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THEME 3- EDUCATION FOR ALL (SDG 4-5)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

THIS MODULE PROVIDES TARGETED LEARNING WORKSHOPS FOR 18-21-YEAR-OLDS IN THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA, WHICH IS IN THE PROCESS OF TRANSFORMING FROM AN OIL RENTIER STATE TO A KNOWLEDGE-BASED ECONOMY.

THE KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS TAUGHT IN THIS MODULE ARE CRITICAL FOR THE PARTICIPANTS WITH AMBITIONS FOR LEADERSHIP. IT IS IMPORTANT FOR THEM TO UNDERSTAND THE IMPORTANCE OF EDUCATION IN TERMS OF ITS MULTI-FOLD CONTRIBUTIONS TO GLOBAL PEACE AND STABILITY, TOLERANCE, SUSTAINABLE SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND IN FACING THE CHALLENGES OF THE FUTURE. IN ORDER TO ACQUIRE THE REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS, THE MODULE WILL PRESENT THE CONCEPTS OF LEARNING MODES; THESE INCLUDE A) THE UNIQUENESS OF INDIVIDUALS AND THEIR TALENTS, AND B) LEARNING PACE AND THE EFFECTS OF PSYCHOLOGICAL ELEMENTS AND SOCIAL PRESSURES. UNDERSTANDING THAT EVERY INDIVIDUAL BRINGS VALUE TO THE COMMUNITY IS IMPORTANT FOR EQUALITY, CONFIDENCE, AND MOTIVATION. THIS INCLUDES THE RECOGNITION THAT CAREER CHOICES ARE DICTATED BY SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC FACTORS, AND HOW YOUTH CAN NAVIGATE THROUGH THIS REALITY SAFELY. UNDERSTANDING THAT EDUCATION IS A RIGHT FOR EVERY CHILD AND EVERY MEMBER OF THE COMMUNITY REQUIRES THAT EVERY PARENT AND EVERY GOVERNMENT WORKS TO ENSURE EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES. UNDERSTANDING THAT CONFLICT, AND ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL TRAGEDIES CAN BE ALLEVIATED THROUGH EDUCATION.