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Outline

- What are OER?
- Why use OER?
- Where can OER be found?

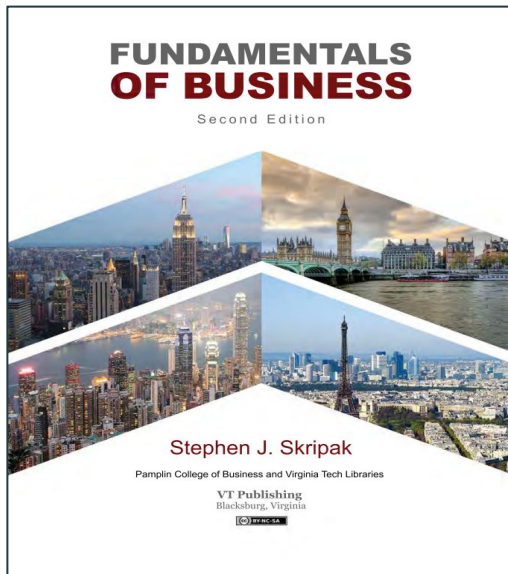
What are open educational resources (OER)?

- Resources
 - Textbooks, articles, ancillary materials, other things
- Educational
 - Designed and/or used for educational purposes
- Open
 - Free, licensed for sharing (usually [Creative Commons](#))

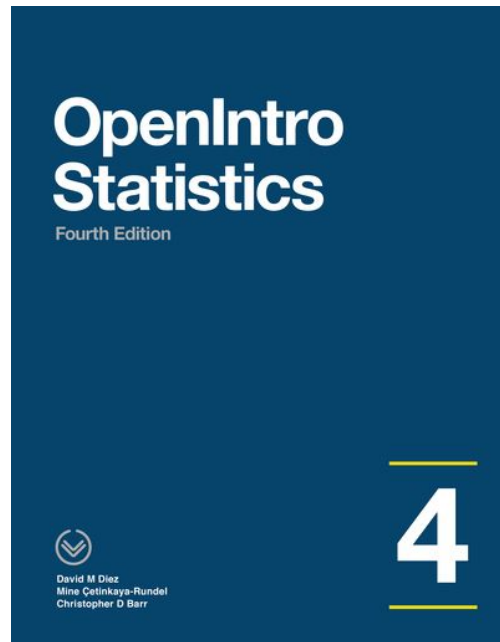
Examples of OER: Textbooks



[Openstax Chemistry](#)



[Fundamentals of Business](#)

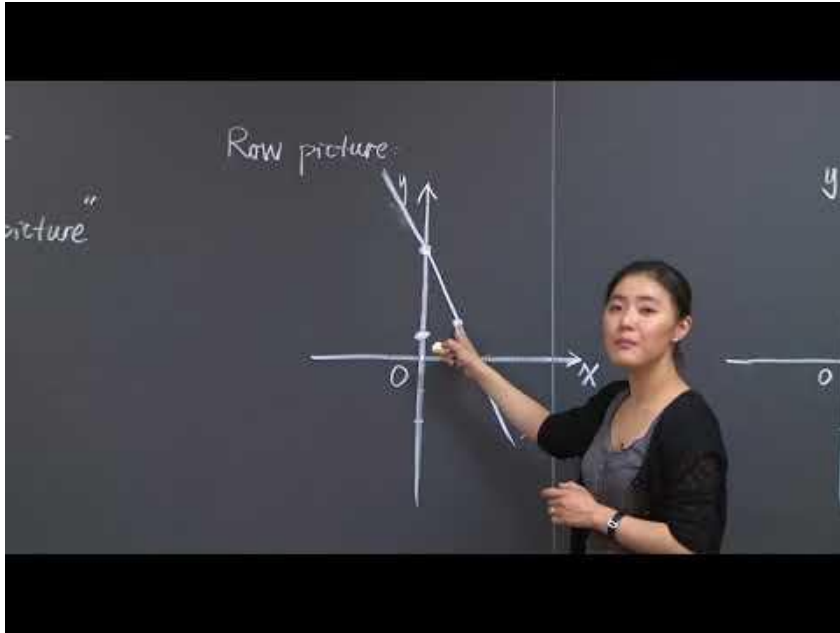


[OpenIntro Statistics](#)

Examples of OER: Ancillary materials

- [Testbank for Fundamentals of Business](#)
- [Slides for OpenIntro Statistics](#)
- [Lab for OpenStax Chemistry](#)

Examples of OER: Videos



Adverbs

- tell how something happens
- modify adjectives or other adverbs

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Examples of OER: Other materials

- Podcasts
- Non-textbook books
- Anything else that meets the definition of OER



Questions?

Why use OER?

- Free
- Flexible
- Available

Where to find OER

- [Open Textbook Library](#)
- [OER Commons](#)
- [OASIS](#)

Limitations

- Not yet available for every subject
- Mostly for basic intro-level courses
- Limited options

Other topics

- [Creating new OER](#)
- [Creative Commons](#) licensing
- Publishing workflows for OER
- Textbook cost specifics
- [Customizing existing OER](#)

Questions?



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