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Part 1: The Groundwork

The first part of the course provides important background. It begins with an overview of what CC is and where the idea came from. Then it moves to copyright law, the basics of which are key to understanding both why CC was founded and how the licenses work.

Module 1: What is Creative Commons?

- The Story of Creative Commons
- Creative Commons Today

Module 2: Copyright Law Basics

- Copyright Basics
- Global Aspects of Copyright
- The Public Domain
- Exceptions and Limitations of Copyright

Part 2: Closeup on CC Legal Tools and Users

The second part of the course is where you will dig into CC licenses and how they operate — from the perspective of a creator and a user. Finally, you will explore what CC licensing looks like in the real world. You'll learn about the values, practices, and benefits connected to CC licensing.

Module 3: Anatomy of a CC License

- License Design and Terminology
- License Scope
- License Types
- License Enforceability

Module 4: Using CC Licenses and CC-Licensed Works

- Choosing and Applying a CC License
- Things to Consider after CC-Licensing
- Finding and Reusing CC-Licensed Work
- Remixing CC-Licensed Work

Module 5: Made with Creative Commons

- Values and Practices
- The Benefits
- Case Studies



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Module 6: CC for Library Staff

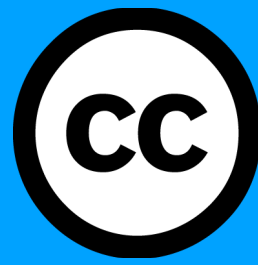
In the 21st century, library staff's role is expanding in new ways, particularly as library collections are increasingly digitized. To deal with these changes, expertise in open licensing can be a very important asset.

- Open Access
- OER, Open Textbooks, Open Courses and MOOCs
- Finding Evaluating and support the adoption of OER
- Creating and Sharing OER
- Opening up your institution

Module 6: CC for Teachers & Educators

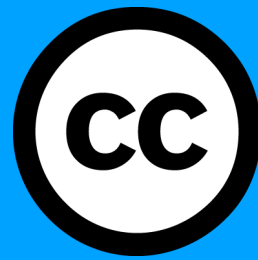
Creative Commons powers the open educational resources (OER) movement with tools that help create better, more flexible and sustainable education.

- OER, Open Textbooks, Open Courses, and MOOCs
- Finding, Evaluating & Adapting Resources
- Creating and Sharing OER
- Applying OER-Enabled Pedagogy
- Institutional Policies



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