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## **Reform of Teacher Education and**

#### **Educational Research in Diverse Society**

In a culturally diverse society, there are increasing needs for schools to foster multicultural competencies and active citizenship. However a number of countries concerns the ways to prepare teachers to deal with diverse classroom.

This symposium posed three questions to the presenters:

- 1. What kind of challenges and difficulties do teachers face in diverse classroom?
- 2. What kind of opportunities does teacher education in each country (or university) provide to prepare the teachers for diverse classroom?
- 3. What kind of educational research has been conducted in each country to promote effective teacher education and professional development?

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