My Journey to OER Advocate

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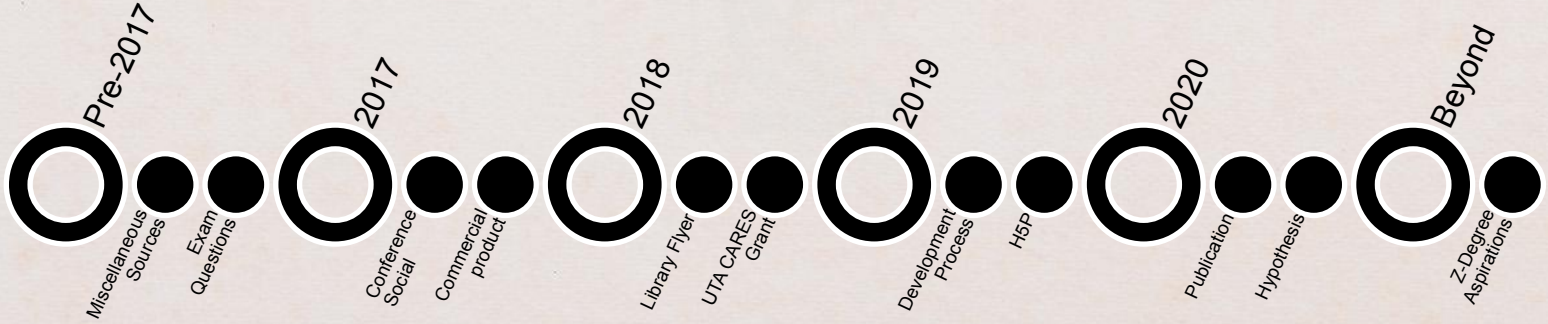
"Leave things better than you found them."
Robert Baden-Powell

That was then, OER is now.

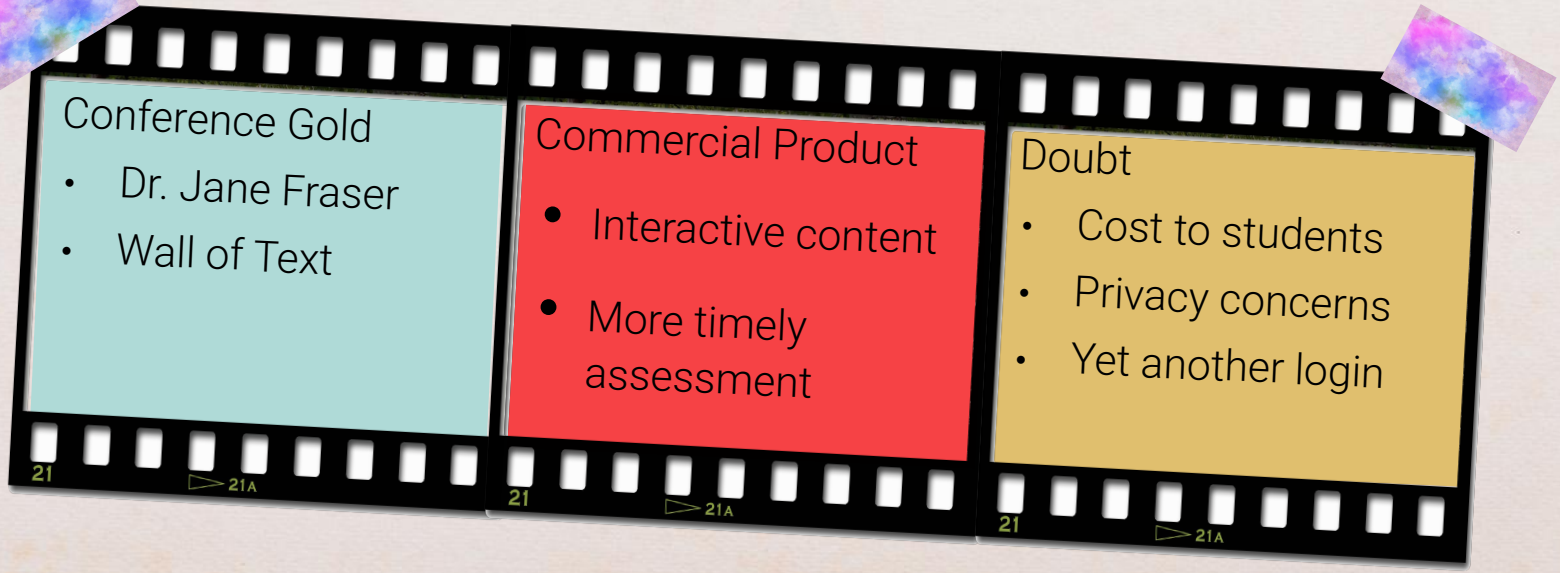
Timeline


Pre-2017
Miscellaneous Sources
Exam Questions
2017
Conference Social
Commercial product
2018
Library Flyer
UTA CARES Grant
2019
Development Process
HSP
2020
Publication
Hypothesis
Beyond
Z-Degree Aspirations

Introduction to Industrial Engineering

- No suitable text for the class
- Reading from various sources
- Exam questions over readings
- Least successful part of the class.

Efforts to Improve



UTA Library Seminar

- Introduction to Pressbooks
- Addressed all of my doubts
- UTA Coalition for Alternative Resources in Education for Students (CARES) grant.

The Stewards of Open!

- So much support from UTA's OER team.
  - Importing, book cover, accessibility checks
- Constant source of reassurance and answers

From @utalibraries Twitter feed on 10/30/2020

Future Direction: Z-Degree

- Faculty have agreed
- Strategic goal
- Working on Freshman and Sophomore classes in the department

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Any questions?

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