Technology, education and the role of the private sector
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Recently there has been a significant change in governments' attitude towards industry involvement in education. What is the nature of education institution and governments' engagement with the IT industry?
What does industry know about the educational reform process and how have they stepped up to the mark? How can a government work with industry on national education transformation? And what role do academics based in the IT industry play in bringing the players together? I will address these questions drawing on seven years of experience of working at Cisco.