# Briefing on Scottish Education and the Organisations Being Met

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#### Introduction

The Global Agora (Diane Stone)

- Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD),
- European Commission (EC),
- National Center for Education and the Economy (NCEE),
- McKinsey and Company, etc.
- Adapt don't Adopt
- Vernacularise to your own situation

## Key Themes 1

- Vertical Leadership and Accountability
- Horizontal Leadership and Accountability
- Governance
- Public Interest

# Key Themes 2: Vertical Leadership and Accountability (Top-Down Model)

Scottish Government



His Majesty's Inspectorate of Education



COSLA



Local Authorities



Schools



Teachers

# Key Themes 3: Horizontal Leadership and Accountability (Collaborative and Collegial)

Schools: The Attainment Gap

Recovering from Covid – learning loss, mental health and wellbeing

Finances, resources and links with their LA

Local Authorities: Role in system leadership

Finances, resources and links with their schools

Relationships with COSLA and Scottish Government

Universities: Links with schools and LAs

Role in Initial Teacher Education

Roles in research, professional development and educational

leadership

Scottish Government: Policy making and educational priorities

Governance and system leadership

Education Scotland: Changes in its role

Governance and accountability

System leadership and collaboration

HMIE: Changes in its role

Advice to government

The role of inspection in system leadership

COSLA: Policy making and educational priorities

Governance and system leadership

Relationships with Scottish Government and LAs

ADES: System leadership

Influencing policy making and educational priorities

GTCS: Governance and system leadership

Standards and teacher professionalism

Acting in the public interest

Headteacher Unions (SLS/AHDS):

Influencing policy making and educational priorities

System leadership

Unions (EIS): Influencing policy making and educational priorities

Salaries and conditions of service

Advocating for the teaching profession

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### Questions?

Over to you...

#### Conclusion

Thank You!

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