WEBINAR

Open Educational Resources (OER) for teachers and trainers

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ONLINE

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OUTLINE

The use of digital educational content released with an open license, also called Open Educational Resources (OER), is both a way to increase access to education and training and a trigger for teaching innovation, since it can support co-creation of knowledge and active engagement of learners.

Using OER is relatively easy, both for educators who want to release their content with an open license and for those who want to use and adapt content produced by others. Still, some specific knowledge and competences, as well as a change of mindset are needed for this to happen effectively and sustainably.

Following on introduction presenting the concepts of open licenses and OER, the webinar will outline some practical guidelines for educators, both from the point of view of OER experts coming from international organisations such as UNESCO-UNEVOC and the International Council of Open and Distance Education, and of actual teachers and trainers who are using OER in their daily work.

As usual, after the webinar we will devote a session to getting ideas on how this theme can be further explored in the ETF Community of Innovative Educators.

AGENDA

Time	
14:00 - 14:05	**Welcome and news from the ETF Community of Innovative Educators** Fabio Nascimbeni, Human Capital Development Expert, ETF
14.05 – 14.25	**Setting the scene: open content, open licenses, Open Educational Resources** **Ebba Ossiannilsson,** ICDE Board Member, Chair ICDE OER Advocacy Committee, Vice President Swedish Association for Open, Flexible Distance Education (SADE/SVERD) **Juliane Granly,** Project & Development Manager ICDE, Coordinator European Network for Catalysing Open Resources In Education (ENCORE+)
14:25 – 14:55	**Cases of OER use from teachers and trainers** **Fawzi Baroud**, Assistant Vice president for Information Technology, UNESCO Chair on OER for Access and Success, Notre Dame University-Louaize, Lebanon *TBC*
14:55 – 15:15	**Practical guidelines for educators on how to start using OER in their daily work** **Max Ehlers**, Head of Knowledge Management and IT, UNESCO-UNEVOC **Virginia Rodés**, Institute for the Future of Education, Tecnologico de Monterrey
15:15 - 15:30	**Open Discussion**

15:30 - 16:00	**Open co-creation session with the use of visual tool:** What support do educators need to properly embed OER in their work? What can the ETF Community of Innovative Educators do in this respect?