

Quick Guide to Find and Use OERs

1 Scope

First, generate keywords for topics associated with your course content and learning goals. Are you interested in textbooks, book chapters, course syllabi, assignments, audio, images, or videos?

2 Locate

Links to OER repositories are available at our OER Resource Guide: <http://cityte.ch/oer>

3 Evaluate

Criteria:

- Alignment to Course Learning Objectives
- Authority and Accuracy of Content
- Opportunities for High Impact Learning
- Utility for Instruction
- Accessibility
- Quality of Assessment
- Quality of Technological Interactivity
- Quality of Instructional and Practice Exercises
- Cultural Relevance

4 Use and Attribute

Understand Creative Commons licenses:
<http://creativecommons.org/licenses/>

Creative Commons license chooser:
<http://creativecommons.org/choose/>

Tools for attributing course materials:
<http://www.openwa.org/attrib-builder/>
<http://openattribute.com/>