

Framing the Collaboration ADEA-AU

- ADEA mid-term Strategic Plan 2008-2012, set around five strategic objectives. The Strategic Objective 2 states:
- “To contribute to achieving the aims of continental and regional integration within the education sector, as defined by the African Union through the Plan of the Second Decade of Education for Africa 2006-2015”.
- MoU ADEA-UA sets bases and principles for mutual collaboration.
- ADEA through its WGs, commits itself to providing support to the implementation of the Plan of Action.

Working Groups/Thematic Areas

Thematic Area

- Books and Learning Materials
- Early Childhood Development
- Education Management and Support Policy
- Non-Formal Education
- Maths & Science Educat.
- Teaching Profession

Potential Collaboration

- Output A
- Output A
- Outputs A, D, F
- Output A
- Output A, C
- Across the six Road Map outputs

On-going Activities/PACTED Road Map

- Integration and professional development of Contract Teachers (Bamako+5 Conference, 2009).
- Implementation of Policy Frameworks on:
 - Selection, training and professional development;
 - Recruitment, deployment, utilisation and service conditions.

ADEA Triennale Conference

- **Theme**
- “Promoting critical knowledge, skills and qualifications for sustainable development in Africa: How to design and implement an effective response through education and training systems?”
- **Three Sub-Themes**
- 1. Common Core Skills for Lifelong Learning and Sustainable Development in Africa
- 2. Technical, Vocational Education and Skills Development
- 3. Science, Technology and Innovation

Widening the Concept of ESD

- Moving from environmental consideration to encompass dimension such as:
 - The nature of economic growth
 - Construction of inclusive societies
 - Strengthening of mutual knowledge and cultural/spiritual understanding between groups and societies.
- **On-going work:**
- Definition of Common Core Skills in relation to Lifelong Learning (LLL) within the concept of Education for Sustainable Development (ESD).
- This activity contributes to Outputs A and C

Joint ADEA/Commonwealth Secretariat Activities

- School Leadership
- Professional Standards for Teachers and School Leaders
- Commonwealth Teacher Recruitment Protocol
- Across all outputs
- Across all outputs
- Output D