

## CLUSTER 1. OPEN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES FOR COLLABORATIVE LEARNING

### COURSE 1. DIGITAL RESOURCES

#### INTRODUCTION TO THE COURSE

Welcome to an online collaborative learning-based course “Digital resources”!

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The course “Digital resources” is for higher education teachers who are **novices** in the topic of Open Educational Resources (OER) but want to gain knowledge and skills in identifying, creating, sharing OERs, and recognizing/copyrighting them.

*This course aims to develop teachers’ competencies to select, create, manage, protect, and share digital resources in the context of online collaborative learning.*

Training material follows the DigCompEdu framework Area 2 – Digital Resources elements, aiming to qualify higher education (further-HE) teachers as integrators who can enhance diverse teaching practices with online collaborative learning methods in the context of blended learning engagement in higher education.



collaborative learning-based course



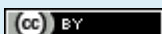
approx. 55 hours



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### COURSE-SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

- introduce the value of OER to support teaching and learning.
- Introduce different search strategies for selecting openly licensed educational resources.
- explain the principles of the assessment of the quality of a particular OER.
- enhance teachers’ digital competence to produce OERs by introducing the five main steps of the OER production process.
- discuss and explain the fundamental role of copyright and open licensing principles.
- empower teachers to assign Creative Commons licenses to self-created or collaborative resources by describing the four different Creative Commons License components and six licenses.



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## COURSE STRUCTURE

The course consists of three lessons. Each lesson covers theoretical material presented in textual or video format, a concise summary of theoretical material presented in PowerPoint slides, a self-assessment quiz, and further reading materials to deepen your knowledge.

A more detailed course structure is presented in Fig. 1 below. Please note that it is optional to take the whole course; you can study any lesson based on your prior knowledge of this topic.

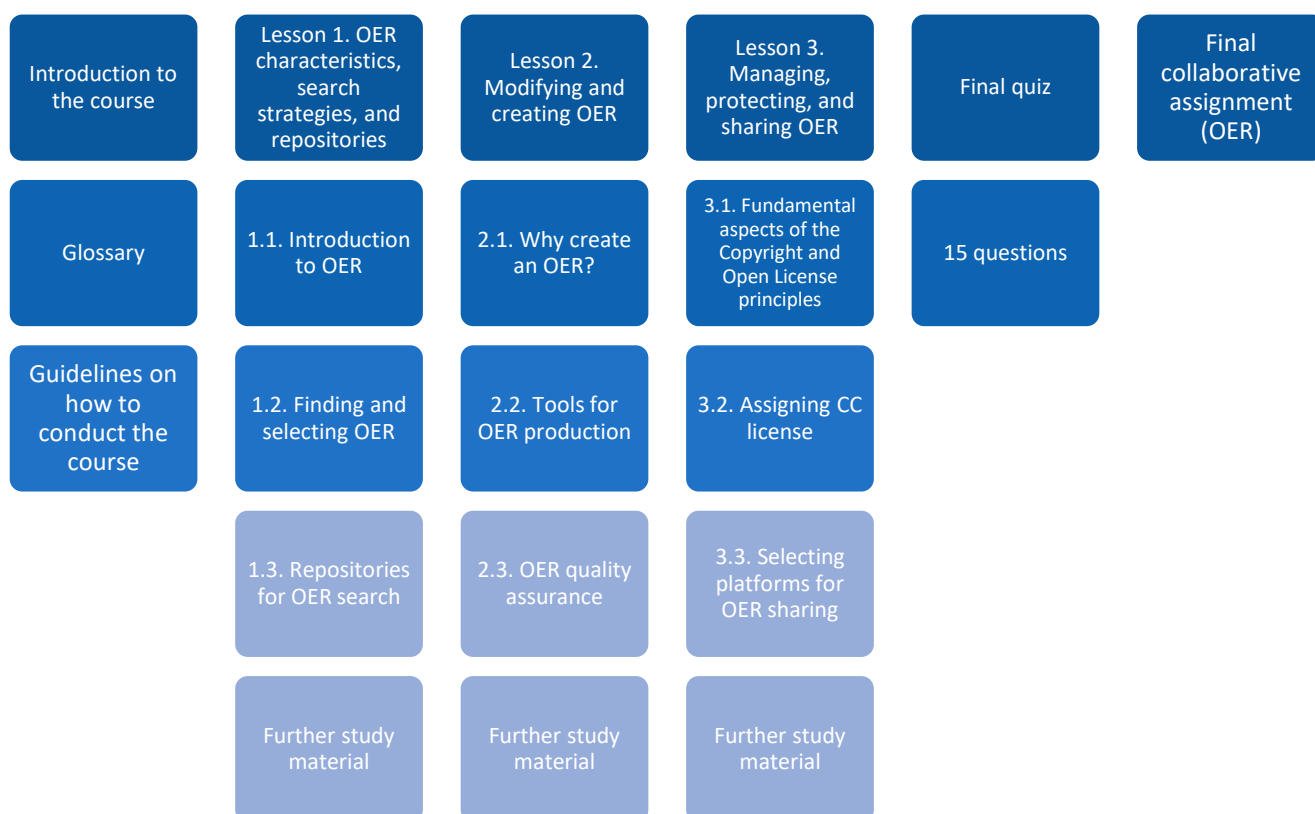
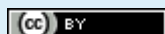


Fig. 1. Structure of the course “Digital Resources”

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