DETAILS OF THE CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS AND PROPOSALS

Enhancing Pedagogy in Cambodia

EPIC Summit 2025 | July 14–16 | Siem Reap, Cambodia

Rooted in the success of the **Professional Identity for Khmer Teachers (PIKT) Project**, this summit aims to build bridges between cultures, highlight impactful practices, and celebrate the resilience and creativity of teachers worldwide.

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Summit Themes

We welcome submissions addressing the following themes:

- **Classroom Practice and Pedagogical Innovation**: Examples of what works particularly in primary classrooms and developing country contexts.
- **Teacher Professional Development**: Strategies for empowering teachers as leaders of learning in the classroom.
- **Global Education Development**: Sharing lessons from diverse international contexts on meeting the challenges of SDG4 to *Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all*.
- **Educational Leadership**: Fostering effective and empathetic school leadership.

Subthemes include:

- Technology in schools
- Education assessment and evaluation
- Teacher Professional Identity
- Education policy for initial teacher education and teacher professional development
- Collaborative and inclusive learning spaces
- The voice of the child

What We're Looking For

We are eager to receive **diverse and engaging proposals**, reflecting the varied ways education can be transformed. Some examples include:

- **Practice-Based Presentations**: Share an innovative teaching technique, resource, or strategy that has proven effective.
- **Research Findings**: Present the results of studies or ongoing research in an accessible, practitioner-friendly format.
- **Workshops and Seminars**: Interactive sessions that inspire discussion, creativity, and action.
- **Pecha Kucha Sessions**: Short, vibrant presentations (20 slides, 20 seconds each) that spark new ideas and energy.
- **Roundtable Discussions**: Collaborative formats to explore challenges and co-develop solutions.

We encourage group submissions and are particularly keen to include **short-form practice sharing sessions** led by practitioners and research students.

Proposals from Khmer teachers and other non-native English speakers are warmly encouraged—translation support will be provided during the event to ensure inclusive and meaningful dialogue.

Timeline for Submissions

Step 1 Submit a short abstract of your proposal by 28th of February 2025

Should you wish to avail of Early Bird registration please do so prior to 28th of February 2025

Step 2 You will get feedback and notification of acceptance or otherwise by 28th of March 2025

If your proposal is accepted submit a final version with materials by 28th of April 2025

Make sure that you register to attend EPIC 2025

Step 3 The Programme Committee will publish the final Summit Agenda in early June 2025

Step 4 Summit sessions 14 – 16th July 2025

What to Include in Your Proposal

To help you craft your proposal, please include:

1. A **short abstract** (around 500 words) summarizing your topic, its relevance, and what participants will take away.
2. The **preferred format** of your session (e.g., workshop, presentation, discussion).
3. Any specific needs, such as translation or technical support.

Proposals should emphasize **engagement and dialogue** over monologues. Consider what questions you want participants to leave asking and how your session will create lasting connections

Support for Participants

Understanding the diverse backgrounds of our participants, we are committed to making this event inclusive:

- **Language Support**: Translation services will be available throughout the event for Khmer and other non-English-speaking participants.
- **Interactive Formats**: All sessions will be designed to promote participation, including workshops, panels, and lively Pecha Kucha sessions.
- **Support for international visitors**: A parallel programme of field visits to schools and local sites of interest including the Temples of Angkor Wat is being arranged.

Key Dates

- **Deadline for Proposals**: February 2, 2025
- **Notification of Acceptance**: February 28, 2025
- **Final Submission of Materials**: April 4, 2025

How to Submit on Easychair

1. This link will lead you to the EPIC summit homepage of easychair.org.

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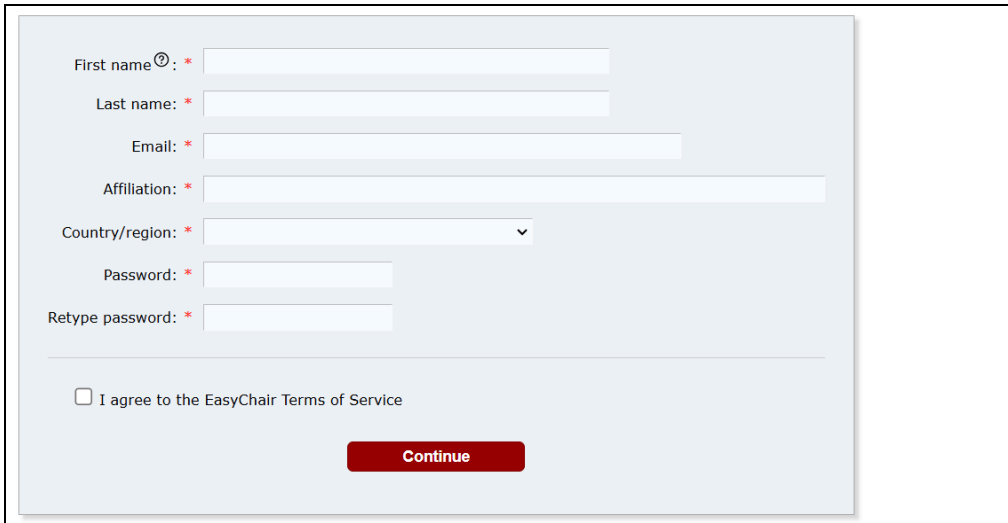Landing Gold Hotel
Siem Reap, Cambodia, July 14-16, 2025

Conference website	http://epiccambodia.com
Submission link	https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=epic2025
Abstract registration deadline	February 28, 2025
Submission deadline	May 28, 2025

Topics: `teacher professional development` `education` `schools` `development`

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2. Click on the submission link and it will take you to the sign up page. Then click on create account to start filling your information.
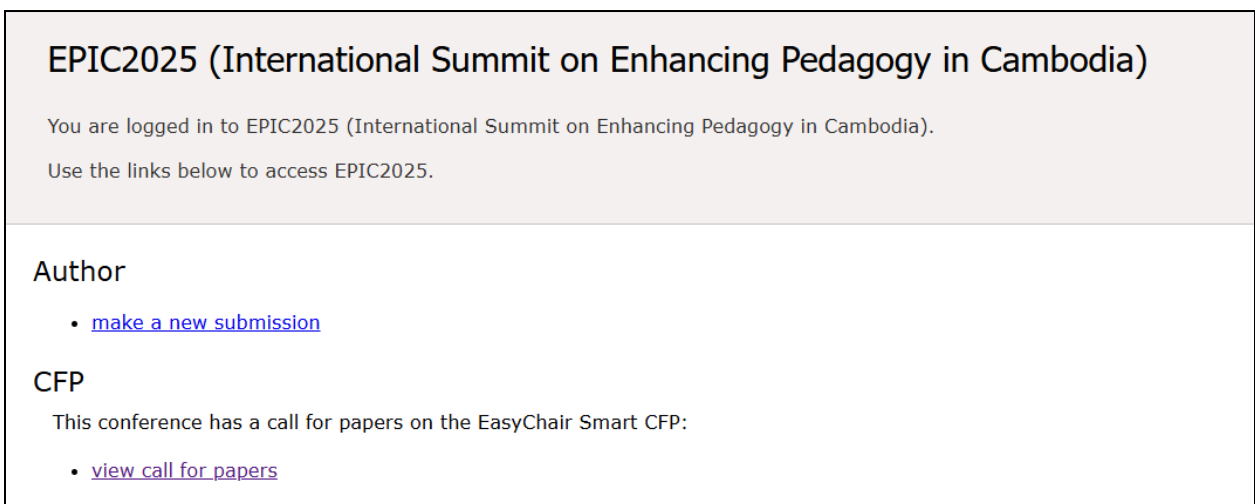

3. After you sign up, you will see this page. Click on '**make a new submission**'.

4. Fill in your information on this page. If you have more than one author, you can fill in another corresponding author.

5. Fill in the title of your research, workshop, panel discussion etc based on what you selected in the registration form.

Title and Abstract

The title and the abstract should be entered as plain text, they should not contain HTML elements.

Title: *

Abstract: *

6. Fill key words and attach your proposal (paper) in PDF format. After that, click submit when you are ready. You will receive a confirmation email from easychair once you submit your proposal. Our committee will review your proposal and notify you by March 28th at the latest.

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