

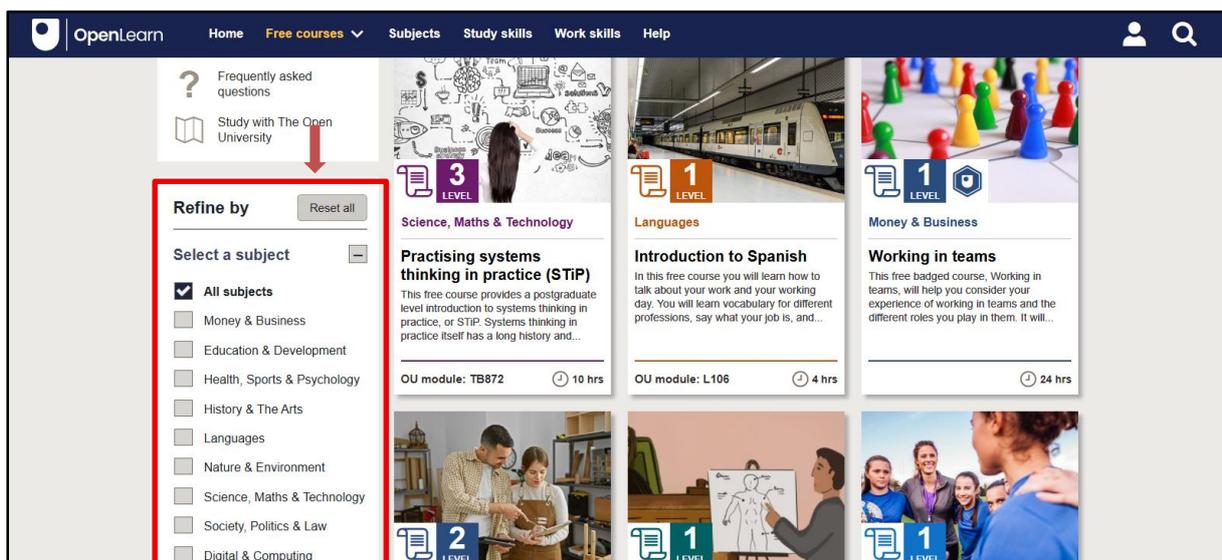
GUIDELINES FOR ACCESSING AND UTILIZING OPEN-ACCESS RESOURCE DATABASES

1) Free Courses Database of The Open University, United Kingdom:
Step 1: Access the database at: <https://www.open.edu/openlearn/free-courses/full-catalogue>

Step 2: Select the free courses under “Free courses” on the toolbar, then choose the subject you need.

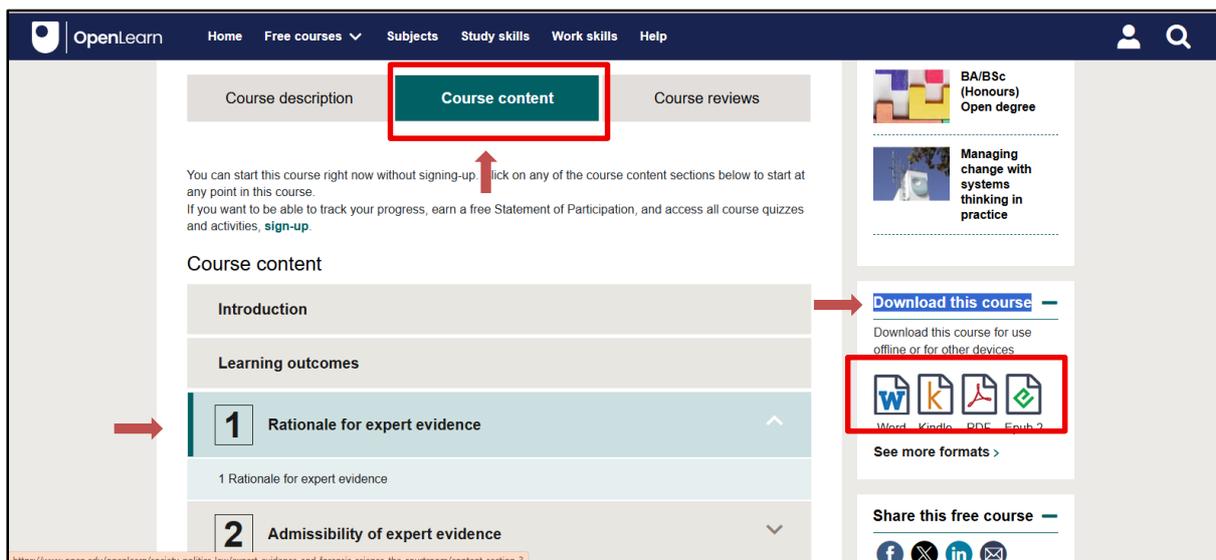


Step 3: Filter and view courses: Use the filter tools on the toolbar to select the most suitable course, then click on the course title to view detailed information about the course.



Step 4: Study and download:

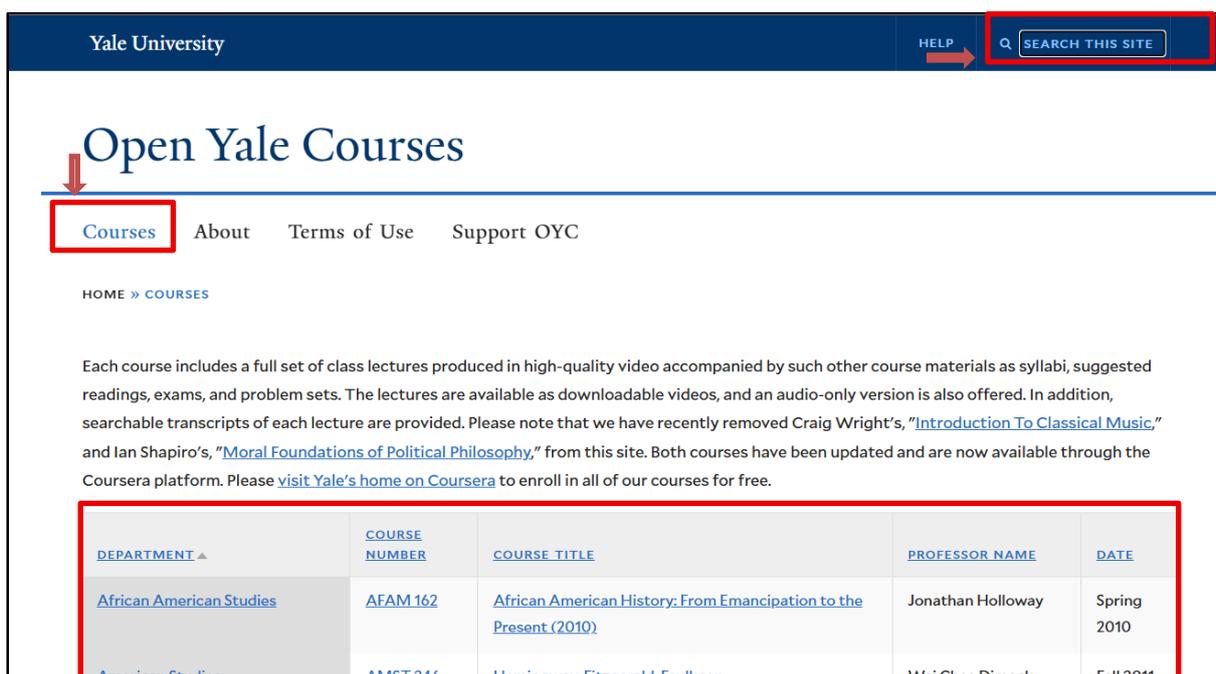
- Click “**Course content**” to view the course content.
- Select the download format under “**Download this course**” to download the course materials.



2) Free Courses Database of Yale University, USA (Open Yale Courses):

Step 1: Access the database at: <https://oyc.yale.edu/courses>

Step 2: Select courses under the “Courses” category or search by keyword in the search bar.



Step 3: Select and view the course, including the course introduction, syllabus, and each specific lesson (video lectures, quizzes).

African American History: From Emancipation to the Present (2010)

ABOUT SYLLABUS SESSIONS

Sessions

Lecture 1	Dawn of Freedom
Lecture 2	Dawn of Freedom (continued)
Lecture 3	Reconstruction
Lecture 4	Reconstruction (continued)
Lecture 5	Uplift, Accommodation, and Assimilation
Lecture 6	Uplift, Accommodation, and Assimilation (continued)
Lecture 7	Migration and Urbanization
Lecture 8	Migration and Urbanization (continued)

About Professor Jonathan Holloway

Jonathan Holloway was Professor of History, African American Studies, and American Studies at Yale University and Dean of Yale College. He is the author of *Confronting the Veil: Abram Harris Jr., E. Franklin Frazier, and Ralph Bunche, 1919-1941* (2002) and *Jim Crow Wisdom: Memory and Identity in Black America Since 1940* (2013); the editor of Ralph Bunche's *A Brief and Tentative Analysis of Negro Leadership* (2005); and the co-editor of the anthology *Black Scholars on the Line: Race, Social Science, and American Thought in the 20th Century* (2007). Professor Holloway received his PhD from Yale in 1995.

Learn more about Professor Holloway's book [Jim Crow Wisdom: Memory and Identity in Black America](#)

Step 4: Download course materials (if necessary). In each lesson, there is a lecture video, and you may click “Credit List [PDF]” if you wish to download the course materials.

Lecture 1 - Dawn of Freedom

Overview

Professor Holloway offers an introduction to the course. He explains the organization of the course and summarizes some of the key concepts that will be explored over the course of the semester. Professor Holloway uses the African American experience as a prism to understand American history, because, as he notes, the African American experience speaks to the very heart of what it means to be American. He highlights specific examples of the linkage between freedom, citizenship, and the denial of citizenship, including an ex-slave's epitaph and Confederate scrip. Finally, Professor Holloway shows how the post-emancipation African American experience is a history of political struggle, social protest, social control, cultural celebration, and a history of powerful relevance today for many of its political and cultural symbols.

Warning: This lecture contains graphic content and/or adult language that some users may find disturbing.



Assignment

Hunter, *To 'Joy My Freedom*, pp. 1-43

Marable, *Let Nobody Turn Us Around*, pp. 70-113

Resources

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