

10 educational exhibits, which the whole world knows

Rapidly changing world requires new ways of teaching today's children, their adaptation to the challenge of the digital age. In order to effectively meet these challenges, representatives of the education sector decided to join forces against the background of globalization. In all corners of the planet local community and also the business sector involved in educational technology, creates forums for the exchange of experiences and the search for new solutions to old questions.

The domestic landscape of online education

We collected ten large-scale exhibitions, educations and educational technology in different countries. Besides the well known leaders in this field, UK, Japan, Hong Kong, USA and Canada — we have also included in the list of rapidly developing countries, where in recent years the quality of education is given special attention by society and government — India, Mexico, South Africa and Russia.

Japan

Educational IT Solutions Expo (EDIX)

- Location: Tokyo, Japan
- Admission price: free
- The nearest exhibition: 17-19 may 2017

EDIX — the largest annual Japanese event that gathers manufacturers of it services in collaboration with the members of the education sector. In 2016, was the 7th exhibition in which took part the company and 621 30 422 visitors participated in 18 workshops and 15 sections.

The most popular exhibition hall – "the Presentation in the real classroom". Inside the exhibition hall, representatives of it companies in the role of teachers explain the principles and advantages of teaching with the [math homework online](#) help of advanced technological products in real classrooms. When this kind of "classes", the staff of schools and universities said that it was "a useful experience, showing the usability of the new educational products, the freshness of the material and the effect of modern teaching".

"Presentation in the real classroom", Tokyo, Japan.

Hong Kong

The Learning & Teaching Expo

- Location: Hong Kong
- Admission price: free
- The nearest exhibition: December 8-10, 2016

Exhibition in Hong Kong attracted more than 9,000 educators who are interested in the latest developments and educational technology. Here the teachers communicate with each other on the same site in the process of seminars, master classes and open lessons, as well as learning to effectively use the full range of educational resources available now on the market, especially it products.

6 hot topics of modern education

The exhibition is visited by representatives of the Asia-Pacific region, as well as participants from UK, USA, Italy, Australia and New Zealand. L&T Expo is an ideal platform for educators and other industry representatives on the exchange of contemporary educational technologies and educational resources, as well as a modern platform for the discussion of views on future trends and associated teaching strategies.

The most popular pavilion of the exhibition hall became a "classroom of the XXI century", where teachers demonstrate best practices using modern technologies in everyday teaching. English teacher Wong Kam FAI shared how he uses the app "Kahoot!" with students in the classroom in order to facilitate interaction and boost engagement.

Teacher Lok Sin-Tamg and Yu Kan Hing presented a workshop on using robots in the classroom. Robots, voice controlled and programmed using computers and phones, enhance the interest of students in the learning process.

India

DIDAC

- Location: Mumbai, India
- Admission price: free
- The nearest exhibition: 19-21 September 2017

DIDAC – international exhibition and conference in the field of education and learning, which is in its eighth year in India and is the largest of its kind in the country. In 2016, the event was attended by companies from 15 countries and teachers from 23 countries, including from Russia.

The exhibition could become a platform for cooperation, promotion and exchange of best practices and know-how. Producers were able to present their products, tech, invention, new educational approaches and services for training and retraining.

The exhibition hosts a conference which is usually attended by about 500 delegates, consisting of politicians, including from the Ministry of education of India, scientists, the best teachers and stakeholders of education. The main objective was to exchange ideas on best strategies and practices in the field of modern teaching, the search for new growth drivers of the level of knowledge.

South Africa

EduWeek

- Location: Johannesburg, South Africa
- Admission price: free
- The nearest exhibition: July 4-5 2017

EduWeek is the biggest and the most famous African exhibition on educational innovations and technology at all educational levels. EduWeek offers educational institutions a platform for the acquisition of modern solutions and current pedagogical challenges.

The event is held in South Africa for 11 years, and the topic of the next meeting will be "Sustainable development in education" in the framework of the tasks that the UN put for the support of education in African countries.

It might be interesting:

African school inside and out

The exhibition highlights the best projects in several categories:

1. For the development of an enabling environment and a positive impact on schools;
2. The best educational institution that brings social, cultural and economic value;
3. Best business organization for the successful practices in education;
4. The best head for the embodiment of great qualities and leadership skills.

The main platforms are three workshops:

- "Everyday problems in the classroom" — educational workshop (examples of past topics: sex education, financial literacy, the problems of teaching mathematics);
- "To breathe new energy into the old school" — sharing the most advanced knowledge and experience;
- E-tech — screening of technologies focused on education.

Mexico

GESS Mexico

- Location: Mexico city, Mexico
- Admission price: free
- The nearest exhibition: 26-28 April 2017
- Assistance in obtaining visa: Yes, the organizer is willing to provide a letter for the process of entry to Mexico

GESS Mexico is a three day, joining a conference and exhibition in the field of education.

"Our entire exhibition is absolutely free, because we want to combine the best of industry representatives from around the world and the most

successful local experts, to this Union a red thread passed through our workshops and seminars, inspiring you to new achievements for the sake of knowledge. Unique activities during the event will allow you to take home "portfolio" practical training methods to the next day to use them in their work", — tell the organizers about his exhibition.

Mexico is the second largest economy in Latin America, and the educational system is one of the largest in the region are: 34 million students, 3 million teachers and 22% of the GDP of the country. In Mexico there are 115 thousand secondary schools, technical 60, 400 thousand state and 2 private higher educational institutions. 7 out of 10 children and 82% of five-year olds begin to study in kindergarten.

Tracks sessions:

- planning and managing training,
- innovations in education,
- the fundamental skills of teaching foreign languages,
- special education,
- technological innovations.

Virtual education — the highlight of the exhibition, which aims to create a platform for reflection and analysis of the development of education in the 21st century, with an eye to the challenges of the constant change around.

Canada

CONNECT

- Location: Niagara falls, Canada
- Admission price: \$250
- Next event: April 25-28, 2017

Connect is the largest education exhibition and conference in Canada, attracting over 2,000 participants and countless visitors who on one platform to exchange best practices and broaden the horizons of their knowledge in the field of education, with an eye on the ever-changing technical capabilities in the field of training.

Connect is the only event in Canada that covers the full "life" cycle of education from kindergarten to higher education and research centers, libraries, and professional development in the workplace.

The mission of the exhibition is to connect all sectors to improve the standards of teaching of the 21st century, professional training and education in the field of education.

Main areas:

- For teachers — seminars and workshops for integrating technology and the arts, mathematics and 3D printer, virtual learning environments and professional communities.
- For leaders forms to interact with government, business and between institutions;
- For the technical sector — exhibition of innovations and forums with manufacturers of software products;
- For libraries — a seminar on innovative technologies in support of the library of the XXI century.

The presentations:

Best apps for learning in various areas

Tools for assessment of students

How to make learning with Internet and multimedia stunning?

The use of a 3D printer in elementary school

The practice of introducing children from different cities and countries of the world by means of the Internet communication

USA

Future of Education Technology Conference (FETC)

- Location: Orlando, FL, USA

- Tickets: from 300 to 1100 USD
- The nearest exhibition: January 24-27, 2017
- Discount on tickets from Delta Airlines (2-10%)

FETC is the place where the most active and creative minds gather every year to exchange ideas and methods for continuous excellence in the field of education.

The participants in the exhibition are 33% teachers, 32% of the IT developers, 24% managers, 11% support staff.

The event provided the following program:

- 3 major events with leading teachers in the world,
- 150 master classes, high intensity,
- 400 lectures in five areas of professional activity,
- Expo hall with 400 companies on introduction of new technologies in education.

UK

Bett

- Location: London, UK
- Tickets: from 300 to 1100 USD
- The nearest exhibition: January 25-28, 2017

The Bett is 30-years history and improved every year. The organizers are constantly adapting to the changing market, trying to provide teachers unique solutions that will be useful during lessons.

Within four days of the event, participants receive an immense amount of knowledge and experience that is often touted is easy, fun, yet professional.

Participants: 30% teachers, 30% by managers, 22% developers, 6% business, 13% other.

The presentations:

Change edtech "life" of the Finnish school;
 Use Google services to work with students;
 Support pupils with a diagnosis of "autism";
 The use of technology to enhance the education of students;
 Experience in building communication between students of the US and Britain with the help of technology;
 The rules of online learning;
 Tips for students in employment.

Russia

#Edcrunch

- Location: Moscow, Russia
- Admission price: 0 to 7000
- The nearest exhibition: not announced

Conference #EdCrunch brings together leading professionals in the field of new educational technologies with the goal of finding innovative ways to modernize education and make learning more personalized and efficient.

It might be interesting:

We took and brought science to the street

EdCrunch four main sections, devoted to all levels of education: preschool and elementary, secondary, higher, additional professional. This year the

conference featured such topics as "school of the future", "transformation of the University", "inclusive education", "online tutorials", "robotics in education", "educational HR technology." At the site dedicated alley of innovative educational projects "EdTech Alley", varscope gamification, pedagogy and technology.

Thematic areas:

- technology for school and preschool education,
- technology for universities,
- technology for corporate training and professional development,
- ready-box it solutions.

MIEF

- Location: Moscow, Russia
- Admission price: 0 for you!
- The nearest exhibition: April 12-15, 2017.

The MIEF is the Moscow international salon of education; annual open forum, which will be held for the fourth year. Participants: teachers, methodologists, managers, entrepreneurs, pupils, students, parents. Over the three days of MIEF brings together tens of thousands of people from many regions of Russia and countries of the world. According to the founder of the MIEF Kasimovskogo Maxim, "the living room is the space of possibilities for each of the communities that form the ecosystem of education. The MIEF — "a living organism", which is sensitive to all the processes occurring in Russia and in the world in education".

The range of topics discussed at the forum, impressive:

- new engineers;
- project-based learning;
- the XXI century skills;
- the design of the educational space;
- pedagogical design;
- a new teaching profession;
- marketing in education;
- games in education;
- online education.

The main theme of the MIEF in 2017 will be a new ecosystem of education.