

OPEN AND AFFORDABLE TEXTBOOKS - AUTHORING AWARD

Evaluation factors and weights

Criteria Weights		
Approach	DEIA	Feasibility
60%	20%	20%

	APPROACH	DIVERSITY, EQUITY, INCLUSION, & ACCESSIBILITY (DEIA)	FEASIBILITY
Factors	The proposal clearly demonstrates that it will enhance existing open educational textbook offerings for adoption throughout Rutgers and beyond. The proposal should indicate a plan for making the material available digitally in an accessible format, using creative commons licensing, in collaboration with Rutgers University Libraries. When possible, the proposal may offer estimates for potential student savings from the potential adoption of the new open textbook.	The proposal clearly demonstrates a commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion by one or more of the following: contributing to an underrepresented area of study, decolonizing/transforming the curriculum, serving populations disproportionately affected by textbook costs, or incorporating open pedagogical practices.	The proposal timeline is feasible and ensures completion within one calendar year