



• OER Liaison Newsletter •
• May 2019 •

Summer and Fall 2019 Short-Term OER Development Projects

Greeting Liaisons!

If you have not yet seen the [Request for Proposals](#) (RFP) that was distributed on May 7, please find it in our Canvas space. Please be sure to share it with your colleagues as soon as possible. As we are trying to complete the RFP process before you and your colleagues have departed for the summer, the turn-around is a quick one. The applications are due at 5 pm on May 30. Late applications will not be accepted. Funding determinations will be made by June 10. Please note that applicants do not need to have completed a “letter of interest” in order to apply. Hopefully the letters that were prepared will simplify the preparation of the application.

Informational office hours will be held via Zoom at the following dates and times to address questions pertaining to the application process. Access the office hours by logging into Zoom and using the meeting ID oer4all or via this link: <https://cccconfer.zoom.us/my/oer4all>

- Thursday, May 9, 5:00-6:00 pm
- Tuesday, May 14, 11:00 am-12:00 pm
- Thursday, May 16, 1:00-2:00 pm
- Friday, May 17, 12:00-1:00 pm

Discipline Surveys

In our on-going effort to assess OER use across the colleges, we are asking you to distribute a short survey to your faculty in specific disciplines. This is a shorter survey than we have distributed previously in an effort to increase response rates. For those who are not using OER, survey completion should take less than a minute. For those who are using OER, we look forward to gathering information regarding their use. **These surveys are due May 31, 2019.**

[Accounting](#)
[Art History/Studio Arts](#)
[Biology](#)
[Business](#)
[Economics](#)

[Geography](#)
[History](#)
[Nursing](#)
[Office Technology/Business Information Worker](#)
[Political Science](#)

Winding Down...

Our final OER Liaison webinar of the academic year will be on Friday, May 17 at 10:30 am. Please find the details below. OER Liaison stipends will be processed at the end of the month, presuming we have received your tax information and you have completed your "Spring 2019 OER Liaison Expectations" tasks. Your feedback regarding these expectations is desired, as are your suggestions for the Initiative moving forward.

May 17 – The ASCCC OERI - Liaison Debrief and Next Steps - 10:30 am to 11:30 am

[Register Now](#)

This OER Liaisons' webinar is a chance to discuss what worked and did not work for liaisons during our 1st semester. In addition, it is an opportunity for the OERI to share its plans for the future - and to discuss the needs of the colleges.

Upcoming OERI Webinars

May 10 – Curating and Publishing OER Materials - 9:30 am to 10:30 am

[Register Now](#)

For faculty who wish to adapt existing OER or create their own, how do they get started? And where do they place the content? This webinar will explore a few of the OER platform options available for faculty to house OER content, including LibreTexts, OER Commons, and Pressbooks.

May 17 – OERI What's Next - 9:30 am to 10:30 am

[Register Now](#)

After a very busy 1st term, what's next for the ASCCC OER Initiative? What has been accomplished since the Initiative's initial launch, what will be happening over the summer, and what can you expect in the fall? Join us for this end of the term debrief. Bring your questions, observations, and suggestions.