

Innovative & Affordable Acts of Pedagogy

Open Education Show & Tell

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INTRODUCTION

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- Open Education: Definition
 - Where we are
 - Where do we hope to go
 - How can we help you?
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SHOW & TELL

EXAMPLES

Open Textbook Grant Program

Additional Open Textbook Possibilities

- Unfunded Pressbooks Example
- Existing Open Resources
- Cloning Tool in Pressbooks

Open Access Student Journals

Wikipedia Assignments

Funded example: Centring Indigenous oracy



Haida raven carving

Development of an interactive open text book as an introduction to the broad topic of Indigenous peoples in Canada

- Grounded in **Indigenous oracy**
 - i.e., the dissemination of knowledge through story, narrative, dance, and art
 - Centre Indigenous voices, lived experiences, and scholarship
- Variety of **interactive multimedia learning objects**

Benefits & challenges

Benefits for students:

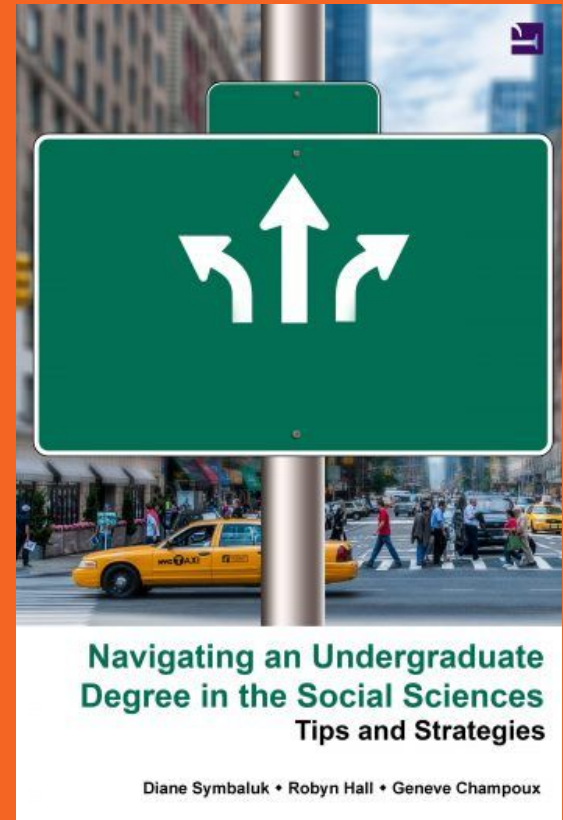
- Experiential and deeper learning across disciplines
- Indigenous oracy focus
 - Intro to Indigenous ways of teaching and learning
- Strength-based learning space for both Indigenous and non-Indigenous students

Challenges in creating:

- Finding existing open access learning objects
 - Creation of multimedia objects
 - Funding
 - Scheduling
 - Fluidity of potential chapter topics
 - Indigenous ethics and story “ownership”
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Pressbooks Example

- Developed with **\$0** funding
- Used **open peer-review**
- Includes **student** contributions



Open Textbook Adoption in Psychology

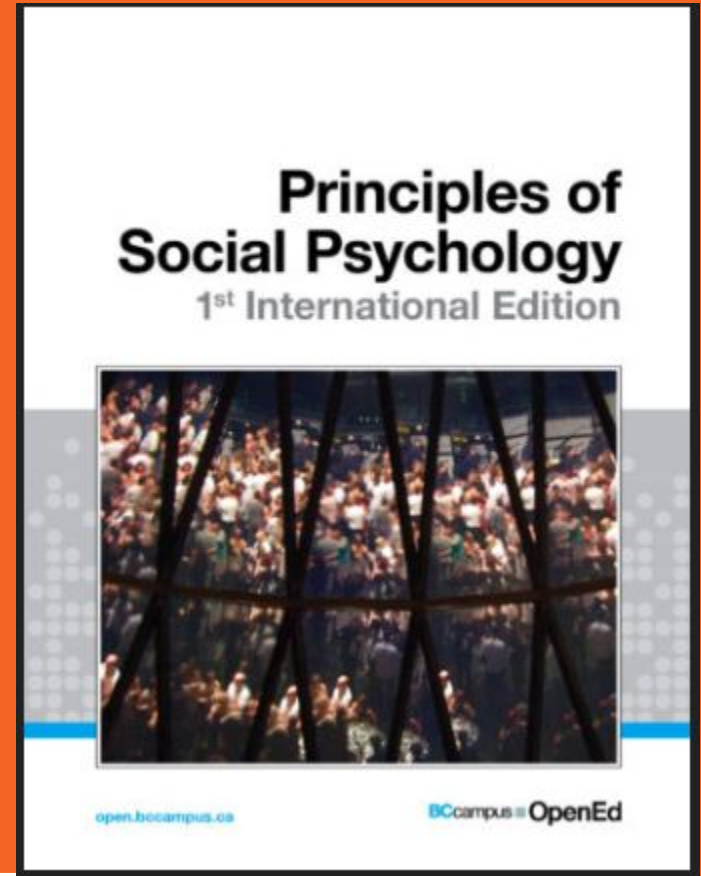
- **PSYC 212:** Introduction to Research Methods in Psychology
- Required Course for Psych Majors and Honours



— Research Methods
in Psychology

Open Textbook Adaptation in Psychology

- PSYC 241: Social Psychology
- Online for Fall 2020



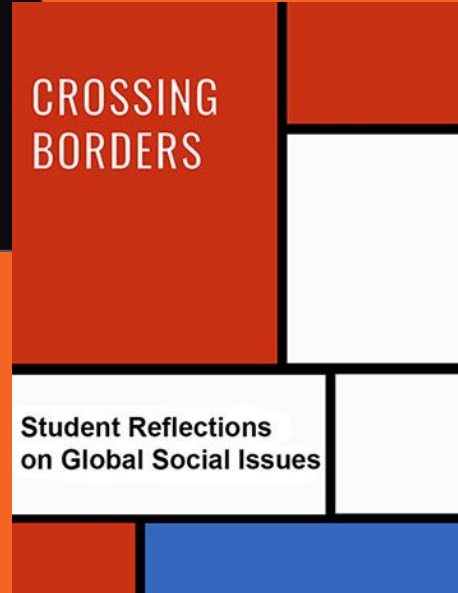
[Principles of Social Psychology](https://open.bccampus.ca)

Pressbooks Cloning Tool

The screenshot displays the Pressbooks dashboard interface. At the top, a red navigation bar contains the Pressbooks logo (PB) and several menu items: Network Admin, MacEwan Open Books, My Catalog, and MacEwan Open Textbook Authoring Guide. On the left, a vertical sidebar lists various dashboard functions: Dashboard, Home, My Catalog, Organize, Book Info, Appearance, Export, Publish, Plugins, Media, Users, Tools, and Settings. The main content area is titled 'Dashboard' and features a red arrow pointing to a dropdown menu. This menu includes the option 'Clone A Book' at the top, followed by a list of existing books, each with a 'PB' icon and a right-pointing arrow: 'Nursing Care at the End of Life', 'MacEwan Open Textbook Authoring Guide', 'Community Arts and Cultural Development and Engagement', 'ARTE 102/ARTE 104 Textbook', 'Inclusive Education: Case Studies for Educational Assistants', 'Introduction to R/R Commander', 'Centering Indigenous Oracy: An Interactive Introduction to Indigenous Peoples in Canada', and 'MacEwan Open Books Author Sandbox'. Below the menu, the dashboard content is organized into sections: 'About this Guide', 'About Open Textbooks', 'Chapter 1: Introduction' (with sub-items 'What are Open Textbooks?' and 'What is Pressbooks?'), 'Chapter 2: Getting Started with Pressbooks' (with sub-items 'Creating an Open Textbook' and 'Adapting an Existing Open Textbook'), 'Chapter 3: Developing Content in Pressbooks' (with sub-items 'Logging In', 'Adding Users', 'Book Structure: Parts and Chapters', 'How to Remove Automatic Chapter Numbering', 'How to Import Content from Microsoft Word', and 'Linking Material'). On the right side of the dashboard, there is a user profile section for 'sobchyshynk - Adm' and a summary of '5 total users: 5 administrators' with links for 'Add' and 'Organize'. Below that is a 'Pressbooks News' section with a link to 'Pressbooks.com Schedu' and a snippet of text 'To boost the performance'.

Open Access Student Journals

- Hosted by the Library using Open Journal Systems



Wikipedia Assignments

Use the Wikipedia Education
Dashboard to Create and Manage
Course Assignments

<https://dashboard.wikiedu.org/>

Impact since 2010:

Wiki Education Courses

3,200

Students

66,000

Articles worked on

83,000

Words added

60 Million

Article views, in a single term

438 Million

The number of words students have donated to the world. That's 200,000 pages – the equivalent of 36 volumes of a printed encyclopedia, shared with everyone, for free.

How many people have read the Wikipedia articles these students have edited? In a single term, 438 million. That's six times larger than the population of France.

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Articles Created

87

Articles Edited

1.29K

Total Edits

58ⁱ

Student Editors

50.3K

Words Added

803ⁱ

References Added

5.3M

Article Views

1ⁱ

Commons Uploads

Last statistics update: 7 months ago

Women and Medicine

This course surveys the relationship between women and medicine from Antiquity to the present. We will examine the interrelated histories of women as medical practitioners, patients and objects of medical knowledge. We explore the different ways women functioned as health care providers, as domestic healers, nurses, midwives, and physicians. At the same time, we discuss how women experienced illness in the past and the expectations and norms that shaped their illness experiences. Finally, we look at medical knowledge about women and how ideas about gender have been constructed by the medical professions.

This Week

There is nothing on the schedule for this week.

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Details

Instructors: [BeforeNewton](#)

Wiki Ed Staff: [Sage \(Wiki Ed\)](#) (Sage Ross / sross@wikiedu.org), [Helaine \(Wiki Ed\)](#)

School: University of Oklahoma

Term: Fall

Expected Students: 54

Start: 2017-08-20

End: 2017-12-20

Assignment Start: 2017-09-04

Assignment End: 2017-12-01

Campaigns: [National Women's Studies Association](#), [Communicating Science, Fall 2017](#)

DISCUSSION

Discussion Questions

In pairs, discuss and consider the following:

- How might you integrate open education practices into your own coursework?
 - Benefits?
 - Challenges?
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LEARN MORE

Resources

Support at MacEwan

Pressbooks:

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Open Journal Systems:

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Discuss “open” assignments:

[Subject Librarians](#) &

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Learn more about Open Education

[Getting OER Projects Off the Ground and Online](#) (2019 session slides)

[OER Summit](#) University of Alberta
May 20, 2020; registration is open

[Art+Feminism Wikipedia Edit-a-thon](#)

March 5, 2020 2PM-8PM

Allard Hall Atrium - All welcome!