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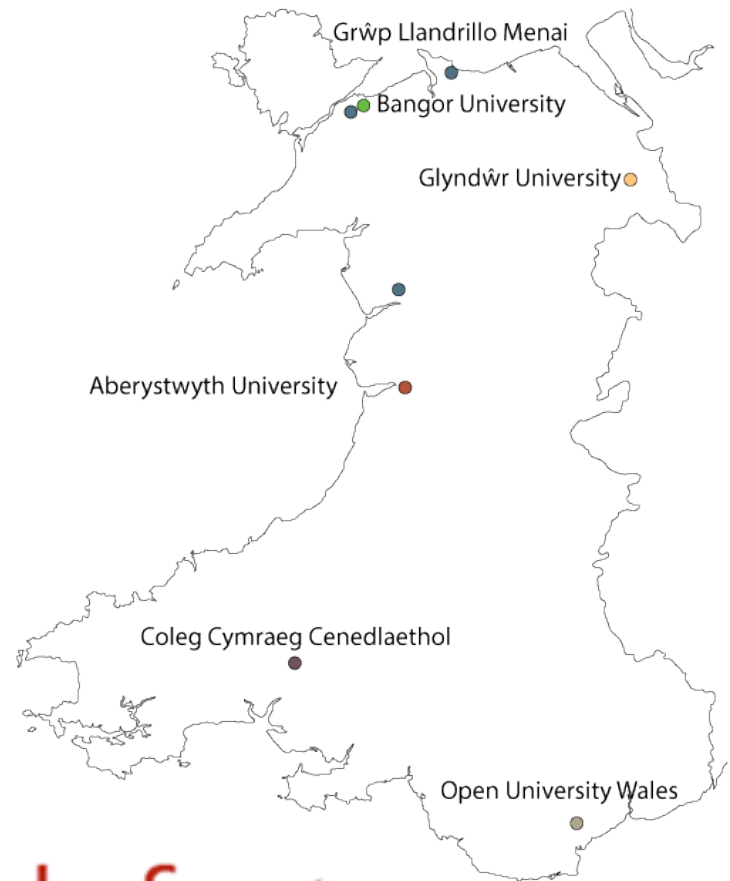
Collaboration and Openness in Mid and North Wales

Who are we and what are we doing?

- HEFCW £1.5M : Dec 2012-15
- Supporting teaching staff to produce digital resources and showcasing them online to inspire potential students into HE

How?

- Audio-visual production equipment and space to create resources
- Mobile production team : guidance material, workshops and hands-on assistance

How?

- A browsable database of higher education study schemes
- Open standards used to supply data (XCRI-CAP)
- Associated inspirational tasters of course material.

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- partner case-studies
- sharing the best and innovative teaching practice,
- guides to educational resource production
- regular e-learning support team meetings
- Sharing of experience within the group

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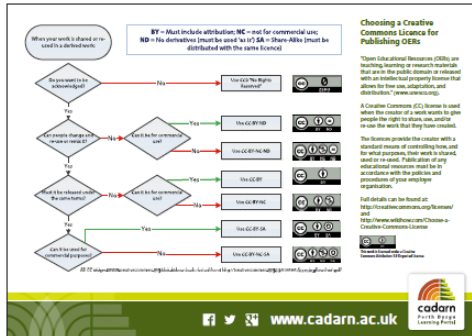
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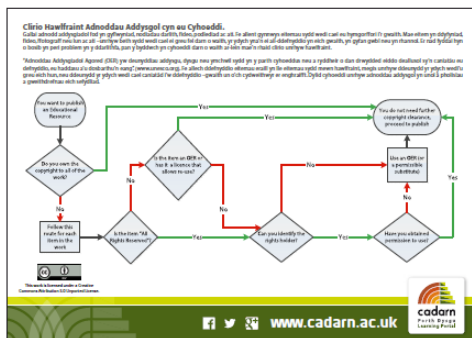
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- ER produced for the portal strongly encouraged to use Creative Commons licences
- Supporting the Wales OER declaration
- Building a community among apparently competing HEI's

What's next?

- Still a work in progress but major functionality achieved
- Closed beta test site shared with partners
- full launch Spring 2015
- Extensive blog content already, open to relevant guest blog posts
- Our first guides to Copyright Clearance and Creative Commons available at www.cadarn.ac.uk, more to follow...
- Media production team interviews next week, media lab following week
- Cloud based video editing integration, webinars
- Learner pathways, links to employers

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