What is an Open Education Roadmap?
An open education roadmap is a tool for describing how an open education initiative is likely to grow, including:
1. Development and use of open assets
2. The community of people involved from within and outside your organization
3. The processes and policies by which open education operates and is sustained
4. The value proposition and benefits open education generates

An open education roadmap provides a visual means for you to communicate major initiatives under way and your plans to grow them or add new ones over a period of time. Open education roadmaps show the work you are doing and the ways in which that work connects with, uses, and benefits from other open education initiatives regionally and around the world. Creating and sharing roadmap provides a means for coordinated and collective action toward common goals.

What are Open Assets?
Open assets are what open education initiatives produce and use, tangible goods (usually digital) with educational purpose and value. Open assets are produced, curated, and distributed in ways that make them freely accessible, usable, and improv- able by others. Open assets can take many different forms including:

- Open Educational Resources
- MOOCs
- Open Data
- Open Science
- Open Access
- Open Source Hardware & Software
- Open Source Software

Benefits & Value Proposition
Open education has a diverse set of benefits including:
- Access and inclusion
- Cost savings
- Ability to modify and improve
- Greater levels of participation and engagement
- Transparency
- Efficiency
- Improved outcomes for learning and dissemination of knowledge
- Innovation
- And many more

Each open education initiative defines for itself the benefits it aims to achieve. A strategy and set of goals are then set and comprise the value proposition. Once established goals and value propositions are regularly revisited and assessed.

Benefits & Value Proposition Table

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Describe your open education initiative’s assets, people & community, operations & sustainability, benefits & value proposition.

**ROADMAP**

**HAVE**

List your open education initiatives below. Provide a description to the left. Colour code as per Legend.

**YEARS**

Map your open education initiatives forward over the next 2 years. What are your plans for existing and new initiatives?

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### HAVE FOR OTHERS

What is your open education initiative sharing with others? What do you have that others might benefit from?

### NEED FROM OTHERS

What does your open education initiative need to ensure it is successful? What might others have that your open education initiative can benefit from?

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**LEGEND**

- Open Initiatives
  - OER
  - MOOCs
  - Open Access
  - Open Data
  - Open Science
  - OSS / OSHW
- Open Assets
- People & Community
- Operations & Sustainability
- Benefits & Value Proposition