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Open Education Week 2019

Join our great events this week!

Open Education Week is a celebration of the global Open Education Movement. Its goal is to raise awareness about the movement and its impact on teaching and learning worldwide.

Faculty, students, staff and OER advocates are celebrating by holding events at their campuses. See the [list of events below](#), or email OER@dhe.state.co.us for more information!

Featured Sessions

Monday: [*COLTT Keynote Watch Party & OER Equity Discussion*](#)

Tuesday: [*Dynamic OER Champion Panel*](#)

Wednesday: [*Digital Workshop - Approaches to Addressing Affordability*](#)

Thursday: [*Faculty Showcase — Free & Flexible Online Math Homework with WeBWork*](#)

Friday: [*Rocky & Rewarding: the Winding Paths of OER Initiatives*](#)

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OEWeek in Colorado: a comprehensive list of Colorado events!

Session Title	Speaker/Facilitator	Description	Location or Link to Event	Contact for more info
Friday, March 1st				
<i>"2019 Colorado Open Scholars Summit"</i>	University of Denver Colorado State University University of Colorado Boulder University of Colorado Colorado Springs University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Center Regis University University of Northern Colorado Auraria Libraries University of Colorado Denver Metropolitan State University of Denver Community College of Denver	 Please join the 2019 Colorado Open Scholars Summit for a look at Openness in Tenure and Promotion . Discussion will address Open Access publication and resources within Tenure & Promotion.	<p style="text-align: center;">Register here!</p> March 1 st , 10:00-2:00, <i>attend virtually!</i>	Jenelys Cox Jennifer.Cox@du.edu
Monday, March 4th				
<i>"Serving Access, Equity, and Innovation through Open Educational Practices"</i>	Dr. Rajiv Jhangiani, Kwantlen Polytechnic University (speaker);	 RAJIV JHANGIANI COLT CONFERENCE 2018 Serving Access, Equity, and Innovation through Open Educational Practices	Link to keynote: https://www.cu.edu/coltt/keynote-speaker-2018 Link to live webinar discussion: https://csuglobal.zoom.us/j/452054481	OER@dhe.state.co.us





	Spencer Ellis (facilitator), Colorado Department of Higher Education	This hands-on activity is intended to encourage discussion specifically around equity and innovation in relation to Open Educational Resources (OER). Visit this link for more information.		
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Tuesday, March 5th

<i>“OER Momentum in the Rocky Mountains: Policy, Practice and Purpose”</i>	Meg Brown-Sica, Colorado State University Brittany Dudek, Colorado Community Colleges Online-Spencer Ellis, Colorado Department of Higher Ed. Dr. Jonathan Poritz, Colorado State University-Pueblo	 <p>This event is part of the CC Open Education Platform and CC Poland’s 24-hour webinar sprint. Colorado’s unique leadership with statewide OER efforts is steered by the OER Council, a legislatively created advisory group comprised of representatives from a variety of disciplines and institutional types. This session will highlight how a diverse group of individuals in the Rocky Mountain state have advocated and executed OER efforts at the state level, while also highlighting future ambitions in policy, practice and purpose.</p>	More information on the event at this link: https://oerpolicy.eu/events/the-2nd-global-open-education-web-conference-agenda/?preview=true	OER@dhe.state.co.us
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Wednesday, March 6th





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<p><i>“Consider Open: Enhancing Student Learning with Open Educational Resources”</i></p>	<p>Jennifer Mayer, UNC Libraries</p> <p>Stan Trembach, UNC Libraries</p>	 <p>UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN COLORADO</p> <p>An interactive workshop that will offer specific examples of how OER and open pedagogy can empower learners in a course. Participants will explore how to locate and evaluate disciplinary OER, discuss the benefits and challenges of incorporating open content into their teaching, and learn tips for designing student-centered open pedagogy projects.</p>	<p>March 6, 2019 11:30 am-1:00 pm</p>	<p>Jennifer Mayer Jennifer.mayer@unco.edu</p>
<p><i>“Digital Workshop: Approaches to Addressing Affordability”</i></p>	<p>Students & staff from ACC Students from PPCC Faculty and librarian OER experts</p>	 <p>ARAPAHOE COMMUNITY COLLEGE</p> <p>Concerned about making higher education more affordable? Want to take action by addressing the cost of textbooks and course materials? This student-led event will equip students and other OER advocates the tools they need to enter into discussions about affordable textbooks on campus. Participants will gain a better understanding of what OER are and strategies for encouraging positive change with faculty, staff and administration.</p>	<p>Link to live webinar: https://csuglobal.zoom.us/j/193760953</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Students at ACC Littleton Campus, feel free to join us in room:</p>	<p>OER@dhe.state.co.us</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Dan Balski Dan.Balski@arapahoe.edu</p>





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Thursday, March 7th

<p><i>“Free & Flexible Online Math Homework with WeBWork”</i></p>	<p>Brenda Forland, Red Rocks Community College</p>	 <p>Come check out WeBWork, the OER math assessment tool that has over 30,000 problems available and the ability to modify and create just about anything. This webinar will give a brief tour of what WeBWork is, its features, and what it’s capable of, and then dive into how you can bring it to your own campus.</p>	<p>Link to live webinar: https://csuglobal.zoom.us/j/678024125</p>	<p>OER@dhe.state.co.us</p>
<p><i>“OER Faculty Development Event”</i></p>	<p>Dr. Mark Manzanares, Adams State University</p>	 <p>Adams State University will host a lunch-time talk, in the Student Union Building highlighting OER. What are OER? How do they work? Local leaders will discuss: what we are wanting as a strategy and priorities as a campus how the state through the Council, and Adams through the Library and other</p>	<p>Reach out to local contact for further information or if you’d like to get involved.</p>	<p>Mark Manzanares markmanzanares@adams.edu</p>





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		areas, are able to help support faculty, etc.		
<i>"#Textbookbroke: How much did you pay?"</i>	Meg Brown-Sica, Khaleedah Thomas, Jenna Allen, Heidi Zuniga and Christine Pawliuk Colorado State University	 Colorado State University We will be engaging with students and asking questions about how much they pay for course materials and what they could have use the money for instead. We will gather this data and display the information to inform further discussions on campus.	10 a.m.-2 p.m. (approximately); please reach out to local contact for more information	Meg Brown-Sica meg.brown-sica@colostate.edu

Friday, March 8th

<i>"Scaling the peaks: the rocky and rewarding path of OER"</i>	Dr. MJ Bishop, University of Maryland System Dr. Deb Keyek-Franssen	 University of Colorado <small>Boulder Colorado Springs Denver Anschutz Medical Campus</small> Highly interactive webinar that takes you from basics of OER to case study of Maryland (what worked, what didn't, what successes) and then shifts the discussion dynamic Q&A.	Link to live webinar: https://csuglobal.zoom.us/j/926814688	Deborah Keyek-Fanssen deblkf@cu.edu
<i>"OER Workshop @ Colorado School of Mines"</i>	Emily Bongiovani, Colorado School of Mines	 COLORADO SCHOOL OF MINES OERs are free for students to access and for instructors to modify. They decrease the costs of textbooks and other class supplies. OER does not mean only digital resources. It	Link to more information: https://mines.libcal.com/event/5183761 March 8, 3-4pm in the Arthur Lakes Library's Boettcher Room	Emily Bongiovani emilybongiovanni@mines.edu





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		includes free printer-friendly options for books and other items. Come to the workshop to learn more about using OERs!		
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Monday

10.30am – 11.30am

“Serving Access, Equity, and Innovation through Open Educational Practices”

Speaker: Dr. Rajiv Jhangiani, discussion facilitation by
Spencer Ellis



Description: Colorado Learning and Teaching with Technology (COLTT) is the leading regional conference on teaching with technology. In 2018 COLTT’s keynote address was stirring and inspiring as Dr. Rajiv Jhangiani presented on how OER address access, equity, and innovation in education. Attendees are encouraged watch the keynote ahead of the live discussion which will explore topics.

-Dynamic interactive discussion content can be found at:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1ordy32VhfMSKOsd624MYMKAb1P5jmY4jAIN4dsLhMU0/edit>

-Link to keynote: <https://www.cu.edu/coltt/keynote-speaker-2018>.

Attend remotely at: <https://csuglobal.zoom.us/j/452054481>





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Tuesday

11.30am – 12.00pm

“OER Momentum in the Rocky Mountains: Policy, Practice and Purpose”

Speakers: Meg Brown-Sica, CSU, Brittany Dudek CCCOnline, Spencer Ellis CDHE, Jonathan Poritz CSU-P



Description: Colorado’s unique leadership with statewide OER efforts is steered by the OER Council, a legislatively created advisory group comprised of representatives from a variety of disciplines and institutional types. This session will highlight how a diverse group of individuals in the Rocky Mountain state have advocated and executed OER efforts at the state level, while also highlighting future ambitions in policy, practice and purpose. This event is part of the **CC Open Education Platform** and **CC Poland’s 24-hour webinar sprint**, highlighting updates in open education from around the world!

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Wednesday

12.00pm – 12.45pm

*“Digital Workshop: Approaches to Addressing
Affordability”*

Speaker: Students, Staff and Faculty from across the state



Description: Concerned about making higher education more affordable? Want to take action by addressing the cost of textbooks and course materials? This student-centered event will equip students and other OER advocates the tools they need to enter into discussions about affordable textbooks on campus. Participants will gain a better understanding of what OER are and strategies for encouraging positive change with faculty, staff and administration.

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Thursday

11.00am – 12.00pm

“Free & Flexible Online Math Homework with WeBWork”

Speaker: Brenda Forland



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Attend remotely at: <https://csuglobal.zoom.us/j/678024125>





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ROCKY & REWARDING: THE WINDING PATHS OF OER INITIATIVES

DR. MJ BISHOP



Friday, March 8, 2019, 9-10 a.m.

<https://csuglobal.zoom.us/j/926814688>

**Attend remotely via Zoom or find a
watch party near you!**

In this interactive webinar, Dr. Bishop will provide an OER 101 segment, a case study of her work at the University of Maryland, and a call to action for future OER work.

Attend remotely at: <https://csuglobal.zoom.us/j/926814688>

