



40TH ASEAN COUNCIL
OF TEACHERS + KOREA
CONVENTION

NAVIGATING OUR FUTURE

STEERED BY TEACHERS;
ANCHORED IN RELATIONSHIPS;
PROPELLED BY AI



22 – 25 OCTOBER 2026 · D'MARQUEE, DOWNTOWN EAST

Pre-Convention Seminar Programme

Thursday, 22 October 2026				
Time	Activities			
1:00pm	Registration and Lunch			
2:00pm	Keynote Session: Navigating Our Future: Steered by Teachers; Anchored in Relationships; Propelled by AI by <i>Dr Farhan Ali (Assistant Professor in the Learning Sciences and Assessment Academic Group, NIE)</i>			
2:45pm	Bio Break			
3:00pm	Concurrent Sessions [1]			
	Concurrent 1A	Concurrent 1B	Concurrent 1C	Concurrent 1D
	Imagining the future of the classroom (Track 2)	Teacher as a Learning Architect (Track 1)	Lesson Study on Teacher-Led AI-Supported Learning of Adaptations (Track 1)	Deep Dive: Gemini for Education (Track 3)
	Mr Ryan Leong (GenAI Consultant)	Mr Liang Sea Fong [St. Andrew's School (Secondary)]	Mr Jayaram Saravanakumar Naidu & Ms Asmawati Bte Abdullah (Northland Primary School)	Ms Wan Jiawen (Education Lead, Google for Education)
3:50pm	Bio Break			
4:00pm	Concurrent Sessions [2]			
	Concurrent 2A	Concurrent 2B	Concurrent 2C	Concurrent 2D
	Lesson Study on Teacher-Led AI-Supported Learning of Adaptations (Track 1)	Practitioner-grounded model of teacher-led AI innovation drawn from authentic Classroom Implementation (Track 3)	Teacher as a Learning Architect (Track 1)	Scaling Insights, Not Just Grades AI-Powered Marking as a Catalyst for Teacher Agency (Track 3)
	Mr Jayaram Saravanakumar Naidu & Ms Asmawati Bte Abdullah (Northland Primary School)	Mr Riaz Sulaimi (Ang Mo Kio Primary School)	Mr Liang Sea Fong [St. Andrew's School (Secondary)]	Mr Wong Eu En (CEO - Ren Education)
5:00pm	End of Day 1 Pre-Convention Seminar			

Track 1 — The Helm: Teacher-Led Pedagogy & Learning Design

Track 2 — The Anchor: Relationships, Belonging & Wellbeing in an AI Age

Track 3 — The Engine Room: Teacher Workflows, Professional Agency & AI Productivity

Track 4 — The Compass: Values, Ethics, Governance & Assessment Integrity

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Time	Activities			
8:00am	Registration and Breakfast			
9:00am	Concurrent Sessions [3]			
	Concurrent 3A	Concurrent 3B	Concurrent 3C	Concurrent 3D
	Facilitating Students' Conceptual Understanding in Economics with Vibe Coding (Track 1)	Students' Assessment Literacy in an AI-enabled Writing Classroom (Track 4)	Strengthening learning without weakening trust (Track 4)	The Teacher's Practical AI Toolkit (Track 1)
	Dr Tan Dai Hwee (Academy of Singapore Teachers) & Mr Gilbert Ng (Hwa Chong Institution)	Ms Faith Ong & Ms Erica Reyes Rodriguez (Manjusri Secondary School)	Mr Benjamin Chong (Canberra Secondary School)	Mr Ghazali Bin Abdul Wahab (Canberra Secondary School)
9:50am	Bio Break			
10:00am	Concurrent Sessions [4]			
	Concurrent 4A	Concurrent 4B	Concurrent 4C	Concurrent 4D
	Strengthening learning without weakening trust (Track 4)	The Teacher's Practical AI Toolkit (Track 1)	Students' Assessment Literacy in an AI-enabled Writing Classroom (Track 4)	Who steers learning—teachers or technology? (Track 3)
	Mr Benjamin Chong (Canberra Secondary School)	Mr Ghazali Bin Abdul Wahab (Canberra Secondary School)	Ms Faith Ong & Ms Erica Reyes Rodriguez (Manjusri Secondary School)	Mr Tang Chun Chieh (Northbrooks Secondary School), Ms Lau Sze Hui (Corporation Primary School) & Mr Phua Poh Boon (Educational Technology Division)
10:50am	Bio Break			

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11:00am	Concurrent Sessions [5]			
	Concurrent 5A	Concurrent 5B	Concurrent 5C	Concurrent 5D
	Agile Engines for Diverse Learners: Automating Lesson Preparation in Multicultural Primary Classrooms (Track 3)	The Engine Room of Teaching: Streamlining Workflows, Empowering Educators, and Sustaining AI Integration (Track 3)	Human First, AI Second: Strengthening Teacher Relationships and Well-Being in an AI Era (Track 2)	Steering the Whole Loop: Teacher-Led AI Across Creation, Assignment, and Real Insight from Student Work (Track1)
	Ms Haeji Ha (Republic of Korea)	Mr John Expe D. Satinitigan (The Philippines)	Mr Azmi bin Ahmad Sopian (Malaysia)	Dr John Yan (CEO - Inknoe)
12:00pm	End of Pre-Convention Seminar			

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