

# OER Revisions and Ancillary Materials Creation Mini-Grant Application

Affordable Learning Georgia aims to support the sustainability of previous Textbook Transformation Grants implementations through revisions of created open educational resources or the creation of new ancillary materials for existing OER. Individuals or teams who would like to apply for an OER Revisions or Ancillary Materials Creation. Mini-grant participants do not need to be the original creators of the resource(s). While we welcome original authors to revise their original materials, the nature of open licenses allows for the revision and remixing of OER materials by anyone as long as the terms of the license are adhered to.

The final deliverable for this category is the revised or newly-created materials as proposed in the application, which will be hosted through GALILEO Open Learning Materials. All revised or newly-created materials will be made available to the public under a Creative Commons Attribution License (CC-BY), unless the original materials were under a more restrictive license such as the inclusion of SA (Share-Alike) or NC (Non-Commercial).

For the purposes of this grant, we define revision as the major improvement of a resource through updates for accuracy, accessibility, clarity, design, and formatting. We define ancillary materials as any materials created to substantially support the instruction of a course using an existing open educational resource(s).

## Applicant Name \*

Brandy Rogers

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## Applicant Position \*

Instructor of Biology

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## Applicant Institution \*

Georgia Highlands College

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## Applicant Email Address \*

Please use your institutional email address.

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## Other Team Members

Individuals can apply for mini-grants; a team is not required. If you do want to add team members to your grant, please provide the names and email addresses here.

Sharryse Henderson, shenders@highlands.edu

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## Type of Project \*

- Revision of pre-existing OER
- Creation of ancillaries for pre-existing OER
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## Final Semester of the Project \*

This is the semester in which the materials created/revised will be completed.

- Fall 2019
- Spring 2020

## Proposed Grant Funding Amount: \*

This is the total (in a dollar amount) of funding you are requesting for the mini-grant. There is a maximum of \$4800, with a maximum of \$2000 per team member and \$800 for project expenses.

\$4800

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## Currently-Existing Resource(s) to be Revised / Ancillaries Created \*

Please provide a title and web address (URL) to each of the currently-existing resources that you are either revising or creating new ancillary materials for below.

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[https://www.affordablelearninggeorgia.org/documents/370\\_Belwood.pdf](https://www.affordablelearninggeorgia.org/documents/370_Belwood.pdf)

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## Project Description \*

In at least one paragraph, describe your project's goals and deliverables.

The aim of this project is the creation of a set of instructional videos for BIOL 2108K: Principles of Biology II. Historically, there are concepts within the content of BIOL 2108K that students find particularly challenging; these videos will be designed to supplement lecture instruction in those content areas and reinforce key concepts.

Videos will be made available to all faculty via the BIOL 2108K Master Course in the D2L Learning Management System as well as attached to the BIOL 2108K LibGuide that is being created as part of ALG Grant #370. Finally, videos will be uploaded into GALILEO Open Learning Repository.

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## Timeline and Personnel \*

Provide a project timeline with milestones below, keeping in mind your selected Final Semester above. Provide a short description of the roles any additional team members will take on during the activities in your timeline.

Fall 2018      Comprehensive topic list will be developed and video production will commence.

Spring 2019   Video production and editing will be ongoing.

Summer 2019   Video editing and closed captioning will be completed, and videos will be uploaded to D2L and the BIOL 2108K LibGuide.

Brandy Rogers will produce and record the videos.

Sharryse Henderson will contribute to the editing process as well as provide closed-captioning for the videos, as well as posting the final product to D2L Master Course and BIOL 2108K LibGuide.

Both members of the team will collaborate to assemble a comprehensive list of topics to be included in the video series.

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## Budget \*

Please enter your project's budget below. Include personnel and projected expenses. The maximum amounts for the award are as follows: \$4,800 maximum award, \$2,000 maximum per team member, \$800 maximum for overall project expenses. Unlike standard-scale and large-scale transformations, the maximum of \$800 is not a required element of the budget, but rather meant primarily for the purchase of specific tools and software which would help with improving resources.

\$2000 Brandy Rogers - Content development; video production

\$2000 Sharryse Henderson - Editing, closed captioning, and uploading videos

\$800 Materials: Apple 12.9-inch iPad Pro 64 GB; video recording and editing software

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## Creative Commons Terms \*

- I understand that any new materials or revisions created with ALG funding will, by default, be made available to the public under a Creative Commons Attribution License (CC-BY), with exceptions for modifications of pre-existing resources with a more restrictive license.

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