



Empowering Education, Advancing Global Goals: CEAIE's Vision for NGO-UNESCO Liaison Committee

China Education Association for International Exchange (CEAIE), founded in 1981, is the largest non-profit organization for education cooperation in China and a leading NGO in the global education community. CEAIE focuses on expanding international cooperation in education, promoting education, culture and science development, and strengthening global understanding and friendship.

CEAIE builds an extensive network, comprising 1370 member institutions and 16 sub-committees in China, alongside long-term partnerships with over 140 organizations in more than 50 countries and regions.

CEAIE actively engages in global governance of education. It holds Special Consultative Status with the UN Economic and Social Council, is an NGO Partner of the UN Department of Global Communication, maintains official partnerships with UNESCO, and is a member of UN Academic Impact, the World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics, and the Southeast Asian Ministers of Education Organization. In 2022, CEAIE was selected as a member of the NGO-UNESCO Liaison Committee.

CEAIE stays committed to contributing Chinese efforts and solutions to UN Sustainable Development Goals.

Quality Education. Since 1982, CEAIE has trained teachers nationwide, including those in remote areas. In 2023, it hosted 134 capacity-building workshops, benefiting 794,000 participants from 5,440 institutions.

Youth Development. Programs like the *Young Envoys Scholarship (YES) Program*, *AFS Global UP* and the *China-ASEAN Thousand Schools Initiative* engage tens of thousands of students annually, fostering cultural exchange and global competency.

TVET Program. *Luban Workshops*, operating in 29 countries across Asia, Africa, and Europe, equip students with advanced technical skills and innovative capabilities in the technological transformation era.

Africa Priority. CEAIE prioritizes equity with initiatives like the *Future of Africa program*, which has trained nearly 2,000 students and teachers in 13 African nations over the past two years.

Greening Education. In 2024, CEAIE hosted the *Seminar on Greening Education and Sustainable Development* to share global practices for building green schools and communities.

Sustainable Culture. In 2023, the *Global Youth Heritage Education Program* attracted youth from 55 countries and collected 3,000 creative works on world heritage protection.

Digital Education. CEAIE launched the *World Digital Education Alliance* in 2024, with the mission to promote global digital education and innovation. It attracts 114 members from 42 countries and regions.

Women's Empowerment. Events like “*SHE TRANSFORMS*” inspire and empower women to lead and thrive in the digital age.

Multilateral Cooperation Platform. CEAIE's flagship program, *China Annual Conference & Expo for International Education (CACIE)*, is a premier international education event in the Asia-Pacific region. Over the past two years, CACIE has attracted 105,000 participants from 60 countries and regions, establishing an open platform for multilateral dialogue and cooperation.

CEAIE aspires to deepen our role as a bridge between global NGOs and UNESCO, fostering dialogue, collaboration, and innovative solutions. With extensive experience in multilateral cooperation, CEAIE is uniquely positioned to amplify the voices of NGOs worldwide, ensuring their contributions are effectively represented. By leveraging our expertise, networks, and shared vision with UNESCO, CEAIE seeks to advance inclusive, quality education and address global challenges collectively.