1 July AGENDA

10:00 - 11:00 OPENING CEREMONY
   · Hafiz Pashayev, ADA University, Rector
   · Emin Amrullayev, Ministry of Education of the Republic of Azerbaijan, Minister

11:00 - 12:00 EVIDENCE-BASED SCHOOL REFORM: PROMISE AND REALITIES
   · Keynote speech by Gita Steiner-Khamsi, Professor of Comparative and International Education at Teachers College, Columbia University, New York and at the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva, Director of NORRAG, A Global Network for International Policy and Practice in Education and Training

12:00 - 13:00 UNESCO GLOBAL EDUCATION MONITORING 2021
   CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE, CAUCASUS, AND CENTRAL ASIA REPORT
   INCLUSION AND EDUCATION: ALL MEANS ALL
   Panel discussion
   Panelists:
   · Anna Christiana d’ Addario, senior researcher, UNESCO GEM team
   · Dr. Ulviyya Mikayilova, Assistant Professor, ADA University

13:00 - 14:30 PAPER PRESENTATIONS
   Presenters:
   · Elnura Ahmadzade, Khazar University
     "Environmental Education: Content Analysis of the Primary School World Knowledge Textbooks in Azerbaijan"

   · Narmin Shahbazova, State Agency on Vocational Education under the Ministry of Education of the Republic of Azerbaijan
     "What are the outcomes of language curriculum development of Vocational Education and Training (VET) in Azerbaijan? A Study of the International Standards of Curriculum Designing Process"

   · Sevinj Seyidova, Institute of Education of the Republic of Azerbaijan
     Azar Abizada, ADA University
     "The Effect of Russian Language Immersion on Academic Achievement of Public Secondary School Students Whose Mother Tongue is Azerbaijani"
2 July AGENDA

10:00 - 11:00  EDUCATION FOR LIVING WELL IN A WORLD WORTH LIVING IN
   · Keynote speech by Stephen Kemmis, Professor Emeritus, Charles Sturt University, Australia

11:00 - 12:30  COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVES ON STUDENT ASSESSMENT IN ONLINE LEARNING (Russia, Azerbaijan cases)
   Panel discussion (delivered in Russian)
   Panelists:
   · Viktor Bolotov, Scientific Director of the Center for Psychometrics and Measurements in Education, Institute of Education, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russian Federation
   · Tatyana Mertsalova, Leading specialist of the Center for General and Further Education named after A.A. Pinsky, Associate Professor of the Department of Educational Programs, Institute of Education, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russian Federation
   · Vafa Yagublu, Head of the General and Pre-school Education Department of the Ministry of Education, Azerbaijan

12:30 - 14:30  PAPER PRESENTATIONS
   Presenters:
   · Gunay Imanguliyeva, ADA University
     “Exploring Program Directors’ and Faculty’s Perception and Factors Leading to Burnout in Higher Education Institutions in Azerbaijan”
   · Adewoe Segund Emmanuel, University of Pretoria
     “The Effect of Self-Debasing Cognitive Distortion Restructuring Intervention on Modification of Bystanders’ Reactions to Witnessing Bullying”
   · Ilaha Rasulova, Education Institute of Azerbaijan Republic
     “Impact of Parents’ Age and Education Factors on Home Learning Environment”
   · Malak Karimova, Khazar University
     “The Role and Assessment of Supervision in the Formation of Professional Skills in Psychological Counseling”