

OPEN web.
content.
learning.

an online course
for educators



early brainstorm
- for feedback

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8 week online course where educators learn about **open content licensing, open web technologies** and **open teaching methods**.

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Includes **interactive online talks** and **hands on prototyping** of a Mozilla open learning project.

Goals

- Help educators **learn** about open licensing, technology and teaching.
- **Test** and assess the online course method being developed by Mozilla Labs.
- **Promote** Mozilla Education and CCLearn (and P2PU?) amongst educators.
- Gather **design** ideas for education.mozilla.org.

Audience

- **Educators** looking for skills to help them with open teaching and learning.
- Should have some **tech or content production skills** already.
- Likely to come from areas like: **new media, communications, design, comp studies.**

Approach

- 10 weeks of online **interactive talks** using WebEx or DimDim. Archive on video.
- Talks presented by leading people from Mozilla, CC and other allies.
- Participants use concepts from talks to **develop design ideas** for EdMoz site.
- Participant and presenter **community** and interaction via mail list and IRC.
- Same as Labs Concept Series course model.

Content

- **Intro**
- **Open courseware**
- **Licensing options**
- **Open web tech (basics)**
- **Open web tech (on the horizon)**
- **Open learning: Mozilla@Seneca**
- **Open learning: BYU open-edu course**
- **Final project presentations**

Presenters

- **Mozilla**
 - Chris Blizzard
 - Ben and Dion
 - Dave Humphrey
- **CCLearn**
 - Ahrash Bissell
 - new legal counsel
- **Open Ed Allies**
 - Philipp Schmidt
 - David Wiley
- **A note on effort**
 - Presenters simply need to prepare and give a 1 hour online talk

Final Thoughts

- **Resources.** Needs 1 person to coordinate.
- **Timing.** Best if we can start @ same time as Labs Concept Series in March.
- **This is a test.** If it works, may expand.
 - If we expand, best participants could teach and mentor in round 2.
- This is the very first braindump of this idea.
Please give feedback.