

Session 'Enhancing Digital Teaching & Learning: Opening Educational Resources

# Open educational resources (OER) in the Spanish universities

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# 1. Objectives

Main: Analysis of the current situation OER in the Spanish university context

Specifics:



# 2. Methodologies

#### **SURVEY** distributed among the **REBIUN** network (76 institutions) in 2019



REBIUN Línea 3. Grupo Repositorios (2019). Recursos educativos abiertos: estado de la cuestión y pautas para su impulso en las universidades españolas. http://hdl.handle.net/20.500.11967/243

#### CONTENT ANALYSIS

#### **REBIUN** Directory of institutional repositories

#### $\rightarrow$ 45 IRs (59,2%) with teaching collections

addi

Universidad del Pais Vasco/Euskal

Herriko Unibertsitatea

http://addi.ehu.es/

DOCUMENTACIÓN

Academica-e

Archivo

Digital

Universidad Politécnica de Madrid

http://oa.upm.es

# 3. Main Results: Publication platforms

**Coexistence between OA/ closed & internal/ external platforms**:

• Internal:

Virtual campuses, the main LCMS used (88,6%)

**IRs** (77,3%) & **OCW** (32%).

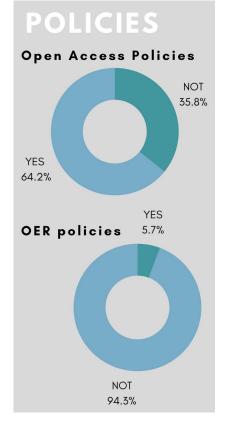
• External:

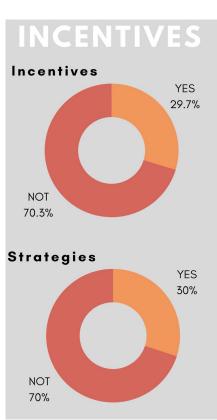
80% dif channels (YouTube, SlideShare, Prezi, etc)

MOOCs: MiríadaX & Coursera.



# **Policies & Incentives**





The **most of OA Policies** are **research-oriented** and they **don't** expressly **include OER** practice.

Few specific OE policies to boost OER are carried out

Some work in progress strategies to promote OER

**Incentives** for the creation of OER are **rare** Economic and academic nature

ТҮРЕ	INCENTIVE	NUMBER OF UNIVERSITIES	
	Financial suppleme creation	nt for OER	3
Economic	Competitive call for grants for OER creation		3
	Recognition in teac	hing hours	3
Academic	Merit in teaching ap	opraisal	2
	Diploma or certifica	ite	2

# **IRs Volume & Timeline**

Continuous growth of OER total volume

Need of greater institutional promotion and incentives for authors

#### Between 10.000 y 68.000 Less than 1.000 Universities: Between 1.000 y 10.000 8 universities with less than Unknown UAB UPV, UPC, Zaragoza and 300 resources Volume Alicante TOTAL 45 Repositories 5 11 20 9 11.11% 24.44% 44.44% 20%

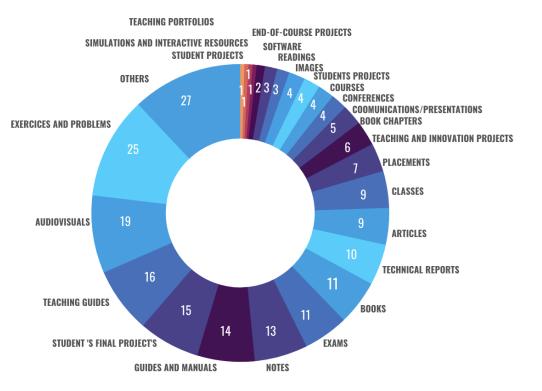
#### **VOLUME OF EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES IN REPOSITORIES**

**EVOLUTION OF THE CREATION OF TEACHING COLLECTIONS IN INSTITUTIONAL REPOSITORIES** 



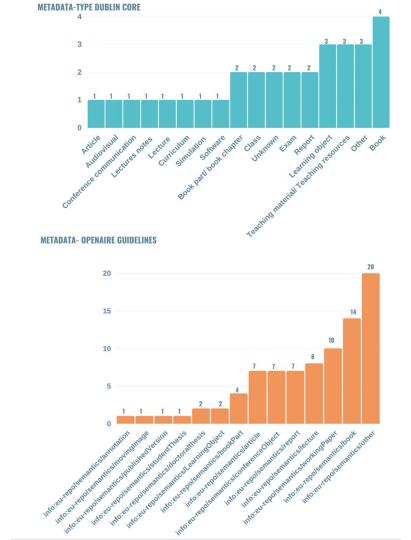
# **OERs'** Typologies

- Dispersion & mix of types
- Prevalence of "Others"
- Prominence of audiovisual content
- Balance between practical & theoretical OER
- Important presence of Final Projects from students.



# Metadata to describe OER

- Not the most appropriate schema, such as LOM or LOM-ES.
- 93.3% of IRs use Dublin Core (DC), with & without qualifiers
- Metadata schema closely linked to the software used (DSpace)
- Double-layer metadata system: Type term & semantic OpenAire



### Formats

- Diversity of type formats
- The most used:

.pdf;

.mp4 and .mp3;

.jpeg .png;

.ppt or .pptx; .html

.zip and .rar.

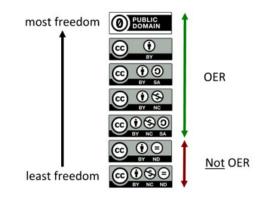
 Shortcomings as for technical openness (in 55% of IRs)

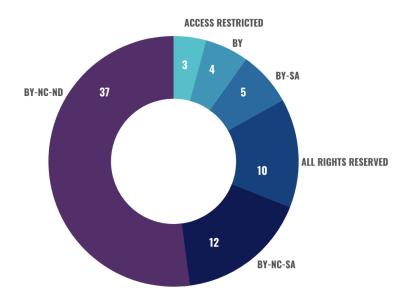
FILE FORMAT (EXTENSION	) түре	NUMBER OF REPOSITORIES
.pdf	Text	45
.doc o docx	Text	6
.xls	Text	1
.odt	Text	1
.jpeg o .jpg	Image	5
.png	Image	2
.tiff	Image	1
.mpeg	Audio and video	4
.mp4	Audio and video	11
.flv o x-flv	Audio and video	5
.avi	Audio and video	1
.swf	Audio and video	2
.mov	Audio and video	1
.mp3	Audio	3
.ppt o pps	Presentations (te image, video)	ext 8
.prezi	Presentacions (to image, video)	ext, 1
.html	Web	5
.xml	Web	3
.zip	Compression	6
.rar	Compression	3

### Licenses

**Widespread** use of open **CC licenses** but also a few with all rights reserved (restricted collections)

**37.7%** have OER under one of the four CC licences (BY, BY-SA, BY-NC or BY-NC-SA) **allowing reuse (5Rs)** 





# **RIs Classification. Stages of development**

IRs classification based on the **purpose** and **level of openness** of educational resources deposited.

STAGES	DESCRIPTION		REPOSITORIES	
0	Repositories with teaching community	45	100%	
1	Repositories with teaching communities not exclusively formed by TFEs.	42	93%	
2	Repositories with teaching communities that have a mix of resources: those created specifically for teaching and learning (OER and OER, high level of openness and reuse) and resources with other purposes (TFEs, teaching innovation, academic, and research materials). See Table 8	36	80%	
3	Repositories with teaching communities that only contain OER created exclusively for teaching and learning and holding some type of open licence.	6	13%	
4	Repositories with teaching communities that only contain OER created exclusively for teaching and learning and holding licences permitting their reuse.	4	8,8%	

### 4. Conclusions (I). Educational resources in Spanish universities

- Heterogeneous type and limited openness
- **Duplicated publication** in platforms **not interconnected** (OCW, IRs & V.Campus)
- Open policies don't influence in creation of OER neither incentive
- Promotional strategies have a more significant relationship to incentives

# 4. Conclusions (II). Teaching Collection in IRs

- Created during 2008-2011
- Total volume has increased but still need for greater institutional promotion
- The most of IRs:
  - o dispersion
  - o mix of types, licenses, metadata & deposit patterns
- Few IRs:
- o resources not created exclusively for teaching and learning
- Not appropriate licenses for reuse
- A common procedure is not being followed

.....nor awareness of what creating OER means.

### 5. Recommendations

• To include **OER in teaching evaluations** (merit or scoring value).

• To create OER with the **maximum degree of openness & reuse**:

#### 1. Encouraging **collaborative working**:

Teaching staff, students, librarians in charge of IRs and teaching & learning support services.

#### 2. Creating guides How to about:

- creating materials with the exclusive purpose of teaching and learning;
- using open formats (or, at least, standardised formats);
- raising awareness about the use of licences that allow reuse;
- integrating specific and interoperable metadata.

# 6. For more information...

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#### Abstract

Open educational resources (OERs) have become a key element in the development of quality education within the 2030 Agenda. This article discusses the current situation of OER in Spanish universities, analysing their publishing platforms, policies, strategies and incentives for authors. In addition, the characteristics of the existing OERs in institutional reposi-

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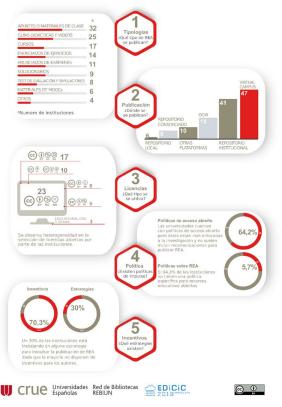
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