**PRESS COMMUNIQUÉ**

**UNESCO – King Hamad Bin Isa Al-Khalifa Prize for Use of Information and Communication Technologies in Education**

Applications are invited for nominations for 2021 edition of the UNESCO King Hamad Bin Isa Al-Khalifa Prize for the Use of Information and Communication Technologies in Education. The Theme is **“The use of technology to enable inclusive crisis-resilient learning systems”**.

**2.** **Eligibility**

The Prize rewards projects that have used technology to build public learning programmes that effectively ensure the continuity and quality of learning for all.

**3. Prize**

 **Two projects** will be chosen and each will receive a monetary award of **US $ 25,000**.

4. The deadline for submission of applications to the Mauritius National Commission for UNESCO is Monday **31 January 2022**.

5. For additional information regarding the Prizes and Application, interested applicants are invited to visit the Ministry’s website at: **ministry-education.govmu.org *under the heading ‘Educational Sectors’, (subsection – UNESCO).***

6. **The final selection will rest with UNESCO.**

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