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Report of National Consultation held on 9th August 2022 (10.30 am – 3.30 pm)

Name of Convenor: Mr. Carruthers Tetteh (virtually-impaired final year postgraduate law student) & Dr. Michael Boakye-Yiadom (National Convenor)

Country: Ghana

Type of Consultation: National, Persons with disabilities

Location: Sasakawa Centre, University of Cape Coast

Number of in-person participants: 72

Number of virtual participants: 89

Regional Representation: All 16 regions were represented.

Language used

English

Sector representation

Persons with disabilities from different sectors, ministries, professional associations; students and teachers from special schools, youth and students, Gender advocates, Scientific community and Academia, NGOs, Labour unions, Development partners (UN RC, UNICEF, UNESCO), Education, Nutrition, Child Protection, Policy makers, Media and the Business community.

Principles of Engagement

- a. Introduction to the Transforming Education Summit
- b. Contextualization of the Transforming Education Summit
- c. Statements from development partners
- d. Voices of persons with disabilities
- e. Plenary session and synthesis of issues raised by the differently-able persons
- f. Thoughts and reflections led to an overwhelming support of selecting thematic action track 2 and using the other 4 tracks as supporting pillars.
- g. The differently-able persons' National Consultation Meeting ended with most participants supporting the selection of Track 2 (Learning and skills for life, work and sustainable development).



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