

Celebrate [International OPEN ACCESS Week](#) with us!



**Monday, October 25th,
recording becomes available**

**DEI in OER: Three Perspectives
First Podcast**

Jessica Birthisel, Bridgewater State University,
Communications Studies Department

Tuesday, October 26, 2-3 pm

Webinar: Inclusive Teaching Using OER

Join us for an Open Access Week webinar presentation by Anthony Palmiotto, Editorial Director at OpenStax. Open Educational Resources offer the opportunity to increase access and build a sense of community and belonging among all students. The academic freedom they provide can ensure diverse representation and active engagement with students. In this presentation, we will cover inclusive approaches for OER development, curation, and usage in courses, and how they can be adapted for a variety of teaching environments.

Presenter Bio: Anthony Palmiotto is the editorial director at OpenStax, where he works with faculty, instructional designers, librarians, and administrators to improve educational materials and practices. He oversees the development and enhancement of the OpenStax textbooks, and supports their integration into courses and learning systems. Prior to joining OpenStax, Anthony worked in commercial publishing for over ten years.

Zoom Webinar Link: <https://zoom.us/j/95545391915>

Wednesday, October 27th, recording becomes available

**DEI in OER: Three Perspectives
Second Podcast**

Adina Giannelli, Holyoke Community College, Criminal Justice Department

Thursday, October 28th, recording becomes available

**DEI in OER: Three Perspectives
Third Podcast**

Roopika Risam, Salem State University, Education Department

Link to the “DEI in OER: Three Perspectives” Podcasts:

<https://soundcloud.com/1035wcch/global-literacy-is-taking-hold-at-the-ma-state-and-campus-levels/s-808vAomyEbQ?si=aa2664875f8f4188afed7d620ae38c6a>

Also, look for an exciting announcement on Friday, October 29th about
Massachusetts Higher Ed. OER Awards nominations!

These events are sponsored by the Massachusetts OER Advisory Council.