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The UNESCO-UNEVOC e-Forum is an online forum and email list connecting professionals in Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) from all over the world: policy-makers, researchers, practitioners, teachers, development workers, members of IGOs and NGOs, etc. Since its launch in 1998, it has grown steadily, from initially 140 members to more than 1,400 from 152 countries in August 2010. Despite the limited availability of internet technology in some parts of the world, about half of the members are from the developing world.

A very much wanted side-effect of the e-Forum is the possibility for members to link up directly. Through the list, TVET professionals have been able to identify colleagues in their own region or in remote regions with similar professional interests. There are many cases where e-Forum members established direct communication and collaborative practices and were thus enabled to find solutions for their specific problems.

Participation in UNESCO-UNEVOC e-Forum (August 2010)