

Searchable Project Databases and Examples

1. Buck Institute

a. The projects you will find here have been curated by BIE and were gathered from online project libraries. If any of the links don't work go directly to the organization's website. These projects are meant to inspire your own ideas or may be adapted to fit the needs of your classroom.

2. PBLU—also from the BIE

a. "The following projects have been designed by BIE and its partners to allow you to focus mainly on how to implement a project rather than how to design one. Feel free to customize these projects to fit your needs, but the basic idea and major components should stay the same, and be sure the Essential Elements of Project Based Learning are still included..."

3. UCCI Courses

a. Course catalogue from the UC Curriculum Integration Institutes

4. ConnectEd Studios Curriculum Directory

a. "ConnectEd provides a wealth of curriculum resources including lesson plans, student handouts, and media and web resources. Use the links below to filter the library by industry sector."

5. CTE Online Project Directory

a. "With over 3,400 lesson plans aligned to Common Core, NGSS and CTE Standards, as well as integrated STEM pathways projects, CTE Online is a place for California Educators to explore and access teacher-created curriculum. Our community is over 66,000 registered users strong and growing by a new member every 6 minutes. In addition, we have tools for users to create their own curriculum and collaborate in groups."

6. High Tech High Project Cards from the *Unboxed Journal*

a. Also available as a pdf

7. Learning in Hand

a. A collection of PBL End Products

8. <u>College and Career Academy Support Network</u> from UC Berkeley

a. "The curriculum resources in this database were specifically chosen for Career Academies, Linked Learning, and other college & career pathways. The database includes curriculum for academic courses connected to career and industry themes, as well as curriculum for CTE courses. Many resources are interdisciplinary and project-based."

9. Envision Schools' Project Exchange

- a. A place for teachers to share project-based high school curriculum
- 10. Teach Thought—PBL in Math Six Examples
 - a. Including a PBL HS Geometry Course

11. Models of Excellence

a. Ron Berger, of Austin's Butterfly, and beautiful Work fame is associated with this collection: "Models of Excellence is a curated, open-source collection of exemplary high-quality PreK-12 student work, along with resources to support the use of student work models to inspire and elevate teaching and learning. The purpose of this site is to catalyze the use of models to help build student skills and dispositions for success in college, careers and life."