

The GENE@20 to Maastricht+20 Process

Towards a long-term vision for Global Education to 2050

GENE turns 20 in June 2021: the Maastricht Declaration will be 20 in November 2022. We are marking the 20th anniversary of GENE's 1st Multilateral Roundtable on June 14th, 2021, by looking back at progress in GE/DEAR policy over 20 years. GENE will also mark the 20th by launching an 18-month preparatory process towards Maastricht+20. Working with the EC and other partners, our aim is to inspire broader and deeper political support and policy commitment to GE/DEAR and to develop a long-term vision for Global Education to 2050.

The GENE@20 to Maastricht+20 process will...

- Celebrate progress to date in GE/DEAR, recognise current international and national political contexts and build on existing and emerging commitments.
- Invite partners, potential partners and stakeholders in Global Education to engage in a vision and policy agreement process.
- Establish a series of strategic and practical proposals for moving Global Education forward to 2050.
- Re-engage with the Maastricht definition of Global Education and develop a new European Declaration on Global Education to 2050.

PROPOSED TIMELINE



GENE is the European network of Ministries and Agencies with national responsibility for Global Education in European countries. GENE brings together over 60 Ministries and Agencies, along with the European Commission, to share policy learning and increase and improve Global Education policy and provision throughout Europe. GENE works towards the day when all people in Europe – in solidarity with peoples globally – will have access to quality Global Education.



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