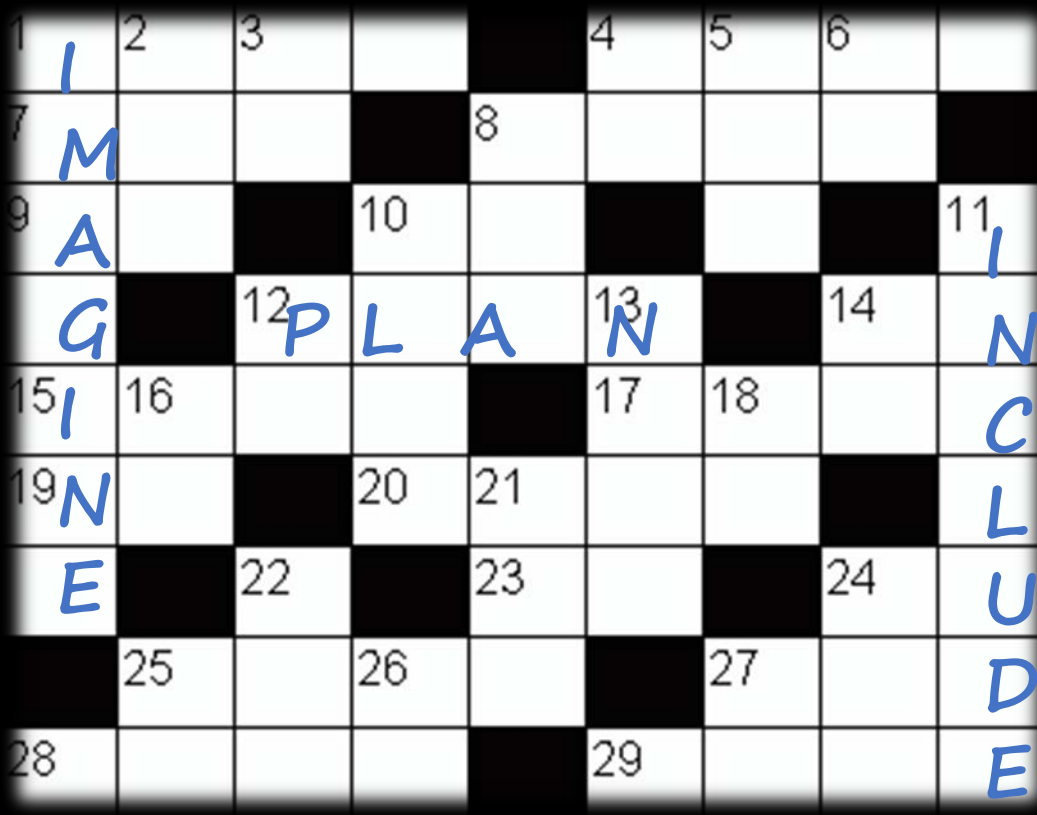


# Successful OER Adoption in a Business Curriculum

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# Start Here: Dilemmas and Decision Making

The first two modules in this course explained the role of ethics in business and provided the philosophical approaches we will consider in this module, Dilemmas and Decision Making.

## Focus Questions:

- How closely does your decision-making process resemble the process put forth in this module?
- What aspects of ethical decision-making are most challenging?
- Why is doing the right thing from an ethical standpoint difficult?
- When is the best time to create a framework for resolving ethical issues? At the time the issue arises?

The tabs below explore the decision making process.

Facts Stakeholders Ethical Issues Develop Alternatives Evaluate Alternatives Decide

Identifying the facts of a case is a critical first step. It lays the foundation for the analysis that follows. Perspective on facts to the decision-maker. Indeed, simply agreeing on the facts of a situation can illuminate possible alternatives (in this module).

First, a definition.<sup>1</sup>

## fact

*noun* or \ˈfakt\

1. *a* : something that has actual existence *space exploration is now a fact*

*b* : an actual occurrence *prove the fact of damage*

2. *a* piece of information presented as having objective reality *These are the hard facts of the case.*

Unit 3: Dilemmas & Decision Making

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- \*Unit 3 Dilemmas & Decision-Making Quiz (10 pts)
- Online Discussion: Stakeholders (40 pts)
- Online Discussion: Which Course of Action for "Cristal Clear" (40 pts)
- Individual Written Case Analysis 1 (100 pts)
- Additional Instructors' Resources
  - \*Dilemmas and Decision-Making Slides.pptx
  - Business ethics cases and decision models-A call for relevancy in the classroom by Mathison.pdf
  - Good Conversations-An Enhanced Model to Teach Business Ethics by Thomson.pdf
- Suggested Activities for this Unit
  - Ethical decision making





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