

# M.O.S.T. Commons: A Resource to Support the Shift to Remote Teaching

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# Examples of Remote Teaching Supports

- Innovations - Anthropology Mini-Lectures:  
<https://anthrodendum.org/2020/03/16/introducing-the-collective-anthro-mini-lectures-project-for-covidcampus/>,  
<https://www.oercommons.org/courseware/8452>
- Open Oregon: [Pandemic One-Sheets for Faculty & Students: Online Teaching Motto: “Less Work, More Learning”](#)
- Nordic Health Hub  
[https://www.oercommons.org/hubs/nordic\\_universities](https://www.oercommons.org/hubs/nordic_universities)
- OpenStax <https://www.oercommons.org/hubs/openstax> faculty are sharing ancillary materials that they are using with open textbooks



# How M.O.S.T. Can Help

- Set up Groups
- Create Course Shells for scope and sequence of curriculum or projects
- Add resources to M.O.S.T. Commons
- Create Curated Collections
- Set up an Institutional Site
- For assistance email: [most@usmd.edu](mailto:most@usmd.edu)



# Institutional Site

Custom Resource Center nested within M.O.S.T. Commons for collaboration within an Institution

- Free of Charge to the Institution
- Requires approval of Provost or Chief Academic Officer
- Must assign one or more Site Administrators to work with M.O.S.T. to set up and manage site – approximately 4 hours/week
- Requires one or more Group Administrators per group
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## For More Information

<https://most.oercommons.org/>

<http://www.oer-maryland.org/>

<https://www.usmd.edu/cai/maryland-open-source-textbook-most-initiative>

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