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- How do teacher quality and teacher recruitment and hiring policies in the United States differ from those in other countries?
- How do the working conditions of U.S. teachers differ from those of teachers in other countries?
- How do U.S. teachers' opportunities for professional learning differ from those of teachers in other countries?
- How do the characteristics of the national teaching force influence student achievement?
- What U.S. policies offer promise for improving teacher quality?

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