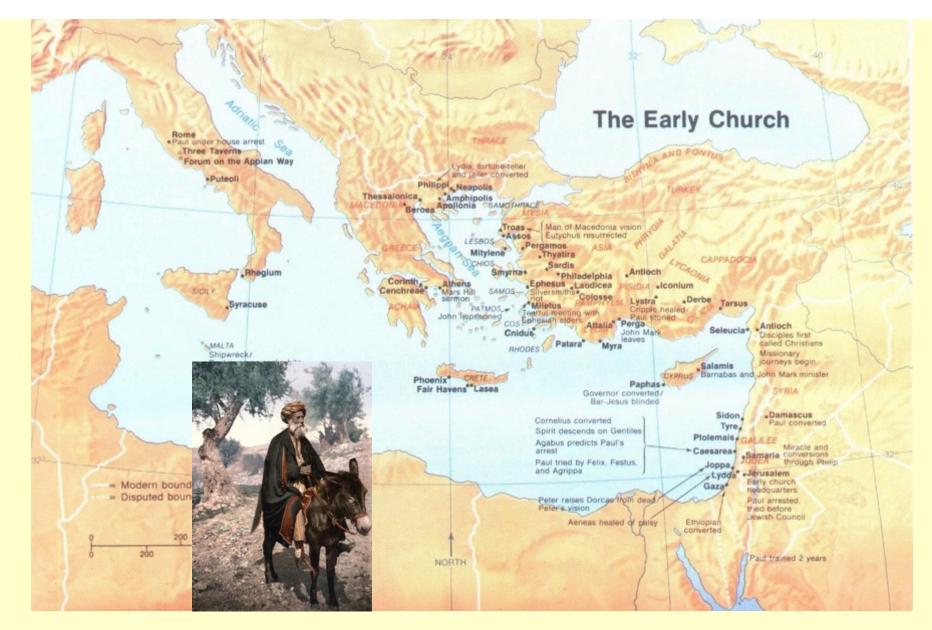


Where did MOOCs come from and where should they take us?

Sir John Daniel



Saint Paul's letters to the early churches (~ 100AD)



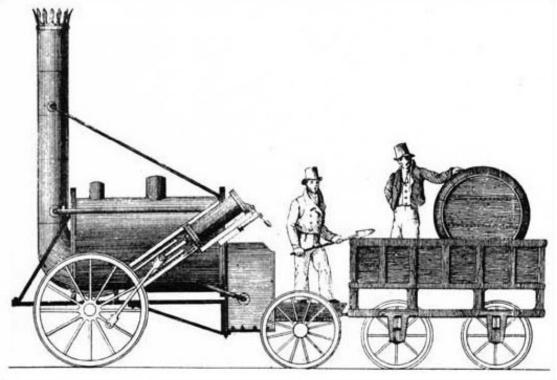
Lord Geoffrey Crowther
Inauguration of the Open University
1969

"The world is caught in a communications revolution, the effects of which will go beyond those of the industrial revolution of two centuries ago.

Then the great advance was the invention of machines to multiply the potency of men's muscles.

Now the great new advance is the invention of machines to multiply the potency of men's minds. As the steam engine was to the first revolution, so the computer is to the second."

Lord Geoffrey Crowther, 1969



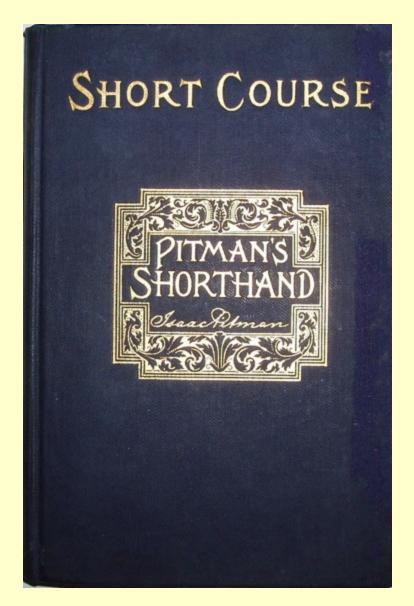


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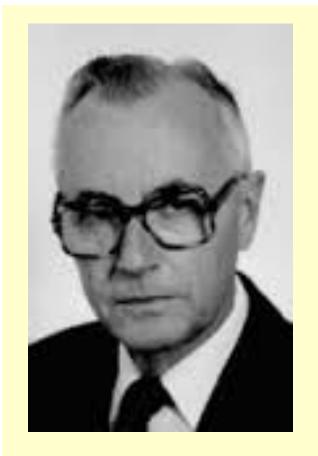


Postal systems





Correspondence course – 1841



Borje Holmberg

Correspondence Education

"A guided didactic conversation"

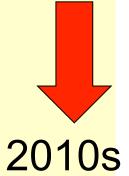


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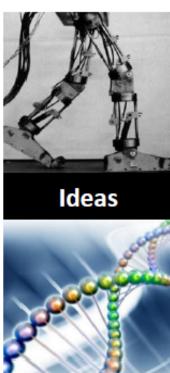
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Quality Rankings of Teaching

based on all subject assessments 1995-2004 (Sunday Times University Guide 2004)

1	CAMBRIDGE	96%
2	LOUGHBOROUGH	95%
3=	LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS	88%
3=	YORK	88%
5	THE OPEN UNIVERSITY	87%
6	OXFORD	86%
7	IMPERIAL COLLEGE	82%
8	UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON	77%
9	ESSEX	77%

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technology lets us include multidirectional communication between learners and teachers and also rigorous assessments of student learning leading to qualifications







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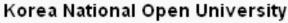


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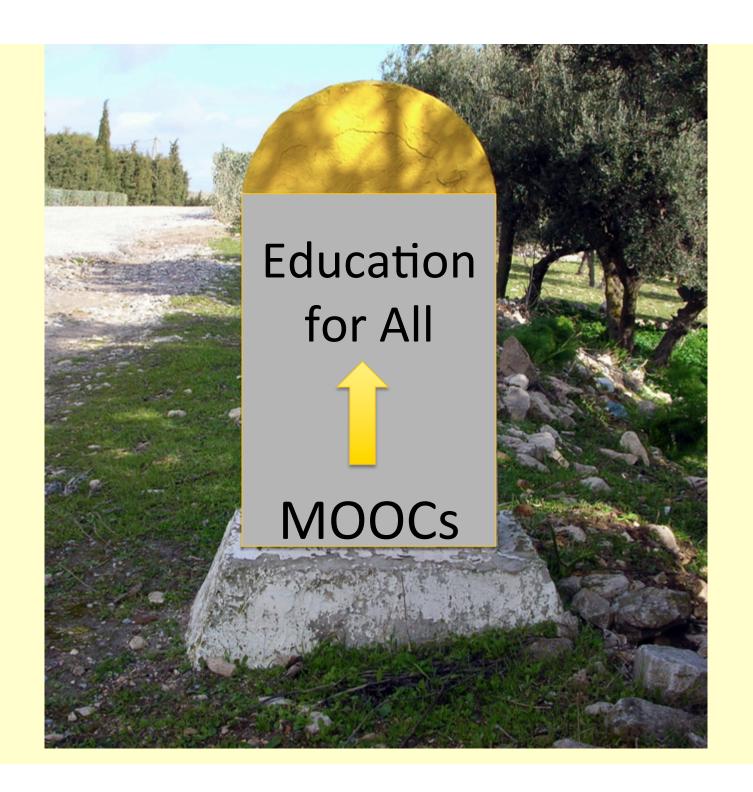






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