

Top 10 ITEN Achievements

1: ITEN is the **largest regional teacher network** in the Americas, boasting **30,000+ teachers** in **34 OAS member states**, potentially reaching over **350,000 students**.

2: ITEN's first **massive open online course** (MOOC) for teachers on how to foster critical thinking skills in secondary school students registered almost **7,000 teachers from 22 OAS member states**. Eleven ministries of education certified or validated the course for their teachers.

3: ITEN was **admitted into the UNESCO International Task Force on Teachers** in June 2015, becoming the OAS point of reference for Latin America and the Caribbean.

4: The Inter-American Collaboratory for the Teaching Profession (Co-TEP), an online **knowledge bank** launched in late 2013, hosts **over 400 policies, practices and research documents** on the teaching profession in the Americas, and is becoming a **source for collaboration** through cooperation missions among OAS member states. It currently has **over 8,700 users**.

5: During 2013-2015, ITEN funded **14 technical cooperation missions** involving **24 ministries of education** of OAS member states, with the participation of over **630 ministry-level representatives and teachers**, reaching over **11,900 students**.

6: To date, ITEN has held **52 live webinars** with education specialists from the region sharing practical tools and resources to be used in K-12 classes. The **live webinars** had **15,000 registered participants**, and there were over **44,000 views** of the recorded webinars.

7: *Mi Escuela en Acción*, a face-to-face workshop on pedagogical skills for implementing local community service projects, was offered to over **100 teachers** in three OAS member states, reaching over **2,000 students, including students from indigenous rural areas in San Lucas Tolimán, Guatemala**.

8: The ITEN **radio and podcast series**, which helps teachers improve their teaching of critical thinking skills, notched over **1,100 downloads** and online listens across **24 OAS member states** in the first five weeks.

9: The **First Inter-American Seminar on the Teaching Profession** held within the framework of Virtual Educa Guadalajara in 2015 gathered **over 2,000 teachers and education specialists** to learn how to use innovative tools for critical thinking in the classroom.

10: The recently launched **Online Critical Thinking Toolkits** have already attracted the participation of over **2,000 teachers** from the region.

Note: Data Calculated using the teacher-pupil ratio data published by UNESCO statistics.

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