Teach For All Expands Partnership with the Micron Foundation to Advance STEM Education in Italy

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Teach For All, a global network fostering educational equity, today announced the expansion of its successful partnership with the Micron Foundation into Italy, reinforcing the two organizations’ commitment to enhancing STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) education for underrepresented and historically marginalized groups. The collaboration will focus on preparing future leaders with the critical STEM skills necessary to tackle the world’s most pressing challenges.

Building on the success of work funded by the Micron Foundation with Teach For India and Teach For Malaysia, this expansion into Italy and renewal of support for Teach for Malaysia and Teach for India, for the forthcoming academic year, is targeted to benefit over 250 teachers and approximately 24,000 students.

A unique aspect of this effort is the active involvement of Micron employees through volunteering. They will engage with local Teach for All country partners to inspire students through mentorship programs and classroom visits, ensuring a hands-on approach to learning.

The Micron Foundation will also continue its support for Teach For All's Future of Work Initiative, a multistakeholder, international effort that enables the Micron Foundation to collaborate with Teach For All’s network of partners to create spaces for cross-border learning and sharing of high-quality STEM education solutions for underserved schools. Since the initiative’s launch last year, the Micron Foundation has played a pivotal role in its development. The program now operates in 38 countries and has reached more than 2,000 teachers who are supporting more than 145,000 students.

"Our ongoing collaboration with Teach For All reaffirms our commitment to fostering an inclusive and diverse STEM workforce for the future," said April Arnzen, president of the Micron Foundation and executive vice president at Micron. "We’re focused on empowering the next generation with the skills and opportunities to succeed while cultivating these future leaders’ lifelong passion in STEM."

"The expanded partnership with the Micron Foundation is a testament to our joint commitment to enhance teachers’ professional development, ultimately benefiting generations of students and strengthening the global STEM talent pipeline. We recognize the pivotal role of career guidance in enabling our students to explore and connect with the ever-evolving world of work, and we appreciate how Micron volunteers, through their dedicated efforts, are not merely imparting technical skills but are inspiring students to envision and pursue meaningful careers," said Pablo Millanes, Global Head of Corporate Partnerships at Teach For All.

The Influence of Teach For India and Teach For Malaysia

With support from the Micron Foundation, Teach For Malaysia and Teach For India have demonstrated achievements in bringing quality STEM education to underserved communities.

Since its establishment in 2009, Teach For India has helped transform the country’s school system, placing over 4,100 teachers, and building a powerful movement of alumni instructors and education leaders who drive change across the country’s education system. Micron Foundation will support Teach For India in developing a strong pipeline of STEM teachers to support students to receive the academic foundation and 21st century skills required to succeed in the future of work.
Teach For Malaysia has helped over 330,285 students in 893 schools across the country since 2012 through the dedication of 474 teachers and 583 STEM ambassador teachers. With the Micron Foundation’s support, Teach For Malaysia is poised to enhance the recruitment and development of STEM teachers, bridge learning gaps through tutoring and assistance, and foster students’ interest and skills in STEM.

Since its founding in 1999, the Micron Foundation has contributed more than $180 million through philanthropy to people and communities where our team members live and work. Through its foundation and corporate giving initiatives, Micron provides grants, programs and volunteer efforts that enable equitable opportunities for underrepresented populations, support our communities and increase access to STEM education.

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About Teach For All
Teach For All is a global network of 62 independent, locally led organizations and a global organization united by a commitment to developing collective leadership to ensure all children can fulfill their potential. Each network partner recruits and develops promising future leaders to teach in their nations’ under-resourced schools and communities and, with this foundation, to work with others, inside and outside of education, towards a world where all children have the education, support, and opportunity to shape a better future.

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