STRATEGIES, APPROACHES, AND IDEAS USED TO EMPOWER OER

Jorgo Gushi, Chair, Student Advisory Council
Postcards created by Massasoit Community College Students
Strategies Applied for Campus Promotion

01 Print the statements and hang them around campus
02 Bring the statements to classes with faculty who teach OER courses
03 Set up a table to talk to students about OER and have them support the initiative
04 Walk around campus and talk to students, pull up the QR code and have them fill out the statement on their phone
05 Reach out to OER point of contacts to help circulate the statements
06 Use the OER Ambassadors to help facilitate events
Campus Responses to OER Statements of Support

- Berkshire Community College - 1
- Bridgewater State University - 1
- Bristol - 12
- Bunker Hill CC - 57
- Cape Cod Community College - 2
- Fitchburg State University - 2
- Framingham State University - 104
- Greenfield Community College - 4
- Holyoke Community College - 198
- Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts - 1
- Massasoit Community College - 866
- MassBay Community College - 11
- Massachusetts Maritime Academy - 3
- Middlesex Community College - 5
- Mount Wachusett Community College - 189
- Other - 11
- Quinsigamond Community College - 44
- Roxbury Community College - 14
- Salem State University - 1
- Springfield Technical Community College - 201
- UMass Amherst - 78
- UMass Boston - 2
- UMass Dartmouth - 1
- UMass Lowell - 1
- Westfield State University - 4
- Worcester State University - 5

We have 1,828 statements in total
From Kush Patel, Segmental Advisor to the BHE for University of Massachusetts Campuses, happy Open Educational Resources Week!

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Due to Open Educational Resources Week, our Student Advisory Council Chair, Jorge Gusti, would like to wish all of you happy OER Week and stress out the importance of OER for the student population of Massachusetts and the important work that SAC has been doing on behalf of OER.

In this video, that chair next to Jorge, was left empty on purpose, aiming to be filled by all OER supporters who want to stand next to SAC in this important initiative.

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Videos Posted from SAC Executive Team
**Future Actions**

**Statements of Support**

- Continue the collection of Statements of Support until the end of the semester (early May)

**Letter to Legislators**

- SAC is writing a letter to Legislators and BHE to ask for funding in this trying time and OER will be included in the language