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## Staking Your Claim: How the Open Web is Won for Teaching & Learning

How do educators support students as they navigate an open web? What is our shared responsibility as curators of the web? How do we build an open space that maintains a culture of kindness and playfulness? To understand the challenges and affordances of an open web, to realize its democratic potential, we must be players on the web. At most educational institutions—kindergarten through college—students and teachers are limited to whichever Learning Management platform the institution supports. But the promise of the open web can never be realized inside the LMS: learning to curate, make, network, collaborate, and create robust identities happens outside, on the open range. We invite participants to imagine, play, and stake their own bit of land on the open web.

With a Connected Learning framework—principles that focus on identities, networks, and communities— and expanding on last year's Crafting Connected Courses workshop ([connectedcourses.stateu.org](http://connectedcourses.stateu.org)), we will open up the frontiers of possibility with hands on exploration and creativity. We will saddle up and roam among multiple examples of teaching and learning on the web that leverages the affordances there. This is not about creating course content sites as a knock off of what the LMS does, but of creating course experience sites.



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