

OPEN EDUCATION RESOURCES AND ZERO TEXTBOOK COST COMMITTEE MEETING

DATE:

5/20/2026

TIME:

1-2:00 pm

LOCATION:

70-173 or Zoom

AGENDA

1. Approval of 3/18/26 and 4/15/26 meeting minutes
2. Chair updates
3. Approved reassigned time for ZTC program support
4. LTC data reporting update
 - a. [Grossmont study](#)
5. Flex week
 - a. OER/ZTC sessions
 - b. Division meetings
6. Future projects prioritization
 - a. "Roadshow" development
 - b. Student survey
 - c. Making ZTC markings "permanent"
 - d. Strategic use of leftover funds
 - e. Adapt (libretexs) use in courses

CHARGE

The Open Education Resources and Zero Textbook Cost Committee (OERZTCC) reports to the Academic Senate. The OERZTCC provides a forum for OER and ZTC awareness, adoption, and support for faculty and students. The committee provides recommendations, guidelines, and standards (including accessibility) for the integration and sustainability of OER, ZTC, and low textbook cost (LTC) materials. The committee ensures that ZTC/LTC is clearly indicated in the class schedule for students. Ultimately, the OERZTCC works to eliminate barriers to education, increase equity, and improve student outcomes.

MEMBERSHIP

Zayden Tethong, OER ZTC Committee co-chair

Nadra Farina-Hess, OER ZTC Committee co-chair

Holly Reed, AHN (Allied Health and Nursing)

Ericka Banda, Counseling

Hadeel Yaqoub, ESBS (English, Social, and Behavioral Sciences)

Ondrea Mesquita, IOPS

Tate Hurvitz, GCCCD Administrators Association

Adelle Roe, OTLC Committee liaison

Lara Braff, ASCCC OERI Representative

Henry Cohn-Geltner, ARC (Accessibility Resource Center)

Alessandra Velasco, ASG (Associated Students of Grossmont)

NEXT MEETING

September 16, 2026