

Open & Online Education

The SEFI special interest group (SIG) on Open & Online Education is focused on the utilization of open and online educational resources and tools to remove barriers to learning in engineering education. We aim to disrupt the status quo and experiment with new and innovative ways to educate as the tools and platforms we have to do so evolve and grow.

Over the past year, the SIG has continued to try and grow their online education communication platform O2Enexus.com. This informal communication platform aims to engage SEFI members and the greater engineering education community as a whole to share ideas and resources, and simply engage in a dialogue regarding open and online education. You do not have to be actively involved in the SIG to join the platform, so please add your voice to this growing community.

In the upcoming online SEFI workshop in September, the SIG has also organized a workshop to reflect on the lessons learned from the emergency online education measures during the Covid-19 pandemic. Our aim is to reflect on these lessons and set some strategic action items for the SEFI community to ensure that we can make the most of this trying period.

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