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The Open Academic Publishing Platform



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# Our Values

Creation
Openness
User Control
Accessibility



# Creation/overview

• Easy creation of **interactive** web-based books ...



# Creation/export formats

- Webbook (mobile-responsive)
- PDF (print, digital)
- EPUB, MOBI
- Common Cartridge (coming Q2)
- XML
- XHTML
- OpenDocument



# Openness

- Pressbooks is open source (GPL)
- Wide usage for creating OER
- Enable openly licensed content (or not!).
- Open formats & interoperability
- Cloning of open content



Pressbooks helps you create **truly open textbooks** that allow the 5R
permissions: retain, reuse, revise,
remix, redistribute.



# **User Control**

- Open source, means no proprietary lock-in
- Produce your content, your way
- Send your content anywhere
- You decide on which licenses used
- We don't track users / exploit student data



# Accessibility

- A core commitment
- Continuous improvements underway, working with Inclusive Design Research Center at OCADU
- More: https://pressbooks.org/accessibility/



"It's the community of folks working on the codebase, and working with OER inside of Pressbooks, that makes it a solid choice for us to begin our own OER initiative with." --Billy Meinke, OER Technologist, University of Hawaii



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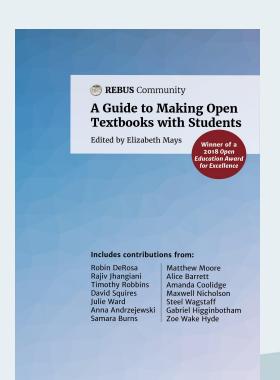


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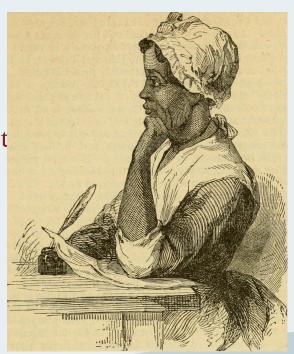
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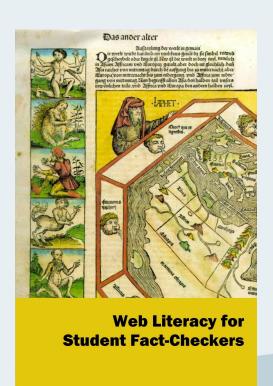




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