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The Wales Open Education Declaration of Intent

“We believe that embedding Open Educational Practice (OEP) across the Welsh higher education community will facilitate an improved, quality educational experience for students through Open Education Resources (OER)”

11 key commitments

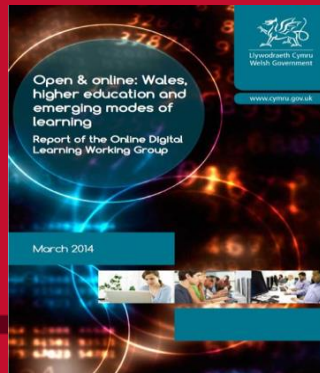
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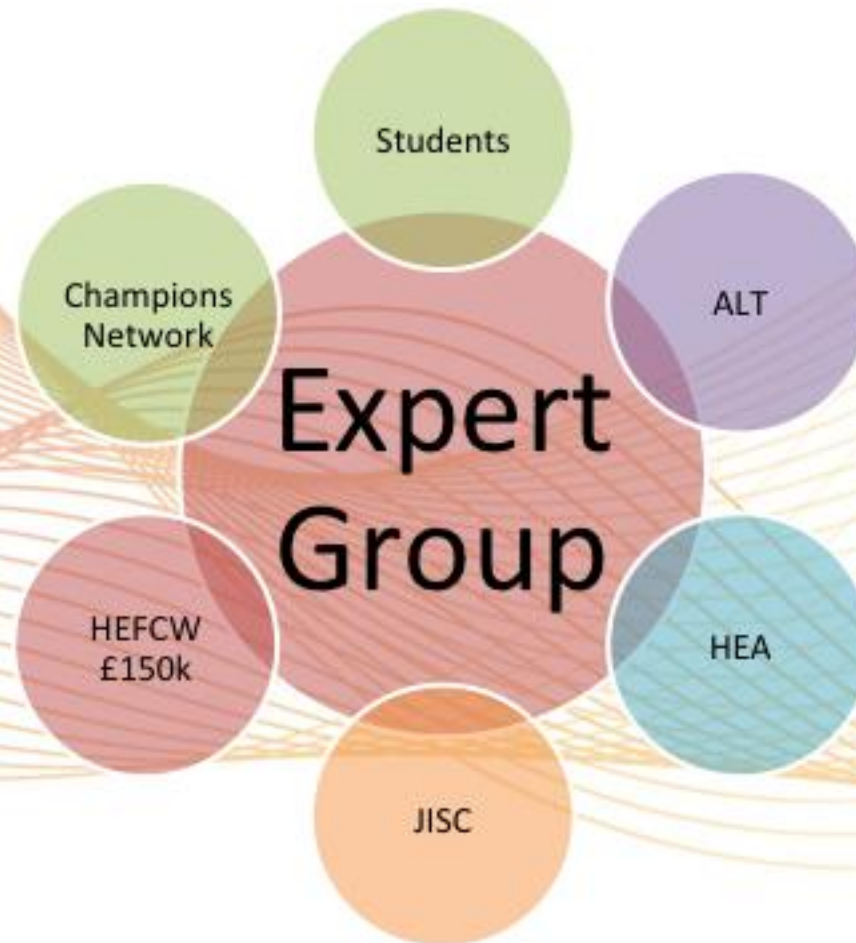
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Welsh Government's Online Digital Learning Working Group



Collaboration with all Universities in Wales



4 Main Project objectives: Wales as an Open Nation

1 Showcase Portal

2 Champions Network

3 Open Educational Practice

4 Develop and Launch sMOOC

Brand Launch



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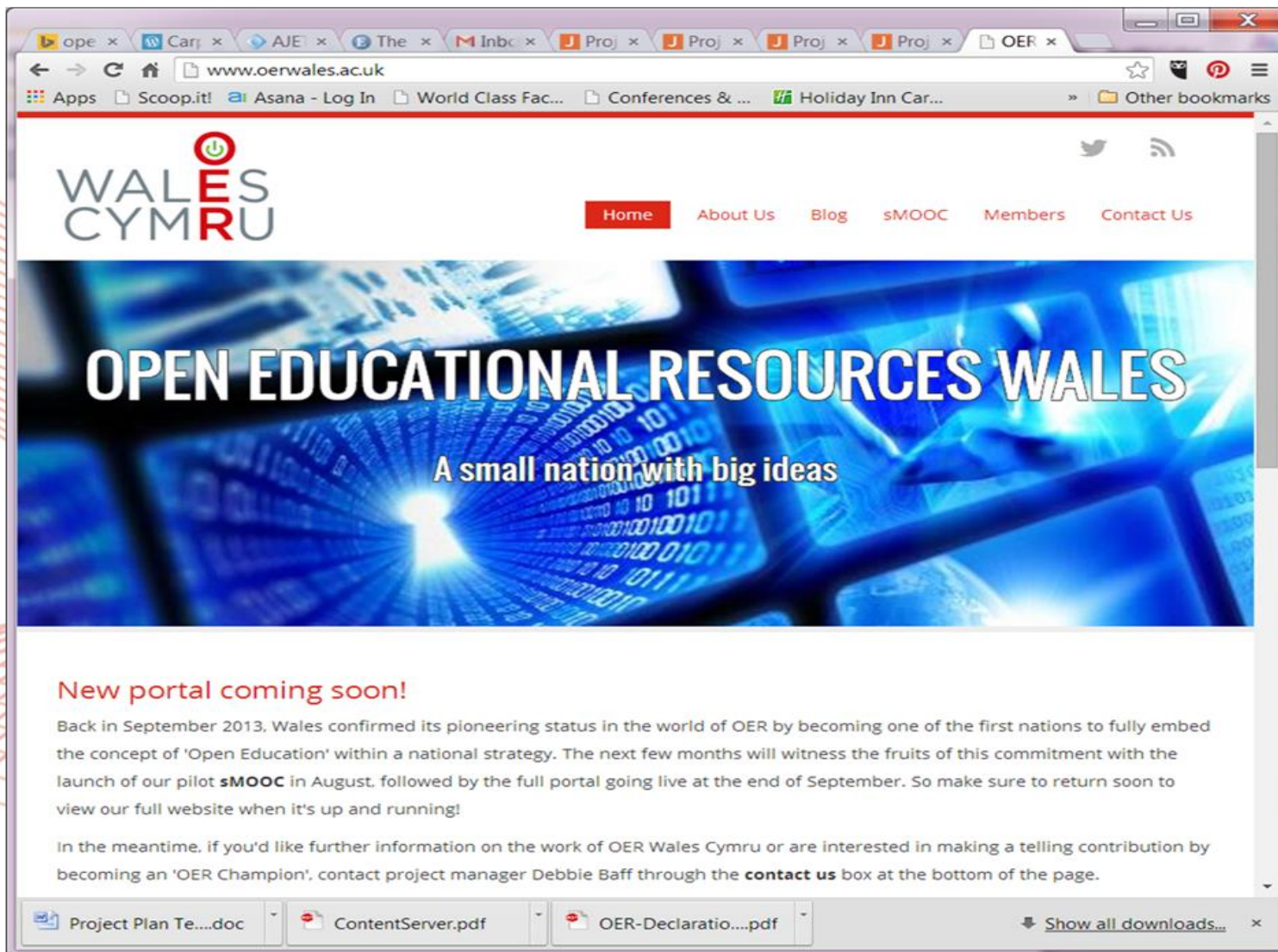


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Content Review





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Apps | Scoop.it! | Asana - Log In | World Class Fac... | Conferences & ... | Holiday Inn Car... | Other bookmarks

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Student Survival sMOOC - An Introduction to the course

1 What is this course is about ?



Who is the course aimed at?

This course is aimed at new students starting at university for the first time in September 2014. It will help **you** prepare for life at university when you first start and hopefully encourage you to think about some of issues involved and offer some strategies and coping skills that might be useful during your first few weeks as you settle into university life.



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sMOOC has shiny badges too !

Week 1 Resources

1 Welcome!

Welcome to Week 1 of the OER Wales Cymru Student Survival sMOOC!

This course is meant to help get you ready to go to uni and give you an idea of what to expect in the first couple of weeks. There's a whole lot of stuff to consider but we're not going to be looking at the studying part just the adjusting to life away from home. You know, little things like finding somewhere to live, dealing with money, cooking your own food, living with a bunch of strangers. No big deal(!).

This course is just the beginning - your life as a student totally depends on what you want to do. Have fun!

These videos below gives you a flavour of what life is like during 'Freshers Week' at a University from a number of perspectives.

Welcome Week at Aberystwyth University

WELCOME

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Latest Tweets from #OERWalesSSG

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Deb Baff @debbauff 27 Aug
Another test tweet #OERWalesSSG

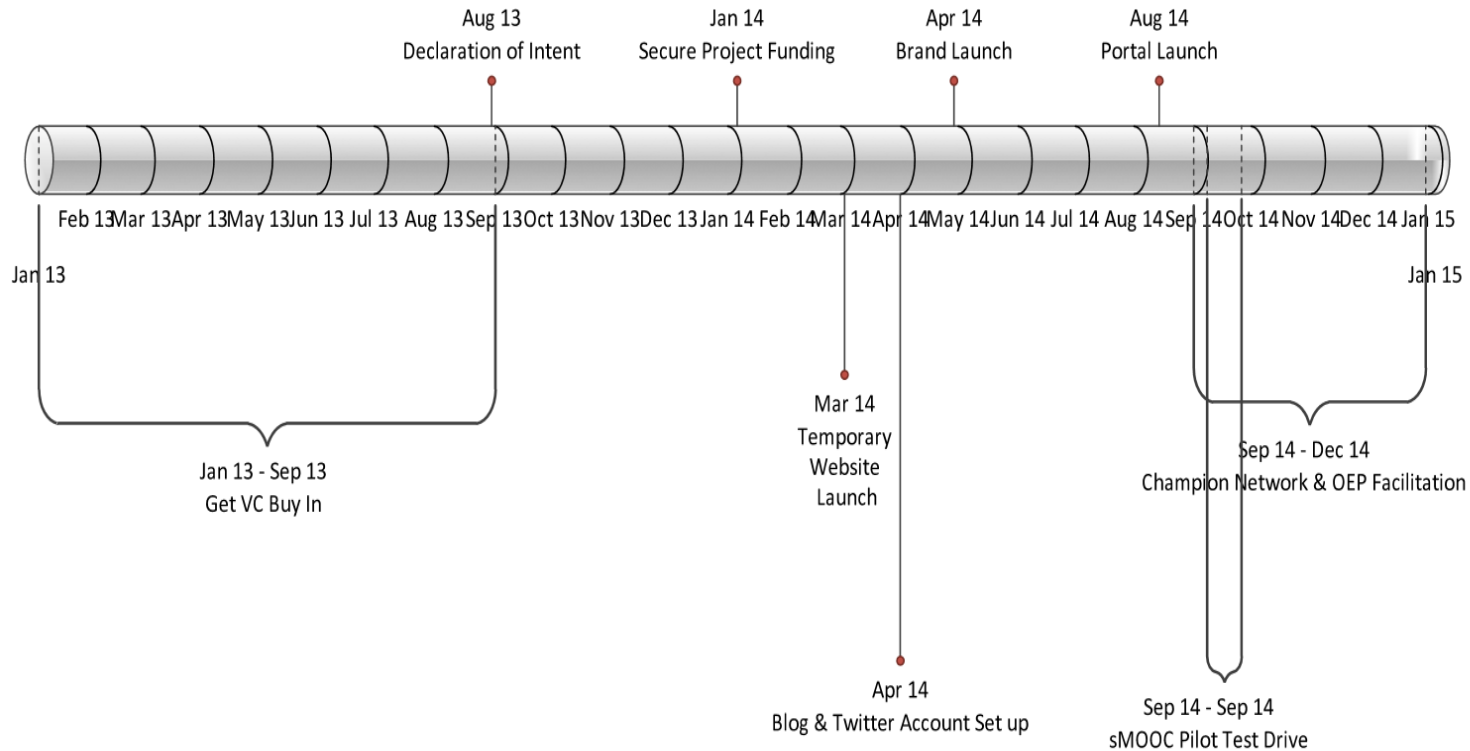
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Co-Creator Badge

Gold Badge

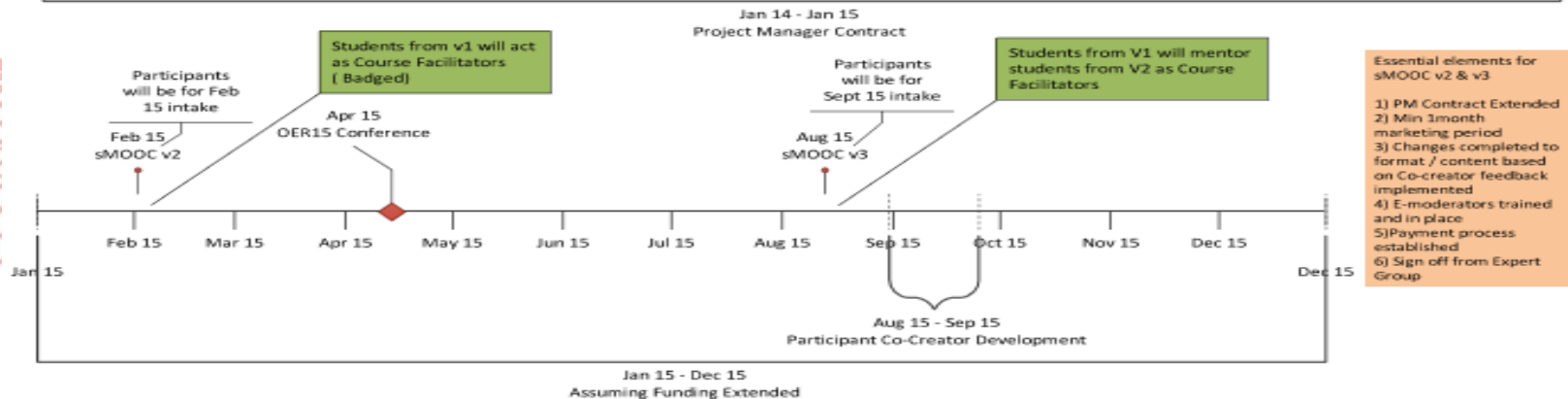
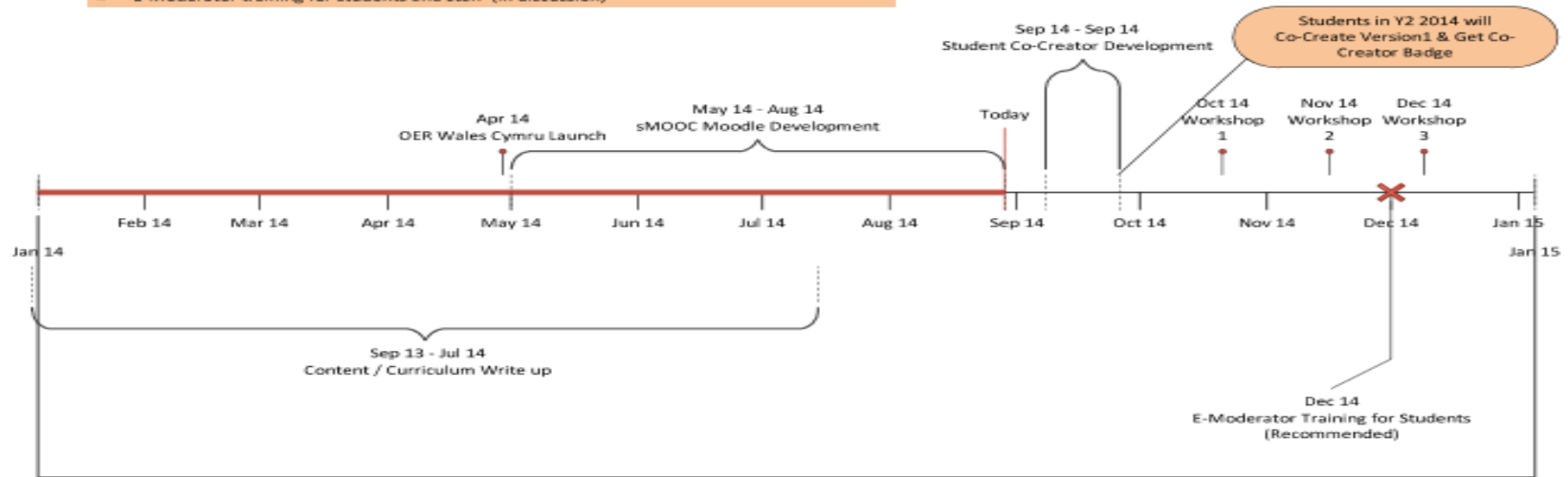
Participation Badge

Project Roadmap

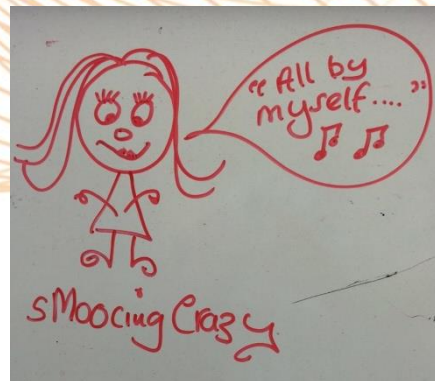


OER Wales Cymru ROADMAP

- sMOOC V1 will be co-produced by existing students based on framework of content [from focus groups] and current format.
 - Anticipate that changes will be made to both content and format including development of additional OER Resources by Students.
 - The idea is that these students will act as the initial course facilitators for v2 in Feb 2015 and v3 in Aug 2015
- Essential elements for this to take place*
- Willing Volunteers (nearly done)
 - Co-creator badge to be in place (done)
 - E-Moderator training for students and staff (in discussion)



Paddling, getting wet & aiming to catch the good waves ... ? Sort of





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Royal Welsh College of Music & Drama

Chairs:

Haydn Blackey & Prof Martin Weller

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