTC Lwanga College of Education were to pedagogical use of ICT.
- 31 Co-hosted a four-day Master train. leaders and teachers on implement "Connect with Respect", addressing a gender-based violence.
- **32** Supported a Capacity Building Priteachers on ESD through national work Botswana, Namibia and Zimbabwe.
- 33 Provided core life skills to enable to
- **34 -** *A capacity building workshop* for s understand, analyze and discuss policy TEVET sector was conducted in Malaw
- 35 Provided technical support to Government review of its TVET polic industrial and vocational training (IVT).
- **36** *Provided technical assistance* for cothe model school institution on the us 7 imbabwe
- **37 Capacity building workshops** of electronic resources and OERs in learning were conducted in Zimbabwe.
- **38 Hosted a capacity workshop** on quain higher education from 3 4 April 201
- **39** *Provided inputs* on Zimbabwe's pro achieving the SDG4 targets particularly to higher and tertiary education.
- **40** Organized a regional training workshop for religious leaders on CSE South Africa.
- 41 Journalists in participating country trained on how to report on EUP.

Home.

- **42** Six webinars were convened in order to reach a broader number of young people and ignite conversations on different approaches on SRHR and EUP.
- **43** Organized two webinars on the theme, "Literacy Teaching and Learning: The Role of Educators and Pedagogical changes"..
- **45** *Hosted a webinar to launch* the Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) for 2030 Roadmap in Africa.
- 46 Implementation and finalization of a pilot on Connect with Respect (CwR), a curriculumbased tool for addressing School Related Gender Based Violence
- 47 Implemented a needs assessment on CSE for learners with disabilities in five countries.
- 48 Finalized and successfully launched the CSE Learning Platform, a web-based platform to facilitate knowledge exchange across programme countries.
- 49 Launched a WhatsApp-based educational application, Dzidzo Paden|Imfundwe'ndlini, on 23 November 2020 in Harare.
- **50 -** *Undertook a Rapid Impact Assessment* on COVID-19 on Persons with Disabilities in Malawi.
- 51 Eswatini's Technical and Vocational Education Training (TVET) *Policy Review Report was launched.*
- **52** *Held a webinar* on Resilient Schools and Disaster Risk Reduction Education on 10 February 2021.
- **53** *Participated in a radio discussion* on learning platforms on the occasion of the launch of UNICEF's Zimbabwe Learning Passport.
- 58 Hosted a webinar on 5 July 2021 to launch the Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) on Resilient Schools and Disaster Risk Reduction Education.
- 59 Unveiled country reports on the literacy situation as regards policies and practice in the region.
- **60** Held a virtual workshop on CSE for learners with disabilities in Eastern and Southern Africa (...) to share knowledge and build consensus on provision of CSE and SRH services for young people with disabilities.

Environment, Labour and TVET sectors from the SADC region.

- 37 Guidelines for addressing misconduct, particularly forms of gender based violence in TEVET colleges were also developed and adopted in Malawi.
- 38 Representatives from Zimbabwean schools piloting the e-schools model converged to share experiences and best practices regarding the use of ICT tools in teaching and learning.
- **39** A model school institution on the use of ICTs in education was launched at Masvingo Teachers' College in Zimbabwe.
- 40 Hosted the inaugural SADC High-level Regional Conference of Vice Chancellors and Deans of Education, Science, Engineering and Technology in Victoria Falls.
- 41 Workshop in Lusaka gathered a compendium of good practices and lessons learnt in quality assurance from Southern Africa countries.
- 42 Supported Malawi's efforts to develop its NQF to align with the Southern African Development Community (SADC) Regional Qualifications Framework (RQF).
- 43 University Vice Chancellors *from Southern Africa met* in Zimbabwe to deliberate on the role of higher and tertiary education institutions in achieving the SDGs.
- **44** *Nine countries from Southern Africa met* in South Africa to review implementation of Sustainable Development Goal 4 (SDG 4).
- 45 A regional meeting on continuous professional development (CPD) for teachers in Southern Africa was held in Zambia.
- 46 The SADC Secretariat and UNESCO commissioned research into the state of ODL in SADC Member States, resulting in a baseline report for the region.
- 50 Conducted a desk based study to ascertain the level of integration of Global Citizenship Education (GCED) and Southern African Liberation History (SALH) integrated in countries' syllabi and curricula.
- 51 Support to ministries of education towards development of National Guidelines for reopening of schools after lockdowns.
- 52 Consultations on ESA Ministerial Commitment produced a set of

- 42 Teachers and TVET educators f South Africa and Zambia participated course on ESD.
- **43 Supported** Namibia **to develop** National Environmental Education Education for Sustainable Development
- 44 Organized a regional training process, held in Mozambique in 2020.
- **45** TEVET teachers *received assessn* which was offered by Malawi National Board (MANEB).
- 46 Soft copies of construction trades of finalized and submitted to the TEVET Ministry of Labour in Malawi.
- **47** Offered a course on how to mainstitutions under Covid-19 environment deputies and bursars for all public TEVE
- **48** *Rolling out training* of teachers thro Teacher Training Programme on Open, Online Learning.
- **49** *Developed a professional programme for teachers* to support the of teaching and learning during and Covid-19 pandemic.
- **50 Preparation of MOOC** on Resilier Disaster Risk Reduction Education.
- **51** Series of training sessions on resedevelopment to boost the skills and corresearch officers in the Ministry.

- 61 Organization of a webinar to presente the findings of the VISUS for School Safety Assessment that was conducted in Zimbabwe from 4 to 8 October 2021.
- **62** *GEM Report* on "Migration, displacement and education: Building bridges, not walls" *was launched.*
- 63 Commissioned a qualitative study on attitudes, perceptions and experiences of learners and teachers on CSE across six countries namely Botswana, Eswatini, Ghana, Malawi, Uganda and Zambia.
- 64 Convened the "Strengthening Quality Assurance in Higher Education in Africa" national Project Inception Meeting in Zambia.
- 65 Ceremony for signature of agreement between the Government of Norway and UNESCO to accelerate the O3 programme in the country.
- **66** Eswatini became the ninth country to join the SST programme with *a virtual workshop* attended by ESD experts and stakeholders.
- **67** *Launch session* of the VISUS Initiative which helps to assess the safety of schools in Zimbabwe.

- **recommendations** on CSE and SRGBV prevention and protection for adolescents and young people.
- 53 Launched the Handbook for Interactive Audio Instruction: Planning and implementing radio lessons in sub-Saharan Africa. T
- 54 SADC Ministers responsible for Education and Training, Science, Technology and Innovation convened a virtual meeting in 2021.
- 55 SADC Ministers approved the Roadmap for the integration of Southern African Liberation History (SALH) and Global Citizenship Education (GCED) in Member States curriculum.
- **56** Organization of the Southern Africa regional policy dialogue on education for sustainable development (ESD)....
- 57 Experts met on 8 April 2021 to review the Draft Roadmap for integrating Global Citizenship and Liberation History in teaching and learning in Southern Africa.
- 58 Puku Children's Literature Foundation in South Africa has been awarded the UNESCO King Sejong Literacy Prize 2021.
- 59 Organized an Inception Meeting to inform the content of the Proposed SADC ODL Strategic Plan and its accompanying Monitoring and Evaluation Framework (2021-2030).
- 60 Facilitated a two-day strategic workshop in South Africa under the theme: 'Futures of Education for Higher Education and TVET.' attended by education expert delegates from up to SADC member states.
- 61 End of project evaluation was commissioned to ascertain the extent to which the SIDA Funded project on scaling up CSE met the original objectives.
- **62** *Organized a SADC High Level meeting* in Botswana to discuss the contents of the Convention and the processes involved with its ratification.
- 63 Provided technical support to the SADC Parliamentary Forum to hold a consultative meeting on gender, education and health from eight SADC countries.
- 64 Supported Member States in the development and finalization of national frameworks for teacher standards and competencies.
- 65 TEVET instructor and new trainee

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	orientation manuals and training modules on bricklaying, carpentry, plumbing, house wiring and painting were drafted.		
	66 - Zambia's Ministry of General Education was supported in the revision of the Draft National Framework on Teacher Standards.		
	67 - Organized the Methodology Workshop on Capacity Building for Monitoring and Evaluation in Education: National Indicators Framework (NIF) Development Aligned with SDG4 and CESA.		

Table 12. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Harare identified in UNESCO Harare Activities Reports of 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2020, complemented by UNESCO Harare Newsletters from 2021.

3.12 UNESCO Field Office in Juba

The UNESCO Field Office in Juba recorded 104 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

There was a majority of technical assistance, with 44 interventions. As a result, we see a 49% predominance of technical expertise and executive influence, with a fair equilibrium between other forms of expertise and influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum was weak in nearly all sections, with a strength verified only in the lower end.

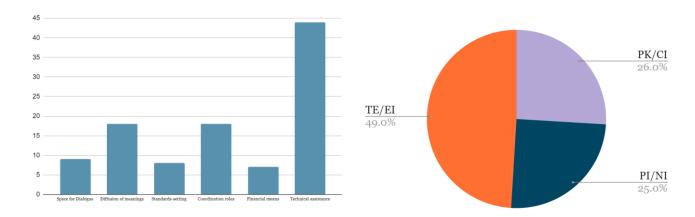


Chart 39. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Juba Chart 40. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in split by activity.

Juba split by influence and expertise.

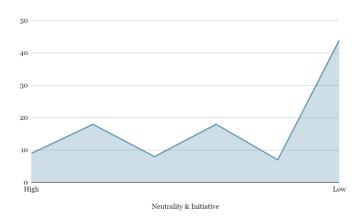


Chart 41. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Juba under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

8 - Development and piloting of innovative liter

programmes that focus on identification

integration of functional "embedded" literacies.

9 - Piloting, revision, roll-out and furt

materials development around the newly develo

10 - Development of a digital library to be how

11 - A collaboration with the National Bureau

Statistics for the collection of richer, more relev

data on literacy and NFE to feed into a plan

Functional Adult Literacy Core Modules.

in a civil society organization.

Technical Expertise

for Education (CapED) programme.

Information System (E/L-MIS) report.

7 - UNESCO provided financial support to

MoGEI's TVET COVID 19 Response Plan

2020 and Education/ Labour Management

Cognitive Influence		Normative Influence		Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance
1 - Supported the launch of the South Sudan National Consultations in preparation for the UN- Secretary General (SG) Transforming Education Summit (TES) in September 2022.	Prof. Hubert Gizen, delivered a public lecture on "Transforming Africa: The Role of Higher Education, Science, Technology and Innovation in Accelerating SDG Implementation"	1 - Working on a comprehensive guide which, with frameworks and indicators, to culminate in the development of a set of South Sudan Literacy Standards.	1 - High-level attendance at the South Sudan National Consultations by the Minister of General Education and Instruction UN Resident Coordinator in South Sudan	UNESCO in South Sudan has provided financial support for the review of the Higher Education Policy and STI Policy framework.	Provided technical support for the review of Higher Education Policy and STI Paframework.
2 - Convening of a National Literacy Conference, 6-7 September 2012, during which the National Literacy Campaign was launched with important targets set for	2 - A needs assessment of literacy and continuing education programming and requirements in South Sudan was undertaken	2 - Writing team was convened with representatives from MoGEI for the development of a curriculum framework.	2 - Attendance at the public lecture by the Minister of Labor.	2 - As part of its ongoing support to the national and state level Directorates of AES of the MOGEI, the UNESCO Juba Office has refurbished the Aweil Women Multi-Purpose	2 - Literacy work in Aweil, where adults atten literacy classes with support from the office some were trained as adult literacy facilitators.
the coming five years.	3 - Made a documentary film on literacy in South	3 - Diagnostic Report was developed to provide	3 - Finalized the development of training materials and obtained the endorsement by line ministries.	Learning Centre (AWMLC) at a cost of close to \$76,000.	3 - Facilitated the training of police personnel AES teachers in the delivery of functional literature.
3 - Under the Literacy Trust Fund, <i>provision of a forum</i> for implementing organizations to exchange information.	Sudan to be used for advocacy and awareness-raising.	a regional assessment of ESA Commitment and the current status of HIV and sexuality Education and SRH Services for adolescents and young	4 - Informal working group on HIV and AIDS for TVET was formed, under the leadership of the	3 - The development of the GESP has also served to mobilize donor support to education	lessons to members of the police force. 4 - Four capacity-building workshops were in
4 - Catalysed the formation of the National Education	4 - Informed research to identify the literacy learning needs as well as the literacy practices in	people.	MoLPSHRD.	in South Sudan. On 20 January 2012, the GGEP Secretariat informed of an indicative	related to curriculum development and collection and use.
Forum (NEF), the structure of which is articulated in the GESP under goal 6.	the pastoral communities and help inform the material writing process.	4 - Two regional meetings were held in Southern and Eastern Africa respectively with representatives from the regions to engage with	5 - Leading by UNESCO to validate the country reports with UNFPA, UNICEF and UNAIDS.	allocation of \$36.1 million to support the country's efforts to provide quality basic education for all.	5 - Pilot projects on functional literacy economic empowerment have been implement
5 - Launched a network of youth who are engaged and skilled in conflict mediation and peace-building.	5 - Introduction of mobile libraries that include awareness raising on literacy through complementary activities such as theater and the	the ESA Commitment process and review the 2nd draft of the diagnostic report.	6 - The South Sudan GESP has been fully appraised by MoEST in South Sudan's 10 States and endorsed by development partners.	4 - The provision of material support, including ICT hardware, infrastructure and	with BRAC South Sudan, targeting farmers empowering adolescent girls and women.
6 - Consultations were held with the aim to understand stakeholders' perspectives on risk and crisis related	introduction or strengthening of inter-generational reading activities.	5 - UNESCO-supported policies for TVET in South Sudan include TVET NQF and QA	7 - Promotion of a national high-level policy and	micro-finance schemes.	6 - Rapid, quality recruitment and training literacy and non-formal education (N
education data in South-Sudan.	6 - A needs assessments in both rural and urban	Guidelines, in line with the UNESCO's TVET Strategy 2015-2021 and the East Africa TVET	strategy workshop in Juba with IIEP.	5 - Ericsson, to provide the youth involved with ICT training, <i>donated laptops</i> , <i>phones</i>	facilitators, with a focus on providing females vulnerable groups with quality instructors quick
7 - In South Sudan, <i>ESA virtual meetings were convened by UNESCO</i> for civil society, faith-based groups, and youth organizations.	areas of South Sudan was conducted 7 - Celebrated International Literacy Day in 2012	Qualification Framework. 6 - Contributing to the alignment of South	8 - Ensured the political buy-in and engagement of South Sudan's Minister of Education.	and solar chargers, and Zain, to assist in the establishment of the communication network developed by WPD.	7 - Creation of Teacher Empowerment Cluste either face-to-face or online – which allow teach
groups, and youth organizations. 8 - Innovation Lab provided a space for UN Agencies,	and 2013.	Sudan's TVET policy, curriculum, and occupational standards with the East Africa	9 - Nominated as Deputy Co-Chair of the NEF, and participation in the Education Donor Group,	6 - UNESCO extended financial support to	in specific areas to receive short yet quick imp
NGOs, religious institutions, government and other	8 - A 'flip book' containing information on	Community TVET Qualifications Framework	the Education Recovery and Development Forum	the MoGEI under its Capacity Development	

and the Education Cluster.

international partners.

10 - Teacher Education Working Group has also

been established of which UNESCO is a member.

11 - UNESCO to act as the coordinating agency

for the GPE programme, liaising with other

12 - The NEF prepared key priority proposals

which were presented to donors in Washington, DC in April 2012. UNESCO participated in the

meetings and has since been working to mobilize

additional resources for education in South Sudan.

and Harmonized Occupational Standards.

Agriculture/ livestock).

frameworks in South Sudan.

7 - Development of a framework of

Occupational Standards in three priority

sectors (Automobile, Carpentry, and

8 - Provided technical support for development of four strategic national policies policy

Policy Involvement

Procedural Knowledge

stakeholders to come together to develop creative

9 - Virtual meetings convened by UNESCO for civil

society, faith-based groups, and youth organizations.

prevention, stigma and other topics which

correlated with the Ministry of Health strategy on

9 - Conduct the impact assessment and related

activities as well as the inclusion of research on

sexual and reproductive health needs and

10 - Launch of a youth-driven awareness

campaign with the formation of peer groups from

TVET programmes and the development of comic

books, posters and training on leadership and peer education for group facilitators.

HIV and AIDS was developed.

approaches for youth in South Sudan.

- 11 Publication of the country report on the current status of HIV and sexuality Education and SRH Services for adolescents in South Sudan.
- 12 Designed the "Cooperation Programme for the Initial Action for the Development of South Sudanese Education Sector".
- 13 Organized three state-level policy seminars in Juba, Wau and Malakal on post-conflict educational policy and planning.
- **14** *Publication of the IIEP-ECHO-study* aimed at exploring how humanitarian actors can effectively engage the Ministry of Education.
- 15 Two-year project to support the MoGEI's EMIS, which completed an ecosystem data mapping, education risks analysis and updating of a case study on EMIS in the context of education in emergencies.
- 16 The EUP campaign gained momentum with the leadership of the MOGEI, which continued to convene weekly meetings and awareness about the campaign.
- 17 UNESCO handed over visibility materials to support state level launches.
- **18** Parents were sensitized on how to communicate with young people.

- 13 The Youth Peacemaker Network project is developed and implemented in cooperation with the MoCYs (...) with private partnerships established with such companies as Ericsson.
- 14 UNESCO-supported policies were validated jointly by the Ministry of General Education and Instruction, Ministry of Higher Education, and Ministry of Labour.
- 15 Embassy of Sweden collaborated with the UNESCO Office in Juba to kick-off a four-year project amounting to 100 million Swedish Krona that seeks to strengthen TVET in South Sudan.
- 16 UNESCO Juba office provided coordination support for the implementation of IIEP-ECHO research study on "Ministry of education engagement and leadership in rapid humanitarian interventions" in South Sudan.
- 17 Joint identification of specific areas of intervention and the development of an implementation road map with participation of MoGEI, Education Donors Group and Education Cluster
- 18 Virtual meetings culminated with the *Minister* of Youth and Sports renewing commitment to support the ESA Commitment (2021-2030).

- 12 Together with Vivacell, the creation piloting of a literacy through mobile phoproject.
- 13 UNESCO together with MoEST stakeholders is working towards a Literacy Tennal
- **14** Capacity building for civil soc organizations on proposal development in the arof GESP.
- 15 Support for the development and dissemina of low literacy readers, especially in rural areas.
- 16 Organized three sub-national workshop generate literacy policy ideas and strengthen capacities of literacy personnel on the Natio Literacy Campaign.
- 17 UNESCO, together with MoEST and stakeholders, is working on the national functional literacy policy.
- 18 Develop a set of functional literacy mode that could be used by a broad array stakeholders.
- 19 A set of three modules were developed Foundational Module; a Business Module; ar Rural Module. A Training of Trainers (T manual was also developed.
- 20 Contributing to the life skills, psychosoc adult literacy and vocational skills train components of the initial reinsertion phase of wider DDR Programme, with life skills train that includes civic and peace education.
- 21 Support the MoLPSHRD to develop curriculum module on HIV and AIDS supplement the recently introduced TV curriculum for South Sudan.
- 22 A TOT for 20 instructors in MoLPSHI MoEST and NGO TVET centres was held.
- 23 Supported the MoEST to embark on extensive sector planning process (...) word closely with the MoEST to formulate comprehensive five-year strategic plan for education sector.
- 24 Organized three state-level techn workshops addressing the technical side of enacthe policy and a final technical workshop develop state action plans.
- 25 Organized practical skills development in working groups at state level.

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				26 - Organized distance training through IIE Virtual Platform and an intensive training cou on educational planning at IIEP during the spr 2013.
				27 - Organized the training of one Maste candidate at IIEP.
				28 - State-level ministry officials have beg drafting state-level education sector diagno- using IT equipment, and supported by a core MoEST central-level Resource Persons.
				29 - Developed and piloted a set of comprehens emergency education teacher training mater on contextually-specific issues concerning skills.
				30 - Training of master trainers from each of 10 states have been held.
				31 - Extended technical support to the MoGE develop capacity of the National TVET Ad-I Coordination Committee, and develop tools support implementation of the Unified TV Policy.
				32 - Seconded a technical expert to the TV Directorate of the MoGEI to strengthen directorate's capacity.
				33 - TVET programmes undertaken <i>to directly tr</i> young learners in technical and vocational skill 2021.
				34 - Community facilitators gained teaching a facilitation skills and knowledge based on the n integrated PLEFS curriculum.
				35 - Adolescent girls from cattle camps <i>comple</i> a three-day skills-based health education train in health and sanitation.
				36 - Supported MOGEI to continue implementation of the "Education on A programme.
				37 - Provided technical support to MoGEI's TV COVID 19 Response Plan 2020 and Educati Labour Management Information System (E MIS) report.
				38 - Supported the MoGEI officials and partr building capacity in establishing sustains mechanisms and structures for reporting on atta on education facilities/institutions across So Sudan.
				39 - Launched the technical support on crisis of risk sensitive education data for MoGEI of education partners.
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			40 - UNESCO trained teachers and facilitators age appropriate CSE.
			41 - Community-based rehabilitation workers was trained to engage with community members CSE as well as integrate CSE into sch programmes such as school clubs.
			42 - Translated CSE materials to braille and s language.
			43 - Jointly draft a curriculum and train manuals for mobile TVET targeting pastors community youth.
			44 - Mobilized school chaplains and religi leaders to be trained on how to use the CSE too and handbook through a one-day oriental meeting and a four-day training workshop.

Table 13. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Juba identified in UNESCO Juba Activities Report of 2021, complemented by UNESCO Juba Country Programming Document 2014-2016

3.13 UNESCO Field Office in Khartoum

The UNESCO Field Office in Khartoum recorded 20 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

There was a majority of diffusion of meanings, with 9 interventions; no standards-setting and financial means interventions were verified. We see a 52% predominance of procedural knowledge and cognitive influence, followed by normative influence and policy involvement, and finally by executive influence and technical expertise. We see irregularity in the neutrality and initiative spectrum, which peaked in the mid-high section, followed by a strong mid-low and a strong low section.

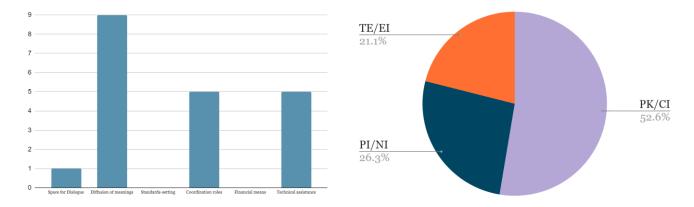


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Khartoum split by influence and expertise.

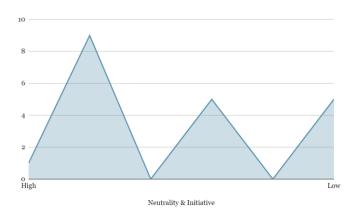


Chart 44. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Khartoum under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedural Knowledge		Policy Involvement		Technical Expertise	
Cognitive Influence		Normative Influence		Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue 1 - Organized the closing ceremony of the project "Promotion of Vocational Education among Sudanese Youth in Eastern Sudan" with a large number of youth, their families, local authorities, leaders, school directors and teachers.	Diffusion of meanings 1 - UNESCO Representative to Sudan was invited to the \$24 TV Channel to talk* about UNESCO TVET programs. 2 - Used the main channels for delivering messages and points of exposure over Gedaref and Kassala to address the importance of TVET. 3 - Launching event of "Promoting Girls Employability and Strengthening Inclusiveness of TVET Institutions in Eastern Sudan". 4 - Celebrated the International Literacy Day (ILD), which in 2019 is marked by a slogan "Literacy and Multilingualism". 5 - The Gedaref Radio started broadcasting developed radio messages in 3 forms each as flash (1-2 min), drama (5-6 min), and expert interview (5-6 min). 6 - Developed 8 promotional videos started being broadcasted by the Gedaref's and Kassala's TVs. 7 - Designed posters, leaslets and copies were exposed and distributed over different locations explaining possible girls' career opportunities via TVET. 8 - Signature ceremony for the project "Strengthening ILO TREE with Sheep & Goat Breeding Skills and Community Learning Centers" 9 - Signature ceremony for the project "Making Schools Inclusive".	Standards-setting	Coordination roles 1 - Attendance by the Director General of the Ministry of Education and Guidance, who also represented the Gedaref state's governor. 2 - Attendance by the Undersecretary of the Ministry of Education, at the ILD 2019. 3 - Signature ceremony honored by the General Secretary of the NCLAE and other distinguished people. 4 - Signature ceremony honored by the Undersecretary in the MoE, the Ambassador of Italy to Sudan, the Deputy Head of Spanish Mission to Sudan and other distinguished people. 5 - Conducted 22 meetings and 1 workshop with 16 companies to convince them to come to a winwin partnership with Gedaref's TVET institutions.	Financial means	Technical assistance 1 - Establish 20 Community Learning Centers and women associations to manage these CLCs. 2 - Audio-visual content developed for strengthening skills of rural women in sheep and goat breeding, and a set of capacity building sessions for rural women and girls. 3 - Developing and piloting of training materials for making teachers ready to accept in their classes students with disabilities 4 - Organization of 2-day ToT in Khartoum in TVET. 5 - Organized two training sessions for TVET teachers on the TVET inclusiveness () supported by distributing relevant books and other training materials among trainees.

Table 14. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Khartoum identified in UNESCO Khartoum News sections of 2019, 2020 and 2021.

3.14 UNESCO Field Office in Kinshasa

The UNESCO Field Office in Kinshasa recorded 151 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

There was a majority of technical assistance, with 43 interventions. We see a 39% predominance of technical expertise and executive influence, shortly followed by policy involvement and normative influence, and only then by procedural knowledge and cognitive influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum had strengths in the mid-high and mid-low sections, intercalated with weak points, but peaked only in the lower end.

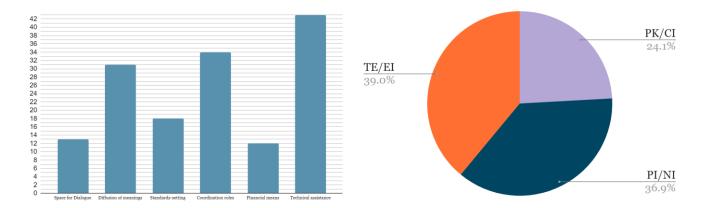


Chart 45. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Kinshasa split by activity.

Chart 46. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Kinshasa split by influence and expertise.

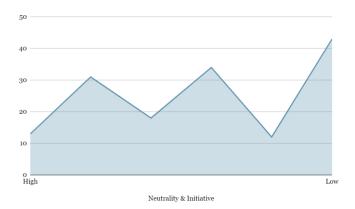


Chart 47. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Kinshasa under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

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- 1 Les femmes participent plus activement aux débats publics et aux décisionsnautour des AGR collectif et groupements d'intérêts économiques.
- 2 Le FONAFOP regroupait deux grandes activités qui se sont déroulées en deux temps : *Le Forum* avec les commissions thématiques et *la Foire* des métiers pendant 3 jours et qui a drainé plus d'un millier de participants (exposants, visiteurs, partenaires, etc.).
- 3 Cérémonie s'est articulée autour d'un stand multimédia présentant des documents de ses différents secteurs en lien avec la promotion des droits humains et sur les droits de l'enfant en particulier, animée par un panel d'experts de l'UNESCO.
- 4 Le rôle des éducateurs et l'évolution des pédagogies— », a été marquée par la tenue d'une Table Ronde de réflexion sur divers thématiques liés au sous-secteur de l'alphabétisation et éducation non formelle (AENF).
- 5 La journée a donné l'objet d'une table ronde de réflexion sur la thématique principale et sur les sous thèmes ci-après: la question enseignante et les reformes dans la Stratégie Sectorielle de l'Education et de la Formation.
- 6 Lancement officiel du Réseau des femmes du secteur de l'éducation qui se chargera de l'élaboration de la feuille de route et de l'organisation des formations ultérieures en faveur des femmes
- 7 . La cérémonie de clôture du Projet TUSIKILIZANE "Entendons-nous". 'activité a vu la participation des autorités provinciales, des représentants des agences, des partenaires locaux et des jeunes
- 8 Dans le cadre de ce soutien à la reforme relative à la gratuité de l'enseignement primaire de base, l'UNESCO organise une table ronde des bailleurs de fonds qu'elle compte organiser.
- 9 Une journée de réflexion scientifique a été organisée à Kinshasa en collaboration avec l'ONUSIDA à l'intention des acteurs du secteur de l'éducation et des étudiants
- 10 Organisations d'une journée de réflexion scientifique avec les trois sous-thèmes ci-après et ses

- 1 Appui à la Société civile à travers la CONEPT par un exercice d'élaboration d'un rapport alternatif sur l'ODD 4.
- 2 Célébration de la Journée Mondiale de la femme consacrant le mois dédié à la Femme en RDC.
- 3 Élaboré des outils de sensibilisation des jeunes sous les formats d'une application mobile, d'une bande dessinée « Mwinda » et d'un chat bot
- 4 Environ 15.000 personnes touchées lors des sensibilisations des masses à travers les radios communautaires.
- 5 Sensibilisation communautaire réalisée avec les outils et visuels produits. Cette sensibilisation a été organisée avec l'appui des directions techniques du ministère.
- 6 Mené une étude sur la rationalisation des humanités pédagogiques en RDC.
- 7 Communication pour le changement de comportement, notamment par l'éducation préventive, contribuant ainsi à l'atteinte de l'ODD 3
- 9 Mené une réflexion dans l'optique de réaliser une étude diagnostique ainsi que la planification pour une gratuité progressive
- 10 Produit et disséminé un document qui capitalise son intervention en appui au secteur de l'Éducation durant la période de COVID 19.
- 11 Doté les écoles des provinces ciblées ainsi que de 3 000 Copies du Guide pour la Sensibilisation contre la COVID-19 en milieu scolaire Produit par le Ministère de l'Enseignement Primaire, Secondaire et Technique (EPST).
- 12 *Diffusion* dans les provinces de Kinshasa, du Kongo Central, du Nord Kivu et du Haut Katanga, par 126 Radios locales *des mesures de*

- 1 L'élaboration du Plan d'action 2019-2021 de la SSEF, un outil de coordination des soussecteurs, de planification et d'harmonisation des actions
- 2 Des recommandations ont été formulées à l'issue de l'atelier et parmi celles-ci, le vœu de renouveler les exercices de cette nature et de les étendre aux autres provinces de la RDC.
- **3** Au mois de juillet 2019, un *plan d'action* de renforcement des capacités des femmes fixant les axes d'intervention sur la base des éléments du diagnostic approfondi.
- 4 Appui à la mise en œuvre de son plan d'action, y compris la mise en œuvre des outils TREE et STED de l'OIT et l'élaboration des référentiels de compétences et de certification des nouveaux programmes.
- 5 Appui à l'alignement de la Stratégie sectorielle à l'ODD.
- 6 Partenariat avec les prestataires des médias sur la réponse à l'épidémie de la maladie à virus Ebola en RDC ainsi que les orientations du Cluster Mondial de l'Éducation.
- 7 Recommandations concernant la valorisation et la promotion du sous-secteur de l'Alphabétisation et de l'Éducation Non formelle
- 8 Atelier sur "Renforcement des capacités des femmes du secteur de l'education", quelques recommandations ont été formulées concernant le plan d'action.
- 9 Appuyé l'intégration dans les outils de collecte des données du SIGE quatre indicateurs internationalement reconnus pour évaluer la mise en œuvre d'une éducation pour la santé et le bien-être.
- **10 CONFINTEA VII pour l'Afrique centrale** s'est tenue en ligne le 23 juin 2021.

- Validation de l'addendum de la Stratégi Sectorielle en 2018.
- 2 Soutenu le lancement dans le Kongo central par le SPACE, de la décentralisation du processus d'alignement à l'ODD4
- 3 Présentation à la Revue du Secteur, pour les autorités et les acteurs de réaffirmer le rôle clé de l'UNESCO dans l'alignement de la Stratégie sectorielle à l'ODD4.
- 4 Coordination du projet CFIT, qui a maintenu une bonne collaboration avec les autres projets de formation continue des enseignants en partenariat avec le ministère de l'EPST.
- 5 Établi un partenariat stratégique, pour mutualiser leurs ressources et adresser ces requêtes émanant simultanées des deux Ministères.
- 6 L'INPP demandait aussi un *appui pour la validation d'une politique sous-sectorielle* de préparation professionnelle.
- 7 *Mission conjointe* UNESCO-OIT effectuée avec deux collègues des bureaux de Kinshasa.
- 8 Une deuxième mission a été tenue pour assurer le suivi et l'approfondissement de la mission de cadrage.
- 9 Résultats des travaux des commissions du FONAFOP ont été présentés à la plénière, pour validation, avant d'être versés dans le Pacte national de la formation professionnelle, PANAFOP.
- 10 Mobilisation des partenaires techniques et financiers en faveur de cette stratégie de la politique de gratuité décrétée en 2019 par le Président de la République.
- 11 La Directrice Générale de l'UNESCO a effectué une visite officielle à Kinshasa, et le Président de la République réaffirme le besoin de l'accompanement de l'UNESCO.

- 1 Appuyé financièrement l'atelier de renforcement des capacités des journalistes dans le traitement des ODD.
- 2 L'implication de l'UNESCO pour la mobilisation de ressources supplémentaires pour la FCE.
- 3 Couvertet l'acquisition des kits d'hygiène pour les universités et écoles de la province.
- 4 Mobilisé un financement de la Banque mondiale d'un montant de 3,5 millions au profit du Gouvernement pour apporter le TIC.
- 5 Doté les écoles des provinces ciblées, du dispositif de prévention du COVID 19, constitué de masques et de gels hydro alcoolique.
- 6 Une partie du budget (environ 100 000 USD) a été destinée à accompagner le Gouvernement dans la réouverture des écoles dans les provinces de Kinshasa et Haut Katanga et le retour des élèves congolais dans les classes
- 7 Doté la Radio RCK-TV Nyunzu des équipements ci-après : un générateur Pérkins de 25 KVA, un stabilisateur KEBO de 5000 VA, un inverseur Maxima, 5 panneaux solaires JKM, un Onduleur APC 1500 VA et 6 batteries Maxima.
- 8 La remise officielle des équipements informatiques aux ministères en charge de l'éducation.
- 9 Financements de la Banque mondiale et de l'UNESCO à travers du CapED permettent aujourd'hui, au pays d'élaborer son troisième rapport national sur l'état du système éducatif (RESEN III) qui sera disponible en juin 2022.
- 10 Construction de la Case de la Femme et son ameublement, et equipage avec un financement additionnel de l'UNESCO (extra projet).

- 1 Accompagné la finalisation d'un plan de suivi évaluation de la Stratégie Sectorielle, qui complète l'addendum à la Stratégie et le Plan d'action déià validés.
- 2 Dispensé une série des formations à l'intention des femmes du secteur de l'éducations.
- 4 Apporte à la RDC, un appui technique dans le développement du SIGE et sa modernisation avec l'utilisation des TIC.
- 5 Accompagné la RDC dans l'élaboration de sa Stratégie Nationale de Développement des Statistiques de l'Éducation (SNDSE) 2020-2024.
- 6 Formation des enseignants dans le but de les rendre capables de stimuler la réflexion et l'action des apprenants et d'aider ces derniers à acquérir des compétences notionnelles sur ECS.
- 7 Organisées activités de formation pour les élèves, enseignants et prestataires de radios communautaires formés sur les VSBG et d'autres enjeux
- 8 Enseignants, les élèves et les chefs d'établissements *ont été formés* comme des vecteurs de changement de comportement en faveur de la prévention des VSRG en milieu scolaire.
- 9 Un dispositif de formation continue des enseignants a été optimisé: la plateforme en ligne http://foad-epsp.org créée et logée sur le site web du ministère de l'EPST et la plateforme locale en offline installée.
- 10 Supports de formation (résumés des modules) ont été produits sur base des 5 modules CFIT.
- 11 *Un suivi rapproché* visant l'amélioration des pratiques pédagogiques des enseignants *a été conduit* par des encadreurs pédagogiques à travers des *formations et séminaires*.
- 12 Formation des Inspecteurs, Techniciensinformaticiens; Gestionnaires des Centre des ressources Éducatives et des Enseignants primaire

- relations avec éducation : VIH, Pandémie e Société Civile ».
- 11 Participé à l'atelier de planification des activités d'un projet pilote en faveur de l'insertion des jeunes affectés par les déplacements.
- 12 Durant la mise en œuvre du Projet, l'identification des femmes minières artisanales a été effectuée par l'OIM et s'en est suivie la mise en place de 2 Coopératives Minières de femmes à Kigulube et Nzovu.
- 13 Présente en amont, lors des préparatifs desdits états généraux, des "Etats généraux de l'Enseignement Supérieur, 25 ans après"

prévention et de lutte contre le COVID 19.

- 13 Publication du document de capitalisation, pour l'ensemble des acteurs et partenaires: "Document de capitalisation Appui UNESCO COVID RDC".
- 16 Soutenu une formation sur le *renforcement des capacités* des femmes dans le but d'accroître leur participation *aux actions de sensibilisation*.
- 17 Été réalisé un travail de cartographie des clubs de solidarité et de paix des trois territoires ciblés que sont Kalemie, Kabalo et Nyunzu.
- 20 Souhaite mettre en place un mécanisme de suivi-évaluation de la gratuité qui reposera sur *la réalisation d'études périodiques*.
- 21 Élaboré un document intitulé « Statistiques scolaires et académiques de poche 2019-2020 » à partir des annuaires statistiques des différents sous-secteurs de l'éducation.
- 22 Journée internationale de l'alphabétisation 2021 sous le thème "L'alphabétisation pour une reprise axée sur l'humain: réduire la fracture numérioue".
- 23 Environ 2 millions de personnes à Goma et Bukavu *ont reçu des messages* de soutien psychosocial diffusés par les stations de radio communautaires
- 24 Les jeunes des associations de la société civile *ont été mobilisés* autour de l'utilisation de l'application mobile « Hello Ado »doublée d'une fonction Tchat
- 25 L'atelier de mobilisation des jeunes organisé autour de ces deux applications avait pour objectif d'informer sur une meilleure appropriation de de ces applications comme outils de travail.
- 26 Célébré la Journée mondiale des enseignants.
- 27 Mis en œuvre le projet « Etude sur la Réforme de la Formation Initiale en RDC »
- 28 Une étude diagnostique préalable à une analyse plus approfondie du contexte social et économique de la zone de Kalemie sur a question de l'éducation des jeunes déplacés
- 29 Célébré les 70 ans d'existence de l'Organisation.
- **30 Organisé le lancement** du Rapport mondial de suivi sur l'éducation (GEM) 2020, le mardi 15 décembre 2020.

- 11 Atelier sur l'évaluation de la mise en œuvre des recommandations de l'année précédente et la réflexion autour de la thématique de l'année.
- 12 Dans "Etats généraux de l'Enseignement Supérieur, 25 ans après" a l'issue de ces assises, 327 résolutions ont été prises.
- 13 Suivi des recommandations de 2019 à la prise en compte effective des sous-secteurs comme la formation professionnelle, l'alphabétisation, l'éducation non formelle, etc.
- 16 Atelier de renforcement des capacités a été tenu sur l'élaboration et stratégiques provinciaux de l'éducation et de la formation alignés à l'ODD4.
- 17 Permis RDC de devenir le premier pays d'Afrique à publier un rapport, à travers de son pilotage, pour *suivre les progrès accomplis dans la réalisation du ODD4*.
- **18** *Manuels de formation élaborés* en adéquation aux curricula des filières construction métallique et électricité bâtiment.

- 15 Validation, lors d'une réunion organisée conjointement par le Ministère de l'EPST du rapport suit les progrès accomplis dans la réalisation ODD4.
- 16 Validation de la note de cadrage et planification des enquêtes sont pour la collecte des données pour mieux prendre en compte les différentes réalités nationales.
- 17 Journée internationale de l'alphabétisation avec le Ministre et Représentant Spécial du Président de la République et le Ministre des Affaires Sociales.
- 18 Journée mondiale des enseignants au cours d'une cérémonie de haute portée politique placée sous le patronage du Ministre d'Etat et Ministre de l'EPET
- 19 Lancement du GEM 2020 avec présence du Ministre de la formation professionnelle qui a présidé la cérémonie.
- 20 Atelier pour valider la version finale du draft du plan d'action élaboré par les femmes du secteur de l'éducation avec le concours des points focaux genres des différents ministères.
- 21 Réalisé d'une mission conjointe en RDC, dont l'un des objectifs majeurs était de définir les contours d'un appui technique conjoint à l'élaboration d'une stratégie nationale et d'un plan d'action.
- 22 Présidence de la CONFITEA VII par le Ministre des Affaires Sociales, Actions Humanitaires et Solidarité Nationale de la RDC.
- 23 Conduits sous la présidence du Ministre de tutelle, les assises des états Généraux de l'enseignement supérieur et universitaire (ESU) se sont tenus.
- 24 Dans le cadre du RESEN III-RDC, le travail de rédaction organisé en phases successives *a été lancé par le Ministre de l'EPST* en compagnie d'autres ministres du secteur de l'éducation.
- 25 Réalisation de la première mission de l'assistance internationale et le lancement des travaux de groupe pour le RESEN III-RDC.
- 26 Participer à la validation du rapport de l'étude de base.
- 27 Effectué une mission de soutien aux autorités congolaises ainsi que ses partenaires dans la préparation du pacte de partenariat visant à atténuer les risques identifiés.

- 11 Organisé au sein de la Cellule de Gestion de communication du ministère de l'EPS-INC, la remise officielle des équipements du projet CETT
- 12 Les différents bénéficiaires territoire de Béni qui *ont été dotées des kits d'hygiène* ont également été briefés sur l'utilisation de ce matériel.

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- 13 Appui concernant l'élaboration d'une stratégie sous-sectorielle de l'enseignement et de la formation techniques et professionnels (EFTP).
- 14 Mis à la disposition du MFPMA un Consultant International concernant l'élaboration d'un cadre national de certification
- 15 Rattaché au MTEPS, a adressé des requêtes au BIT, ayant trait à *un appui à la révision de la politique nationale* de l'emploi et de la formation professionnelle.
- 16 Appui pour l'élaboration d'une politique sous-sectorielle de préparation professionnelle.
- 17 Recruté deux experts pour appuyer le processus de la mise en place d'une équipe technique nationale charge de l'élaboration de la Stratégie nationale de la Formation professionnelle et développement des compétences.
- 18 Accompagné la mise en œuvre d'un projet de prévention de la Maladie à Virus Ebola (MVE) dans les écoles des zones affectées par l'épidémie d'Ebola à Butembo, dans la province du Nord-Kivu (O.FERC)
- 19 Formation des enseignants: des inspecteurs de la province éducationnelle du Nord-Kivu ont été formés.
- 20 Apporté un appui pour assurer la continuité pédagogique à travers la production et la diffusion de cours par la Radio, sur 4 provinces.
- 21 Enseignants ont été formés sur la prévention et la gestion des Maladies épidémiques en milieu scolaire
- 22 Journalistes et experts des médias ont été aussi formés sur les Genres Majeures en Radio en période de COVID-19
- 23 Élaboré un plan de réponse dont l'objectif essentiel était d'assurer la continuité des apprentissages en vue du COVID 19.
- 24 *Traduction* des programmes pédagogiques des classes primaires et de la dernière année du secondaire en 100 leçons pour Radio.
- 25 Soutenu la mise en place d'un groupe de travail pour le sous-secteur de l'AENF, chargé de piloter la réflexion autour des questions soulevées par les différentes recommandations.
- 26 Renforcement des capacités des femmes vectrices de paix sur le genre, la culture de la paix et la résolution pacifique et la transformation de

31 - Organisé une cérémonie officielle de remise au Ministère de l'Enseignement Technique et Professionnel (ETP) des manuels de formation élaborés.	

- 28 Revue sectorielle conjointe avec les différentes parties prenantes du secteur de l'éducation et provenaient des structures suivantes : la Présidence de la République et des Ministères liés à l'Éducation.
- 29 Production d'un pacte de partenariat satisfaisant avait été planifiée pour le mois de mars 2022.
- 30 Dernière réunion de Comité de Pilotage du Projet WoSH sous la présidence du Directeur de Cabinet de la Ministre du genre, avec la présence des chefs de Bureau des 3 agences..
- 31 Cérémonie officielle de remise au Ministère de l'ETP présidée par le Directeur de Cabinet du Ministre de l'ETP.
- 32 Célébré les 70 ans d'existence de l'Organisation en présence du Ministre de l'Enseignement Primaire, Secondaire et Initiation.
- 33 Presence, dans la cérémonie de la remise officielle des équipements du projet CFIT, du Ministre de l'EPS-INC et de l'Ambassadeur de Chine en République Démocratique en RDC.
- 34 La Directrice générale de l'UNESCO, Audrey Azoulay effectué une visite officielle à Brazzaville et à Kinshasa.

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- 27 Jeunes filles et garçons membres de Clubs de solidarité et de paix issus des deux communautés, ont été formés comme formateurs sur l'éducation à la paix et la cohabitation pacifique.
- 28 Ateliers de renforcement de capacités en communication et information pour la paix ont été organisés à Nyunzu, Kalemie et Kabalo.
- 29 Un manuel de formation et une boite à images ont été conçus par l'UNESCO et cette dernière a été traduite en trois langues locales Le Kiswahili, Le Kitwa et le Kiluba.
- 30 Apporter une assistance technique aux Ministères clés en charge de l'éducation à travers de ses Directions des statistiques, à la production des annuaires scolaires 2018/2019 et 2019/2020.
- 31 Formation des points focaux, qui ont été déployés dans leurs provinces respectives pour apporter l'appui technique et assurer le suivi des opérations de collecte des données scolaires.
- 32 Apporté une assistance technique en collaboration avec d'autres partenaires techniques et financiers (PTF) pour l'élaboration d'une étude sur la gratuité scolaire.
- 33 Souhaite mettre en place un mécanisme de suivi-évaluation de la gratuité qui reposera sur: le renforcement du système d'information pour la gestion de l'éducation (SIGE).
- 34 Souhaite mettre en place un mécanisme de suivi-évaluation de la gratuité qui reposera sur la mise en place d'un système de redevabilité (reddition des comptes).
- **35 -** *Appui au renforcement de la formation* des enseignants, consolidé par la réforme du programme des humanités pédagogiques.
- 37 Formation des enseignants sur l'accompagnement psychosocial et la pédagogie transformationnelle.
- 38 Appuyé le Ministère par son engagement à soutenir les élèves des classes terminales ayant manqué les cours lors de l'éruption volcanique: 589 leçons ont été diffusées aux candidats à Goma.
- 39 Renforcement des capacités des concepteurs des programmes scolaires sur l'intégration effective des thématiques transversales telles que le genre, les droits humains, le VIH, le handicap, la ESSR.
- 40 Les organes d'appui ont été mis en place pour une participation inclusive, un renforcement des capacités des experts.

		41 - Fonctionnaires des niveaux national et provincial <i>ont été formés</i> à l'utilisation de la plateforme Dropbox.
		42 - Recrutement et formation des prestataires de la radio ont aussi été organisés, sur la prévention des VSBG, le rôle de la radio communautaire et la promotion du vivre ensemble en paix.
		43 - L'identification des femmes minières artisanales a été effectuée par l'OIM, et s'en est suivie les inspectrices des mines aussi ont été formées.

Table 15. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Kinshasa identified in UNESCO Kinshasa Activities Reports of 2019, 2020 and 2021, complemented by UNESCO Kinshasa News sections from 2015, 2016 and 2017.

3.15 UNESCO Field Office in Libreville

The UNESCO Field Office in Libreville recorded 83 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

There was a majority of technical assistance, with 28 interventions. There was a 38% majority of policy involvement and normative influence, followed by technical expertise and executive influence, and only then by cognitive influence and procedural knowledge. The neutrality and initiative spectrum had strengths in the mid-high and middle sections, with a peak in the lower end.

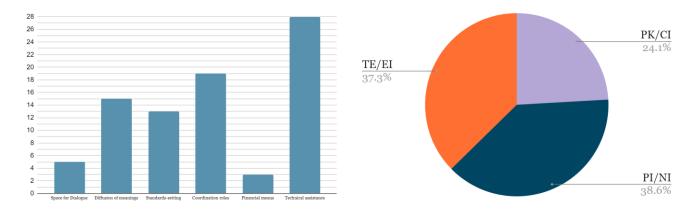


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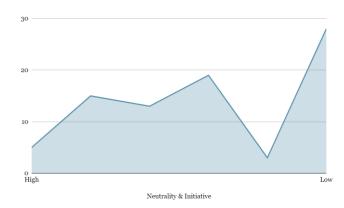


Chart 50. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Libreville under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

10 - Dans la cadre du renforcement des capac

nationales des enseignants et persor d'encadrement, *un atelier d'appropriation natio*

11 - Dans la cadre du renforcement de capac

nationales en matière d'alphabétisation et formation tout le long de la vie, le bureau

poursuivi la formation de formateurs et

a été organisé.

Technical Expertise

Cognitive Influence		Normative Influence		Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance
1 - Les associations de parents d'élèves seront formées afin que ECS se poursuive au sein des cellules familiales. 2 - Le réseau des écoles associées de l'UNESCO (réSEAU) rassemble des institutions éducatives pariout dans le monde. 3 - Bénéficié de la restitution de la Biennale de Luanda, forum panafricain pour la culture de la paix () ou le Gabon a pris part à cette rencontre à travers une délégation de 4 personnes. 5 - Cérémonie de lancement de la Consultation nationale des parties prenantes pour l'Éducation à la Santé Sexuelle et de la Reproduction.	1 - Cérémonies de remise des attestations et certificats aux derniers lauréats TMG Libreville. 2 - La Journée de sensibilisation au Partenariat Mondial de l'Education (10 mars 2 - Organisation de l'atelier d'élaboration et de production d'outils de sensibilisation contre le VIH et les violences pendant lesdits examens, le 29 juin 2017. 3 - Réalisation du diagnostic des curricula et d'éducation sur la santé sexuelle de l'enseignement primaire. 4 - Étude commandée sur le fort potentiel d'emploi au Gabon. les métiers pour lesquels il existe une forte offre sur le marché mais dont les profils étaient recherchés. 5 - Festival « Elat Meyong » / BITAM SANS SIDA et sensibilisation de personnes sur le VIH-SIDA. 6 - A lancé un concept innovant dénommé « Laboratoires du Nouveau Monde ». 7 - Ledit concept a été expérimenté par 30 jeunes gabonais et une allemande, au cours d'un atelier d'initiation à la prospective. 8 - Formation d'un Réseau de jeunes leaders de la promotion de l'ECS sera créé () comme véritables prescripteurs auprès de leurs pairs à travers des activités de sensibilisation et/ou des clubs scolaires.	1- Soutenir le Gabon pour avoir une stratégie sectorielle de l'éducation dans le cadre du processus du Partenariat Mondial de l'Education (PME) et sur la nouvelle vision de l'éducation prônée par la Déclaration d'Incheon. 2 - Participation du Bureau à la consultation régionale des pays de la CEEAC pour évaluer l'état des progrès réalisés vers l'atteinte des objectifs de l'Éducation Pour Tous (EPT) et contribution à l'agenda post 2015. 3 - Pris part à l'atelier sur l'amélioration de la qualité de l'éducation par l'élaboration et l'adoption d'un cadre curriculaire harmonisé à CEEAC. 4 - Une feuille de route du Cadre d'action Éducation 2030 au Gabon a été produite ainsi que la matrice budgétaire de sa mise en œuvre 5 - A appuyé le projet de promotion d'une alphabétisation de qualité à travers d'élaboration des référentiels de formation en alphabétisation. 6 - Elaboration des Référentiels de formation des enseignants et l'élaboration des curricula ESSR respectifs, et l'évaluation du guide ESSR pour les enseignants puis la suggestion de complément pour celui-ci. 7 - Elaboration d'un Guide de communication parent-enfant d'Éducation complète à la sexualité.	1 - Sensibilisation des décideurs au Partenariat Mondial de l'Education : Ministre de l'Education Nationale et de l'Enseignement Technique, Ministre de l'Enseignement Supérieur, et Ministre de la Culture. 2 - Participation dans la « Journée de sensibilisation » du Ministre de l'éducation nationale et de l'enseignement technique. 3 - L'atelier de validation des modules de formation des pairs éducateurs et de leurs encadreurs. 4 - Dans le cadre de la « Task force de l'éducation », le Président Ali Bongo Ondimba a instruit l'organisation urgente d'une réflexion profonde avec tous les acteurs de la profession. 5 - Signature du document de programmation conjointe entre le Coordonnateur du Système des Nations Unies et la Ministre déléguée auprès du Ministre de l'éducation nationale 6 - Mobilisé d'autres partenaires dont l' UNICEF, FNUAP, BM et AfD pour appuyer le gouvernement gabonais à travers le projet d'« Appui à la production des données statistiques basiques et à l'élaboration du Plan Sectoriel de l'Éducation ». 7 - Participation aux cérémonies de remise des attestations et certificats par la Directrice générale de l'UNESCO et le Président gabonais. 8 - Atelier de restitution des outils pédagogiques de l'ESSR pour la validation outils pédagogiques pour le préscolaire et le primaire.	1 - Répondu favorable à la demande d'appui en faveur des enfants de l'ENEDA, consisté à doter l'ENEDA en matériel artistique. 2 - Créé 13 centres de formation professionnelle dans les Technologies de l'information et de la communication (TIC) à travers tout le pays. 3 - Toujours dans le cadre du programme « Train My Generation — Gabon 5000 », 20 jeunes ont reçu des bourses d'études.	1 - Soutenir le Gabon dans la consolidation de système éducatif par l'élaboration d'une straté sectorielle de l'éducation. 2 - Organisé un atelier de renforcement capacités des formateurs des cent d'alphabétisation privés et publies de Libreville d'Owendo. 3 - Pairs éducateurs et encadreurs de chanté/Sida ont reçu un enseignement sur modules ayant traits à sur les principes généraux promotion de la santé, la pair éducation, la sexua et la santé. 4 - Appuyé l'association MEDZOE SANTE PL dans le cadre d'un atelier de formation des Jeu Personnes Vivants avec le VIH (JPVVIH). 5 - L'atelier technique de restitution conclusions des conférences sur l'éducat organisées par l'UNESCO. 6 - Organisé cet atelier technique avec persont techniques des ministères en charge de l'éducat sur l'ODD 4. 7 - Appuyé le projet de promotion d'alphabétisation de qualité à travers d'évaluat des « curricula » des centres d'alphabétisation. 8 - Appuyé le projet de promotion d'alphabétisation à travers de la formation formateurs à l'utilisation des référentiels produi

des statistiques.

9 - Monsieur Stephen Jackson et Monsieur Michel

Auguste BUSAMBA, Chargé d'etudes au Cabinet

du Ministre, signant l'accord pour la production

10 - Grâce à une mission d'experts du SIGE, une

incompatibilité a été vite décelée entre le système

de ladite application et les résultats attendus.

d'améliorer rapidement le système éducatif gabonais et *d'atteindre l'Objectif de*

9 - Atelier de révision des curricula d'ESSR au

secondaire et présentation des cinq principes

directeurs pour la mise en œuvre d'un

10 - Recommandation d'experts pour une

Développement Durable 4 (ODD 4).

programme d'ESSR

Policy Involvement

Procedural Knowledge

mondiale (ECM) et au développement durable

10 - Édition 2019 de la Journée internationale

de la Science au service de la paix et du

11 - Guide de communication parent-enfant

d'Education complète à la sexualite finalisé et

multiplié, avec une vaste campagne de

développement.

promotion.

12 - Organisation de la cérémonie de remise des certificats de ces jeunes a également servi de cloture du projet « Train My Generation – Gabon 5000 ».

13 - La célébration de la Semaine mondiale de l'Education aux médias et à l'information (EMI), au Gabon

14 - Sensibilisation des jeunes à l'utilisation responsable des informations des réseaux sociaux

15 - Finalisation et publication de l'Annuaire Statistique.

application développée par l'ISU qui permet de générer un ensemble d'indicateurs et ratios indispensables à la production d'un annuaire statistique.

13 - Les Représentants ont convenu d'une feuille de route pour l'engagement de l'AOC pour l'ESSR.

- 11 L'équipe technique a pu *proposer et faire* valider un projet de l'annuaire statistique.
- 12 Signé un Accord de partenariat en vue de développer des activités d'information, éducation et communication sur les IST, le VIH-SIDA et la santé reproductrice dans l'ETPT au Gabon.
- 13 Création de la Coordination nationale gabonaise du Réseau panafricain des jeunes pour la culture de la paix (PAYNCOP-Gabon).
- 14 Présentation du nouvel Annuaire statistique du secteur de l'éducation et de la formation au Premier Ministre, Chef de Gouvernement.
- 15 Signature d'un nouvel accord entre la Directrice générale de l'UNESCO et le Vice-Ministre de l'Éducation de la République populaire de Chine dont les bénéficiaires directs sont USTM et UOB du Gabon.
- 16 Appuyé le gouvernement dans la mobilisation, de l'OMS, l'UNFPA, l'ONUSIDA, la CEEAC, des réseaux de jeunes et des organisations de la société civile pour recueillir leurs recommandations de sur SSR.
- 17 Participations dans la cérémonie de consultation national de ECS du Ministre de l'Éducation nationale et du Ministre des Affaires sociales et des droits de la femme.
- 18 La consultation de Libreville a permis d'examiner et valider les données et les conclusions du pays sur le VIH, les VBG et l'éducation.
- 19 -Les plans d'action 2021-2023 des deux universités élaborées avec l'appui de l'Organisation *ont été validés* de la requête du Gabon.

encadreurs de ces centres d'alphabétisation

- 12 Accompagné le Gouvernement gabonais d le renforcement de sa politique en la matière EFPT.
- 13 Formation de vingt-deux personn inspecteurs pédagogiques, conseillers pédagogiq et enseignants, constituant l'équipe technique.
- 14 Session de formation des responsables de écoles associées sur l'utilisation de l'outil l'UNESCO, réSEAU Gabon.
- 15 Les centres de formation de Librev comptabilisaient 1042 lauréats mais seuls les : meilleurs ont été conviés à la cérémonie du Pa présidentiel gabonais.
- 16 Toujours dans le cadre du programme « Tou My Generation — Gabon 5000 », des jeunes bénéficié *d'une formation* dans des métiers à potentiel d'emploi du Gabon.
- 17 Transfert de compétence à travers la format des personnels en vue de l'appropriation nation pour la pérennisation du Système d'information de gestion de l'Education (SIGE).
- 19 Poursuivi et finalisé, en 2019, la collecte données au sein des établissements scolaires toute l'étendue du territoire.
- 20 Par la suite, ils ont *offert plusieurs formati* aux équipes locales pour une bonne prise en mair StatEduc.
- 21 Un atelier de formation d'une cinquanta d'inspecteurs et conseillers pédagogiques Libreville portant essentiellement sur opportunités pédagogiques qu'offrent les TIC.
- 22 Puis, il va falloir renforcer ses capacités a qu'il soit apte à mener à bien le projet avec ateliers de formations des personu d'encadrements et des enseignants des discipline
- 23 Atelier de formation d'enseignants préscolaire, primaire et du secondaire, points foc des écoles associées de l'UNESCO.
- 24 A travers le Projet « Train My Generatio Gabon 5000 », l'UNESCO *a accompagné de jeu* porteurs de projets dans le domaine du numériqu l'entrepreneuriat.
- 25 Formés des enseignants des mathématiqus ciences physiques et des sciences de la vie et d'etrre (SVT) sur la production et la mise en ligne cours des niveaux Troisième et Terminale.
- 26 Train My Generation a permis aux jeunes de

		familiariser avec l'outil informatiq indispensable à tout emploi au XXIème siècle pourvoyeur de revenus.
		27 - Organisé une session de renforcement capacités au profit des bureaux directeurs de Coordination nationale et de la section nationale « Réseau panafricain des femmes pour une cult de la paix ».
		28 - Les plans d'action 2021-2023 des de universités élaborées avec l'appui l'Organisation en tenant compte du conte gabonais et de leurs spécificités, ont été préser pour permettre la validation de la requête du Gab

Table 16. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Libreville identified in UNESCO Libreville Activities Reports of 2014/2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2021.

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3.16 UNESCO Field Office in Maputo

The UNESCO Field Office in Maputo recorded 71 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

There was a majority of diffusion of meanings, with 20 interventions. There is a 38% predominance of procedural knowledge and normative influence, with a relative balance between other forms of influence and expertise. The neutrality and initiative spectrum was very unique, with a peak at the mid-high section, followed by a slope at the middle and mid-low sections, and another peak at the low section.

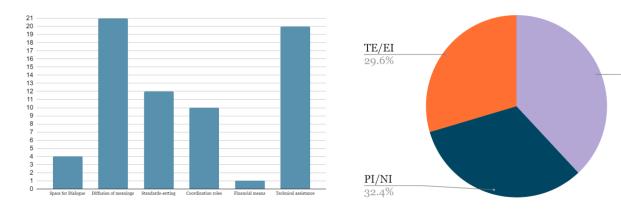


Chart 51. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Maputo split by activity.

Chart 52. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Maputo split by influence and expertise.

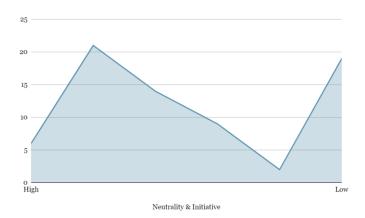


Chart 53. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Maputo under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedural K	nowledge	Policy In	nvolvement	Technical Expertise	
Cognitive Ir	nfluence	Normativ	ve Influence	Executiv	ve Influence
Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical Assistance
1 - Co-organized a national consultation on ESD in Mozambique. 2 - Provided support to the National Teachers Organization to organize consultation meetings gathering teachers on ECS. 3 - Various national fora and consultations were organized to promote the SDG-4 with national stakeholders in Mozambique. 4 - The Report on Education Policies produced including a Policy Gap analysis vs SDG-4 targets was used to inform the policy dialogue with key stakeholders. 5 - Consultations allowed an assessment of the degree in which the "Code of Conduct for Teachers" is applied. 6 - The ESA Commitment meeting was organized during the 2016 International AIDS Conference in South Africa.	1 - In Mozambique, the International Street Children Day was celebrated. 2 - The rights of the child were disseminated in a radio programme during the week. 3 - Drawing contest for 1000 children from 3 schools (including street children) was organized. 4 - Mozambique celebrated the World Teachers' Day. 5 - Launch ceremony of the project "Integrated Approach to Literacy and Adult Education to empower young women and their families through learning in rural and peri-urban communities in Mozambique" 6 - Celebration of International Literacy Day. 7 - Awareness raising activities, workshops with NGOs and civil society, on linkage between literacy and sustainable development carried-out. 8 - Baseline study and needs assessment in the communities from selected districts was conducted by a team from Eduardo Mondlane University. 9 - Awareness raised on the importance of the Code of Conduct for Teacher. 10 - A draft Country Report on Education Policies was produced to provide information on the current state of the education system in Mozambique. 11 - The Action Plan for the Movement for Advocacy, Sensitization and Resource Mobilization for Literacy (MASMA) for 2016-2019, was developed. 12 - Workshops were organized in three provinces as part of the support in scaling up CSE	1 - Organized its first Southern African Regional Conference on Teachers with the theme "Improving Quality of Education through Quality Teachers: Sharing effective practices towards the Post 2015 Agenda". 2 - The evaluation of the Literacy and Adult Education Strategy 2010-2015 was completed with recommendations to promote decentralization and monitoring/evaluation. 3 - Organized a Regional Workshop in Maputo to review the second year progress of a project seeking to strengthen sexual and reproductive health and HIV prevention. 5 - The National Institute for Education Development (INDE) led the development and harmonization of CSE contents that comprised the teachers' manual for the 1st and 2nd cycle of Primary School. 6 - Teaching and Learning programme for the Primary Education for Adults (equivalent to grade six) was developed and approved. 7 - Within the development of the Literacy and Adult Education Assessment framework, a set of 600 assessment items were developed. 8 - Launching the 2015 Monitoring Report, a document prepared to track progress towards the achievement of the ESA Commitment Targets. 9 - National indicator framework formulated - which responds to national policies aligned with SDG 4 targets. 10 - Recommendations for improvement identified, to be used as the basis for formulating the NSDES - a sector wide vision of education statistics development.	1 - The GMR was launched by UNESCO and the Minister of Education and Human Development in an event attended by many education partners. 2 - Attendance at launch ceremony by the Minister of Education and Human Development and the UNESCO Representative to Mozambique, in a ceremony carried out on April 2015 in Boane. 3 - As a result of the UNESCO inception mission, the Ministry of Education and Human Development and its partners have identified four key priority areas for the Education Policy Review. 4 - Supported the MASMA, created in 2006, and led by the First Lady of Mozambique. 5 - The Minister of Education and Human Development led the launch of the International Literacy Day throughout the country. 6 - The Deputy-Director General of UNESCO officially launched the 2017/8 GEM Report with the Deputy Prime Minister of Ethiopia and the Minister of Education and Human Development of Mozambique. 8 - The Primary Education Curriculum for Youth and Adults was approved by the MINEDH. 9 - Validation of the Family Learning Manual.	1 - 22 public schools from eleven provinces were selected as pilot E-schools, to be supported with equipment and pedagogy on the use of ICTs, becoming Digital Content Production Centers. 2 - UNESCO equipped the Institute for Open and Distance Education (IEDA), in order to develop and deliver multi-media content.	1 - Trainers Teacher Training Institutes (I, were trained on the use of the manual for liter teachers to enable the subsequent training of literacy teachers. 2 - Capacities of technicians from MINEDF central, provincial and district level on pedagog aspects of the Family Literacy Approach enhan. 3 - Capacity building courses were conducted inservice teachers at the IFPs on scaling up CS the country level. 4 - Support that enabled MINEDH to provia capacity building training program for IFPs Sexual Reproductive Health and also provide 1 prevention content. 5 - Supported the MINEDH in the evaluation of implementation of a capacity building on "Skills Education Program" at the Institutes Teacher Trainers in select provinces. 6 - Provided support to the simultane evaluations carried out by the MINEDH in se provinces as well. 7 - Supported the National Directorate of Literand Adult Education to update the natio strategy. 8 - Education technicians responsible for plann budgeting and human resource issues were train. 9 - Technicians enhanced their capacities on germainstreaming and gender-responsive approach literacy programmes during a workshop Germany. 10 - In Mozambique, members of the NTT and I and MINDEH provincial staff, were trained throa "learning by doing" approach to assess recommend required improvements for quareducation data.
	and promoting girls and young mothers' rights. 13 - The ESA Commitment meeting was also an opportunity to advocate and disseminate key	of guidelines for training adult educators in Mozambique. 13 - The E-school model was designed and			11 - Supported the elaboration of the prin education curriculum for the education of you and adult learners based on a bilingual approach

Table 17. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Maputo identified in UNESCO Maputo Activities Reports of 2015, 2016 and 2017.

3.17 UNESCO Field Office in Nairobi

The UNESCO Field Office in Nairobi recorded 147 interventions over the course of the analyzed period. This higher number, once again, we believe is due to it being a Regional Office.

We see a majority of coordination roles, with 35 interventions. There is a 41% predominance of policy involvement and normative influence, also with a relative balance between other forms of expertise and influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum was stronger in the middle section, with other strong points in the mid-high section and low section as well.

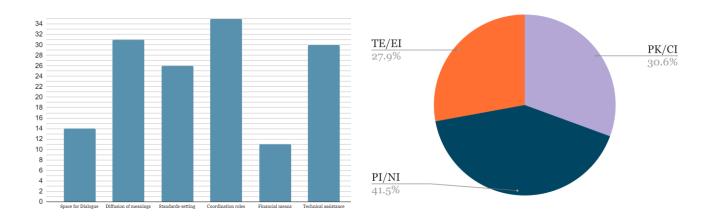


Chart 54. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Nairobi split by activity.

Chart 55. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Nairobi split by influence and expertise.

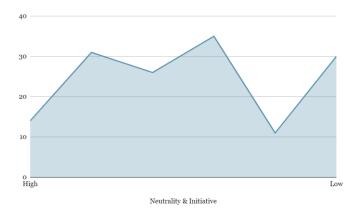


Chart 56. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Nairobi under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedural Kr	nowledge	Policy In	volvement	Technical Expertise	
Cognitive Influence		Normative Influence		Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance
1 - Sub-Saharan Africa Regional Conference in February 2015 in Kigali.	1 - Supported the involvement of Young People Living with HIV and AIDS to access ASRH services and information.	,	1 - Partnership engagement for monitoring and coordination of SDG-4 at national level.	Provided with essential training and learning materials and office equipment, stationery and materials to facilitate literacy	 Capacitating primary school teachers, tworkshop within the national roll-out of the Literacy Programme.
2 - Organized the SDG-4 consultations in Ethiopia, on 27	services and myormanon.	2 - Organized a regional forum for 13 countries	2 - Two-day workshop on revision of the KICT-CFT	and life skills learning programmes.	Energe Trog

- October 2016.
- 3- Organized the national consultation from 28 to 29 September 2016 in Diibouti.
- 4 Supported a policy dialogue forum for key MoE SAGAs to provide a platform to engage on the ongoing

national curriculum reform.

- 5 Support for county consultations and report for development of the ESD policy framework.
- 6 Organized an interactive panel discussion on PEV-E. hosted by the Government of Kenya.
- 7 Organisé une conférence à Madagascar à l'attention des décideurs, pour partager auprès des directeurs interministériels, centraux et régionaux.
- 8 Conduct a national symposium on digitalization and Technology in Uganda.
- 9 Supported the MoES of Uganda to hold its 3rd National Teacher Education Symposium.
- 10 Country-level engagement in Uganda in 2020, bringing together participants for education continuity under COVID-19
- 11 Coordination of consultation meetings to discuss the need for a reformed and revitalized global education cooperation mechanism (GECM) to accelerate progress to
- 12 Organized an Online IT Partners meeting, drawing on the membership of the UNESCO COVID-19 Global Education Coalition and Non-Coalition members.
- 13 In the United Nations Africa Regional High Level Conference on Countering Terrorism and Preventing Violent Extremism, organized an interactive panel discussion on PVE-E.
- 14 The Global Partners' Meeting of the

- 2 Supported the MoES to communicate HIV prevention messages through sports and games.
- 3 A desk review of ESD interventions at the global, regional and national level
- 4 Sensitize South Sudanese vouth through "Peacebuilding and Literacy through Tech Innovation Bootcamp" for students from the
- 5 Bootcamp participants developed a Mobile Application: A PeaceApp that explains different terms relating to conflict, violence and its impact
- 6 A gender assessment and audit was undertaken to assess gender equality and gender responsiveness and gender mainstreaming in teacher education in Uganda.
- 7 Create an enabling environment for the use of quality ADTs and promote policy development and advocacy for inclusive education.
- 8 Labour Market Analyses (LMA) were
- 9 Designed and successfully conducted Training Needs Assessments both for TVET teachers and leaders in all beneficiary countries
- 10 Design and development of skills gateways. which are online platforms that serve as TVET resource centers and facilitate access to and
- 11 Professionals from museums and educational institutions participated in a webinar/online meeting in celebration of International Museum
- 13 Launch the first-ever Kenva national study report on Out-of-School Children (OOSC).

- to adopt the Mahe Process to strengthen TVET in Eastern Africa.
- 3 New UNESCO TVET Strategy (2016-2021) and tools to monitor TVET related targets under SDG4 were shared.
- 4 Supported the MoES to develop a National Framework on Sexuality Education in Uganda.
- 5 Support to develop new training packages, resulting in the development reference documents covering thirteen trades identified.
- 6 Support the elaboration of teaching and learning materials through regional experiences for the new Higher Diploma in Science Secondary Education in Tanzania
- 7 Supported Uganda to harmonize teacher training programmes and develop a Continuous Professional Development framework to address issues concerning teacher status and welfare.
- 8 Hosted a validation and training webinar on LMA with focus on Studies on Labour Market and Curriculum Harmonization
- 9 Monitoring the Marrakesh Treaty ratification and domestication
- 10 Developing guidelines for the development of teacher training resources.
- 11 Developing ICT equipment procurement guidelines for OPDs and key government
- 12 LMAs contributed to the harmonization of the curriculum and occupational standards in Ethiopia, Uganda and Madagascar.
- 13 Promoting career guidance and counseling materials, like guidelines and handbooks in

- was held from 15 to 16 June 2016 in Nairobi, Kenya.
- 3 Stakeholders Consultation meeting was presided over by the Director General for Education.
- 4 Validation workshop was organized, with technical support carried out by the Department of Quality Assurance and Curricula of the Ministry.
- 5 Engagement of steering committees comprising key partners for Accessible Digital Textbooks (ADT) at country level.
- 6 Validation of country guidelines and counseling materials in beneficiary countries.
- 7 Series of virtual meetings of development partners to support African countries in the provision of education through distance and online modes.
- 8 The Transitional National Legislative Assembly (TNLA) organized a meeting to establish a National Ad-Hoc Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) Coordination Committee.
- 10 United Nations Africa Regional High Level Conference on Countering Terrorism and Preventing Violent Extremism attended by Kenvan President. Uhuru Kenyatta.
- 12 Director-General Audrey Azoulay today carried out a historic visit to Somalia and held talks with the Prime Minister, Minister of Education, Culture and Higher Education, and Minister of Women and Human Rights.
- 13 In Mogadishu, the Director-General also signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the government of Somalia, paving the way to strengthen multilateral cooperation through education and culture and support the country's peacebuilding and reconstruction efforts.
- 14 Dans la conférence nationale à Antananarivo.

- 2 Supply and installation of 272 ICT and Studio Equipment to the 3 key TTIs.
- 3 In Ethiopia, piloting, testing and scaling up by Technology-enabled Open School Systems (TOESS) to connect school-based and homebased learning through better connectivity.
- 4 Supporting the establishment of an Offline Intranet Resource Centre (OIRC) (...) a warehouse of high quality offline educational resources for both formal and informal learning.
- 5 To ensure the feasibility of the digital component, the project provided ICT and solar eauipment to the OIRC.
- 6 Providing extra support to build rainwater-harvesting model at Nyankole nrimary school
- 7 Handover of ICT Equipment to TVET Institutions in Uganda.
- 8 Kenvan TVET Institutions received ICT Equipment from BEAR II Project.
- 9 Secondary Schools in Uganda received Digital Library Device RACHEL.
- 10 Equipped 3 Pilot Teacher Training Institutions (TTIs) in Uganda with an assortment of ICT equipment.
- 11 Community Learning Centers (CLC) received essential equipment and supplies for technical training..

- 2 Provided technical support to the M Education of Kenya through the pro-appropriate technical advice on education implications.
- 3 Supported the Government of U consolidate the various teacher policies for teacher management and delivery of ed
- 4 Technical support aimed at strength capacity of teacher trainers, curriculum de subject specialists, publishers.
- 5 Trained teachers and parents on how to communication with adolescents and young schools and at home.
- 6 Support the Ministry of Education, to drafting committee, for the developme comprehensive ESD policy for the education
- 7 Support for the development of a Nation on Employment and Vocational Training (F
- 8 Training posts were created to strens capacity of the facilitators of the new ce young rural school leavers were certified o
- 9 Conducted a training exercise on education for Master Trainers in Rwanda.
- 10 Development and translation of teac learning materials for adult literacy programmes to be used in Community Centers (CLC).
- 11 Women and youth took a 10-months to literacy based on the national NFE curri
- 12 Capacity of Teacher Educators from the

Teachers/Teaching and Learning Cluster of the Education Response to COVID-19 was held in April 2020

- 14 Support the setting up of a Youth As Researchers Team to conduct a study examining the impact of COVID-19 on learning in Africa.
- 15 Organized a global virtual knowledge sharing session gathering together Youth As Researchers Teams to allow showcasing and discussion on the findings..
- 16 Commemoration of World Teachers Day 2021 in Uganda.
- 17 Series of live television dialogues to discuss topical issues affecting teachers in and the need to support them for the recovery of the education system.
- 18 Organized a week's initiative called "Teacher Appreciation Week" (...) mobilizing people to send messages, gifts, offers, discounts, and other tokens of appreciation to teachers.
- 19 Hosted a Hybrid Public Lecture by UNESCO Regional Director for Eastern Africa, streamed on YouTube and Zoom
- **20 Commissioned a national assessment** of TTIs in Uganda on leadership, management and governance.
- 22 Produced videos to highlight the project impact and increase visibility of the Joint Programme in Tanzania.
- 23 Use of the available online and media platform to keep the students connected to STEM and STEM role models in the face of COVID-19.
- **24 Virtual launch** of the New STEM Mentorship programme in 2020 by UNESCO and GoK.
- 25 3-day project launch workshop organized in cooperation with the Korean Ministry of Education at the Agro-Fisheries & Food Trade Center in the Republic of Korea.
- **26 Lancement du projet** « Une meilleure éducation pour l'essor de l'Afrique (BEAR II) » a Antananarivo.
- 27 Launch ceremony of a health and wellbeing project for young people in Kenyan universities and tertiary institutions. "Our Lives, Our Rights, Our Future" (03 Plus).
- 28 UNESCO Digital Library Initiative, Remote Area Community Hotspot for Education and Learning (RACHEL) *launch ceremony* in Uganda.
- 29 UNESCO Digital Library Initiative focusing on "Building a culture of reading and research

Ethiopia and Uganda.

- 14 In Tanzania the project team elaborated a National Career Guidance and Counseling System
- 15 In Madagascar, supported the development of the National Policy on School and Vocational Guidance.
- 16 Supported the development of the National Skills Competition in Ethiopia.
- 17 A 3-day technical workshop was organized in Nairobi/Kenya to institutionalize effective and timely monitoring and reporting against CESA and SDG4 targets.
- 18 Held a workshop in Kenya to draw a roadmap towards the development of a national monitoring, evaluation and reporting framework of the achievements of SDG 4 & CESA 2016-2025
- 19 SADC and EAC Secretariats, together with the Technical Coordination Group convened a Regional Consultation on the ESA Ministerial Commitment.
- 20 The YAL study on COVID-19 impacts in education in Africa provided a series of recommendations to different stakeholders for remedial actions.
- 21 Organization of a workshop to review and finalize matrices for mainstreaming the UNESCO General History of Africa into the Upper Primary School and Junior Secondary School Curriculum.
- 22 Assessment culminated in *the development of a national guideline* for the TTIs to improve leadership, management and governance practices.
- 23 Virtual GECM consultation meeting with ten countries from Eastern Africa.
- 24 Co-hosted a virtual workshop to develop matrices for mainstreaming the UNESCO General History of Africa (GHA) into the diploma teacher curriculum in Kenya.
- 25 National EFA Reviews undertaken in 2014-15.
- 26 Convened a 3-day training workshop for principals of TTIs and MoE officials in Uganda to orient participants on the guidelines, and encourage them to adapt the guidelines to better lead, manage and govern their respective institutions.

- la Ministre de l'Éducation nationale et de l'enseignement technique et professionnel.
- 15 The Global Partners' Meeting of April 2020 brought together was opened by the remarks of the UNESCO Assistant Director General for Education.
- **16** Attendance by the President and First Lady of Uganda in the commemoration of World Teachers Day 2021 in the country.
- 17 UNESCO Regional Director for Eastern Africa and Representative to Kenya *paid a courtesy call* to Kenya Cabinet Secretary for ICT, Innovation and Youth Affairs.
- **18** Attendance by the Director of Education Standards (DES) in Uganda at the handover ceremony of ICT equipment in Uganda.
- 19 O3 Plus launch attended by Chief Administrative Secretary from the Kenya Ministry of Education, representing the Cabinet Secretary.
- 20 UNESCO Regional Director for Eastern Africa meets the Kenya Cabinet Secretary for Education.
- 21 UNESCO Regional Director and Representative to Kenya presents his Credentials to the Kenya Cabinet Secretary for Foreign Affairs.
- 22 UNESCO Regional Director met with the Secretaries-General of the National Commissions for UNESCO and their team in the Eastern Africa Region.
- 23 UNESCO Regional Director and Representative to Kenya, paid a courtesy visit to Cabinet Secretary for Foreign Affairs.
- 24 During the handover, the UNESCO Regional Director was accompanied by the Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to Kenya.
- 25 Huawei invited UNESCO for the opening ceremony of its upgraded and expanded Training Center in Nairobi (...) attended by Principal Secretaries on behalf of Cabinet Secretaries of several ministries
- 26 Attendance at 3-day retreat hosted by Director of the Teacher Education and Training (TET) in Uganda.
- 27 UNESCO Regional Director pays a visit to the University of Nairobi, meeting with the Vice Chancellor.
- 28 Attendance at TTIs workshop by, the Commissioner Teacher/Tutor Education and Training (TIET) of the Ministry of Education and

has been enhanced in Uganda; (ii) a

- 13 Learner management system (L. developed and populated with Online courses and other materials developed by the Educators in Uganda.
- 14 Supported the MoES to strengthen the of teacher educators and education officers. Primary Teacher Training Colleges to gender sensitive pedagogy in primary educations.
- 15 Supported the Government of Uganda a teacher management information system
- 16 Capacity building for teachers on appl assistive technologies and use of accessit textbooks and piloting of developed ADTs in Kenya, Rwanda and Uganda.
- 17 Design and finalization of curricula, materials and training tools in the targ sectors in Ethiopia, Kenya, Uganda, Madag Tanzania
- 18 Digital component in training mode programmes on digitalized materials, teaching tools, among others, and offered to national TVET institutions.
- 19 Supported the MOES in Uganda to capacity through training workshops of educators in using ICT in teaching and learning school lockdown
- 20 Capacity building activity for the train training centres was held from in 2021 in and Androy Regions for the "basket-making
- 21 A capacity building of school pers management and maintenance of WASH fa well as resource mobilization at sch community level.
- 22 Offering cutting edge ICT training pr in areas of AI and cloud computing for lecturers in Nairobi. Kenva.
- 23 Support for the MoE in the developm five-year operational plan and an 18-mon plan to strengthen the governance and coord TVET in South Sudan.
- 24 A 5-day training was carried-out fo and mentors at schools in Mogadishu and G how to utilize the guide to effectively facility and art-based activities for children
- 25 Supported the MoES and convened retreat of the national taskforce to de strategic documents for the establishing governance of UNITE in Uganda.

through digital media" launch ceremony in South Sudan. 30 - Launch ceremony of the UNESCO and Huawei, in collaboration with the Government of Kenya, pilot project to provide free internet connectivity to 13 schools. 31 - Organized a virtual closing ceremony to conclude a series of AI Technology training between UNESCO and Huawei.	Sports. 29 - Attendance at Uganda's teacher and policy dialogue workshop by the Commissioner Teacher/Tutor Instructor Education and Training (TIET) in the MoES. 30 - RACHEL launch in Ariwa Secondary School presided over by the Director of Basic and Secondary Education of the Ministry of Education and Sports, representing the Permanent Secretary. 31 - Attendance at Uganda's 3rd National Teacher Education Symposium by the First Lady and Minister of Education of Uganda. 32 - The Online IT Partners meeting graced by the UNRC for the Seychelles and the Minister of Education and Human Resource Development of Seychelles. 34 - Attendance at the pilot project launch by the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of ICT, Innovation and Youth Affairs and by the CEO Huawei Kenya. 35 - National Ad-Hoc TVET Coordination Committee agreed on a five-year operational plan for TVET, as well as an 18-month work plan during a workshop held in October 2019	 26 - Organized a 5-day training for teacher effective social and policy dialogue in Edu 27 - Training teachers at all levels in the the usage of a Digital Library Dev RACHEL. 28 - Supported a 2-days capacity building on STEM mentorship programme for scientin Uganda. 29 - Young women from six regions participated in the virtual CodeHack to create their digital response to the panden challenges. 30 - Organization of the UNESCO digmentorship programme to provide stuinformation and career opportunities in the STEM fields.
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Table 18. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Nairobi identified in UNESCO Nairobi Activities Reports of 2016 and 2021, complemented by UNESCO Nairobi News sections of 2019 and 2020.

3.18 UNESCO Field Office in Rabat

The UNESCO Field Office in Rabat recorded 26 interventions over the course of the analyzed period.

We see a predominance of coordination roles, with 8 interventions. There is also a 45% predominance of policy involvement and normative influence, with a relative balance between other forms of expertise and influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum is stronger in the middle and mid-low sections, with a moderate standing in the remaining sections.

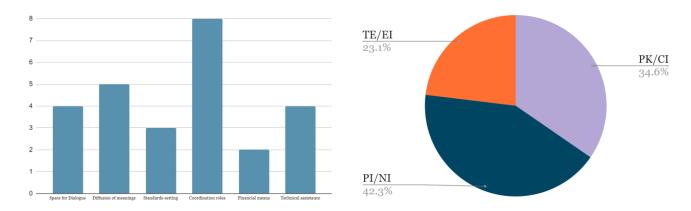


Chart 57. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Rabat split by activity.

Chart 58. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Rabat split by influence and expertise.

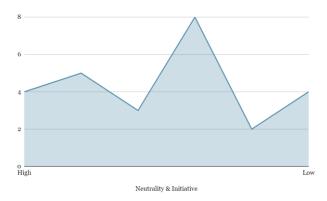


Chart 59. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Rabat under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedural Knowledge		Policy In	nvolvement	Technical Expertise	
Cognitive Ir	ıfluence	Normativ	ve Influence	Executiv	ve Influence
Space for dialogue 1 - Organisé un atelier virtuel et d'une table ronde () avec l'objectif de mener une réflexion sur le thème de l'inadéquation de l'offre et de la demande en compétences. 2 - Organisé le forum de la Coalition mondiale pour l'éducation intitulé « Le tournant de l'apprentissage numérique en Afrique : quel rôle pour les écosystèmes locaux ? ». 3 - Organisé la première réunion des partenaires de l'Académie mondiale des compétences. 4 - Organisé un atelier de restitution et d'échanges au profit des jeunes et des représentants des administrations publiques compétentes.	Diffusion of meanings 1 - Organisé un séminaire en ligne pour démystifier le concept des villes apprenantes. 2 - Le Sous-directeur Général Priorité Afrique et Relations Extérieures de l'UNESCO revient dans une interview sur la réponse globale et multidimensionnelle de l'organisation à la crise COVID-19. 3 - Célébration de la Journée international de la jeunesse 2021. 4 - Organisé un webinaire sous le thème : « Innovations et nouvelles technologies en Afrique du Nord dans le contexte de la Covid-19 ». 5 - Cérémonie de lancement du projet « Autonomiser le système éducatif et les communautés scolaires par la promotion des droits de l'homme, l'éducation à la citoyenneté mondiale et l'éducation aux médias et à l'information ».	Standards-setting 1 - À l'occasion de la JIJ2021, lancement d'un concours d'idées innovantes pour mettre en avant les idées et les initiatives de la jeunesse au Maroc. 2 - Dans la première réunion des partenaires de l'Académie mondiale des compétences, identification des indicateurs pour les mécanismes de suivi et de rapport. 3 - Dans le webinaire, émissions des recommandations pour soumises au Comité intergouvernemental de hauts fonctionnaires et d'experts (ICSOE).	Coordination roles 1 - Présence du Ministre Délégué marocain chargé de l'Enseignement Supérieur et de la Recherche Scientifique aux rencontres-débat « COVID-19 et conséquences pour l'enseignement supérieur ». 2 - Début d'un groupe de travail dans le but d'approfondir la réflexion sur l'apport de la prospective dans la réponse aux défis que rencontrent les jeunes 3 - L'événement a été ouvert par la Sous-Directrice générale pour l'éducation de l'UNESCO et Sous-Directeur général pour la priorité Afrique et les relations extérieures de l'UNESCO. 4 - Réalisation d'une table ronde ministérielle avec 6 ministres de l'Éducation africains, du Congo, de la Côte d'Ivoire, du Ghana, du Maroc, de la République démocratique du Congo et de la Tunisie. 5 - Participation dans la cérémonie de lancement par la Ministre de l'Enseignement Supérieur et de la Recherche Scientifique de Tunisie. 6 - Au Maroc, l'Académie déploie les contributions d'IBM, de Microsoft et de PIX en collaboration étroite avec l'Office de la Formation Professionnelle et de la Promotion du Travail. 7 - Cérémonie organisée en marge de la Rencontre régionale de coordination avec les acteurs locaux et la fédération en présence du Ministre de l'Education Nationale, de la Formation Professionnelle, de l'Enseignement Supérieur et de la Recherche Scientifique.	Financial means 1 - Appui financier à l'élaboration de la nouvelle Stratégie Nationale de la Jeunesse 2020-2024. 2 - S'est tenue une cérémonie marquant la remise des ordinateurs en vue de mettre en place 9 salles multimédia.	Technical assistance 1 - Formation en ligne des enseignants, professeurs universitaires et formateurs des in d'éducation des enseignants en Algérie, Maur Maroc et Tunisie. 2 - Offre une formation sur les mé d'anticipation des compétences dont l'objectif permettre une meilleure compréhension principaux instruments et outils d'identification besoins actuels et futurs. 3 - Organisé une formation en visioconféren la démarche de prospective sur la demande d'en 2021. 4 - Appui technique à l'élaboration de la no Stratégie Nationale de la Jeunesse 2020-2024.
			8 - Accueilli une délégation de l'Office de la Formation Professionnelle et de la Promotion du Travail (OFPPT).		

Table 19. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Rabat identified in UNESCO Rabat News sections of 2019 and 2020.

3.19 UNESCO Field Office in Windhoek

The UNESCO Field Office in Windhoek recorded 142 interventions over the course of the analyzed period. This was outside of the curve, not being a Regional Office, but we believe is likely due to its complete and thorough reporting.

There was a majority of diffusion of meanings, with 40 interventions. We see the predominance of procedural knowledge and cognitive influence at 40%, seconded by policy involvement and normative influence, and with a small proportion of technical expertise and executive influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum had a succession of bottoms and peaks, with strong mid-high and mid-low sections and an intermediate low section.

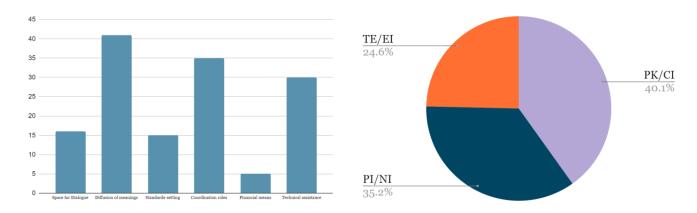


Chart 60. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Windhoek split by activity.

Chart 61. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Windhoek split by influence and expertise.

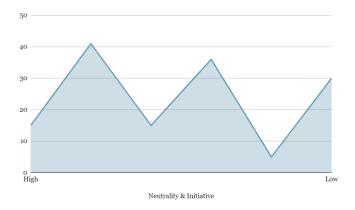


Chart 62. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Windhoek under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedural Knowledge		Policy In	volvement	Technical Expertise	
Cognitive In	nfluence	Normativ	e Influence	Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards-setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance
1 - Dialogues on ECS and Sexual and Reproductive Health for young people were <i>conducted</i> .	1 - ECS dialogues in which key stakeholders were sensitized on the targets of the commitment.	1 - In the ECS dialogues culminated in the drafting of a regional operational plan on coordination of young peoples activities.	1 - Director of Planning and Development in the Ministry of Education, Arts and Culture in Namibia led the Namibian team at the e Regional	Participants accessed ESD materials using low-cost tablets that were distributed to the participants and supervisors.	1 - National Trainers <i>trained</i> on the utilization of the CSE Community Engagement Toolkit during the <i>upcoming workshop</i> scheduled to take place in
Organizing the 2015 Quality Education Platform which included the National Quality Education Platform. Namibia holds Annual Review of the Education	2 - Co-presentation of a session on Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) 3 - Commenced UNESCO's 70th Anniversary	2 - Organization of the 2015 Quality Education Platform, which includes the Southern Africa Regional Workshop on Literacy	ESD Consultative workshop. 2 - Attendance at the Annual Review of the Education and Training Sector by the <i>Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Education, Arts and</i>	2 - UNESCO in Namibia, () funded a three day Media Training on ESD for Community Media () organized by Omutumwa Community Newspaper.	Otjiwarongo in September 2015. 2 - 10-week mLearning project to provide skills development to out-of-school youth in order to empower them through courses with skills in ESD
 and Training Sector. 4 - 3rd annual teacher conference on the 29th of June 2015 at Uukule Senior Secondary School in Onyaanya. 	celebrations. 4 - Adult Learners' Week, the most important celebration of lifelong learning in Namibia, was officially launched.	3 - Southern African Regional Conference on Teachers was held in Mozambique. 4 - Documented teacher practices in the 28	Culture. 3 - Attendance at UNESCO's 70th Anniversary celebrations by the Deputy Minister of Education, Training and Innovation.	3 - Donated reading books to the Havana Primary School Library and 160 learners. 4 - Contribution of 35000 sanitary pads to the	and agricultural techniques. 3 - Life skills teachers went through and completed an <i>online course</i> on CSE during a 4 days' <i>workshop</i> facilitated by UNESCO and UNFPA.
 5 - Establishment of Kopano Education Forum in Namibia () a virtual learning community of practitioners. 6 - Namibia held the first ever AIDS Conference in 	5 - Initiative to promote community engagement in adolescents and young people's access to CSE and SRH, utilizing the CSE Community Engagement Toolkit.	schools and identified highlights and challenges, a toolkit of strategies intended to elevate practices was developed. 5 - Hands-on toolkit of strategies developed	4 - Adult Learners' Week, (), was officially launched by the Minister of Education, Arts and Culture.	"My sister pads" Initiative. 5 - Funding for the International virtual symposium was hosted by NQA supported.	4 - Media practitioners from various public, commercial and community media houses in Namibia promised to work together in educating and informing the citizens about SDGs and ESD, after a
Swakopmund from 27-30 November 2016 7 - The Foreign Policy Review Conference included <i>a panel</i> on the state of higher education, training and innovation <i>and a workshop on education</i> .	6-National Report of an Action Research was officially launched () By widely disseminating the successful research results.	 and piloted through the project was also recognized as a very tangible project result. 6 - Participants from the five targeted countries by BEAR in the Southern African 	5 - The 2015 Quality Education Platform was attended by Speaker of the National Assembly and Ambassador of the People's Republic of China to the Republic of Namibia.		two-day workshop 5 - Held a four-day training on Media and Information Literacy (MIL).
8 - Weekly meetings aimed at facilitating extensive consultations in planning and preparations for the School drop out and Out-of-School Conference.	7 - Organized a seminar to present the key findings of the 2015 Education for All Global Monitoring Report.	Development Community (SADC) attended a workshop. 7 - The workshop ran in conjunction with the first Namibian National Skills Competition	6 - Namibia' Deputy Minister of Information and Communication Technology was elected to chair the 38th Session of the General Conference of UNESCO		6 - Star for Life in partnership with UNESCO had a three -day training workshop with Peer Educator's from various schools
9 - Held a stakeholders consultation meeting to support the Human Rights and Documentation Centre of the University of Namibia.	8 - Launched the Mobile Learning Project in ESD and Micro-Gardening for Out-of-School Youth. 9 - The MEAC through the HIV and AIDS	(NSC). 8 - Held a successful regional workshop on education statistics.	7 - Education Programme Committee of the Namibia National Commission for UNESCO met to review the progress made and prepare for the 38th Session of UNESCO's General		7 - The Ministry of Education, Arts and Culture together with UNESCO Windhoek Office held a successful Training of Trainers refresher workshop
10 - Parental Youth <i>Dialogue was hosted</i> under the theme, "Don't Raise Your Voice, Raise Your Arguments"	The MEAC unough the Hualth and AlDS Management Unit hosted the Health and Wellness Awareness Week. 10 - The Bank Windhoek Socratic Forum	9 - National workshops contributing to the implementation of the 2011 Educational Conference Recommendations.	Conference. 8 - Attendance by the Namibian delegation and Honorable Minister of Higher Education,		8 - 53 Life skills teachers completed an on line course on Comprehensive Sexuality Education during a 5 days' workshop in Oshakati.
11 - Boys and young men () were engaged in discussions about CSE themes.	organized the Namibian celebration of the 2016 UNESCO World Philosophy Day.	11 - Supported the EMIS to compile a report of CSE related indicators	Training and Innovation at the World Skills Competition, in Brazil		9 - The technical training workshops for Carpentry, Electrical and Process Plant Operators took place in Windhoek
12 - International Conference on Technical, Vocational Education and Training (TVET).	11 - <i>Commemoration of</i> the 71st anniversary of the founding of the United Nations.	12 - Awarding of the 2018 UNESCO-Japan Prize on Education for Sustainable	9 - Namibian teams <i>undertook study tours</i> to Côte d'Ivoire and Ethiopia under CFIT in 2015.		10 - The UNESCO BEAR Project () hosted a workshop () and the objective of the training was
13 - Support for the International virtual symposium hosted by NQA.	12 - 50th anniversary of the international Literacy Day (ILD) was celebrated	Development to NaDEET. 13 - A regional delegation representing ten	10 - Speaking on behalf of the Honourable Minister of Education, Arts and Culture, the Director of Programme and Quality Assurance at		to capacitate participants to be able to render technical drawings in AutoCAD.
14 - Country-wide consultations with stakeholders for the Draft SDG 4 Implementation Plan.	13 - Experts from UNESCO handed over a report on the Situational Assessment of Technical, Vocational Education and Training	countries traveled into the Namib Desert. 14 - UNESCO provided lead <i>support</i> in	the Health and Wellness Awareness Week. 11 - The Deputy Director-General (DGG) of the		11 - Trainers and center managers or heads of departments () attended a one week training session in Pedagogy and Management TVET.

- 15 Organization of a *panel discussion* on the importance of speaking and teaching mother languages at schools.
- 16 Better Education for Africa's Rise (BEAR) project closure and evaluation workshop was held.

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- 14 Official opening ceremony of the 2016 National Skills Competition and Expo (NSCE) took place.
- 15 An awareness raising exercise was conducted in Hardap Region after a successful closure of the Training of Trainers refresher workshop in Mariental.
- **16** *Official opening ceremony* of the 2016 National Skills Competition and Expo (NSCE).
- 17 Presentation on sustainable development goals 4 and 5 as part of the 5,000 girls campaign.
- **18** Supported the Human Rights and Documentation Centre of the University of Namibia *to undertake the HRE study*.
- 19 Marked the International Mother Language Day.
- 20 Commemoration of the International Youth Day 2018.
- 21 Advocacy for KOPANO Education Forum and its network of teachers and community of practice.
- 22 Orientation and engagement sessions of community members on the importance and benefits of CSE.
- 23 Community awareness through the Ohangwena community radio over a period of four days.
- 24 Supported the printing of young people/learners magazine for the delivery of CSE at school level.
- 25 STEPP completed and results published and disseminated.
- 26 Organized a launch and subsequent roundtable discussion of the GEM Report.
- 27 Inception for a research on 'skills development and innovation in Namibia'.
- 28 Capacity building workshop (...) on inclusive education was organized to sensitize participants.
- 29 Situational analysis on life skills based HIV and health education and services for young people in Tertiary Institutions in Namibia conducted.

formulating a draft SDG4 Implementation Plan.

15 - TDS Model developed and launched.

- United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO) visited Windhoek (...) and met Namibia's Minister of Education, Arts and Culture.
- 12 Received a high level delegation from the Republic of Korea on a three day visit to Namibia (...) and accompanied to pay a courtesy visit to the Minister of Higher Education, Training and Innovation.
- 13 An external evaluation team with Chinese experts, visited Namibia for a four day mission in 2016
- 14 Deputy Minister of Education, Arts and Culture in Namibia delivered the keynote address.
- 15 Message from Ms Irina Bokova, UNESCO Director General was delivered during the event...
- 15 Event was officially launched by the Minister of Health and Social Services
- 16 Scoping exercise was carried out in April 2016 and UNESCO, together with the ministry organized a validation workshop..
- 17 Reception of the report on TVET by Minister of Higher Education, Training and Innovation.
- 18 Workshop was opened by the Deputy Minister of Higher Education, Training and Innovation, Dr. Becky Ndjoze-Ojo.
- 19 The *official opening remarks* were delivered by the *Prime Minister of Namibia*.
- 20 President of WorldSkills International, Mr. Simon Bartley, was in Namibia to catch up and hold a meeting with the Minister of Higher Education, Training and Innovation
- 21 National Coordinating Committee held a meeting (...) to finalize the UNESCO-China Funds-in-Trust (CFIT) Phase II Country Project Document.
- 22 United Nations Country Team discussed Harambee Prosperity Plan with President Hage Geingob.
- 23 UNESCO is also currently supporting an education scoping mission, of which findings will soon be validated, followed by a report to inform implementation, with attendance by the Minister of Higher Education, Training and Innovation.
- 24 Conference steering committee composed of

- 12 Windhoek Office conducted a 10 -day Training of Trainers (ToT) in mobile application development.
- 13 Life Skills teachers *completed an online course* during a series of workshops on ESC
- **14** A five month *youth training* in mobile applications (YouthMobile).
- 15 Teacher training through the CFIT Phase II.
- **16** A series of *capacity-building training sessions* for Quality Assurance practitioners.
- 17 Organization of a CSE Training of Trainers (TOT) in 2018.
- 18 Students and life skills teachers were supported to register on the online CSE module.
- 19 Two-day training workshop in the implementation of the Competency-Based Curriculum in schools.
- 20 Draft policy and implementation plan was finalized for dissemination for stakeholder input
- 21 ICT Policy for Education and implementation plan was successfully drafted
- 22 Capacity building workshop for religious leaders on SRHR was conducted
- 23 Trainers-of-Trainers were trained on the roll out of the PCC
- **24** HIV and wellness policy for the education sector reviewed with the support from UNESCO.
- 25 Pre-service teachers *online trained* on life skills based on HIV and health education.
- **26** Capacity building of media personnel on reporting EUP issues
- 27 MPs capacitated on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights and Life Skills-Based HIV and Health Education
- 28 Junior primary *teachers capacitated* the delivery of Life Skills-Based Health Education
- 29 Life skills teachers were capacitated on life skills-based health education and EUP
- **30** *Teachers capacitated* on counseling to provide psychosocial support to children amidst COVID-19.

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		staff from UN agencies, the NPC, TIKA and the	
30 - Supported the development and		Ministry of Education Arts and Culture held a	
distribution of 3000 posters and 25,300		series of weekly meetings.	
guidelines on COVID-29 in schools.			
· ·		25 - The study report on the impact of HRE at	
31 - Launch ceremony of the Let's Talk EUP		primary, secondary and tertiary level on the	
campaign		learner as a rights holder was validated in	
cumpuign			
		stakeholders' meeting	
32 - Communication materials, videos and			
electronic messages were disseminated to		26 - An inter-institutional Technical Working	
schools		Group to advance advocacy, effective	
		functioning and innovation of the Kopano	
33 - Life skills teachers and hostel staff.		Education Forum was established.	
cleaners and school board members were			
reached with COVID-19 sessions.		27 - Two Namibian delegates attended the	
reaction with COVID-17 Sessions.		"Survey of Teachers in Pre-Primary Education"	
24 I			
34 - Launch ceremony of the multi-country		(STEPP) Second Meeting in Addis Ababa	
project to end stigma for people with disabilities			
in Namibia.		28 - Organization of a study tour to China as part	
		of the CFIT.	
35 - A series of radio-based voice clips in			
various languages were aired on radio to		29 - The project hosted a study tour of senior	
reinforce the IMLD 2021.		officials from the other nine CFIT benefiting	
Tolliford the Intels 2021.		countries.	
36 - EUP rolled out at schools through		countries.	
		20 Minister of History Education To 11	
capacitated teachers.		30 - Minister of Higher Education, Training and	
		Innovation launched the UNESCO-Shenzhen	
37 - Learners reached through		Funds-in-Trust Project in November 2018.	
extracurricular sessions/discussions by Star			
for Life coaches.		31 - Hosted a stakeholder's coordination	
		workshop on SDG4.	
38 - EUP prevention messages/jingles were		* * *	
produced and translated.		32 - Technical meetings were held with	
produced and numbured.		government stakeholders to consolidate the TDS	
20 FUD has blots and magazines were printed		Model	
39 - EUP booklets and magazines were printed		Model	
and distributed in targeted schools.			
		33 - Submission of Draft SDG4 Implementation	
40 - Launched the Survey of Teachers in		Plan to Ministry of Education	
Preprimary Education (STEPP).			
 		34 - Launch of the Let's Talk EUP campaign by	
41 - Launch ceremony of the UNESCO-		the Minister of Education, Arts and Culture	
Shenzhen Funds-in-Trust Project in November		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
2018		35 - National ESD Task Force established.	
2010		55 - 11anonai E5D Tusk Porce established.	
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Table 20. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Windhoek identified in UNESCO Windhoek Activities Report from 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, complemented by UNESCO Windhoek Newsletters and News sections from 2015, 2016 and 2017.

3.20 UNESCO Field Office in Yaoundé

The UNESCO Field Office in Yaoundé recorded 24 interventions over the course of the analyzed period. Here we see a low number, despite being a Regional Office; we believe this is due a to a reporting shortage,

We see a predominance of coordination roles, amounting to 10 interventions. There was a majority of 50% predominance of policy involvement and normative influence, with procedural knowledge and cognitive influence a little behind, and very few technical expertise and executive influence. The neutrality and initiative spectrum also had a strength in the mid-high section, intercalated with weak points, but peaked in the mid-low section.

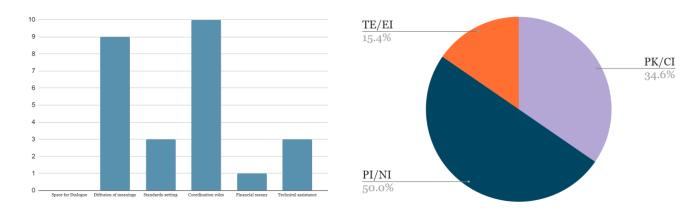


Chart 63. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Yaoundé split by activity.

Chart 64. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Yaoundé split by influence and expertise.

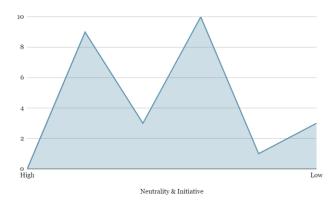


Chart 65. Interventions by UNESCO Field Office in Yaoundé under a spectrum of neutrality and initiative.

Procedural K	Procedural Knowledge		Policy Involvement Technical Expertise		al Expertise
Cognitive I	nfluence	Normative Influence		Executive Influence	
Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings 1 - Célébration de la journée internationale de la femme 2 - Participé au grand défilé organisé avec les autres agences du système des NU au Cameroun. 3 - L'ambassadeur de bonne volonté de l'UNESCO à Brazzaville pour soutenir l'alphabétisation des jeunes 4 - L'assistance technique a permis de produire un didacticiel d'autoformation des enseignants 5 - Journée mondiale de lutte contre le SIDA 6 - Conduit l'enquête envisagée en milieu scolaire sur l'education au VIH 7 - Cérémonie officielle de remise des prix, virtuellement 8 - Le lancement régional du rapport GEM 9 - Cérémonie officielle de signature de l'accord de partenariat avec ORANGE	Standards-setting 1 - Consultation régionale des pays de la CEEAC sur le bilan de l'EPT et Agenda post 2015 2 - L'assistance technique a permis de produire un guide pédagogique pour les compétences ECS 3 - Organisent un concours d'écriture adressé aux étudiants d'Afrique centrale	Coordination roles 1 - A accompagné la « Semaine de la Femme Diamant (SEFEDI) par sa participation effective à la foire exposition 2 - Patronage de Madame la Ministre de la Promotion de la Femme et de la Famille à la foire exposition 3 - La DG de l'UNESCO a effectué une visite officielle en République centra- fricaine 4 - Une mission d'identification des besoins en renforcement du SIGE s'est rendue 5 - Reçu en audience par le Ministre de l'Enseignement supérieur 6 - Atelier national de validation du document de Politique Nationale d'AENF 7 - Participation dans l'atelier national de la Ministre de l'Éducation de base 8 - Séance de consolidation de l'organisation de l'évaluation sur EVF/EMP 9 - Délégation de la JICA a rendu visite au Bureau UNESCO 10 - Signé un accord de partenariat avec ORANGE pour améliorer l'éducation à distance	Financial means 1 - Financement d'une équipe du GTR du Centre pour le dépistage du VIH SIDA	Technical assistance 1 - Processus de renforcement de capacité des enseignants ciblés 2 - Capacités de nombreux enseignants du primaire, du secondaire et du normal, sont renforcées 3 - L'UNESCO appuie la mise en place du dispositif national intégré d'enseignement à distance

Table 21. Recorded Interventions of UNESCO Field Office in Yaoundé identified in UNESCO Yaoundé Newsletter from 2015 and News sections from 2015, 2020 and 2021.

4. The Choice of Influence Mechanisms: What complements Expertise?

4.1 Rethinking assumptions: out goes Neutrality and Initiative, in comes Control and Impact

While IPA literature provided our conceptual foundations to understand how international bureaucracies behave, our case study of UNESCO showed in practice how such bureaucrats attempt to affect policy outcomes. Now, we shall cross our references to see where categories align, in order to check what may define the IPAs choice for influence mechanisms.

We see that Hypothesis 1 (*IPAs always try to showcase expertise above all other considerations in their engagement with stakeholders*) was never put into question, as expertise was the basic substrate among nearly all of UNESCO's interventions.

It is important to recapture the meaning of expertise, as a broad-based concept that goes beyond production of specialized knowledge. As we mentioned before, when considering IOs, expertise has to do with understanding development issues and having a vision for possible solutions - something that we deem as necessarily going from diagnosis to action. If expertise were only knowledge production, IPAs would be one among many intellectual partners, such as individuals, academia and think tanks, providing information and data for governments to make the final call. We recall that producing pure information, devoid of context or application, is currently insufficient, and acting as a 'clearing house', connecting such information with stakeholders, is what ultimately counts.

We expected that UNESCO would constantly push expertise as a central factor driving its many interventions, as a sort of competitive advantage over other development partners, and even sometimes over national governments themselves. We can see how UNESCO HQ emphasizes this in its very website, where "Our Expertise" is the first element to be presented, and which takes us to the definition of the organization as a

"laboratory of ideas [that] seeks to offer a broad range of expertise in fields of education, science and culture" (UNESCO 2022). For UNESCO Field Offices, the same applies and expertise is a buzzword present all over, from websites to official documents.

In other words, H1 seems to be verified. Of 1992 interventions, 1989 were fit to our proposed cadre, which is expertise-based, and only a minute 3 were *sui generis*⁸.

The balance in UNESCO Field Offices in Africa between categories of expertise and influence helps to show that IPAs value, when engaging with member-states, expertise and influence as multidimensional concepts rather than unidimensional ones. Actually, the procedural knowledge and cognitive influence, which shelter the most knowledge-intensive interventions, were the least verified, with 32% total. Other forms of expertise and influence, policy involvement and normative influence, and technical expertise and executive influence, as we have seen, are verified at 34% and 33% total, respectively.

In the activities level, we see the same logic. While it may seem like some activities are more knowledge-intensive than others, i.e. diffusion of meanings, we argue that all six require (and reflect) international bureaucracies' expertise vis-a-vis member-countries. Technical assistance, which involves technical expertise and executive influence, was the most used overall, with 29 interventions on average. Space for dialogue, coordination roles and financial means, which seem less knowledge-intensive than others, are equally based on expertise and influence, e.g. setting/adjusting the right agenda, knowing your political allies, allocating resources to efficient initiatives.

Moving on from this debate, our main concern here is understanding why our Hypothesis 2 (IPAs try to showcase neutrality in their engagement with stakeholders), 3 (IPAs try to showcase initiative in their engagement with stakeholders) and 4 (IPAs choose the mechanisms that express more neutrality and initiative in their engagement with stakeholders) were refuted.

In this sense, we recapture our definition of neutrality and initiative. Again, neutrality is seen as distance from domestic politics and/or controversial issues, and initiative is

⁸ The recorded interventions that were unfit to any category were: (I) "Planted indigenous plants/trees and fruit trees to generate income for the future and protect the environment in all pilot schools compounds"; (II) "Water borehole were drilled at Titye Secondary School in Kasulu District (...) to provide access to water in school for students and especially for adolescent girls"; and (III) "Partnered with avid Livingstone School in Harare to plant some trees at the school".

understood as policy entrepreneurship and creativity to propose new solutions. For IOs, these concepts may still be important for supporting the ideas of power, autonomy and legitimacy, but IPAs may not consider them when defining the mechanisms for influencing member-states public policies. We actually see that, although generally disposed to stay out of domestic politics and usually inclined to follow countries from idealization to realization, some cases demand the opposite behaviors: targeting the sociopolitical structures and focusing on policy implementation.

In terms of neutrality, we imagined that UNESCO would be more inclined to adopt mechanisms that would allow them to influence national policies "from above", in which they would be protected by a sense of non-interference and not required to deploy boots on the ground; in other words, we figured they would be more predisposed to telling, but not showing. Hence, we figured, UNESCO would be more interested in demonstrating its expertise through spaces for dialogue and diffusion of meanings, which are more distant from local politics and create openings for national ownership, and only provide financial means and technical assistance as a last resort.

In terms of initiative, we imagined that UNESCO would prioritize the mechanisms that affect the policy cycles earlier rather than later, so the organization could mingle its concepts from the get-go and much deeper, accompanying the full development of ideas into actions; again, we figured they would be more willing to prevent issues rather than remedy them. In the same direction, our premise was expecting UNESCO to demonstrate its expertise via spaces for dialogues and diffusion of meanings, which are kickstarters of policy development and serve as the foundations for planning and execution, leaving other mechanisms such as financial means and technical assistance as subsidiary tools.

This was not the case, we believe our data has refuted H2, H3 and H4. The total, average and even individual recorded interventions show that the 1992 interventions were not heavier on the high neutrality and high initiative spectrum; the strength was in the midhigh section, where diffusion of meanings is, in middle sections, where standards-setting and coordination roles stand, and the lower section, where technical assistance is.

Again, UNESCO Field Offices in Africa have actually prioritized categories of expertise and influence that lie in the middle and lower section of the neutrality and initiative spectrum. Procedural knowledge and cognitive influence, which are the most neutral and

most inceptive types of expertise and influence, were used at 32% on average. At the same time, procedural knowledge and normative influence and technical expertise and executive influence, which demand further involvement with national and local dynamics, and are much down the line when it comes to policy development, were the most used, with 37% and 36% on average.

When looking at the activities level, we also see a dissonance from our proposed hypothesis regarding neutrality and initiative, as the activities that are require less engagement with national stakeholders and are at the very beginning of policy development, i.e. space for dialogue and diffusion of meanings, were not the most used. Actually, space for dialogue, the most neutral and most initial activity in our spectrum, tied with financial means as the least used, with only 6 interventions recorded on average. The predominance of technical assistance, at the extreme opposite of the spectrum, and the strengths of diffusion of meanings, standards-setting and coordination roles, in the mid sections, show that there is not necessarily a direct correlation.

There are several possibilities for UNESCO not considering neutrality as a factor for choosing the influencing mechanisms, but we emphasize a single one to illustrate: as a general rule, IOs promote policy change by empowering local experts. As Fang and Stone (2012) state, "policy experts play a crucial role because national governments are suspicious of the advice of international agencies, because they know that their preferences diverge". In our model, we believe, UNESCO was not concerned with neutrality due to its strategic approximation to national stakeholders through coordination roles and technical assistance, which are seen as instrumental to promote both *de jure* and *de facto* policy change.

At the same time, UNESCO not considering initiative as an element when choosing its influence mechanism is likely due to several reasons, but we select one explanation. Knill, Bauer and Eckhard (2017) show that IPAs may have distinct styles depending on internal factors (such as the policy ambitiousness) and external factors (like political oversight), which "imply more or less active roles during the stages of policy entrepreneurship", like an entrepreneurial style or a servant style (Knill, Bauer and Eckhard 2017). While UNESCO Headquarters may be very entrepreneurial, our analysis showed that UNESCO Field Offices are mostly responsive, being called upon by national governments when

their basic inclinations have been set, but require specialized support to turn public policies into reality.

Curiously, neutrality and initiative may not walk hand in hand as initially expected; we understand, in some cases, that neutrality and initiative may actually be in conflict. Literature reveals that IPAs must acquire a strategic behavior to achieve influence, and behaving strategically requires a trade off when influence opportunities do not overlap. To avoid political backlash, bureaucracies carefully respond to diplomatic and institutional opportunities. Additionally, entrepreneurship requires a grasp of the openings and momentum to showcase proposals. In certain constellations "this might imply that IPAs refrain from making use of their formal autonomy in order to avoid potential interference with the political interest of their masters" (Knill, Eckhard and Grohs 2016).

In this sense, and in light of empirical evidence, we believe other factors affect the choice for influence mechanisms: control and impact. We understand control as the international bureaucracy's capacity to directly influence the behavior of national governments. In this sense, space for dialogue and diffusion of meanings may provide policymakers with food for thought, but it is coordination roles and technical assistance that actually steer ministerial officials to specific directions. We understand impact as the international bureaucracy's capacity to have immediate effects over the behavior of member states. Again, space for dialogue and diffusion of meanings require debate, meditation and internalization between having effects, while coordination roles and technical assistance can render instantaneous effects.

Regarding control, Bauer, Knill and Eckhard (2017), show that, despite IPAs expertise and relevant roles as an information 'clearing house', the "limited resource base renders them critically dependent on the willingness of national counterparts to provide and share policy relevant information" (Bauer, Knill and Eckhard 2017). As we move from the upstream to the downstream, interventions seem to depend less on the willingness of national counterparts. That is, international bureaucracies can use diffusion of meanings to express an important concept on comprehensive sexuality education, for instance, but national governments are ultimately responsible for incorporating such concepts in public policies. At the same time, international bureaucrats can use coordination roles to

personally steer ministers and parliamentarians to include gender-sensitive approaches in new legislation.

On impact, Baumann (2022) argues that, "eager to respond to (short-term) funding from donors and (equally ad hoc) demands from host governments", despite recognizing how knowledge brokering is essential to development work, the day-to-day practice and more urgent concerns for delivering undermines the systematic gathering and utilization of data, and "offices are stretched thin by their broad portfolio of mostly downstream activities" (Baumann 2022). We see, thus, a strong tendency for international bureaucracies to work with local partners through concrete, measurable and reportable interventions. Opening space for dialogue on the teaching profession surely generates a systemic and cross-cutting impact, but the ultimate shift in peoples' minds is hardly measurable. Providing technical assistance in early childhood learning is easily quantifiable, as we see the number of classes delivered, officers trained, documents produced.

Neutrality and control are relational-based considerations, so we feel they can be switched in our proposed model without any disadvantage. These are dynamic, and change as relationships, credibility, and trust change as well. In other words, for these factors, IPAs choose a mechanism based on how they evaluate a standing relationship with a member-state, and how they can more effectively push for a policy change. Initiative and impact are goal-based considerations, so a substitution here is also seen as harmless. These are more static, based on mutual expectations. While it might depend on which policy effect is the IPA seeking (i.e. full-fledged institutional reform or minor legal or policy adjustment), these factors are usually pre-defined and devoid of local context.

Still, impact and control do not explain the great amount of recorded interventions, both total and average, of diffusion of meanings and standards-setting. We believe these are distortions in the model, caused by the specific case study we chose, involving UNESCO as our focused organization and Africa as our selected region. Diffusion of meaning was likely inflated (as financial means was deflated) due to UNESCO's distinguished focus on ideational power, as reinforced by its very tenet - "building peace in the minds of men and women". At the same time, standards-setting was likely inflated by the African inclination for sub-regional dialogue, cooperation and integration, which ends up bulking the occurrence of activities focusing on comparison and harmonization.

Also, based on our empirical observation, we must add a corollary: coordination roles and technical assistance are usually 'package deals', and walk hand-in-hand, while space for dialogue, diffusion of meanings, standards-setting and financial means are used as supporting, one-time, measures. It was common to see in the official documents the occurrence of interventions bundled with multiple components, such as the organization of high-level inter-ministerial meetings to validate a national document, and finalized by a training workshop for school leaders at the local level. Other interventions were usually independent, especially financial means, in which grants and donations were used once to improve local capacity for policy implementation.

We have a self-critique, which we found in literature and ended up as a limitation in our proposed model, considering the internal dimension: "self-restraining bureaucratic behavior needs to be added to the potential range of administrative strategies" (Bauer, Knill and Eckhard 2017). The authors argue that mainstream literature is too strongly rooted in the assumption that IPAs make expansive and pro-active roles as their standard behavior, based on budget and office maximization. However, as Knill et al. (2016) showed that international bureaucracies may actually balance between "acting within the range of their often ambitious but vaguely formulated mandate and choosing means that might contradict member state interests". Even if the IPAs have formal competences, choose the correct mechanisms and have policy tools at their disposal, "they may back down and restrain themselves instead of pushing member states towards certain policy ends".

Another self-critique is based on our empirical study, and is ultimately linked to the external dimension: the model only took into account *ex-ante* factors, which were internal to the IO, for defining influence mechanisms, as if planning could take place in a closed system protected from external stimuli; we believe that perhaps *ex-post* considerations, external to the IO, are also pondered when choosing influence mechanisms, as they act in response to context and demand. This opens a pandora box for understanding what other factors may be involved, so we believe that future studies need to cross IPAs choice of influence mechanisms with regional and national realities, such as political stability, institutional development, economy and poverty, security and violence, inequality indicators, etc.

To finish, an important conclusion is also to be considered, as we agree with literature that IPAs will not remain idle, but struggle to find alternative ways to maintain their political relevance - which, in turn, reflect in the mechanisms choice:

"The resilience of IPAs and their adaptiveness to forbidding context conditions challenges traditional accounts of bureaucracy Classical PA accounts tend to describe 'le phénomène bureaucratique' (Crozier 1963) as slow, languid, inefficient und unable to effectively respond to shortcomings even if they are recognized. The study of IPAs demonstrates, by contrast, that international bureaucracies may not simply replicate these patterns attributed to their national counterparts. Although national administrative tools—such as the authority to officially demand, forbid, guarantee, or adjudicate (cf. Hood and Margetts 2007)—are frequently unavailable at the international level, IPAs have found alternative ways to turn the opportunities available to them into tools for influencing policy-making in line with their mandates. For example, (...) IPAs strategically respond to budget pressures by aligning organizational structures and procedures towards improved resource mobilization. This is why the main budget of many IPAs is increasingly complemented by supplementary special arrangements covering individual tasks and involving only some of the member states (cf. Laurenti 2007). Furthermore, evidence (...) suggests that IPAs which lack direct influence on policy-making processes instead rely on strategies that target the multi-level nature of policy domains, for instance by linking broader transnational policy discourses to specific negotiation items." (Knill, Bauer e Eckhard 2017, p.11).

4.2 Reworked cadre: An (improved) attempt to categorize IPAs mechanisms

Hence, we preserve expertise as the substrate in our reworked cadre. The policy cycle was added to give a backdrop for understanding where international bureaucracies' influence may be located vis-à-vis national governments, downstream. Additionally, we are discarding neutrality and initiative from our model, and in place adding control and impact as the factors for choosing influence mechanisms.

Based on a posterior reading of the United Nations Development Operations Coordination Office document "MAPS – A Common Approach to the UNDG's policy support to the SDGs - An update on implementation" (2016), we added another layer to

our proposed cadre: the MAPS. This is a level below influence, as its operational concept, but a level above activities, as their guiding principles.

Another posterior reading, this time of Dalberg's document "Consultancy Report on System-wide Outline of the Functions and Capacities of the UN Development System (2017), we also added another layer to the proposed cadre: the Functions. This is a level below activities, as a more granular definition, but a level above interventions, as their broad categories

Finally, we added the interventions, which as we mentioned before, ends up being the common denominator for empirical studies to take place focusing on different organizations and regions. This is why the proposed model was constituted in the first place, so the selection, categorization and analysis could take place. The blank spaces are left for filling by other researchers.

		Mechanism				
Policy Cycle	Upstream Downstream			\rightarrow		
Control	Low	Low	High High		Low	High
<u>Impact</u>	Low	Low	Low	High	High	High
Expertise (Ege, Bauer and Wagner 2021)	Procedural Knowledge		Policy Involvement		Technical Expertise	
Influence (Biermann et al 2009)	Cognitive Influence		Normative	e Influence	Executiv	e Influence
MAPS (United Nations, 2015)	Mainstreaming		Acceleration		Policy Support	

Activity (Carvalho, Fernandes and Pimenta de Faria 2021)	Space for dialogue	Diffusion of meanings	Standards- setting	Coordination roles	Financial means	Technical assistance
Function (Dalbert 2017)	Convening of stakeholders across constituencies, leveraging of partnerships and facilitating knowledge-sharing & South-South & triangular cooperation	Comprehensive and disaggregated data collection and analysis to inform evidence based, context-specific & inclusive policy choices	Integrated normative support for implementation, monitoring and reporting on global agreements, norms and standards	Integrated, evidence based policy advice and thought leadership, to support the efforts of countries to embed SDGs into national & local plans & budgets	Other functions	Capacity development, technical assistance, direct support and service delivery, particularly in countries in special situations, such as those affected by conflict, displacement and disasters and support functions such as operations or management
Interventi on	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 22. Reworked cadre for selection, categorization and analysis of interventions.

5. Concluding Remarks

The vast literature on IOs has dedicated a relatively small space to the study of IPAs, but the days of total neglect towards international bureaucracies are behind us. This growing field, as we have seen, has helped to explain how a global agenda with its own identity and willpower is formed, and why it attempts to spread its own vision to other actors within the international system.

Our work tried to address what we considered a research gap, which is the lack of a systematic and organized view of IPAs mechanisms to influence member-states, especially in their domestic policies. Some categories were proposed in a diffuse way, but were usually not the focus of specific studies; the origins and consequences of said influence were addressed, but the means remained vague.

We built an analytical framework to organize the concepts that spoke of IPAs mechanisms, and put it to test in a series of document analyses. Our data showed that the "external frame" actually captured the great majority of recorded interventions; the "internal frames", however, were still blurry in terms of their own definitions, and often shocked with each other.

At the same time, our explanation attempt as to the reason for IPAs choice of one or other mechanism was proven inaccurate. There was no evidence to sustain that, as a general rule, the international bureaucracies preferred mechanisms that showed more neutrality and more initiative when engaging with member-states.

Our model limitations were addressed, and we proposed amendments to make it more accurate. First, we added more layers to its overall structure, to clarify the "internal frames" and avoid conceptual overlapping, confusion and misuse. Then, we proposed a new set of choice explanations to replace neutrality and initiative: control and impact.

Hence, we finalize our work by calling upon other researchers to dedicate time to analyzing the IPAs mechanisms that are used to influence member-states in their public policies, to put our proposed cadre to test with other international organizations, other regional coverages, other thematic areas, to make it a more useful tool for the study of international bureaucracies.

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