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## Building and Teaching a New Humanities Survey Class with OER: Humanities 1500 at Gordon State College

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Title: Building and Teaching a New Humanities Survey Class with OER: Humanities 1500 at Gordon State College

Panelists: Doug Davis (Professor of English), Masoud Nourizadeh (Professor of Art), Caesar Perkowski (Professor of English), and Ed Whitelock (Professor of English and Chair of the Humanities Department)

Abstract: In 2018, Gordon State College faculty were awarded an Affordable Learning Georgia grant to build a new OER-based, CC-licensed Humanities survey class (Humn 1500) to replace two textbook-based Humanities survey classes. Since 2020, Humn 1500 has been successfully taught using OER exclusively. This panel includes the three recipients of the grant who currently teach the course (Davis, Nourizadeh, and Perkowski) as well as the Department Chair (Whitelock) who organized the grant and currently assesses the course. The panelists will discuss and answer questions about how they designed the course to best meet the needs of Gordon's diverse student population, how they find and use OER, and what they have discovered the advantages and disadvantages of OER to be.

Track: Open Education and Pedagogy

Session Type: Q&A Panel Discussion

Desired Date/Time: Any day after noon (Mon 4/3; Tues 4/4; Thurs 4/6; or Fri 4/7) except Wednesday, 4/5.