



The Scholarly Publishing and Academic Resources Coalition (SPARC),  
The Council of Chief State School Officers (CCSSO),  
The Consortium for School Networking (CoSN), and  
The State Educational Technology Director's Association (SETDA)  
in partnership with the E-Learning and Open Source Caucuses

Cordially Invite You to Attend

“Understanding Open Educational Resources and Student Learning”

**Tuesday, March 1, 2016**  
**12:00p.m. – 1:30p.m. (lunch to be provided)**

Location: Rayburn B339

Please join us for a presentation and discussion with leading experts about the growing use of Open Education Resources (OER) to support student learning. The term Open Educational Resources refers to educational materials that are openly-licensed and freely shared for teachers, students, parents and the public to use, build upon, and adapt to local needs.

*Remarks by:*

- Nicole Allen, SPARC
- Michael Carroll, American University, Washington College of Law
  - Ethan Senack, U.S. Public Interest Research Group
- Val Emrich, Director of Instructional Technology, Maryland State Department of Education

**Please RSVP by February 25 to [Jamie.Brandon@FLPAdvisors.com](mailto:Jamie.Brandon@FLPAdvisors.com)**

*This is considered a widely attended event. Congressional offices and the general public are encouraged to attend.*