Textbook Alternatives
Part 1: Open Educational Resources

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Favorite OER sources/searches

- http://www.merlot.org
- https://www.oercommons.org

Other links

- GPC OER guide http://guides.gpc.edu/OER
- Creative Commons http://creativecommons.org
- Creative Commons search https://search.creativecommons.org
- Google image search https://images.google.com
- Affordable Learning Georgia http://affordablelearninggeorgia.org
- Virginia Tech OER guide http://guides.lib.vt.edu/oer
- GSU OER guide http://research.library.gsu.edu/openeducation

Selection Criteria:

- Quality of content
  - Peer review
- Appropriateness
- License
- Adaptability/Modularity
- Printability
- Accessibility
  - Universal design
  - Ease of use
- Supplementary materials

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Library resources you can link/embed in iCollege D2L

Library homepage: http://depts.gpc.edu/library

**Resources:**

**GALILEO**
- GALILEO Discover Tool
- Predefined Search
- Database
- List of databases
- Article
- Journal

**E-books**
- Whole book; chapter; relevant page
- eBooks on EBSCOhost and Academic eBooks on EBSCOhost
- ebrary Academic Complete (ProQuest)

**Streaming video**
- Whole film, segment
- Films on Demand (educational, documentaries)
- American History in Video (documentaries, news reals)
- SWANK Digital Campus (full feature films)
- Digital Theatre Plus (recordings on contemporary theatre productions)

**Images**
- ArtStor

**Library catalog:** GIL-Find search
- Book records
- Lists

**Other links**

Ask a Librarian http://depts.gpc.edu/library/ask.htm
Research Guides: http://guides.gpc.edu
Faculty Toolkit: http://guides.gpc.edu/facultytoolkit (iCollege tools)
Digital Campus (from Swank Motion Pictures): http://guides.gpc.edu/SWANK

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