





D-Lab Education: Toy for Development creates facilitates connections between MIT students and real problems in global education and development. Through the visionary combination of design thinking and creative capacity building the class will attempt to sow the seeds for a new generation of thinkers at the bottom of the pyramid.

Extensive research and experimentation on innovative educational methodologies coupled MIT's potential as a catalyzer for change in the global arena have opened a new world of possibilities. As many emerging nations look towards building local capacities that can enhance community-driven innovation, we see enormous potential to use this as a learning experience for communities and students. Our class is also committed to advancing some of the recommendations made by the Institutewide Task Force on the Future of MIT Education

"...A commitment to pedagogical innovation for the residential campus be extended to the world to set the tone for a new generation of learners, teachers and institutions.

"(MIT Education Task Force Recommendation #7)

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