



## The Making of MOOCs (and what to make of them?)

Thursday, January 25, 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm in LeChase 215

Facilitators: Dr. Eric Fredericksen & Nicole O'Dell

Five years ago, the University of Rochester joined Coursera as an institutional partner to develop and offer MOOCs (Massive Open Online Courses). This early adoption followed the proclamation by the higher education media that MOOCs were going to disrupt and dramatically change universities forever. This LiDA session will explore what we have learned so far about MOOCs and what goes into making a MOOC. To guide this examination, participants will be encouraged to reflect on similarities and differences with other models of online courses.

The session will be led by Eric Fredericksen, Associate Vice President for Online Learning & Associate Professor in Educational Leadership. Nicole O'Dell, Ph.D. candidate in Teaching & Curriculum, will provide her perspective on developing the Introduction to Translational Science MOOC, a project sponsored by the University of Rochester Clinical and Translational Science Institute.

You can also join remotely via Zoom at <https://rochester.zoom.us/j/674409201>  
(Meeting ID: 674 409 201).

We look forward to seeing you there.

Kind regards,

LiDA Study Group