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KEYNOTE SPEECH

Livestream to all registered attendees; RSVP: <https://cies.lasaweb.org/registration>

Title: Transforming Education for a More Equitable World

Speaker: Linda Darling-Hammond (Stanford University)

Commentators: Michael Connelly (University of Toronto)
and Shijing Xu (University of Windsor)

Chair: Lynn Paine (Michigan State University)

Time: 1:00pm - 2:15pm on Feb. 15, 2023, EST

Venue: Zoom Room 101 through [CIES 2023 Online Meeting Hub \(the Hub\)](#)



Abstract: This keynote talk will focus on the dramatic changes required of education as knowledge is rapidly expanding, technologies are regularly changing, and the world struggles with an ongoing public health crisis, economic crisis, climate crisis, and civil and human rights crises. The critical importance of preparing young people to be collaborative and resilient problem solvers who can survive and thrive in this increasingly complex world means pursuing equitable investments in expert teaching focused on empowering learning that integrates social, emotional, and cognitive development. The talk will examine how countries can support such teaching, drawing on examples from Empowered Educators and other research.

Bio-sketch: Linda Darling-Hammond is the Charles E. Ducommun Professor of Education Emeritus at Stanford University and founding president of the Learning Policy Institute, created to provide high-quality research for policies that enable equitable and empowering education for each and every child. She is past president of the American Educational Research Association and author of more than 30 books and 600 other publications on educational quality and equity, including the award-winning book: *The Flat World and Education: How America's Commitment to Equity Will Determine Our Future*. In 2006, she was named one of the nation's ten most influential people affecting educational policy. She led the Obama education policy transition team in 2008 and the Biden education transition team in 2020. She was appointed President of the California State Board of Education in 2019. In 2022, Darling-Hammond received the Yidan Prize for Education Research in recognition of her work that has shaped education policy and practice around the most equitable and effective ways to teach and learn.