

Teacher and School Principal Exchanges Take Your Vocation to a Different Location

The International Education Exchange Program is pleased to offer a suite of exchange opportunities for school leaders and teachers. Visiting another education system is an effective and enjoyable way to reflect upon and enhance practice.

Two-Week Job Shadow Exchange for Teachers and School Principals

The two-week job shadow exchanges are a reciprocal hosting arrangement. You are billeted in your counterpart's home while you work shadow with them at their school over the summer months (during their school year). You then host your overseas counterpart in your Alberta school and they stay in your home in the fall (during their school break). There are opportunities in Australia, Denmark, Germany and Spain for both teachers and administrators.

Short-Term Exchange Destination	Estimated Timeframe for AB School Leader/Teacher to shadow	Timeframe for AB School Leader/Teacher to host
Victoria, Australia *	2 week period in July/August	2 weeks in May, September or October
Hessen, Germany	First 2 weeks in July	2 weeks in mid-October
Copenhagen, Denmark	2 weeks in mid-August	2 weeks in mid-October
Castille de Leon or Asturias, Spain	2 week period to be determined	2 weeks in September

*Australia is for administrators only at this time.

Year Long Exchange for Teachers

The year-long exchange is still a popular opportunity for teachers who wish to challenge themselves and benefit from taking their reach to a global level. This exchange involves the exchange of home and job for a one year period.

Year Long Exchange Destinations	Timeframe for AB teacher and their counterpart to exchange
Australia	January–January or August–August
Denmark	August–August
Other Canadian provinces	August–August
United Kingdom	August–August
United States	August–August

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Applications and detailed information at <http://www.ieep.ca>.

Deadlines for applications are due at the beginning of December. Apply early!