

Institutional Roadmap for Open Education

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Strategic Alignment

Links of this roadmap with the Institutional or Strategic Plan	The Open Education roadmap of CU aims to create an OER repository in Arabic and English suitable for Egypt and the region. These OER resources and materials are planned to cover a diverse spectrum of topics and specializations. In particular, the open education approach will enable CU to provide students and professors nationwide with free and remote access to state-of-the-art educational	
Processes required for implementation	 The processes required to implement the open education road map of CU can be summarized as follows: Process to increase the awareness of decision makers, professors, and instructors about the potentials and advantages of open education Process to train the trainers via OpenMed online course. Process to create OER resources and materials. Process to train professors and instructors to use the open education tools and platforms that are provided through CU's Innovation Centre for Open Education Process to promote open education materials to the students and professors 	

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Relevant Actions

Actions to be developed	Provide workshops and lectures to increase the awareness of decision makers, professors, and instructors about the potentials and advantages of open education	
Description	Regular workshops and lectures will be organized at CU, Helwan University, and Menia University to increase the awareness of decision makers, professors, and instructors about the potential and advantages of open education	
Timeframe	Menia University workshop/seminar will be on 22-Oct-2018 CU workshop/seminar will be on 30-Oct-2018 Helwan University workshop/seminar will be on 6-Nov-2018 Open access event at the American University in Cairo – 27-Nov-2018	
Priority (if applicable)	High	
Expected results and impact	Increasing the awareness of decision makers, professors, and instructors about the potentials and advantages of open education plays a crucial rule to change the perception about open education in a positive and constructive manner	
People, teams or department in charge	All CU OpenMed team members will be in charge of the workshops/seminars.	



Actions to be developed	Process to train the trainers via OpenMed online course.	
Description	Utilize the sakai setup at UNIR to conduct OpenMed online course for professors and instructors of Egypt. Our own Learning Management System (LMS) could be used for future OpenMed online course setups.	
Timeframe	The first OpenMed online course will be organized around mid-January 2019. This needs to be confirmed based on the setup/system availability.	
Priority (if applicable)	High	
Expected results and impact	Training and educating professors and instructors about open education concepts, approaches, and tools is important to develop high quality open education material at CU and deliver this material to CU and nationwide students	
People, teams or department in charge	All CU OpenMed team members will be in charge of conducting the training OpenMed course. However, Dr. Ahmed Elbialy will be mainly responsible for system setup and availability.	



Actions to be developed	Process to create OER resources and materials.
Description	Regular workshops and lectures will be organized at CU to educate professors and instructors and provide them with the training on how to create OER resources and materials
Timeframe	The first workshop will be organized about two months after completing the online course.
Priority (if applicable)	Medium
Expected results and impact	Training the professors and instructors to create OER resources and materials for Open Education is crucial to develop high quality open education materials at CU and deliver this material to CU and nationwide students
People, teams or department in charge	All CU OpenMed team members will be in charge of performing this action item.



Actions to be developed	Provide workshops and lectures to train professors and instructors to use the open education tools and platforms provided through CU's Innovation Centre for Open Education	
Description	Regular workshops and lectures will be organized at CU to educate professors and instructors and provide them with the training to use the open education tools and platforms provided through ICOEs at CU.	
Timeframe	The first workshop will be organized about four months after completing the online course.	
Priority (if applicable)	Medium	
Expected results and impact	Training the professors and instructors to use the open education tools and platforms provided through CU's Innovation Centre for Open Education is crucial to develop high quality open education materials at CU and deliver this material to CU and nationwide students.	
People, teams or department in charge	All CU OpenMed team members will be in charge of performing this action item.	



Actions to be developed	Provide workshops to promote open education materials to the students and professors	
Description	Regular workshops will be organized at CU to promote open education materials to the students and professors	
Timeframe	The first workshop will be organized within the first two weeks of the academic year 2019/2020.	
Priority (if applicable)	Medium	
Expected results and impact	Promoting open education to the students and professors is crucial to spread the culture of open education and deploy open education materials in the courses and programs provided by CU	
People, teams or department in charge	All CU OpenMed team members will be in charge of performing this action item.	



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