UBC Library
Your Partner in Open Education

What is Open Education?

Open education addresses barriers to learning by engaging in open education practices in the classroom and through the development and use of open educational resources.

Open practice engages students in collaborative knowledge creation that are then openly shared through networked technologies.

Open education resources are teaching and learning resources made freely available through the public domain or open copyright licenses.

UBC Library provides in-depth services for open educational practices.

Our Services

UBC Library offers a number of services and supports for open education practices, including:

- Identifying high-quality open education resources
- Consulting on best practices for open licensure
- Copyright review of third-party materials for use in open education resources
- Supporting publishing using open platforms (e.g. Pressbooks, Open Journal Systems)
- Sharing open education resources in open access repositories
- Supporting courses where your students engage in open knowledge creation

Contact Us

Let us know how we can support you and your open education project by contacting: erin.fields@ubc.ca or Open.ed@ubc.ca
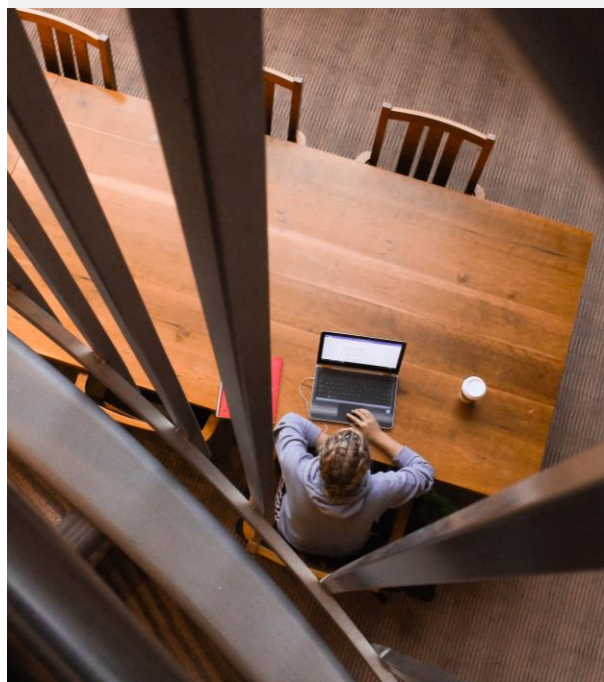
Resources

Finding Open Education Resources - https://guides.library.ubc.ca/open_education/repositories

Using Open Licenses - https://open.ubc.ca/education/toolkits-education/open-license/

Creating Open Education Resources - https://open.ubc.ca/education/toolkits-education/creating-open-educational-resources/