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Welcome to our Fall 2023 Catalog

We have an exciting line-up of programs throughout Fall 2023, with classes, lunch & learns, travel excursions, and more.

For those who prefer taking classes via Zoom, we are offering an online option for many classes taught in-person at River's Crossing, in addition to online-only classes.

If you'd like assistance with Zoom, please contact the office (olli@uga.edu) and we will help you through the set-up process. Instructions for using Zoom are also available in this catalog, and in videos on our website (olli.edu.uga).

Registration for Fall Classes Opens Thursday, July 13, at 10:00AM

**A link to the registration site can be found at
the bottom of every page – just click Register
Now to be taken to the Sign-In Page**

*A paper registration form is available from the
office.*

Class Sponsorship

For the 2023-24 year, we are offering the possibility of a class sponsorship for any donor who gives \$100 or more to the annual fund. Donations given before November 1 will have a chance to sponsor a class in Spring 2024, after November 1 will be for classes in Fall 2024.

Please consider supporting our Annual Fund this
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Shared Interest Groups (SIGs)

There are currently 21 SIGs meeting regularly throughout the month, which are free as a

Check our [online calendar](#) to see when they meet and visit [OLLI COMM](#) to join or view updates and other information.

Parking

Registration for parking tags for River's Crossing are now available online at [olli.uga.edu](#) (under Membership). Parking tags will be available for pickup from the OLLI office on or after the third business day following submittal of your application.

Each tag costs \$20, and may be used by others in your household. The tag will enable you to park ONLY in the River's Crossing parking lot through 7/31/2024.

The River's Crossing parking lot is monitored daily until 4:00 PM by UGA Parking Services. Please ensure that your parking tag is displayed properly in your vehicle when you park in this lot. Failure to do so may result in the issuance of a parking ticket with a fine of \$70. Parking after 4:00PM is free.

If you do not wish to purchase a parking tag, a parking permit may be purchased through the ParkMobile app for \$5 a day.

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New Member Orientations

July 11 - 10:00AM
July 25 - 5:30PM
August 8 - 10:00AM

August 29 - 5:30PM
September 22 - 10:00AM
October 13 - 10:00AM



OLLI FEST

August 3, 1-3PM
VFW, 875 Sunset Dr., Athens

Find out more about OLLI, a dynamic learning and social organization for adults 50+

- **300+ Classes**
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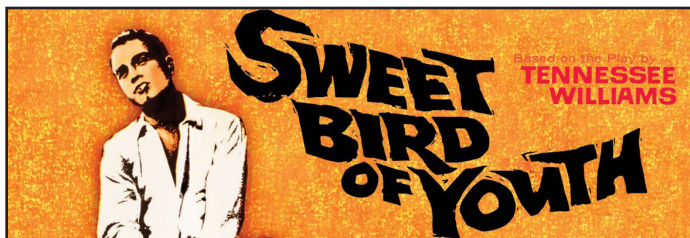
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Summer Programs: OLLI Summer Film Series

2023: Spotlight on Paul Newman



JULY 11
SWEET BIRD OF YOUTH



JULY 18
SOMETIMES A GREAT NOTION



JULY 25
THE LIFE AND TIMES OF JUDGE ROY BEAN



AUGUST 1
ABSENCE OF MALICE



AUGUST 8
ROAD TO PERDITION

COST: Free

TIME: 2:30PM

LOCATION: Ciné, 234 W Hancock Ave, Athens, GA 30601

REGISTER: olli.uga.edu/register – guests are welcome (contact the office)

This series is made possible with support from anonymous donors

Summer Programs: OLLI Dartmouth Lectures

There is so much that the United States and China could do together, for their citizens and for the world. Yet today they remain at daggers drawn. Over the last decade their relationship has only worsened. Visitors to Washington and Beijing are struck at how embittered the most consequential relationship of our time has become. Compounding the tensions, bilateral U.S.-China talks are at a standstill.

What changes must take place to enable China and the United States to conduct themselves in a manner that will ensure mutually beneficial competition and avoid conflict?

This summer's lecture series aims to address these questions by inviting recognized experts and officials from the United States, China, and Canada to examine the conflicts and suggest a way forward.

Register for all six lectures for \$60, or individually for \$12

All lectures run from 9:00AM - 11:30AM

July 7: U.S. Competition with China: How Should We Think About It?

(Professor David Shambaugh, George Washington University)

July 14: The Military Challenge: Is Conflict Inevitable?

(Major General (Ret.) Li Zhang, Senior Advisor, China Institute for International Strategic Studies, USN Rear Admiral Michael Studeman, Director of National Maritime Intelligence-Integration and Commander of the Office of Naval Intelligence)

July 21: The Economic Challenge: Is there a Win-Win Outcome?

(Ambassador Huang Ping Consul-General of China, New York, Marc Chandler - Chief Market Strategist, Bannockburn Global Forex)

July 28: The United States' and China's Politics and Governance: Strengths and Weaknesses

(Professor Jeremy Paltiel, Carleton University (Ottawa))

August 4: Winning Hearts and Minds: Who's Doing Better?

(Bruce Stokes, German Marshall Fund Maria Repnikova, Georgia State University)

August 11: The Way Forward

(Ryan Hass, Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution)

Travel Opportunities with OLLI@UGA

Dahlonega: Visit and Vineyards September 28, 2023 (TBC)

Join us for a day trip to the mountains, visiting the site of the first gold rush in the US and the wonderful Tiger Mountain Vineyard – Registration open soon.

Scotland: A 2-Week Cultural and Scenic Tour May 7-20, 2024

Scotland is famous for its dramatic scenery, rich cultural heritage, and fascinating history. Whether in search of family roots or drawn by a fascination with Scotland's portrayal in books and films such as Outlander and Braveheart, tourists from the U.S. place Scotland high on their list of foreign travel destinations.

Discover Scenic Norway June 14-23, 2024

Beginning and ending in Oslo, this encompassing tour of southern Norway balances the country's charming, timeless villages with the surprising architecture, culture and energy of its capital city.

OLLI@UGA Fall Schedule 2023 (Weeks 1-3)

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	AUGUST 14	AUGUST 15	AUGUST 16	AUGUST 17	AUGUST 18
Week 1	10:00AM: Oconee Hill Cemetery 10:00AM: Medicare 101	11:30AM: The 2016 Election of Donald Trump: What Happened??? (Lunch & Learn)	10:00AM: Awareness about Stroke: ...		10:00AM: First Date with the Hargrett Library
	12:00N: History In The First Person:... 2:00PM: Population Growth, ...	2:00PM: Destination Dawgs: ... 2:00PM: Sustainable Investing:...	2:00PM: Not If but How: Proposals to Reform Social Security (1)	2:00PM: Diabetes, Overweight, ... 2:00PM: The Old(er) and the Restless: ... (1)	12:00N: ... Myths About Chiropractic Care 2:00PM: Great Decisions (1)
	AUGUST 21	AUGUST 22	AUGUST 23	AUGUST 24	AUGUST 25
Week 2	10:00AM: Hearing Health and Treatments 10:00AM: Antebellum Athens' Botanical ...	10:00AM: Beginner's Poker (1)	10:00AM: Coming to Terms with Covid-19 10:00AM: 55 Years of Historic Athens (1)		10:00AM: "Your Kid is Crazy!": ...
	2:00PM: Kitchen Arabic	2:00PM: Election Education Forum 6:00PM: Taking Better Pictures (1)	2:00PM: Spinoza's God (1)	1:00PM: Genealogy: Getting Started ... (1) 2:00PM: The Old(er) and the Restless: ... (2)	2:00PM: Ekphrastic Poetry, ...
	AUGUST 28	AUGUST 29	AUGUST 30	AUGUST 31	SEPTEMBER 1
Week 3	10:00AM: Discover the ACC Library Heritage... 10:00AM: Stroll Around the Grounds: ...	10:00AM: Grit and Grace: Henrietta Lacks 10:00AM: Poker (2) 11:30AM: The Politics of Swan Lake... (Lunch & Learn) 2:00PM: Why urban streams are polluted, ... 6:00PM: Taking Better Pictures (2)	10:00AM: F-117A Stealth Fighter ... 10:00AM: 55 Years of Historic Athens (2) 2:00PM: The Dark Side of Romance: ... 2:00PM: Spinoza's God (2)	10:00AM: Norway, Ja Ja! 2:00PM: The Old(er) and the Restless: ... (3)	

OLLI@UGA Fall Schedule 2023 (Weeks 4-6)

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	SEPTEMBER 4	SEPTEMBER 5	SEPTEMBER 6	SEPTEMBER 7	SEPTEMBER 8
Week 4	Happy Labor Day	10:00AM: Poker (3) 10:00AM: Turning a Passion into a Business 2:00PM: Scottish Cultural Contributions... 5:30PM: Just a Wee Dram: ... (1) 6:00PM: ..Better Pictures (3)	10:00AM: The Athens Music Scene.... 10:00AM: Great Books (1) 12:30PM: Geopolitics in the South China Sea 2:00PM: Spinoza's God (3) 4:00PM: UGA Performing Arts Center: ...	10:00AM: Maintaining healthy speech, hearing, ... (1) 10:00AM: Bridge III: Defence (1) 1:00PM: Genealogy: Getting Started ... (2) 2:00PM: The Old(er) and the Restless: ... (4) 4:30PM: Socrates Cafe	10:00AM: The Wisdom of An Elder 2:00PM: Great Decisions (2)
	SEPTEMBER 11	SEPTEMBER 12	SEPTEMBER 13	SEPTEMBER 14	SEPTEMBER 15
Week 5		10:00AM: Poker (4) 11:30AM: A Discussion of The Time Has Come 12:00N: Have You Had "The Talk"? 2:30PM: Hearing Aids... 5:30PM: ...Wee Dram: .(2) 6:00PM: Taking Better Pictures (4)	9:00AM: CHOCOLATE, From Bean to Bar 10:00AM: Are We Living in a Grand Illusion? 2:00PM: The Great American Songbook 5:30PM: One Pair Must Last a Life Time	10:00AM: Maintaining healthy speech, ... (2) 10:00AM: Bridge III: Defence (2) 11:00AM: "Do I Really Need All This Stuff?" ... 2:00PM: The Old(er) and the Restless: ... (5)	10:00AM: Never Too Late: The Joy and Benefits of Music-making as an Adult
	SEPTEMBER 18	SEPTEMBER 19	SEPTEMBER 20	SEPTEMBER 21	SEPTEMBER 22
Week 6	2:00PM: Let's Read Poetry Aloud Together - Again! 2:00PM: Love and Death in American Popular Song, ... (2)	10:00AM: Poker (5) 2:00PM: Native Wine Grapes of Italy (1) 6:00PM: Taking Better Pictures (5)	10:00AM: Great Books (2)	10:00AM: Maintaining healthy speech, ... (3) 10:00AM: Bridge III: Defence (3) 2:00PM: Artificial Intelligence, Those Chat-bots, and You 2:00PM: Leonard Cohen: A Thousand Kisses Deep	2:00PM: Not If but How: Proposals to Reform Social Security (2)

OLLI@UGA Fall Schedule 2023 (Weeks 7-9)

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	SEPTEMBER 25	SEPTEMBER 26	SEPTEMBER 27	SEPTEMBER 28	SEPTEMBER 29
Week 7	10:00AM: Athens Reparations for Linnentown Descendants: What, Why, and How?	10:00AM: Poker (6) 11:30AM: Gerrymandering and the Justices: (Lunch & Learn)	10:00AM: Saudi Arabia: An Understanding 10:00AM: Long Term Care Planning Basics	10:00AM: Maintaining healthy speech, ... (4) 10:00AM: Bridge III: (4) 10:00AM: Does The Origin of The Bible Matter? (1)	SATURDAY
		2:00PM: Native Wine Grapes of Italy (2) 6:00PM: Taking Better Pictures (6)	2:00PM: Introduction to Mental Health Courts	2:00PM: Home Modifications: ... 2:00PM: Georgia Museum of Natural History:	SEPTEMBER 30
					2:00PM: Exploring early industrial Athens: A Talk and Walk
	OCTOBER 2	OCTOBER 3	OCTOBER 4	OCTOBER 5	OCTOBER 6
Week 8	10:00AM: The MyChart Patient Portal	10:00AM: Poker (7) 10:00AM: The Complicated Biases of Divorce Records	10:00AM: Great Books (3) 10:00AM: Understanding everyday technology: ...	10:00AM: Maintaining healthy speech, ... (5) 10:00AM: Bridge III: (5) 10:00AM: Does The Origin (2)	10:00AM: A House Divided: ... 10:00AM: A Strategy for Success:...
	2:00PM: Before Galileo: ... (1) 4:00PM: ...Fermented Food & Drink	2:00PM: On being a scientist 6:00PM: Taking Better Pictures (7)	2:00PM: Before Galileo: ... (2) 5:00PM: French Culinary History ...	2:00PM: The JFK Assassination: ... (1) 2:00PM: The Great Transformation: ... (1)	
	OCTOBER 9	OCTOBER 10	OCTOBER 11	OCTOBER 12	OCTOBER 13
Week 9	10:00AM: Energy Matters (1)	10:00AM: Poker (8)	10:00AM: Winter WonderLights 2023 10:00AM: Eugenia Price's Golden Isles	10:00AM: Maintaining healthy speech, ... (6) 10:00AM: Bridge III: (6) 12:00N: Distilling Gin and other Spirits	2:00PM: The Athens Fibercraft Guild: A Community of Crafters 2:00PM: Great Decisions (3)
	1:30PM: Petanque: ...	2:00PM: ...How the Word is Passed...(1) 6:00PM: German Oktoberfest Cooking Class	12:00N: Downtown Athens walking tour 2:00PM: The Great American Songbook: (2)	2:00PM: The JFK Assassination: ... (2) 2:00PM: The Great Transformation: ... (2)	SATURDAY
					OCTOBER 14
					1:00PM: Latin American Ethnobotanical Garden

OLLI@UGA Fall Schedule 2023 (Weeks 10-12)

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	OCTOBER 16	OCTOBER 17	OCTOBER 18	OCTOBER 19	OCTOBER 20
Week 10	10:00AM: Art on View at ATHICA: ...	10:30AM: Making Athens-Clarke County Transit Work for You	10:00AM: Great Books (4)	10:00AM: Burning Man: The event, the culture, the organization.	
	10:00AM: Energy Matters (2)		10:00AM: Army 101	10:00AM: Bridge III: (7)	
	1:00PM: A Family Historian's Treasure...	2:00PM: Athens-Ben Epps Airport Tour ...	2:00PM: Chinese Written Characters: (2)	2:00PM: The JFK Assassination: ... (3)	2:00PM: Cameo Collection: ...
	2:00PM: Chinese Written Characters: ... (1)	2:00PM: ...How the Word is Passed...(2)	2:00PM: ...to Reform Social Security (3)	2:00PM: The Great Transformation: ... (3)	2:00PM: Chinese Written Characters: (3)
	OCTOBER 23	OCTOBER 24	OCTOBER 25	OCTOBER 26	OCTOBER 27
Week 11	10:00AM: Travels in Africa, ...	10:00AM: English Sonnets and Sonneteers (1)	10:00AM: All About Fall Color	10:00AM: English Sonnets ... (2)	10:00AM: Get to Know UGA's Ramsey Center for Physical Activities
	10:00AM: Energy Matters (3)	11:30AM: Identity Crisis: (Lunch & Learn)	10:00AM: SNAFU ...	10:00AM: Bridge III: (8)	
		12:00N: Vaccines: ...	1:00PM: Metal...(2)	1:00PM: The Joy of Metalsmithing (3)	12:00N: CBD for Better Health
		1:00PM: The Joy of Metalsmithing (1)	2:00PM: Hearing and Communication ... (1)	2:00PM: Your Legacy at OLLI	2:00PM: Way to Go!: A Well-Planned Exit
		2:00PM: ..the Word...(3)	2:00PM: Why Did Your Mother ...	2:00PM: The Great Transformation: ... (4)	
	OCTOBER 30	OCTOBER 31	NOVEMBER 1	NOVEMBER 2	NOVEMBER 3
Week 12		10:00AM: English Sonnets and Sonneteers (3)	10:00AM: Great Books (5)	10:00AM: English Sonnets ... (4)	10:00AM: Common Sense Gardening (1)
			10:00AM: The Great Commanders	10:00AM: Soil or Dirt(1)	10:00AM: Common Sense Gardening (2)
		2:00PM: ..the Word...(4)	2:00PM: What is Second Life?	10:00AM: Bridge III: (9)	10:00AM: Bridge III: (9)
				1:00PM: The Joy of Metalsmithing (3)	12:00N: Lt. Ben Parks: ...
				2:00PM: Battle of Britain	2:00PM: The Naval Battles for Guadalacanal 1942
				2:00PM: The Great Transformation: ... (4)	

OLLI@UGA Fall Schedule 2023 (Weeks 13-15)

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	NOVEMBER 6	NOVEMBER 7	NOVEMBER 8	NOVEMBER 9	NOVEMBER 10
Week 13	10:00AM: Discover the Fold3 Database	10:00AM: New Perspectives ... 10:00AM: United States Air Force Munitions: ...	10:00AM: Vietnam 10:00AM: Invasive/ Non-Native Plants: ...	<i>10:00AM: Soil or Dirt(2)</i>	10:00AM: Brickyard Business & Bamboozlement: ...
		11:30AM: Bonnie Prince Charlie, ...(Lunch & Learn) <i>2:00PM: ..the Word...(5)</i>	2:00PM: Advance Planning Seminar, Pets too 2:00PM: The Great American Songbook:...	2:00PM: The Tricky Business of Civil ... 2:00PM: Nutrition, Physical Activity ...	<i>2:00PM: Great Decisions (4)</i>
	NOVEMBER 13	NOVEMBER 14	NOVEMBER 15	NOVEMBER 16	NOVEMBER 17
Week 14		10:00AM: The Zen of Aviation	<i>10:00AM: Great Books (5)</i> 10:00AM: Iconic Images of War		
	2:00PM: The Double Helix - ... 2:00PM: Are You Ready for an EV Yet?	2:00PM: 10 British Invasion Songs ... 2:00PM: Finding your way with paint	<i>2:00PM: Hearing and Communication ... (2)</i> 5:30PM: One Pair Must Last a Lifetime	1:00PM: HeritageQuest ... 2:00PM: What's Up at the Courts?	
	NOVEMBER 20	NOVEMBER 21	NOVEMBER 22	NOVEMBER 23	NOVEMBER 24
Week 15			10:00AM: Road to Roubaix	<div>Happy Thanksgiving!</div>	

OLLI@UGA Fall Schedule 2023 (Weeks 16-18)

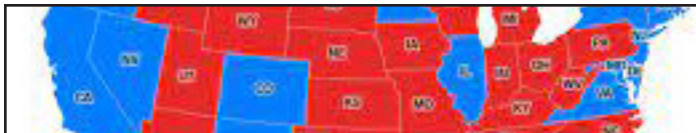
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	NOVEMBER 27	NOVEMBER 28	NOVEMBER 29	NOVEMBER 30	DECEMBER 1
Week 16	10:00AM: 100 Beautiful Photographs		10:00AM: Great Books (6)	10:00AM: Understanding Western Manuscripts (1)	
	DECEMBER 4	DECEMBER 5	DECEMBER 6	DECEMBER 7	DECEMBER 8
Week 17	10:00AM: In Search of the Laws of History (1)	11:30AM: "Nobody who has been drinking is let in to see this show": the Armory Show of 1913 (Lunch & Learn)	10:00AM: In Search of the Laws of History (2)	10:00AM: Understanding Western Manuscripts (2)	
			2:00PM: Glyphosate (Roundup): 2:00PM: Hearing and Communication ... (3)	12:00N: CBD for Better Health	
	DECEMBER 11	DECEMBER 12	DECEMBER 13	DECEMBER 14	DECEMBER 15
Week 18		10:00AM: How to Design your Forever Home		10:00AM: Understanding Western Manuscripts (3)	
		2:00PM: Shop Around the Corner: Jimmy Stewart's First (and best) Christmas Movie			

Lunch & Learn at Trumps

All Lunch & Learns are held at Trump's Catering from 11:30AM-1:30PM.

Cost \$33 per person (Guest spots are available - please contact the office)

The deadline for registration for Lunch and Learns is the week before the event



AUGUST 15

The 2016 Election of Donald Trump: What Happened???

BOB GRAFSTEIN



AUGUST 29

The Politics of Swan Lake in War and Peace; Or, What is it about those Swans?

LISA FUSILLO



SEPTEMBER 12

A Discussion of The Time Has Come
WILL LEITCH



SEPTEMBER 26

Gerrymandering and the Justices: The Independent State Legislature Controversy

DON COENEN



OCTOBER 24

Identity Crisis: Mystery, Murder, and Missing DNA
JON JEFFERSON



NOVEMBER 7

Bonnie Prince Charlie, the Jacobite Rebellions, and the Clearances

IAN HARDIN



DECEMBER 5

"Nobody who has been drinking is let in to see this show": the Armory Show of 1913

JANICE SIMON

Lunch & Learn at Trumps (2)

The 2016 Election of Donald Trump: What Happened???

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 15 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

The 2016 election produced a seismic change in American politics. Representing more than the victory of one unusual candidate, it exposed deeper forces that continue to drive our politics. To some observers, the election reflected the powerful disruptions experienced by non-college educated voters, particularly in manufacturing. Other observers have stressed the way White voters reacted to societal changes that they perceived to be challenging their social status. And Democrats and Republicans are still coming to terms with 2016's consequences. We will explore the election's profound political impact and how differing explanations for this surprising outcome can be reconciled.

Bob Grafstein

Robert Grafstein is the Georgia Athletic Association Distinguished Professor Emeritus at the University of Georgia. He also was the associate dean and interim dean of the School of Public and International Affairs. He received his BA from the University of Pennsylvania and his MA and PhD from the University of Chicago. Specializing in political economy, he is the author of two books, co-editor of one, and author of numerous articles in leading political science journals.

The Politics of Swan Lake in War and Peace; Or, What is it about those Swans?

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 29 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

At times of polarizing world politics, why is Swan Lake in the line of political fire? For centuries, dance has been at the forefront of the arts in making visible and significant social and political statements. This presentation will address the use of ballet in social and political activism with a focus on ballet's swans. Fusillo examines Swan Lake as a tool and signal of political change, unrest, and upheaval, as well as a symbol of activism for social justice, protests for policy reform, and anti-war stances.

Lisa Fusillo

Lisa trained professionally at Washington School of Ballet and in New York, London, Russia, and Denmark, earning the Diploma from the Royal Ballet School (London) and certifications from American Ballet Theatre, NTC and New York City Ballet Ed Dpt. She has presented choreography and scholarly research throughout Europe, the U.S., and Asia. Additional recognitions: Fulbright Scholar(Taiwan), professor at UGA at Oxford, UGA Foundation Professor in the Arts, Phi Kappa Phi Artist, and TWU Distinguished Alumni.

Lunch & Learn at Trumps (3)

A Discussion of The Time Has Come

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 12 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

Our fellow Athenian Will Leitch has written a highly acclaimed novel titled *The Time Has Come*, set in our hometown. It is a follow-up to his *How Lucky*, also set in Athens. Leitch will discuss his book and his remarkable writing career, which spans the worlds of fiction, journalism, and broadcasting. He'll also make some jokes and answer every question anyone has. You might want to pick up a copy of *The Time Has Come* at Avid and bring it to the luncheon for Will to sign.

Will Leitch

Will Leitch is a contributing editor at New York magazine and the founder of the late sports website Deadspin. He also writes regularly for the New York Times, Washington Post, NBC News, Medium, and MLB.com. He lives in Athens, Georgia, with his wife and two sons. His new novel, *The Time Has Come*, was published in May. It is set in Athens.

Gerrymandering and the Justices: The Independent State Legislature Controversy

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 26 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

The United States Constitution provides that: "The Times, Places and Manner of holding Elections for Senators and Representatives, shall be prescribed in each State by the Legislature thereof ..." Some analysts have argued that this assignment of power to "the Legislature" gives rise to important limitations on state judicial authority. According to a strong version of this theory, state courts are barred from reviewing the constitutionality under their own state constitutions of state laws that regulate federal Senate and House elections. This presentation will address this so-called "independent state legislature doctrine," which is now under consideration by the Supreme Court.

Dan Coenen

Coenen is a University Professor, a Josiah Meigs Distinguished Teaching Professor, and the Harmon W. Caldwell Chair in Constitutional Law at the University of Georgia. Earlier, he worked in private practice after serving as a law clerk for Federal Court of Appeals Judge Clement Haynsworth, Jr., and Harry A. Blackmun, Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court. He has won multiple awards for his teaching and research work during his time at UGA.

Lunch & Learn at Trumps (4)

Identity Crisis: Mystery, Murder, and Missing DNA

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 24 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

In 19____, a woman named Leoma Patterson went missing, last seen leaving a bar in Clinton, Tennessee. Eighteen months later, a skeleton was found in the woods in an adjoining county. Investigators concluded the bones were Leoma Patterson's, and they were buried in a family cemetery. But some family members always doubted the identification. Two decades later - - during the heyday of the TV crime show "C.S.I." - - the family asked forensic anthropologist William Bass, of "Body Farm" fame, to exhume the bones and definitively identify them. Thus began a wild, roller-coaster-ride investigation by Bass and writer Jon Jefferson.

Jon Jefferson

Jon Jefferson is a writer and documentary producer based in Athens, GA. His television documentaries have been seen by millions worldwide. In a long, fruitful collaboration with legendary forensic anthropologist William Bass, Jon has written two nonfiction books and ten crime novels - six of them New York Times bestsellers - as well as a stand-alone thriller novel. He is currently writing an Athens-based series of crime novels for the University of Georgia Press.

Bonnie Prince Charlie, the Jacobite Rebellions, and the Clearances

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 7 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

The last Jacobite rebellion in Scotland was led by Charles Edward Stewart in 1745-46. The disastrous defeat at Culloden led to the Highland Clearances. These changed the Highlands and its culture forever, and led to the diaspora of highland Scots all over the world.

Ian Hardin

Ian Hardin was born in Scotland, and half his family are still there. He has been teaching about Scotland to freshmen at Auburn and UGA for decades, and for ten years to OLLI students.

Lunch & Learn at Trumps (5)

“Nobody who has been drinking is let in to see this show”: the Armory Show of 1913

Number of Sessions: 1: Dec 5 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

On February 17 1913, New Yorkers witnessed the opening of the International Exhibition of Modern Art, known as the Armory Show. As the largest exhibition of European and American avant-garde art in the nation to date, it changed the history of art in America. Matisse, Picasso, Duchamp, Picabia, and Brancusi were praised and reviled -- their galleries dubbed “the chamber of horrors.”; American artists dominated the galleries but most were ignored by the critics, collectors, and public who came in droves to see and buy the “futurist” art. We will study the art, cartoons, and commentary of this revolutionary exhibition.









Janice Simon

Janice Simon taught art history at UGA for thirty-five years, specializing in American Art, spirituality in modern art, and the films of Alfred Hitchcock. She received all her degrees in art history: her BA from SUNY/Buffalo (her home town), and her MA and PhD. with great distinction from the University of Michigan. At UGA she received many teaching awards including the University’s highest designation, Josiah Meigs Distinguished Teaching Professor

Week 1 (Aug 14 - 18)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Oconee Hill Cemetery	Smith	1	\$12	Aug 14 (Mo)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	OS
Medicare 101 - Clear Guide to Medicare	Flanders / Nabb	1	\$12	Aug 14 (Mo)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	Z
History In The First Person: Videograph	Lamprill	1	\$12	Aug 14 (Mo)	12:00PM - 1:00PM	RC
Population Growth, Climate Change, Birth Control	Burnett	1	\$12	Aug 14 (Mo)	2:00PM - 3:15PM	RC
The 2016 Election of Donald Trump: What Happened??? (LUNCH & LEARN)	Grafstein	1	\$33	Aug 15 (Tu)	11:30AM - 1:30PM	TC
Destination Dawgs: Ways to Get Involved	Laws / Szelwach	1	\$12	Aug 15 (Tu)	2:00PM - 3:00PM	Z
Sustainable Investing: Investing with Your Dollars and Your Conscience	Neves	1	\$12	Aug 15 (Tu)	2:00PM - 3:00PM	RC/Z
Awareness about Stroke: Prevention, Treatment and Recovery	Bushra	1	\$12	Aug 16 (We)	10:00AM - 11:00AM	RC
Not If but How: Proposals to Reform Social Security	Grafstein	3	\$30	Aug 16 (We) Sep 22 (Fr) Oct 18 (We)	2:00PM - 3:00PM 2:00PM - 3:00PM 2:00PM - 3:00PM	Z
Diabetes, Overweight, Hypertension, Cardiac Disease	Burnett	1	\$12	Aug 17 (Th)	2:00PM - 3:30PM	RC
The Old(er) and the Restless: Living into Truth & Meaning in the Second Half of Life	Buchanan	5	\$48	Aug 17 (Th) Aug 24 (Th) Aug 31 (Th) Sep 7 (Th) Sep 14 (Th)	2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM	RC
First Date with the Hargrett Library	Stein	1	\$12	Aug 18 (Fr)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	OS
Quacks and Other Myths About Chiropractic Care	VanPelt	1	\$12	Aug 18 (Fr)	12:00N - 1:15PM	RC
Great Decisions	Alworth / Rice	4	\$39	Aug 18 (Fr) Sep 8 (Fr) Oct 13 (Fr) Nov 10 (Fr)	2:00PM - 3:30PM 2:00PM - 3:30PM 2:00PM - 3:30PM 2:00PM - 3:30PM	RC

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Oconee Hill Cemetery

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 14 (Mo)

OS

10:00AM-11:15AM

\$12

We will discuss Oconee Hill, which is on the national list of historic places. We will cover the history of the cemetery and the notables buried here. We will also review the 21st-century technology and show why it is considered by many the most technically accessible cemetery in Georgia. Don has converted the century-old books to a modern website that not only shows who is buried at Oconee Hill but also provides a map to every lot. He will also discuss a virtual tour of the cemetery on the website.

Donald Smith

Donald is a graduate of UGA with a degree in Mass Communications. His career, before becoming general manager of Oconee Hill Cemetery, was in document management with Lanier Business Products. He is married to Margaret McPherson Smith, who is a native Athenian. In his six years with the cemetery, he has converted its 19th-century bookkeeping practices into a high tech, digital system for grave research and cemetery management.

Medicare 101 - Clear Guide to Medicare

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 14 (Mo)

Z

10:00AM-11:15AM

\$12

Clear Guide to Medicare will prepare consumers for enrolling and managing their Medicare plans by describing the parts of Medicare as well as their requirements. We go in depth on enrollment periods and penalties for those who have made mistakes or are about to.

Keith Nabb

Keith has been a health and Medicare plan advisor for 28 years. He is the Founder and Principal of Affordable Medicare Solutions, an award-winning agency with over 500 Five Star reviews. Keith and his staff of 10 personally advise consumers and professionals on health and Medicare coverage options and provide educational events throughout Georgia communities. Keith is a proud graduate of the University of Georgia.

Mitchell Flanders

Mitchell is the Digital Media & Marketing Specialist at Affordable Medicare Solutions. He is a recent graduate of UGA's Grady College of Journalism.

History In The First Person: Videograph

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 14 (Mo)

RC

12:00PM-1:00PM

\$12

Creating and preserving better personal histories. Techniques and motivation beyond auto/biography.

Paul Lamprill

Born in 1952 and raised in Wales by English parents, Paul has lived in the United States for over 30 years. He was educated at Cardiff College of Art, Canterbury College of Art, Leeds Polytechnic, and Birmingham University. In his first career, he taught Fine Art and Photography in England, UWC Singapore, the Philippines, Mexico, Zambia, and Arizona, as well as English as a second language in New Zealand. Second career in US state government in five Western states, in public safety, media and public relations.

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Population Growth, Climate Change, Birth Control

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 14 (Mo)

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

This class will be about population Growth, Climate Change, Birth Control, Fertility Rates around the World, and will discuss data about Global Warming , Birth Control Effectiveness , and Public Health Clinic patient Experience.

Claude A Burnett

Claude Burnett, M.D., M.P.H. was educated at Dartmouth College, Dartmouth Medical School, Mount Sinai Medical School, Bellevue Hospital in N.Y., Duke University, and the University of North Carolina. He was in the Epidemic Intelligence Service at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and served in the U.S. Public Health Service before becoming the District Health Director in Athens for 41 years in the Georgia Department of Public Health.

The 2016 Election of Donald Trump: What Happened???

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 15 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

The 2016 election produced a seismic change in American politics. Representing more than the victory of one unusual candidate, it exposed deeper forces that continue to drive our politics. To some observers, the election reflected the powerful disruptions experienced by non-college educated voters, particularly in manufacturing. Other observers have stressed the way White voters reacted to societal changes that they perceived to be challenging their social status. And Democrats and Republicans are still coming to terms with 2016's consequences. We will explore the election's profound political impact and how differing explanations for this surprising outcome can be reconciled.

Bob Grafstein

Robert Grafstein is the Georgia Athletic Association Distinguished Professor Emeritus at the University of Georgia. He also was the associate dean and interim dean of the School of Public and International Affairs. He received his BA from the University of Pennsylvania and his MA and PhD from the University of Chicago. Specializing in political economy, he is the author of two books, co-editor of one, and author of numerous articles in leading political science journals.

Destination Dawgs: Ways to Get Involved

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 15 (Tu)

Z

2:00PM–3:00PM

\$12

Destination Dawgs is UGA's Inclusive Postsecondary Education program for college-age youth with intellectual disabilities. This program provides students to participate in classes and engage in student activities and internships as a means to build career and social skills. Students earn a Certificate in College and Career Readiness from the GA Center for Continuing Education at the end of the 2-year program.

This class will describe the program and the opportunity it provides for OLLI involvement. We are seeking professional adult mentors to guide our students in internships and in volunteer activities off campus as they work toward meaningful employment.

Alexis Szelwach

Alexis is serving Destination Dawgs as the Transition Coordinator. She received her bachelor's degree from The University of Central Florida, and her master's degree in higher education administration from The Institute of Higher Education at The University of Georgia. She has been working with students with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities since 2015 as an undergraduate student, graduate student, and professional.

Carol Laws

Carol is a Clinical Associate Professor and Interdisciplinary Training Director for the Institute on Human Development and Disability (UCEDD) at the University of Georgia where she coordinates the Disability Studies Certificate program at the undergraduate and graduate levels. She is the Founding Director of Destination Dawgs at UGA.

Sustainable Investing: Investing with Your Dollars and Your Conscience

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 15 (Tu)

RC / Z

2:00PM–3:00PM

\$12

Sustainable investing means investing your money in a socially conscious way. The course will provide insights into various considerations and approaches to aligning investment portfolios with personal values. Sustainable Investing is in high demand, with sustainable fund growth nearly doubling every three years. As demand and interest has continued to grow, so have the types of personal goals, performance considerations, investment options, and both financial and non-financial metrics available.

James Neves

James is a financial advisor with Edward Jones Investments and has been with the firm since 2017. He lives in Athens with his wife Rabun and two daughters. James is a graduate of Furman University (BS, 2001) and the University of Georgia, (MS, Chemistry, 2008). His community involvement includes Canopy Studio Repertory Company, Oconee Rivers Audubon Society, Athens Area Chamber of Commerce, and Winterville Marigold Festival's Board of Directors.

Awareness about Stroke: Prevention, Treatment and Recovery

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 16 (We)

RC

10:00AM–11:00AM

\$12

The class will be about strokes, the fourth highest cause of mortality and morbidity in the state of Georgia. There is a little awareness present in Georgians about stroke prevention and available treatments. The presenter wants to deliver the knowledge about disease and its prevention to the class. The presenter will also discuss the efforts of the department of Kinesiology at the University of Georgia to build a stroke registry in the state of Georgia for finding individuals interested in participating in stroke recovery research.

Aisha Bushra

Aisha is a physician who is currently working with the department of Kinesiology as a clinical research professional. Having participated in research on multiple sclerosis for four years, she is now focused on stroke and post-stroke recovery and rehabilitation.

Not If but How: Proposals to Reform Social Security

Number of Sessions: 3:

Aug 16 (We), Sep 22 (Fr), Oct 18 (We).

Z

2:00PM–3:00PM

\$30

The end is nigh for 23% of Social Security: The Congressional Budget Office projects that in 10 years the program will be able to pay retirees only 77% of their scheduled benefits. For some, this cut would be inconvenient; for the 40% of retirees who rely on Social Security for most of their income, it would be disastrous. Since politicians' pledges never to cut Social Security cannot be redeemed at the grocery store, the program must be changed if it is to honor its commitments. This course explores the leading proposals to restore Social Security to financial solvency.

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Diabetes, Overweight, Hypertension, Cardiac Disease

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 17 (Th)

RC

2:00PM-3:30PM

\$12

Learn important facts about the diabetes epidemic and the central role of sugar and starch in stimulating excess insulin, causing weight gain, high blood sugar, hypertension, diabetes, and cardiovascular disease. What can you do to control blood sugar, blood pressure, and weight with less medicine? Learn how diabetes develops and how people can stop the costly epidemic.

Claude A Burnett

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The Old(er) and the Restless: Living into Truth & Meaning in the Second Half of Life

Number of Sessions: 5

Aug 17 (Th), Aug 24 (Th), Aug 31 (Th), Sep 7 (Th), Sep 14 (Th).

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$48

One popular spiritual writer has said that If the first half of our life is about creating a proper “container” (a strong self-image, professional identity, financial security, stability, and the like), the purpose of the second half is to find the actual contents that this container is meant to hold-- and so live ever more deeply into truth, meaning, and the mystery of who we are. Join veteran presenter Tom Buchanan as we journey together.

Tom Buchanan

Tom Buchanan is Pastor of Friendship Presbyterian Church in Athens, and for the last 29 years has served churches in New Jersey and Georgia. Rev. Buchanan has particular interests in historical and philosophical theology, the background and interpretation of Biblical literature, and the challenges and possibilities facing religion in the 21st century.

First Date with the Hargrett Library

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 18 (Fr)

OS

10:00AM - 11:15AM

\$12

Home to the largest collection of Georgia's history as well as surprising collections from across the country and around the globe, the Hargrett Library houses a variety of materials that document our shared history. Hargrett staff have pulled from the vault letters, diaries, photographs, manuscripts, and so much more to delight and intrigue you. Participants will hold history in their hands as they explore a grouping of materials and discover the story that they tell. This is an interactive class in which participants share what they discover.

Katherine Stein

Katherine is the director of the Hargrett Rare Book and Manuscript Library at the University of Georgia. The Hargrett Library advances the research, instructional, and public service mission of the University by collecting, preserving, and providing access to the published and unpublished works that document the history and culture of Georgia. Kat holds a master's in Museum Studies, with a focus on collection management, from George Washington University.

Quacks and Other Myths About Chiropractic Care

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 18 (Fr)

RC

12:00N-1:15PM

\$12

The class will explore all the common myths surrounding chiropractic like, “Chiropractors are quacks” or “children don’t need chiropractic care.” We will also discuss the various types of chiropractic care and how each technique can be right for different individuals.

Audrey VanPelt

Dr VanPelt owns and operates Legacy Chiropractic Center in downtown Athens. She graduated from Life University and entered into her second profession excited about making a lasting difference in peoples’ lives. Creating lasting health through upper cervical chiropractic care is her profession, but educating people on the benefits of chiropractic care and how to achieve true health is her passion.

Great Decisions 2023

Number of Sessions: 4

Aug 18 (Fr), Sep 8 (Fr), Oct 13 (Fr), Nov 10 (Fr).

RC

2:00PM-3:30PM

\$39

Each year the Foreign Policy Association publishes a booklet analyzing topics related to foreign policy they believe offer opportunities and/or risks to the United States. This discussion course expects participants to buy the 2023 Great Decisions booklet (\$35), read the assigned material, and come to class prepared to offer individual insights and opinions. This semester’s course will cover the first four topics in the Foreign Policy Assoc. booklet for 2023. The booklet is available from the Foreign Policy Assoc. Website (https://www.fpa.org/great_decisions/).

Peter Rice

Peter Rice is a retired math professor and consultant who was educated at St. John’s College (The Great Books College) and has experience teaching topics of ancient and current concerns, including the OLLI course on Great Decisions in 2019. Both discussion leaders have traveled and lived abroad and have observed international diplomatic situations from different perspectives.

Bill Alworth

William Alworth is a retired chemistry professor. He received his BA from Harvard College and his PhD from the University of California-Berkeley. He and his co-director, Peter Rice, have led Great Decisions discussions for several years.

Week 2 (Aug 21 - 25)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Hearing Health and Treatments	Cohen / Moon / Morrison	1	\$12	Aug 21 (Mo)	10:00AM - 11:00AM	RC
Antebellum Athens' Botanical Garden	Mann	1	\$12	Aug 21 (Mo)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	RC
Kitchen Arabic	Geha	1	\$12	Aug 21 (Mo)	2:00PM - 3:15PM	Z
Beginner's Poker	Knox	8	\$75	Aug 22 (Tu) Aug 29 (Tu) Sep 5 (Tu) Sep 12 (Tu) Sep 19 (Tu) Sep 26 (Tu) Oct 3 (Tu) Oct 10 (Tu)	10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM	Z
Election Education Forum	Long	1	\$12	Aug 22 (Tu)	2:00PM - 3:00PM	RC
Taking Better Pictures* (Part 1)	Morgenthaller	1	\$12	Aug 22 (Tu)	6:00PM - 8:00PM	RC
Coming to Terms with Covid-19	Probst	1	\$12	Aug 23 (We)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	RC
55 Years of Historic Athens	Iglehart / Valentine	2	\$21	Aug 23 (We) Aug 30 (We)	10:00AM - 11:00AM 10:00AM - 11:00AM	RC
Spinoza's God	Justice	3	\$30	Aug 23 (We) Aug 30 (We) Sep 6 (We)	2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM	RC
Genealogy: Getting Started and Finding Resources	Carter	2	\$24	Aug 24 (Th) Sep 7 (Th)	1:00PM - 4:00PM 1:00PM - 4:00PM	RC/Z
"Your Kid is Crazy!": Understanding the Trauma, Mental Health, and Pain Behind the Eyes of a Foster Child	Frazier	1	\$12	Aug 25 (Fr)	10:00AM - 11:30AM	RC
Ekphrastic Poetry, Marc Chagall, and Women in the Bible	Hamilton	1	\$12	Aug 25 (Fr)	2:00PM - 3:15PM	Z

*You can register for all 7 parts of the "Taking Better Pictures" at one time (\$66) - but each part may be taken separately

Hearing Health and Treatments

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 21 (Mo)

RC

10:00AM–11:00AM

\$12

Much has been learned over the years about hearing loss and its significant impact on overall health and yet it is a complex and often underestimated impairment. To meet the many needs of people who live with hearing impairment, it is imperative that a comprehensive intervention strategy be developed. In addition to hearing instruments, this class covers effective listening treatments that encompass all aspects of its effect upon the individual and the people with whom they interact. Listening treatments include visual awareness, auditory training, listening skills, communication strategies, social and emotional issues, coping techniques, and use of assistive listening devices

Alison Morrison

Alison Morrison is a clinical assistant professor at the University of Georgia and the Audiology Clinic Coordinator at the UGA Speech and Hearing Clinic. She received her Doctor of Audiology degree from Vanderbilt University and has over 10 years of clinical experience in direct service provision in multiple clinical settings including regional medical centers and university clinics. Dr. Morrison has a strong commitment to evidence-based practices and community education.

Kerry Cohen

Kerry is a clinical doctor of audiology with 20 years of experience. She has extensive experience working with people with all ages and in a variety of settings. Dr. Cohen is a member of the American Speech Language and Hearing Association and a member of the Georgia Academy of Audiology. Her expertises include managing tinnitus, promoting hearing conservations and aural rehabilitations using hearing aids and auditory training.

SoMang Moon

SoMang is a clinical assistant professor and a licensed audiologist at the University of Georgia Speech and Hearing Clinic. She currently has the certificate of clinical competence in audiology from the American Speech-Language and Hearing Association. She teaches clinical practicum in Audiology for speech-language graduate students and supervise them for their hearing screenings. Her expertises include adult diagnostic testings, vestibular assessments and aural rehabilitations using hearing aids and cochlear implants.

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Antebellum Athens' Botanical Garden

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 21 (Mo)

RC

10:00AM-11:15AM

\$12

This presentation examines Athens' first Botanical Garden which was Antebellum Athens' most admired amenity. It flourished from 1832 to 1856. The eight-acre Garden was developed along Tanyard Creek by Dr. Malthus Ward, MD, the University's Professor of Natural History. Visitors remembered it as "a Garden of Eden, a paradise." The creek was transformed in the "natural style" into "a splashing waterfall, with a placid little lake, winding walks, shady dells, boats, bridges, a small greenhouse, and plant beds of exquisite beauty." When the Garden was closed and the property sold, the proceeds funded the University's cast-iron fence and The Arch.

William Mann

William, FASLA, Professor Emeritus at UGA, taught landscape architecture in the College of Environment and Design for 38 years. He also taught at the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology in Australia and at Michigan State University. He has been a lecturer at many universities and conferences in the United States, Canada, Europe, and Australia. Mann is the author of Landscape Architecture: An Illustrated History and Space and Time in Landscape Architectural History.

Kitchen Arabic

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 21 (Mo)

Z

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

Reading of Kitchen Arabic: How My Family Came to America and the Recipes We Brought With Us. Discussion would include history and research approaches, writing processes, cooking/recipe techniques, Q&A.

Joseph Geha

Joseph Geha is the author of the collection, Through and Through: Toledo Stories, Lebanese Blonde, a novel, and Kitchen Arabic, a memoir/cookbook. His work has appeared widely in numerous periodicals. His fiction was awarded a fellowship from the National Endowment for the Arts, as well as the Pushcart Prize, the 2013 Arab American Book Award, and was chosen for inclusion in the Permanent Collection, Arab-American Archive, of the Smithsonian Institution.



Beginner's Poker

Number of Sessions: 8

Aug 22 (Tu), Aug 29 (Tu), Sep 5 (Tu), Sep 12 (Tu),
Sep 19 (Tu), Sep 26 (Tu), Oct 3 (Tu), Oct 10 (Tu).

10:00AM-11:30AM

Z

\$75

This is a beginner's class designed for people who have never played poker. We will start at the very beginning, explaining the hand rankings and betting and playing rules. You will learn some very basic guidelines for determining your chances of getting certain poker hands to help in your betting strategy. We will learn how to play the 3 basic foundation games that all poker variations are based on as well as multiple poker variations. Join the class for some fun and get ready to learn so that you can play a friendly poker game with friends soon afterwards!

Dave Knox

Dave has enjoyed playing the game of poker since high school and has taught beginning poker for the past 5 years. He enjoys showing people the benefits, including keeping your memory sharp and learning how to interact with other players

Election Education Forum

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 22 (Tu)

RC

2:00PM-3:00PM

\$12

This forum will provide insight into the elections process. Some of the topics will include voter registration, voting absentee by mail, and poll worker information.

Pamela Long

Pamela was hired as a Poll Manager in 2014. In 2016, Pamela was hired as an Elections Clerk. She was promoted to Elections Assistant on July 1, 2019. Pamela has her certification in the State of Georgia and County Registration (GEOC and GROC). She is an active member of the Georgia Association of Voter Registration and Election Officials. Pamela Graduated Magna cum laude from Liberty University with a Bachelor of Science in Religion: Christian Counseling.

Taking Better Pictures (Part 1)

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 22 (Tu)

6:00PM-8:00PM

RC

\$12

1. Understanding the complexity of your camera's menu settings and using the most important of those settings for best results.

Understanding those confusing digital camera controls and settings. Using qualities of light for more dramatic images. Using Shutter and Aperture controls for creative effect. Using different focal length lenses for creative effect. Learning all of the elements that go into effective composition. Capturing personalities in people photographs. Using flash. Using software for editing your images. Students are encouraged to actively participate during class and to optionally share their images for comment and critique during class or privately.

Jim Morgenthaler

Jim Morgenthaler has taught photography for 49 years at the University of Georgia Continuing Education Program, the John C. Campbell Folk School and Athens Technical College. Jim is retired from UGA where he produced television programs, computer graphics, documentary films and still photography. Jim has taught a number of workshops and seminars in Georgia. He teaches a variety of courses including basic and advanced photography and digital photography editing.

Register for all 7 Parts of Taking Better Pictures:

Aug 22 (Tu), Aug 29 (Tu), Sep 5 (Tu), Sep 12 (Tu),

Sep 19 (Tu), Sep 26 (Tu), Oct 3 (Tu).

6:00PM-8:00PM

RC

\$66

Coming to Terms with Covid-19

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 23 (We)

10:00AM-11:15AM

RC

\$12

A "novel" virus is, by definition, unknown and therefore to be feared. By the time we know what it is, it has spread beyond our ability to contain it. The class will look back at Covid-19: how it spread and began killing people all over the world; and what doctors, scientists, government officials, and the public learned and did, or didn't do, to fight back. (We will also consider generating an OLLI journal of personal experiences during the pandemic.)

Cliff Probst

Cliff is a native of New Orleans and a Stanford graduate, with a master's degree from Tulane and additional course work at Vanderbilt and UGA. This Fall session will mark the seventh OLLI class he has taught.

55 Years of Historic Athens

Number of Sessions: 2

Aug 23 (We), Aug 30 (We).

RC

10:00AM–11:00AM

\$21

Founded in 1967, Historic Athens is a local nonprofit devoted to preserving the history and culture of Athens. Over the last four years, Historic Athens has grown to include events such as Places in Peril, Porchfest, Spring Heritage Walks, History Hours, and Livecasts. Students will learn about the past, present, and future of Historic Athens and the One Story Initiative that brings the community together one story at a time. In addition, we would love for OLLI members to attend the Historic Athens History Hour at 12 pm on August 15th at the Lyndon House Arts Center.

Hope Iglehart

Hope is a connector of people with 20 years of experience in management, nonprofit management, and higher education. Starting her position in January 2022 as Director of Engagement and African American Heritage, Iglehart developed One Story, a program geared toward connecting people to untold stories of all of Athens.

Tommy Valentine

Tommy is the Executive Director of Historic Athens. He is a double dawg and a native Athenian who has over 15 years of public and private sector experience. Under his leadership, Historic Athens has seen significant expansion in both membership and community-wide events.

Spinoza's God

Number of Sessions: 3

Aug 23 (We), Aug 30 (We), Sep 6 (We).

RC

2:00PM–3:15PM

\$30

This class is dedicated to the metaphysical problems posed by Baruch Spinoza, one of the most interesting and notorious philosophers of the mid-17th century. We will be turning our attention to the first book of his magnum opus, the Ethics, in taking a holistic and appreciative approach to his multifaceted views on morality, science, and the concept of the divine. In what ways could God be considered a natural entity, manifest in the actual world? How then should we think about nature and its causes, or lack thereof? Read “Of God” and discover the virtues of the Spinozist mind!

Recommended reading: Spinoza's Ethics, or at least the first book “Of God”. Any translation will be fine.

Neil Justice

Neil Justice interned at OLLI@UGA for his capstone project while earning his Masters of Public Health, with an emphasis in Health Promotion and Behavior. As an aspiring teacher with a commitment to facilitating lifelong learning projects, Neil believes that incorporating the arts and humanities into initiatives that prioritize well-being is central to keeping communities engaged and curious.

Genealogy: Getting Started and Finding Resources

Number of Sessions: 2

Aug 24 (Th), Sep 7 (Th).

1:00PM-4:00PM

RC / Z

\$24

This introduction (6 hours) to basic methodology (which applies to US and international research) is designed to introduce participants to sources and techniques. There will be homework exercises in advance of both sessions and advance reading assignments (no later than a week before class) from *How to do Everything Genealogy*, 4th ed., George G. Morgan, McGraw-Hill, 2015, 978-0071845922. The book should be available through your PINES library or you can purchase a copy.

Note: Registering late for this class may mean that the participant does not have adequate time for advance preparation.

Laura Carter

Laura W. Carter, a native Athenian, grew up in Clarke County, Georgia, and spent the majority of her life working in libraries. Her work passions were cataloging and reference work - the primary avenues in libraries to help people find information they need. Retired from library work, she enjoys teaching people how to use resources for research. Laura has taught multiple genealogy classes for OLLI and co-chairs the DNA for Genealogy SIG with Gene Wengert.

“Your Kid is Crazy!”: Understanding the Trauma, Mental Health, and Pain Behind the Eyes of a Foster Child

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 25 (Fr)

10:00AM-11:30AM

RC

\$12

Mental health has become an important, trending topic on social media. However, mental health was not a topic that people felt safe enough to speak about for a long time. Many children struggle in silence. Although foster care was seen as a safe haven for children years ago, that's not the reality for many children who have experienced it. Mental health is serious, but early intervention is key. Breana will dive deeper into different mental health diagnoses, foster care, and ways to be an advocate for children.

Breana Frazier

Breana was born and raised in South Florida. She has Bachelor degrees in both Psychology and Criminal justice and is a recent graduate with her Master's in Criminology and Criminal Justice. Breana was adopted by her foster mom and, as an adult, became a kinship caregiver of her two nieces. She knows firsthand how important it is to advocate for the rights of a child.

Ekphrastic Poetry, Marc Chagall, and Women in the Bible

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 25 (Fr)

Z

2:00PM–3:15PM

\$12

Dr. Hamilton will discuss her participation in an ekphrastic project focused on lithographs and prints by 20th-century Russian modernist artist Marc Chagall that were inspired by stories in the Hebrew Bible. The session will introduce ekphrasis, a literary response to visual art, and give an overview of Chagall's engagement with biblical topics. Hamilton will then discuss her interest in Chagall's depiction of women from the Bible and describe the challenges of creating poems that respond not only to Chagall's visual renderings but also to the biblical texts behind them. The session will include a reading of several poems from the project.

Patricia Hamilton

Patricia L. Hamilton, a Professor of English in Jackson, Tennessee, received her PhD from the University of Georgia. She is the author of a poetry collection, *The Distance to Nightfall*, and the recipient of three Pushcart Prize nominations. She won the Rash Award in Poetry in 2015 and 2017 and has published widely in literary journals in the US as well as in England, Australia, Ireland, and Northern Ireland.

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Week 3 (Aug 38 - Sep 1)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Discover the Athens-Clarke County Library Heritage Room	Shull	1	\$12	Aug 28 (Mo)	10:00AM - 11:30AM	OS
Stroll Around the Grounds: The Growth of Athens/Clarke in Historic Maps and Photographs, 1792-Consolidation	Brown / Brown	1	\$12	Aug 28 (Mo)	10:00AM - 12:00PM	OS
Grit and Grace: Henrietta Lacks	Rocker	1	\$12	Aug 29 (Tu)	10:00AM - 11:00AM	RC
The Politics of Swan Lake in War and Peace; Or, What is it about those Swans? (Lunch and Learn)	Fusillo	1	\$33	Aug 29 (Tu)	11:30AM - 1:30PM	TC
Why urban streams are polluted, and what you can do about it	Jackson	1	\$12	Aug 29 (Tu)	2:00PM - 3:15PM	RC
Taking Better Pictures (Part 2)	Morgenthaler	1	\$12	Aug 29 (Tu)	6:00PM - 8:00PM	RC
F-117A Stealth Fighter Stories: Myths and Truths	Kent	1	\$12	Aug 30 (We)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	RC
The Dark Side of Romance: Heroines in Gothic Fiction	McAlexander	1	\$12	Aug 30 (We)	2:00PM - 4:00PM	RC
Norway, Ja Ja!	Coley	1	\$12	Aug 31 (Th)	10:00AM - 12:00PM	RC

Discover the Athens-Clarke County Library Heritage Room

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 28 (Mo)

10:00AM-11:30AM

OS

\$12

Come learn all things Athens History! In this 90-minute session attendees will learn how to access and request materials, tour the room, and get an overview of all of the wonderful digital resources available to them for free. The Heritage Room has many, many databases, books, and physical materials not just related to genealogy, but also local and southern history just waiting to be devoured. We may even take attendees on a tour of the archival vault- filled with many local treasures!

See receipt note for venue

Ashley Shull

Ashley Shull serves as the Archives and Special Collections Coordinator at the Athens Regional Library System. Shull manages the Heritage Room at the Athens-Clarke County Library and serves on the leadership team for the 11-branch Athens Regional Library System. Previously she worked as an Information Services Librarian at the Athens-Clarke County Library and as Branch Manager of the Winterville Library. Shull earned an MLIS from Valdosta State University, an MAT, and English BA from GC&SU.

Stroll Around the Grounds: The Growth of Athens/Clarke in Historic Maps and Photographs, 1792–Consolidation

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 28 (Mo)

OS

10:00AM–12:00PM

\$12

Make your daily trips through Athens a trip through history with this travelogue through time. A rich selection of seldom seen materials from the Hargrett and Heritage Room research collections will be shown to give a sense of the life and growth of Athens from its beginnings to its rebirth as Athens/Clarke County. Focus will be on its early years to 1930.

See receipt note for venue

Beth Brown

Retiring after a career as an elementary and high school librarian in South Carolina and Georgia, Beth moved to Athens in 2007 and assumed a part time position as archivist with the Athens/Clarke Public Libraries' Heritage Room, working with local history and genealogy. Fully retiring in 2019 she has worked with historical and educational groups with her husband, Steven, writing articles and giving tours and lectures as a team in "Athens Magic Lantern."

Steven Brown

Steven became an Athenian in 1979, joining the Libraries faculty at UGA. In 2008 he retired from UGA's Hargrett Rare Book and Manuscript Library, with the title of University Archivist Emeritus. He continued at Hargrett part-time, working with University and local history until 2019. He has since worked with historical and educational groups with his wife, Beth, writing articles and giving tours and lectures as a team in "Athens Magic Lantern."

Grit and Grace: Henrietta Lacks

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 29 (Tu)

RC

10:00AM–11:00AM

\$12

In 1951, a young mother of five named Henrietta Lacks visited The Johns Hopkins Hospital complaining of vaginal bleeding. Upon examination, a renowned gynecologist discovered a large, malignant tumor on her cervix. A sample of her cancer cells retrieved during a biopsy was sent to a tissue lab. What they would soon discover was that Mrs. Lacks' cells were unlike any of the others they had ever seen: where other cells would die, Mrs. Lacks' cells doubled every 20 to 24 hours .

Iris Rocker

Iris Rocker. Author. Actress. International Educator. Iris can teach a rock to read! As a Literacy Engineer, she weaves the best practices of performing arts and literacy across disciplines. As an Anthro-Pioneer, she challenges audiences to gain deeper meaning and acquire wider exposure to classic literature, performing arts and interdisciplinary concepts. As a Learning Architect, she designs a Dynamic Visionary Playbook versus Stale Static Curriculum. Under her tutelage, ages 0 to Gray discover creative problem-solving and critical thinking. They communicate and collaborate to: Make Learning Fun! Make Learning Sticky! Make Learning Forever!

The Politics of Swan Lake in War and Peace; Or, What is it about those Swans?

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 29 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

At times of polarizing world politics, why is Swan Lake in the line of political fire? For centuries, dance has been at the forefront of the arts in making visible and significant social and political statements. This presentation will address the use of ballet in social and political activism with a focus on ballet's swans. Fusillo examines Swan Lake as a tool and signal of political change, unrest, and upheaval, as well as a symbol of activism for social justice, protests for policy reform, and anti-war stances.

Lisa Fusillo

Lisa trained professionally at Washington School of Ballet and in New York, London, Russia, and Denmark, earning the Diploma from the Royal Ballet School (London) and certifications from American Ballet Theatre, NTC and New York City Ballet Ed Dpt. She has presented choreography and scholarly research throughout Europe, the U.S., and Asia. Additional recognitions: Fulbright Scholar(Taiwan), professor at UGA at Oxford, UGA Foundation Professor in the Arts, Phi Kappa Phi Artist, and TWU Distinguished Alumni.

Why urban streams are polluted, and what you can do about it

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 29 (Tu)

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

We will examine the hydrologic, water quality, and ecological effects of urbanization and homeowner landscape management practices. Participants will learn why urban, suburban, and even rural streams are degraded by homeowner actions and how homeowners can maintain beautiful yards without harming the environment.

Rhett Jackson

Dr. Jackson studies the effects of human land use activities, specifically forestry, agriculture, mining, and urbanization, on water quality and aquatic habitat with a particular focus on the effectiveness of best management practices in reducing nonpoint pollution. Dr. Jackson has published over 100 peer-refereed publications, and he works with the Institute for Resilient Infrastructure Systems and the River Basin Center at UGA. He earned engineering degrees from Duke University and the University of Washington.

Taking Better Pictures (Part 2)

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 29 (Tu)

10:00AM-11:30AM

RC

\$12

2. Qualities of Light- Time of day, direction, weather, shadows. "Light is the language of photography, the literal translation of photography being light (photo) writing (graphy)" - Unknown

Understanding those confusing digital camera controls and settings. Using qualities of light for more dramatic images. Using Shutter and Aperture controls for creative effect. Using different focal length lenses for creative effect. Learning all of the elements that go into effective Composition. Capturing personalities in people photographs. Using flash. Using software for editing your images. Students are encouraged to actively participate during class and to optionally share their images for comment and critique during class or privately.

Jim Morgenthaler

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F-117A Stealth Fighter Stories: Myths and Truths

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 30 (We)

10:00AM-11:15AM

RC

\$12

From the start of the Top Secret Stealth Fighter Project, it was shrouded in secrecy. Few people knew of the project and even fewer were chosen to work on the special aircraft. As the project moved from testing to operational status, the public occasionally heard stories of strange aircraft that flew over the Nevada Desert only at night. These stories grew into myths. Even though some were true, others were complete science fiction. Come hear about this special aircraft and sneak a peek behind the curtain of secrecy that to this day has surrounded the F-117A Nighthawk.

Trecy Kent

Trecy is a Retired US Air Force Master Sergeant, former Economics and History teacher, and current Financial Advisor with Edward Jones. He has a bachelor's in Business Administration, a master's in Secondary Education, and an Education Specialist degree in Education Administration. He currently holds a Series 7 General Securities Representative License, the Series 66 (Uniform Combined State Law Examination) license, and a Georgia Insurance License.

The Dark Side of Romance: Heroines in Gothic Fiction

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 30 (We)

RC

2:00PM-4:00PM

\$12

This class will explore the plot patterns of five Gothic romances in which the heroine is put to a moral (sexual) test--four written between 1798 and 1898, one in the twentieth-century. Romance in the popular sense is defined as a love story, but here it will be defined as a work of fiction not about the probable and ordinary but one which, in Hawthorne's words, "reveals the truth of the human heart."

Patricia McAlexander

Patricia McAlexander has a bachelor's degree from the University of New York at Albany, a master's from Columbia University, and a doctorate from The University of Wisconsin, Madison, all in English. Now retired from the University of Georgia's Division of Academic Enhancement, she's renewed her interests in photography, history, and writing romantic suspense--and she has never lost her interest in reading American and English literature.

Norway, Ja Ja!

Number of Sessions: 1: Aug 31 (Th)

RC

10:00AM-12:00PM

\$12

Norway, the Land of the Midnight Sun, is a Scandinavian country best known for its deep fjords, emerald rivers and waterfalls, majestic glaciers and mountains, and enchanting folklore of trolls and nymphs. Go on a journey through Norway's storied history, from the days of the ancient Vikings to Lutheran reform in 1100 A.D. to its World War II German occupation and present-day flourishing economy. All the while you will immerse yourself in the language and culture of the country, including the works of composer Edvard Grieg and artist Edvard Munch. This class provides a sneak preview of the June 2024 OLLI trip to southern Norway.

Tracy Coley

Tracy is a local writer, teacher, and publisher who also enjoys travel. She has been to Norway twice, first on a group trip and later on a trip that she organized for her family. Tracy's family roots go back to 1500s Norway, and she is excited to share her experiences and knowledge of Norwegian culture and history for those interested in traveling to Norway in June 2024.

Week 4 (Sep 4 - 8)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Turning a Passion into a Business	Whipple	1	\$12	Sep 5 (Tu)	10:00AM - 11:00AM	RC
Scottish Cultural Contributions to American Culture: An Exploration	Carley	1	\$14	Sep 5 (Tu)	2:00PM - 3:30PM	RC
Just a Wee Dram: An Exploration of Scotch Whisky	Smith	2	\$93	Sep 5 (Tu) Sep 12 (Tu)	5:30PM - 7:00PM	OS
Taking Better Pictures (Part 3)	Morgenthaler	1	\$12	Sep 5 (Tu)	6:00PM - 8:00PM	RC
The Athens Music Scene.... Before It Became Famous	Jones	1	\$12	Sep 6 (We)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	OS/Z
Great Books -- Great Conversations	Loughner	7	\$66	Sep 6 (We) Sep 20 (We) Oct 4 (We) Oct 18 (We) Nov 1 (We) Nov 15 (We) Nov 29 (We)	10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM	RC
Geopolitics in the South China Sea	Roy	1	\$12	Sep 6 (We)	12:30PM - 1:15PM	Z
UGA Performing Arts Center: Behind the Scenes	Mobley	1	\$12	Sep 6 (We)	4:00PM - 5:15PM	OS
Bridge III: Defense in the 21st Century	Wagner	9	\$60	Sep 7 (Th) Sep 14 (Th) Sep 21 (Th) Sep 28 (Th) Oct 5 (Th) Oct 12 (Th) Oct 19 (Th) Oct 26 (Th) Nov 2 (Th)	10:00AM - 12:00N 10:00AM - 12:00N 10:00AM - 12:00N 10:00AM - 12:00N 10:00AM - 12:00N 10:00AM - 12:00N 10:00AM - 12:00N 10:00AM - 12:00N 10:00AM - 12:00N	OS
Maintaining healthy speech, hearing, and swallowing skills	Ragan	6	\$57	Sep 7 (Th) Sep 14 (Th) Sep 21 (Th) Sep 28 (Th) Oct 5 (Th) Oct 12 (Th)	10:00AM - 11:00AM 10:00AM - 11:00AM 10:00AM - 11:00AM 10:00AM - 11:00AM 10:00AM - 11:00AM 10:00AM - 11:00AM	RC
Socrates Cafe	Gilmour	1	\$12	Sep 7 (Th)	4:30PM - 5:30PM	RC
The Wisdom of An Elder	Harms / Ryan	1	\$17	Sep 8 (Fr)	10:00AM - 1:00PM	RC

Turning a Passion into a Business

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 5 (Tu)

RC

10:00AM–11:00AM

\$12

Ever thought of turning your passion into a business? Let's talk through the basics, inspire each other, and leave with doable takeaways on how to gain traction! I'm passionate about helping people grow and make an impact.

Amy Whipple

Called to be a community builder and encourage others to use their strengths to glorify Him, Amy is a start-up & Process Consultant at Lion Leadership and founder of the Rise and Shine Mastermind that exists to resource others with practical business tools they can use on their entrepreneurial journey! Amy moved to Athens, GA ten years ago without ever having had something monogrammed or having tasting pimento cheese!

Scottish Cultural Contributions to American Culture: An Exploration

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 5 (Tu)

RC

2:00PM–3:30PM

\$14

Scottish emigrants came by the tens of thousands to the American colonies in the 18th and early 19th centuries. Today, approximately 40 million Americans claim Scottish or Scots-Irish ancestry. Scholars debate the long-term cultural impact of Scotland on American culture today, especially that found in the American South. Through written works and discussion, this class will explore the controversy of cultural attributes that survived from our early Scottish roots vs. those that disappeared over time.

Susan Carley

Susan is a sociologist who retired from the Coles College of Business at Kennesaw State University. Her interests are history, culture, and the American South. At KSU she was active in the education abroad community and internationalization of the undergraduate curriculum. She developed courses and directed parallel study abroad tours that took students to Mexico, Brazil, the United Kingdom, Ireland, Spain, and Italy. She's a beginner student of the Scottish Gaelic language.

Just a Wee Dram: An Exploration of Scotch Whisky

Number of Sessions: 2

Sep 5 (Tu), Sep 12 (Tu).

OS

5:30PM–7:00PM

\$93

Part 1. Whether you're a serious Scotch aficionado or just someone wanting to refine their appreciation for Scotland's national drink, join Scotsman and whisky expert Charles Smith in this exploration of the world of Scotch. In Class 1, Charles will present an overview of Scottish history and the evolution of Scotch whisky over time, as well as 1) the distilling process, 2) variety and sourcing of ingredients, and 3) the surprising role that local conditions play in the making of a great Scotch. You will also learn how to select the best Scotch based on quality rather than price or brand name. Part 2. Class time is spent tasting and comparing a variety of Scotch whiskies selected by teacher and Scotch expert Charles Smith. In the process, students will learn how to properly assess a whisky based on its appearance, aroma, and taste. (See Receipt for Venue)

Charles Smith

Charles is a native Scotsman and Scotch Whisky expert. He works as a Spirits Buyer for J's Bottle Shop in Athens, GA, and is eager to share his knowledge of Scotland's national drink in this two-part class.

Beginning Bridge III: Defense in the 21st Century

Number of Sessions: 9

Sep 7 (Th), Sep 14 (Th), Sep 21 (Th), Sep 28 (Th), Oct 5 (Th),
Oct 12 (Th) Oct 19 (Th), Oct 26 (Th), Nov 2 (Th).

10:00AM-12:00N

OS

\$60

This nine-week course focuses on the defensive aspect of bridge and follows the OLLI courses Bidding and Play of the Hand which were offered earlier. The basic material covered is in the student text which is included. It is presented in a structured approach which is easy to follow. Participants will learn how to formulate a plan and how to execute it. Each class is designed to last approximately two hours where the students take an active role in learning, thereby giving them the chance to play and defend. Location details will be provided to class participants.

See Receipt for venue

Debbie Wagner

Debbie Wagner is a Michigander who has taught high school in Pennsylvania and Missouri. She earned her master's in reading at UGA shortly after moving to Athens in 1976 with her husband and two sons. Bridge is Debbie's passion, but she also loves travel, golf, and reading.

Taking Better Pictures (Part 3)

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 5 (Tu)

6:00PM-8:00PM

RC

\$12

3. Using Shutter and Aperture controls for creative effect. "Photography takes an instant out of time, altering life by holding it still." Dorothea Lange

Understanding those confusing digital camera controls and settings. Using qualities of light for more dramatic images. Using Shutter and Aperture controls for creative effect. Using different focal length lenses for creative effect. Learning all of the elements that go into effective composition. Capturing personalities in people photographs. Using flash. Using software for editing your images. Students are encouraged to actively participate during class and to optionally share their images for comment and critique during class or privately.

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Great Books--Great Conversations

Number of Sessions: 7

Sep 6 (We), Sep 20 (We), Oct 4 (We), Oct 18 (We),
Nov 1 (We), Nov 15 (We), Nov 29 (We) .

10:00AM-11:30AM

RC
\$66

We read short items and selections from some of the world's best fiction and non-fiction. As well as interesting insights we strive for personal growth and social engagement. This year, 2022-2023, we will read the selections in the Great Books Foundation anthologies Modern American Poetry (978-1-880323-88-5, \$26) and The Nature of Life, v.1 (ISBN 978-0-945159-72-8, \$20). Used copies may be available on the Internet.

Bill Loughner

Bill Loughner is a retired science librarian who graduated from Wayne State University and has an MA in math from UGA. He has been involved with Great Books for more than a few years. He's enthusiastic and enjoys good discussions about interesting and provocative topics. He thinks you will too.

The Athens Music Scene....Before It Became Famous

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 6 (We)

10:00AM-11:15AM

OS
\$12

Everyone knows that the Classic City is the birthplace of several prominent bands including the B-52s, REM, and Widespread Panic, to name a few. But what was it like before that? Take a trip down memory lane and see what the local music scene was like in the 1950s and 1960s. The presentation will include rare newspaper advertisements, posters, and stories about the early bands that emerged from Athens and traveled the Southeast. And participants will hear little-known stories of the role the University's social organizations played in social and political change on campus and beyond

See Receipt note for Venue

Chris Jones

Chris is a retired Vice President of Government Affairs for Verizon Wireless. A graduate of the University of Georgia, he worked in news at WRFC in Athens and WSB in Atlanta before joining Verizon. In retirement, Jones consults with Sirius XM's Carolina Shag Radio and is an avid music collector/researcher.

Geopolitics in the South China Sea

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 6 (We)

Z

12:30PM-1:15PM

\$12

The South China Sea (SCS) has long been regarded as one of the most complex and challenging ocean-related maritime disputes in East Asia. The SCS dispute has become the locus of disputes that have the potential of escalating into serious international conflicts. The class will analyze whether China's blue water strategy and her unclear intentions have created the image that the South China Sea will be the best place for China to wage wars. – Recommended reading: "Navigating Uncertainty in the South China Sea Disputes: An Interdisciplinary Perspective (Edited volume), World Scientific Publishing Europe Ltd: UK, 2021.

Nalanda Roy

Nalanda is an Associate Professor in the Department of Political Science and International Studies and the Coordinator of the Asian Studies Minor at Georgia Southern University. She is the Certified Diversity Executive, and the Inclusive Excellence Faculty Fellow. Nalanda is the recipient of the Dr. Saba Jallow Inclusion Champion award, Award of Excellence, and Georgia Southern's Women in Research Soar. She is the author of numerous journal articles and five books.

UGA Performing Arts Center: Behind the Scenes

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 6 (We)

OS

4:00PM-5:15PM

\$12

Mark Mobley will describe in detail the inner workings of the UGA Performing Arts Center, as well as the upcoming season of international touring artists. He'll lead the class through both Hodgson and Ramsey concert halls, backstage and lobby areas.

See Receipt for Venue

Mark Mobley

Mark is director of marketing and communications at the UGA Performing Arts Center. He won the Peabody Award as musical head of NPR's Performance Today and the ASCAP/Deems Taylor Award for distinguished music journalism while working for the Virginian-Pilot in Norfolk, Va. He came to the PAC after three years of teaching at UGA's Hugh Hodgson School of Music.

Maintaining healthy speech, hearing, and swallowing skills

Number of Sessions: 6

Sep 7 (Th), Sep 14 (Th), Sep 21 (Th), Sep 28 (Th), Oct 5 (Th), Oct 12 (Th).

RC

10:00AM-11:00AM

\$57

This interactive course will include segments of lecture-style presentation of information, opportunities for small group discussion, and guided practice using strategies for maintaining and improving communication, hearing, and swallowing skills.

T.J. Ragan

T.J. Ragan, M.A., CCC-SLP, is a Clinical Associate Professor and the Clinic Director for the University of Georgia Speech & Hearing Clinic. She is an ASHA certified speech-language pathologist with a specialty in speech, language, voice, and swallowing.

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Socrates Cafe

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 7 (Th)

RC

4:30PM-5:30PM

\$12

What is Socrates Cafe all about? We find out when we get here! In a Socrates Cafe©, we take on the big questions of human existence--right and wrong, real and illusory, knowledge and opinion, aliens and Mozart--and dig into them with the best questions at our disposal for an hour. So bring your questions, and get ready to approach them socratically!

Nathan Gilmour

Dr. Nathan Gilmour (Ph.D in English from UGA, 2012) was a Christian-college professor for 14 years, and now he teaches high-school English. His book-interview podcast Christian Humanist Profiles has engaged with dozens of scholars on over a hundred books, and his new podcast (Mad Dog's Dialogs) invites thinkers from academy, church, and Internet to "go amateur" on an interesting question, seeking and exploring the complexity in the world we inhabit.

The Wisdom of An Elder

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 8 (Fr)

RC

10:00AM-1:00PM

\$17

The Wisdom of An Elder is designed to offer seniors a deeper understanding of the opportunities of aging so that life is lived to its fullest with an open accessible heart and mind, regardless of the circumstances that may be incurred along the way. All stages of life present us with challenges. How we have met and how we meet those challenges determines our success or failure at fulfilling our goals, aspirations, and dreams. The need to attain goals and dreams with confidence and a strategy, regardless of age, is each workshop's objective.

Jenny Ryan

Jenny holds a degree in business management and is a certified life coach. She has met life challenges with courage and resolve and has developed a deep compassion and understanding of the struggle we all meet on the journey from survival to prospering and flourishing. Her enthusiasm is felt by those who pass near.

Marianne Harms

Marianne Harms has been in private practice for 30 years as a relationship therapist as well as working with individuals. She owned and facilitated a retreat center in Sonoma for couples and individuals to explore new ways to meet challenges. Now in her 80th year on Earth, Marianne has come to Georgia where she is enjoying time to write and present her workshops.

Week 5 (Sep 11 - 15)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Love and Death in American Popular Song, 1850-1950	Kelly	2	\$21	Sep 11 (Mo) Sep 18 (Mo)	2:00PM - 3:00PM 2:00PM - 3:00PM	RC
A Discussion of <i>The Time Has Come</i> (Lunch and Learn)	Leitch	1	\$33	Sep 12 (Tu)	11:30AM - 1:30PM	TC
Have You Had "The Talk"?	Bishoff / Young	1	\$12	Sep 12 (Tu)	12:00PM - 1:00PM	RC
Over-the-counter or prescription hearing aid: What's the difference and which is right for me?	Morrison	1	\$12	Sep 12 (Tu)	2:30PM - 3:30PM	RC
Taking Better Pictures (part 4)	Morgenthaler	1	\$12	Sep 12 (Tu)	6:00PM - 8:00PM	RC
CHOCOLATE, From Bean to Bar	Dale	1	\$27	Sep 13 (We)	9:00AM - 10:15AM	OS
Are We Living in a Grand Illusion?	Brown	1	\$12	Sep 13 (We)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	RC
The Great American Songbook: Songs of Fats Waller, Andy Razaf	Kraft	1	\$12	Sep 13 (We)	2:00PM - 3:30PM	RC
One Pair Must Last a Life Time	DiPalma	1	\$12	Sep 13 (We)	5:30PM - 6:30PM	RC
"Do I Really Need All This Stuff?" To Declutter or NOT To Declutter, That is the Question	Ferrari	1	\$12	Sep 14 (Th)	11:00AM - 12:15PM	Z
Never Too Late: The Joy and Benefits of Music-making as an Adult	Jutras	1	\$12	Sep 15 (Fr)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	RC

Love and Death in American Popular Song, 1850-1950

Number of Sessions: 2

Sep 11 (Mo), Sep 18 (Mo).

2:00PM-3:00PM

RC

\$21

Analyses and discussions of the lyrics of American sheet music songs during the century 1850-1950. This class will focus on the themes of love and death and their larger sociological and historical implications (e.g., attitudes towards children, roles of women in society, fashion, technology). No musical knowledge is required. The topic will be covered in 2 classes.

Kevin Kelly

Retired as librarian (Music Library) and teacher (theory and American music) at the UGA Hodgson School of Music; currently director of Athens Chamber Singers, Friendship Presbyterian choir and Athens Recorder Ensemble.

A Discussion of The Time Has Come

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 12 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

Our fellow Athenian Will Leitch has written a highly acclaimed novel titled *The Time Has Come*, set in our hometown. It is a follow-up to his *How Lucky*, also set in Athens. Leitch will discuss his book and his remarkable writing career, which spans the worlds of fiction, journalism, and broadcasting. He'll also make some jokes and answer every question anyone has. You might want to pick up a copy of *The Time Has Come* at Avid and bring it to the luncheon for Will to sign.

Will Leitch

Will Leitch is a contributing editor at New York magazine and the founder of the late sports website Deadspin. He also writes regularly for the New York Times, Washington Post, NBC News, Medium, and MLB.com. He lives in Athens, Georgia, with his wife and two sons. His new novel, *The Time Has Come*, was published in May. It is set in Athens.

Have You Had “The Talk”?

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 12 (Tu)

RC

12:00PM-1:00PM

\$12

Estate planning is important to protect your legacy and provide for your loved ones, no matter your station in life. But the Family Meeting is an often overlooked estate planning step. Talking about your estate with your family can be a daunting prospect. What do you tell them, and when? Attend this informative session about inheritance etiquette to learn more.

Elinore Young

Ellie focuses her practice in the areas of estate planning, estate administration, and elder law. She regularly drafts wills, powers of attorney, and trust agreements, including special needs trusts. She has experience with a wide range of elder law matters including guardianships and conservatorships. Ellie is 2019 graduate of LEAD Athens. She currently serves on the Board of Directors for Athens Area Habitat for Humanity and Children First, Inc.

Jackie Bishoff

Jackie has worked in trust management since 1986. Prior to joining First American Bank & Trust Company in 2009, Jackie was employed by a regional bank's local trust department specializing in personal trust and estate administration. Over the years, she has worked in personal trust, corporate trust, and employee benefits. She is a graduate of West Virginia University with a bachelor's degree in accounting. She lives with her family in Jefferson, GA.

Over-the-counter or prescription hearing aid: What's the difference and which is right for me?

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 12 (Tu)

RC

2:30PM-3:30PM

\$12

Since the FDA ruling allowed introduction of over-the-counter (OTC) hearing aids in Fall 2022, consumers now have access to a self-care pathway for addressing hearing loss. However, there is currently no guidebook and little guidance for consumers to navigate these new devices. This course will educate participants on the differences between OTC hearing aids and prescriptive hearing aids as well as the roles of the different hearing healthcare professionals who can assist along the way.

Alison Morrison

Alison Morrison is a clinical assistant professor at the University of Georgia and the Audiology Clinic Coordinator at the UGA Speech and Hearing Clinic. She received her Doctor of Audiology degree from Vanderbilt University and has over 10 years of clinical experience in direct service provision in multiple clinical settings including regional medical centers and university clinics. Dr. Morrison has a strong commitment to evidence-based practices and community education.

Taking Better Pictures (Part 4)

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 12 (Tu)

RC

6:00PM-8:00PM

\$12

4. Using interchangeable lenses for creative effect. "Skill in photography is acquired by practice and not by purchase." Percy W. Harris

Understanding those confusing digital camera controls and settings. Using qualities of light for more dramatic images. Using Shutter and Aperture controls for creative effect. Using different focal length lenses for creative effect. Learning all of the elements that go into effective composition. Capturing personalities in people photographs. Using flash. Using software for editing your images. Students are encouraged to actively participate during class and to optionally share their images for comment and critique during class or privately.

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CHOCOLATE, From Bean to Bar

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 13 (We)

OS

9:00AM-10:15AM

\$27

Join Peter Dale at Condor Chocolates' Downtown Factory for a journey through the fascinating history of chocolate. The class will also examine the chocolate-making process, starting with the harvesting and fermentation of cacao beans to the final product that we all know and love. The environmental and social impact of chocolate production will also be discussed. By the end of class, students will have a deeper appreciation for this beloved treat and the fascinating history and science behind it. Cacao and chocolate in its various stages and forms will be tasted throughout the class. Plan to come hungry!

See Receipt Note for Venue

Peter Dale

Peter is a native Athenian and UGA graduate. Following apprenticeships at Athens's Five&Ten restaurant and in Spain, Peter opened his first restaurant, The National, in 2007. Seabear Oyster Bar and Maepole followed. Peter along with his brother, Nick, opened Condor Chocolates in 2014. Condor is a bean-to-bar chocolater maker and sources cacao exclusively in Ecuador, homeland of the brothers' mother.

Are We Living in a Grand Illusion?

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 13 (We)

RC

10:00AM-11:15AM

\$12

We trust our visual systems to provide reliable information about the world around us "seeing is believing" and generally believe we are aware of what is going on around us. Despite that trust, there are numerous instances where there is a mismatch between what we perceive and what is out there (e.g., illusions). Some perception researchers and philosophers have gone as far as to argue that we live in a grand illusion. What do they mean? Why would they suggest this? We explore these, and other issues associated with the relationship between our visual system, attention, perception, and conscious awareness.

James Brown

James is an Associate Professor in the Department of Psychology at UGA. He received his BA and PhD in psychology from the State University of New York at Buffalo before coming to UGA. Research in his Visual Perception Laboratory (<https://brown-visual-perception-laboratory.franklinresearch.uga.edu/>) is aimed at trying to understand how we organize, perceive, and attend to our visual world. His general research approach could be described as a combination of cognitive psychophysics and visual neuroscience.

The Great American Songbook: Songs of Fats Waller, Andy Razaf

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 13 (We)

RC

2:00PM-3:30PM

\$12

This class explores the happenings in Harlem as compared to Broadway during the early part of the 20th century. Highlights from the music of Fats Waller and Andy Razaf are presented through live performance as well as recordings.

Susan Kraft

Susan Kraft has worked as a trombonist, pianist and vocalist in the Atlanta area for more than 40 years. In her college years, she played shows with Bob Hope, Robert Goulet and Joe Lovano. She has played for many years in Atlanta area big bands and salsa bands, as well as classical music groups and pit orchestras for musicals. Currently she plays primarily with jazz duos, trios and quartets.

One Pair Must Last a Lifetime

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 13 (We)

RC

5:30PM-6:30PM

\$12

Dr. Frank DiPalma will discuss foot anatomy, how to take care of your feet to prevent common problems encountered with aging such as bunions, corns, plantar fasciitis, Morton's neuroma, and hammertoes. He will discuss both nonsurgical and surgical treatment of these and other foot conditions. He welcomes questions from class attendees.

Frank DiPalma

Dr. DiPalma has been practicing podiatric medicine and surgery for the past 47 years. He has seen many foot deformities that have been a result of neglect or misinformation. He is devoted to educating the public and medical students in the art of preventing unnecessary pain, suffering, and sometimes limb loss.

"Do I Really Need All This Stuff?" To Declutter or NOT To Declutter, That is the Question

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 14 (Th)

Z

11:00AM-12:15PM

\$12

Today, Americans have an overabundance of possessions sometimes called "stuff", always known as "clutter." In this presentation, Dr. Joe explains why we have clutter and why we find it so hard to declutter our lives. Join us, don't delay - and then, declutter!

Joseph Ferrari

Rev. Dr. Ferrari is St Vincent dePaul Distinguished Professor of Psychology at DePaul University, Chicago, IL. He is an internationally known social-community researcher, covering topics such as CLUTTER and its impact on one's quality of life. The author of nearly 400 scholarly publications and 700 presentations, a Fellow in 6 organizations, and awarded APA's 2016 Distinguished Italian-American Award. In 2013 he was ordained a Permanent Deacon for the Catholic Diocese of Joliet.

Never Too Late: The Joy and Benefits of Music-making as an Adult

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 15 (Fr)

RC

10:00AM-11:15AM

\$12

This class will focus on many aspects of adult music learning, including options available for participation, challenges adults face, the wellness benefits of participating in music as an adult, strategies for getting the most out of music participation and appreciation, and much more. The New Horizons Band from the UGA Community Music School will perform and contribute to the content of the lecture.

Kristin Jutras

Kristin is director of the UGA Community Music School where she employs over 60 graduate student teachers who teach lessons and classes on all instruments to members of the community. She is a violinist herself, and a specialist in the Suzuki Method of teaching violin. In addition to teaching young students in the Community Music School, she teaches collegiate pedagogy classes and is the director of two certificate programs through the School of Music.

Week 6 (Sep 18 – Sep 22)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Let's Read Poetry Aloud Together - Again!	Oldfather	1	\$12	Sep 18 (Mo)	2:00PM – 3:30PM	RC
Native Wine Grapes of Italy	Frank	2	\$54	Sep 19 (Tu) Sep 26 (Tu)	2:00PM – 4:00PM 2:00PM – 4:00PM	RC
Taking Better Pictures (part 5)	Morgenthaler	1	\$12	Sep 19 (Tu)	6:00PM – 8:00PM	RC
Artificial Intelligence, Those Chatbots, and You	Murphy	1	\$12	Sep 21 (Th)	2:00PM – 4:00PM	RC/Z
Leonard Cohen: A Thousand Kisses Deep	Kraft	1	\$12	Sep 21 (Th)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	RC

Let's Read Poetry Aloud Together – Again!

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 18 (Mo)

2:00PM–3:30PM

RC

\$12

Please bring some of your favorite (and fairly accessible) poems to read aloud to the group. You're welcome to bring your own work. We expect this to be a very informal and supportive gathering of folks who love the spoken word.

Penny Oldfather

Penny Oldfather retired in 2006 as Professor Emerita from the University of Georgia. Her research focus is intrinsic motivation. These days she is motivated to read lots of poetry aloud every day. She occasionally hosts gatherings of the Athens Chapter of the Dead Poets Society in which they read the work of poets both dead and alive.

Native Wine Grapes of Italy

Number of Sessions: 2

Sep 19 (Tu), Sep 26 (Tu).

2:00PM–4:00PM

RC

\$54

Students will learn about the most prized indigenous grapes of Italy and the terroirs in which they grow, as well as their unique growth habits. This course will include the tasting of representative wine and instruction in flavor evaluation. Three wines will be tasted in each of the two sessions.

Joe Frank

Dr. Frank retired from the UGA Department of Food Science and Technology where he taught courses in food microbiology and fermentations. He taught a study abroad wine science course in Cortona, Italy for 12 years. He led wine tastings for the Athens Chapter of the American Wine Society for 10 years.

Taking Better Pictures (part 5)

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 19 (Tu)

6:00PM–8:00PM

RC

\$12

5. Photographing people with natural light and flash. “Ultimately success or failure in photographing people depends on the photographer’s ability to understand his fellow man.” Edward Weston

Understanding those confusing digital camera controls and settings. Using qualities of light for more dramatic images. Using Shutter and Aperture controls for creative effect. Using different focal length lenses for creative effect. Learning all of the elements that go into effective Composition. Capturing personalities in people photographs. Using flash. Using software for editing your images. Students are encouraged to actively participate during class and to optionally share their images for comment and critique during class or privately.

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Artificial Intelligence, Those Chatbots, and You

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 21 (Th)

2:00PM–4:00PM

RC / Z

\$12

AI chatbots are now in the news every day. The new uses, abuses, and features come so fast that it makes our heads spin. It just raises an avalanche of questions: What’s happening? Should we control these bots? Could we control them? Can I do anything useful with this? How will this affect ME? This class can’t answer all these questions, but it will address them in a fun, interactive, non-technical way. To get your questions answered and learn how to enjoy and benefit from these tools yourself, sign up now and join the fun! Two hours, with a break.

Chuck Murphy

Chuck Murphy is a veteran OLLI presenter. He spent his career pioneering new technologies in software development. With the recent buzz surrounding AI and chatbots, he’s recognized the promises and perils of these tools. Through hands-on experimentation and wide-ranging research, he has come to appreciate their value and risks. This has convinced Chuck that the time for seniors to discover the fun, benefits, and dangers of these new technologies is NOW.

Leonard Cohen: A Thousand Kisses Deep

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 21 (Th)

2:00PM-3:15PM

RC

\$12

Leonard Cohen's "Hallelujah" is his most famous song--and, famously, he wrote many stanzas over the years and released and performed several versions with different emphases. "A Thousand Kisses Deep" is not as famous, but the composition and performance history of this song suggests that, to Cohen, it held a similar status as a major artistic and personal statement. In this class, we will examine "A Thousand Kisses Deep"--its composition and its meaning on the page and in performance.

Elizabeth Kraft

Elizabeth Kraft is Professor Emerita of English at the University of Georgia where she taught for 33 years (retiring in 2020). Her primary area of specialization is Restoration and eighteenth-century British literature, but, along the way, she developed a sub-specialty in comic films of the Classical Hollywood era.

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Week 7 (Sep 25 – 29)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Athens Reparations for Linnentown Descendants: What, Why, and How?	Allen / Knapper / Willman	1	\$12	Sep 25 (Mo)	10:00AM – 11:30AM	RC/Z
Gerrymandering and the Justices: The Independent State Legislature Controversy (Lunch & Learn)	Coenen	1	\$33	Sep 26 (Tu)	11:30AM – 1:30PM	TC
Taking Better Pictures (part 6)	Morgenthaler	1	\$12	Sep 26 (Tu)	6:00PM – 8:00PM	RC
Saudi Arabia: An Understanding	Warren	1	\$12	Sep 27 (We)	10:00AM – 12:00PM	RC/Z
Long Term Care Planning Basics	Kent	1	\$12	Sep 27 (We)	10:00AM – 11:15AM	RC
Introduction to Mental Health Courts	Hope	1	\$12	Sep 27 (We)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	RC
Does The Origin of The Bible Matter?	Bruce	2	\$21	Sep 28 (Th) Oct 5 (Th)	10:00AM – 11:30AM 10:00AM – 11:30AM	RC
Home Modifications: Safe and Accessible with Seniors in Mind	Smith	1	\$12	Sep 28 (Th)	2:00PM – 3:30PM	RC
Georgia Museum of Natural History: Behind-the-Scenes Tour	Porter	1	\$12	Sep 28 (Th)	2:00PM – 3:30PM	OS
Exploring early industrial Athens: A talk and walk	McPherson	1	\$12	Sep 30 (St)	2:00PM – 4:00PM	OS

Athens Reparations for Linnentown Descendants: What, Why, and How?

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 25 (Mo)

RC / Z

10:00AM–11:30AM

\$12

What happened to Linnentown, a thriving African American neighborhood in Athens which is now the site of three dorms? Presenters will show a 20-minute documentary on the 1962 urban renewal policy used by the city and university to force Black homeowners from their homes, resulting in what economists estimate to be a loss of \$5M in generational wealth. We will explain how UGA researchers identified 11 of these homeowners and their living first descendants. Participants will discuss what is owed these descendants, issues surrounding reparation movements around the country, and Athens Reparations Action Inc.'s plans for direct reparations payments.

Alys Willman

Alys spent much of her 20s in Latin America, where she learned to see her own liberation as bound up in the liberation of others. After moving to Athens in 2017, she has worked to promote racial justice and immigrant justice. Alys is a poet and singer-songwriter.

Cole Knapper

Chaplain Cole is an Athens native, a Spelman graduate, a U.S. Army War Veteran, and an ordained Chaplain with Rev. Al Sharpton's National Action Network. She holds three Master's Degrees in Technology, Media, & Education. She serves as Vice Chair of Athens Reparations Action, as Technology Chair of the Champions Foundation Board, is on the Board of the Interfaith Clergy Partnership of Greater Athens, and is Vice President of the Athens Area Human Relations Council.

JoBeth Allen

JoBeth taught in the Mary Frances Early College of Education's Department of Language and Literacy for 28 years. She worked collaboratively with many teachers in the Clarke County School District as a co-researcher in their classrooms, where she got to know students and families. JoBeth became increasingly aware of racial and socio-economic disparities in Athens that negatively impacted African American and Latinx students living in poverty. This awareness led to her involvement with Athens Reparations Action.

Gerrymandering and the Justices: The Independent State Legislature Controversy

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 26 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

The United States Constitution provides that: “The Times, Places and Manner of holding Elections for Senators and Representatives, shall be prescribed in each State by the Legislature thereof ...” Some analysts have argued that this assignment of power to “the Legislature” gives rise to important limitations on state judicial authority. According to a strong version of this theory, state courts are barred from reviewing the constitutionality under their own state constitutions of state laws that regulate federal Senate and House elections. This presentation will address this so-called “independent state legislature doctrine,” which is now under consideration by the Supreme Court.

Dan Coenen

Coenen is a University Professor, a Josiah Meigs Distinguished Teaching Professor, and the Harmon W. Caldwell Chair in Constitutional Law at the University of Georgia. Earlier, he worked in private practice after serving as a law clerk for Federal Court of Appeals Judge Clement Haynsworth, Jr., and Harry A. Blackmun, Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court. He has won multiple awards for his teaching and research work during his time at UGA.

Taking Better Pictures (Part 6)

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 26 (Th)

RC

6:00PM-8:00PM

\$12

6. Composition – Bringing together all the above elements for the most pleasing images. “Keep it simple.” – Alfred Eisenstaedt

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Saudi Arabia: An Understanding

Number of Sessions: 1: 27 Sep (We)

10:00AM-12:00PM

RC / Z

\$12

United States relations with Saudi Arabia change frequently. This presentation will provide an introduction to the geography, history, religion and government of Saudi Arabia. The presenter lived in Saudi Arabia for 8 years, working at the King Faisal Specialist Hospital. He lived on the local economy and traveled extensively throughout the Kingdom. The current status of American relations with Saudi Arabia will be emphasized.

Flynn Warren

North Carolina native Flynn Warren attended Belmont Abbey College and the Universities of South Carolina and Georgia. Flynn was on the faculty of the UGA College of Pharmacy from 1967 to 1977 and 1985 to 2007. He retired as Clinical Professor and Assistant Dean. From 1977 to 1985 he was Head of Pharmacy at the King Faisal Specialist Hospital in Saudi Arabia. Flynn is a former President of the Georgia Pharmacy Association.

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Long Term Care Planning Basics

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 27 (We)

RC

10:00AM-11:15AM

\$12

This class is designed to give a high-level view of long-term care planning. The hope is to answer common questions about long-term care, how to prepare for it, how funding it impacts current assets, and what risks are associated with being unprepared for the possibility that you'll need it. By the end of the class, you should be familiar with different ways to plan for long-term care and how they affect retirement assets.

Trecy Kent

Trecy is a Retired US Air Force Master Sergeant, former Economics and History teacher, and current Financial Advisor with Edward Jones. He has a bachelor's in Business Administration, a master's in Secondary Education, and an Education Specialist degree in Education Administration. He currently holds a Series 7 General Securities Representative License, the Series 66 (Uniform Combined State Law Examination) license, and a Georgia Insurance License.

Introduction to Mental Health Courts

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 27 (We)

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

The criminal justice system grapples with the dilemma of individuals struggling with mental health and/or substance abuse issues, who have repeated involvement with the criminal justice system. Mental Health Courts follow the model of other accountability courts in an attempt to treat these individuals in the community instead of confining them. This class will discuss the formation of the TAC program here in Athens-Clarke County and how a team approach is used to involve law enforcement, prosecution, defense attorneys, community mental health organizations, and the judiciary to treat these individuals and reduce recidivism.

Ryan Hope

Ryan is a State Court Judge in Athens-Clarke County. He previously worked as an Assistant Public Defender with the UGA Legal Aid Clinic and was the Chief Assistant Solicitor for Athens-Clarke County. He has experience working as a public defender, prosecutor, and judge in various accountability courts in Athens Clarke County. He started working with Judge Sweat's Treatment and Accountability Court in 2008 and is now a back-up TAC judge to presiding Judge Eric Norris.

Does The Origin of The Bible Matter?

Number of Sessions: 2:

Sep 28 (Th), Oct 5 (Th).

10:00AM–11:30AM

RC

\$21

In two sessions, this class will explore why the church Fathers rejected some writings of the New Testament and Rabbis rejected some of the writings of the Hebrew Bible. How did they decide what was canon? What made one writing canonical and another non-canonical? Who were these people, and can they be trusted? What about the rejected books? Is there value in reading them? Do they influence the 66 books we have now as Protestants? Understanding why some writings were accepted and others rejected was the first interpretive decision made about what we call the Bible. All this matters in how we read our Bibles today.

Rob Bruce

Rob is a second-career pastor entering the ministry after spending 33 years in the corporate world. A native of Atlanta, Georgia, he graduated from Peachtree High School in Dunwoody, from Georgia State University (BS in Communications, 1978), and from Emory University Candler School of Theology (Master of Divinity, 2010; Doctor of Ministry, 2019). He is an ordained elder serving as Senior Pastor at Watkinsville First United Methodist Church.

Home Modifications: Safe and Accessible with Seniors in Mind

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 28 (Th)

2:00PM–3:30PM

RC

\$12

Learn the major challenges active seniors need to know about their home. In this workshop, seniors, family members, and caregivers will gain an understanding of basic modifications and solutions to make the home safe, accessible, and functional. While these projects are safe and functional for everyone, they are also aesthetically pleasing. Craig Smith will show examples of modifications others have done to help you consider ideas for your home.

Craig Smith

Craig has been in construction for more than forty years, both in the field and in management. He specializes in home remodeling, repairs, and accessibility modifications. With a degree in architectural engineering technology, he has a perspective different from the average contractor's. He is also a CAPS (Certified Aging in Place Specialist) and a Georgia State Licensed residential general contractor. Smith is the owner of Vest Properties, Inc.

Georgia Museum of Natural History: Behind-the-Scenes Tour

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 28 (Th)

OS

2:00PM-3:30PM

\$12

Take a behind-the-scenes tour of the Georgia Museum of Natural History. The current exhibition is titled, "This Place We Call Georgia." It tells the story of Georgia's extraordinary natural history, past, present, and future. During the visit, there will be an introduction to the Museum by its Director, Bud Freeman, followed by a walking tour conducted by its Curators [e.g., Porter, corals; Wares, invertebrates; Hoebeck, insects; and Pontzer, curation). The Museum is located in the basement of the Statistics Building on Cedar Street. It is accessible to OLLI Members via parking in UGA Parking Lot S07 -Ecology.

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James Porter

Jim is an Emeritus faculty member in the Odum School of Ecology. He is President of the Georgia Museum of Natural History. Jim studies coral reef ecology. He was Chief Scientist and Principal Cast Member for the Netflix documentary, Chasing Coral, which won Sundance, Peabody, and Emmy Awards.

Exploring early industrial Athens: A talk and walk

Number of Sessions: 1: Sep 30 (Sa)

OS

2:00PM-3:00PM

\$12

This class will meet at the UGA School of Social Work (a former cotton mill) for a presentation on Early Industrial Athens with an emphasis on labor practices and the lives of the mill workers in the 19th- and early 20th-century mills that developed near Cedar Shoals on the North Oconee River in Athens. Following the talk (weather depending), the class will explore the Athens Factory building and walk across the Oconee Street Bridge to the Daniel Easley trailhead.

see receipt note for venue

Jane McPherson

Jane is Associate Professor and Director of Global Engagement at UGA School of Social Work. She develops and advocates for human rights-based approaches to social work practice locally and globally. She conducts archival research to explore how the histories of local cotton milling and the development of social welfare services entwine. A licensed clinical social worker (LCSW), McPherson spent 20 years as a practitioner before becoming a professor.

Week 8 (Oct 2 - 6)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
The MyChart Patient Portal	Penning	1	\$12	Oct 2 (Mo)	10:00AM - 12:00PM	RC/Z
Before Galileo: The Aristotelian View of Nature (is an unexpected delight)	Keene	2	\$21	Oct 2 (Mo) Oct 4 (We)	2:00PM - 3:30PM 2:00PM - 3:30PM	RC
The Exciting Possibilities of Fermented Food & Drink	Dean / Dean	1	\$14	Oct 2 (Mo)	4:00PM - 5:30PM	OS
The Complicated Biases of Divorce Records	Fredette	1	\$12	Oct 3 (Tu)	10:00AM - 11:00AM	Z
On Being a Scientist	Grossman	1	\$12	Oct 3 (Tu)	2:00PM - 4:00PM	RC
Taking Better Pictures (part 7)	Morgenthaler	1	\$12	Oct 3 (Tu)	6:00PM - 8:00PM	RC
Understanding everyday technology: Simple explanations for how the tools we use every day work	Cottrell / Lawrence	1	\$12	Oct 4 (We)	10:00AM - 11:00AM	RC
French Culinary History in the American Kitchen	Jandot	1	\$62	Oct 4 (We)	5:00PM - 6:30PM	RC
The JFK Assassination: Facts, Theories, and Myths	Glidewell	3	\$30	Oct 5 (Th) Oct 12 (Th) Oct 19 (Th)	2:00PM - 3:30PM 2:00PM - 3:30PM 2:00PM - 3:30PM	RC
The Great Transformation: How the Jesus of History Became the Christ of Faith	Buchanan	5	\$48	Oct 5 (Th) Oct 12 (Th) Oct 19 (Th) Oct 26 (Th) Nov 2 (Th)	2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM 2:00PM - 3:15PM	RC
A House Divided: What Would We Have to Give Up to Get the Political System We Want?	Holt	1	\$12	Oct 6 (Fr)	10:00AM - 12:00PM	RC
A Strategy for Success: First comes self-love, then a strategy, and then success	Harms / Ryan	1	\$17	Oct 6 (Fr)	10:00AM - 1:00PM	RC

The MyChart Patient Portal

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 2 (Mo)

10:00AM-12:00PM

RC/Z

\$12

The presenter will help users understand the patient portal concept, what it is and how it can be used to assist their ability to navigate the complexities of modern healthcare. Specifically, he will lead users through the functionality of the MyChart patient portal, which is now the common platform for both Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center and St. Mary's Hospital, as well as many hospitals throughout the United States.

Tim Penning

Tim worked in Radiology for various hospitals from 1978 until 1993. After 23 years, he retired from Athens Regional Medical Center as Chief Information Officer/VP in 2011. He also worked as Senior Project Manager at St. Mary's Hospital for 7 years and, while there, established the MyHealth patient portal.

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Before Galileo: The Aristotelian View of Nature (is an unexpected delight)

Number of Sessions: 2

Oct 2 (Mo), Oct 4 (We).

2:00PM–3:30PM

RC

\$21

The aim of this class is to turn you into an Aristotelian! The Aristotelian view of nature is often derided as simple-minded by students of the modern scientific revolution. In fact, it was a brilliant synthesis of much of the best natural philosophy before the modern era. The Aristotelian world-view is relentlessly rational and coherent, and is in many respects the true foundation of modern science. It is also interesting and delightful in itself.

Tom Keene

Tom Keene is Emeritus Professor of History at Kennesaw State University, where he taught for 42 years, doing mostly undergraduate teaching of World History, the History of Science and South Asian History. He served for 15 years as Director of the KSU International Center, organizing study abroad and faculty exchange programs. He is an avid cyclist. He and Jane Keene moved to Athens in 2015 to be near their grandchildren.

The Exciting Possibilities of Fermented Food & Drink

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 2 (Mo)

4:00PM–5:30PM

OS

\$14

This class will introduce you to fermented foods and drinks. You'll learn about the history as well as current trends in fermented food and drink. Presenters will provide a tour of a current kombucha brewery and you'll learn how to make kombucha at home! Demonstrations and tastings of fermented foods will also be included. Come expand your knowledge and your health.

See Receipt note for venue

Jason Dean

Jason is an experienced brewer and graphic designer. Previous design work in the food and beverage industry guided his work in creating a visually appealing brand. A love for brewing and a desire to be his own boss resulted in the establishment of Figment Brewing in 2018. Jason works to create delicious fermented drinks, highlighting locally grown produce. His passion for sharing fermented food and drink continues to grow with the business.

The Complicated Biases of Divorce Records

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 3 (Tu)

Z

10:00AM–11:00AM

\$12

This class will look at how to use divorce records to conduct historical research. Divorce records are an invaluable resource in studying the lives of everyday people in the past, but they are also inherently problematic records, full of lies, half-truths, and legal manipulation. Dr. Allison Fredette talks about how to learn from these biases, reflecting on how she has used divorce cases in her own research and in a recent edited collection from the University of Georgia Press.

Allison Fredette

Allison Fredette is an assistant professor of history and history education at Appalachian State University. She recently published a collection of divorce records called *Heartsick and Astonished: Divorce in Civil War-Era West Virginia*. Her first book, *Marriage on the Border: Love, Mutuality, and Divorce in the Upper South during the Civil War*, looks at the way border Southerners viewed their household gender roles in unique ways due to their regional identity.

On Being a Scientist

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 3 (Tu)

RC

2:00PM–4:00PM

\$12

This class will use Gary Grossman's graphic novel as a text and basis for discussion of the life of a scientist as well as the use of innovative graphic and musical formats for communication of science and other information. The text describes the challenges facing young scientists as well as a life spent studying animals. The text is inspirational and readily approachable by everyone from young adults to seniors.

Recommended text *My Life in Fish: One Scientist's Journey* ISBN 79-8-218-10044-5
Available in Athens from Avid Books, Add Drug and Neighborhood Books

Gary Grossman

Gary is Professor Emeritus of Ecology at UGA. He is the author of 150 scientific articles. His poetry has been published in 35 reviews, his short fiction in *MacQueen's Quinterly*, and his creative nonfiction in *Tamarind Literary Magazine*. For 10 years he wrote the "Ask Dr. Trout" column for *American Angler*. Gary's book of poems, *Lyrical Years*, is forthcoming from Kelsay Press, and his graphic novel *My Life in Fish...* is the subject of this OLLI course.

Taking Better Pictures

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 3 (Tu)

6:00PM - 8:00PM

RC

\$12

7.Digital Editing: taking the photo is just the first step in the creative process. “You don’t take a photograph, you make it.” Ansel Adams

Understanding those confusing digital camera controls and settings. Using qualities of light for more dramatic images. Using Shutter and Aperture controls for creative effect. Using different focal length lenses for creative effect. Learning all of the elements that go into effective Composition. Capturing personalities in people photographs. Using flash. Using software for editing your images. Students are encouraged to actively participate during class and to optionally share their images for comment and critique during class or privately.

Jim Morgenthaler

Jim Morgenthaler has taught photography for 49 years at the University of Georgia Continuing Education Program, the John C. Campbell Folk School and Athens Technical College. Jim is retired from UGA where he produced television programs, computer graphics, documentary films and still photography. Jim has taught a number of workshops and seminars in Georgia. He teaches a variety of courses including basic and advanced photography and digital photography editing.

Understanding everyday technology: Simple explanations for how the tools we use every day work

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 4 (We)

10:00AM-11:00AM

RC

\$12

Have you ever wondered what an algorithm is or how the “cloud” works? Want to know what actually happens when you type a web address into a browser? Want to understand what machine learning is? Presenters Cottrell and Lawrence will break down these topics into easy-to-understand concepts. Participants will leave the session with a better understanding of how the technologies we use every day work. No prior understanding is needed and participants are encouraged to bring their own technology questions for discussion.

Kevin Cottrell

Kevin is a seasoned Systems Architect with 8 years of experience at the UGA Library, where he specializes in the software and hardware stacks that power web services. Prior to this, he worked as a technology generalist at Google. Kevin is proficient in cloud technologies and web services, and enjoys exploring cutting-edge technologies such as AI and machine learning in his free time. (An AI wrote this bio.)

Nicole Lawrence

Nicole is the Assistant Director for the Digital Library of Georgia. She has spent eleven years in libraries technology working with libraries, museums, historical societies, and other organizations to digitize materials and make them freely available online. In her role, she works closely with librarians, developers, and systems architects to bridge the gap between researcher information needs and technology.

French Culinary History in the American Kitchen

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 4 (We)

5:00PM-6:30PM

RC

\$62

From baguettes to beef burgundy, the food and culinary styles of France have made an indelible mark on today's American cuisine. In this course, French native Anaïs Jandot presents an historical look at the many ways that France has contributed to the American palate. The class includes tastings and preparation demonstrations of a few of her favorite French dishes with special focus on those of her hometown of Lyon, France's culinary capital.

Anaïs Jandot

Anais Jandot is a 4th -year PhD student in Romance Language at UGA who hails from Lyon, France. She was raised to have an appreciation for her French and native Lyonnais cuisine, as well as Mediterranean food from her grandfather's Italian side of the family. Her husband, Colin, and his family have more recently introduced her to traditional Southern cooking and Louisiana cuisine. She looks forward to sharing her perspective on what her country brings to the American table.

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The JFK Assassination: Facts, Theories, and Myths

Number of Sessions: 3

RC

Oct 5 (Th), Oct 12 (Th), Oct 19 (Th).

2:00PM-3:30PM

\$30

Who Shot JFK? This question still resonates more than 60 years after the assassination of President John Kennedy. Since that day this event has led to numerous government investigations, as well as hundreds of books, articles, and documentaries attempting to answer the question. In this course, we will look into the facts, theories, and myths that have become part of the event. Physical, photographic, and video evidence, along with the latest information, will be presented in an attempt to determine the answer to this monumental event in American History.

Joe Glidewell

Joe is a retired history teacher who taught for 40 years at the middle school, high school, and college level. His love of history led him to develop and introduce various historical programs to those who are interested in historical events. His programs show how these particular events have relevance to our society today. Over the past four decades he has given lectures and programs to numerous civic clubs and organizations throughout Northeast Georgia.

The Great Transformation: How the Jesus of History Became the Christ of Faith

Number of Sessions: 5:

Oct 5 (Th), Oct 12 (Th), Oct 19 (Th), Oct 26 (Th), Nov 2 (Th)

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$48

How did Jesus of Nazareth, a flesh-and-blood 1st century Jewish teacher, crucified by Roman authorities, come to be viewed shortly after his death as divine, as the “Son of God,” and eventually, enshrined in church dogma as the “second person” of a Trinitarian Godhead? Join veteran presenter Tom Buchanan as we explore how the very human Jesus of history was transformed in the eyes of his followers into the divine Christ of faith.

Tom Buchanan

Tom Buchanan is Pastor of Friendship Presbyterian Church in Athens, and for the last 29 years has served churches in New Jersey and Georgia. Rev. Buchanan has particular interests in historical and philosophical theology, the background and interpretation of Biblical literature, and the challenges and possibilities facing religion in the 21st century.

A Strategy for Success: First comes self-love, then a strategy, and then success

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 6 (Fr)

RC

10:00AM-1:00PM

\$17

If you have dreams and goals but find them to be elusive or don't even know where to begin to make them manifest, then this is a workshop you won't want to miss. If you have never thought about creating a plan for your life or have met with frustration and failure when you did, then this is a workshop you won't want to miss. If your goals are to experience greater success in achieving your passion, more joy, love, inner peace, and health, then this is a workshop you won't want to miss.

Jenny Ryan

Jenny holds a degree in business management and is a certified life coach. She has met life challenges with courage and resolve and has developed a deep compassion and understanding of the struggle we all meet on the journey from survival to prospering and flourishing. Her enthusiasm is felt by those who pass near.

Marianne Harms

Marianne Harms has been in private practice for 30 years as a relationship therapist as well as working with individuals. She owned and facilitated a retreat center in Sonoma for couples and individuals to explore new ways to meet challenges. Now in her 80th year on Earth, Marianne has come to Georgia where she is enjoying time to write and present her workshops.

A House Divided: What Would We Have to Give Up to Get the Political System We Want?

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 6 (Fr)

RC

10:00AM-12:00PM

\$12

We will have a "deliberative forum". Participants will be asked to read the guide listed below in required texts (it is free) prior to the session. They will in conversation with me as facilitator and one another engage in discussion about the options provided in the guide for addressing polarization in the United States.

Participants can download the guide: <https://congresscenters.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Divided-State-of-America-Guide-FINAL.pdf>

Margaret Holt

Margaret Holt is a retired professor from UGA's Adult Education Department. She is one of five founders of the Jeannette Rankin Foundation which annually awards financial assistance to mid-life women desiring to pursue higher education. She worked with the Kettering Foundation from 1981 to 2022 and is one of the pioneers in the development of the National Issues Forums.

Week 9 (Oct 9– 14)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Energy Matters	Somerville	3	\$30	Oct 9 (Mo) Oct 16 (Mo) Oct 23 (Mo)	10:00AM – 11:30AM 10:00AM – 11:30AM 10:00AM – 11:30AM	RC
Petanque: The Greatest Game You've Never Heard Of	Wallach	1	\$12	Oct 9 (Mo)	1:30PM – 3:00PM	OS
Discussion: A Reckoning Of The History of Slavery: How the Word Is Passed, by Dr. Clint Smith	Goodhue	5	\$48	Oct 10 (Tu) Oct 17 (Tu) Oct 24 (Tu) Oct 31 (Tu) Nov 7 (Tu)	2:00PM – 3:15PM 2:00PM – 3:15PM 2:00PM – 3:15PM 2:00PM – 3:15PM 2:00PM – 3:15PM	RC
German Oktoberfest Cooking Class	Payne	1	\$46	Oct 10 (Tu)	6:00PM – 7:30PM	OS
Winter WonderLights 2023	Clark / Lancaster	1	\$12	Oct 11 (We)	10:00AM – 11:00AM	Z
Eugenia Price's Golden Isles	Bakken	1	\$12	Oct 11 (We)	10:00AM – 11:00AM	Z
Downtown Athens walking tour	Lynn	1	\$12	Oct 11 (We)	12:00PM – 1:00PM	OS
The Great American Songbook: Songs of Dorothy Fields	Kraft	1	\$12	Oct 11 (We)	2:00PM – 3:30PM	RC
Distilling Gin and other Spirits	Bryan / Woods	1	\$32	Oct 12 (Th)	12:00PM – 1:15PM	OS
The Athens Fibercraft Guild: A Community of Crafters	Johnson	1	\$12	Oct 13 (Fr)	2:00PM – 3:00PM	Z
Tour of the Latin Ethnobotanical Garden	Duncan	1	\$12	Oct 14 (Sa)	1:00PM– 2:45PM	OS

Energy Matters

Number of Sessions: 3

Oct 9 (Mo), Oct 16 (Mo), Oct 23 (Mo).

10:00AM–11:30AM

RC

\$30

Energy is the spark of life, the fuel of the universe. Energy crosses the boundaries of science and philosophy. Join an open discussion on all matters of energy, to name a few: formation of the universe; fossil, renewable and nuclear fuels; electrical grid; net zero carbon; electric cars; energy levelized cost; batteries; fuel cells, governmental oversight and more. Bill Bryson said: “Energy is liberated matter; matter is energy waiting to happen.” Henry Kissinger proclaimed: “Who controls the food supply controls the people; who controls the energy can control whole continents; who controls money can control the world.”

“Some useful energy sites: 1. <https://energy.gov/> 2. <https://globalenergymonitor.org/> 3. <https://www.iea.org/>”

Mason Somerville

Dr. Somerville has over 50 years of experience in Energy, Environment, and the Economics of Energy and has professionally worked on Solar, Wind, Environmental, Nuclear, Coal Gasification and fossil Power Plant projects. He has also consulted with both industry and the government on environmental and energy issues. He conducted over \$2.5 million of research projects and has over thirty publications.

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Petanque: The Greatest Game You've Never Heard Of

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 9 (Mo)

OS

1:30PM-3:00PM

\$12

Petanque is an international sport from France, with opposing teams tossing metal balls at a wooden target-ball. Related to Italian Bocce ball, Petanque has an ancient and fascinating history, provides many mental and physical benefits, and is quick and easy to learn. It is gentle on the body -- requiring finesse, cooperative team strategizing, and brains, not brawn. It is a game of concentration, coordination, camaraderie, and FUN. Come learn to play this quintessential part of French and world culture. An intro video to Petanque: <https://youtu.be/YXUkofUi-ps>

Ron Wallach

Ron Wallach first played Petanque on summer vacations in Provence, France, the birthplace of France's national pastime-sport.

Discussion: A Reckoning Of The History of Slavery: How the Word Is Passed, by Dr. Clint Smith

Number of Sessions: 5

Oct 10 (Tu), Oct 17 (Tu), Oct 24 (Tu), Oct 31 (Tu), Nov 7 (Tu).

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$48

For those concerned about racism in this country, this beautifully written book will make a difference. From the book jacket: "Informed by scholarship and brought to life by the stories of people living today, Dr. Smith's debut work of nonfiction is a landmark of reflection and insight that offers a new understanding of the hopeful role that memory and history can play in making sense of our country and how it has come to be." Each class will focus on discussion of about 50 pages of Dr. Smith's book. Participants should have read the 50 pages before each class.

Recommended reading: How The Word Is Passed: A Reckoning of the History of Slavery Across America, by Dr. Clint Smith, ISBN 978-0-316-49293-5

Dale Goodhue

Dr. Goodhue led several past OLLI class discussions of short stories. Motivated by George Floyd's murder, he previously participated in Non-OLLI bi-weekly Zoom discussions on racism (with five to eight people), discussing four books by: Resmaa Menakem, Austin Channing Brown, Isabel Wilkerson, and Dr. Clint Smith. This will be the third time Dr. Goodhue has led this OLLI@UGA class. He will provide guiding questions before each assigned reading, and will be the facilitator for discussions.

German Oktoberfest Cooking Class

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 10 (Tu)

OS

6:00PM-7:30PM

\$46

October is the month for welcoming the Fall Season and for celebrating the Fall in style at an OKTOBERFEST. The month brings to mind eating Sauerbraten (marinated pot roast), Hot German Potato Salad, Sweet & Sour Red Cabbage, Green Beans with Spaetzle, and for desert Apfelkuchen (apple cake) with pecans. Enjoy dining on all those and learn how to make your own pretzels. Our presenter and culinary wizard is Lindsey Payne, the owner of Lindsey's Culinary Market, 520 North Thomas Street in Athens. Registration is due by Friday, October 6th. (Beer & wine extra)

Lindsey Payne

Lindsey Payne is a 2003 graduate of Johnson & Wales University in Charleston, SC, with an AS Culinary degree and a BS in Restaurant Management. She moved to Athens in 2006 to fulfill her dream of opening her own restaurant. In June of 2007, she opened her small shop on Prince Avenue. In 2018, she moved to North Thomas Street to a bigger and better facility for her catering and restaurant business

Winter WonderLights 2023

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 11 (We)

Z

10:00AM–11:00AM

\$12

The State Botanical Garden of Georgia at the University of Georgia is preparing for its third year of Winter WonderLights! Find out what's in store for this year and how you can be involved.

Ellie Lancaster

Ellie manages the planning and operations of all major events at the State Botanical Garden of Georgia.

Laurel Clark

Laurel is the Communications Coordinator for the State Botanical Garden of Georgia at the University of Georgia. She manages the Garden's social media accounts, updates website content, publishes the Garden newsletter, takes photos, and writes news stories about the Garden.

Eugenia Price's Golden Isles

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 11 (We)

Z

10:00AM–11:00AM

\$12

The celebrated Southern author, Eugenia Price dedicated much of her literary career to capturing the sights, sounds, charm, and history of Georgia's Golden Isles—St. Simons Island, Sea Island, Jekyll Island, Little St. Simons Island, and Brunswick. Through her novels, she brought to life a stunning setting that many readers had never experienced before. This class will not only give background on Eugenia as an author, but it will inform about the can't-miss landmarks of the Golden Isles that Eugenia discussed throughout her novels.

Emma Bakken

Emma Bakken is the Interactive Marketing Specialist for the Golden Isles Convention and Visitors Bureau. Her job is to market the Golden Isles as a destination for tourism using the Golden Isles website and social media. Originally from Bloomington, Illinois, and has been living and working in the Golden Isles since June of last year.

Downtown Athens walking tour

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 11 (We)

OS

12:00N–1:00PM

\$12

Walking tour of downtown Athens. The presenter will link historical events, current development and political gossip and actions.

David Lynn

David Lynn works with downtown stakeholders to develop community partnerships and manage special projects. He graduated from the UGA with a BA in political science and a Masters in public administration. His has worked in both the public and private sector including city planning, GIS, commercial real estate, and law enforcement. Lynn served as an AAC commissioner representing District 5 from 2002– 2010.

The Great American Songbook: Songs of Dorothy Fields

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 11 (We)

RC

2:00PM–3:30PM

\$12

This class explores the happenings in Harlem and Broadway during the early part of the 20th century. Dorothy Fields was firmly entrenched in both arenas, and was the only major female songwriter to establish herself as an equal to her male colleagues during this era. She paved the way for the next generation of female songwriters that followed. Highlights from her music written with Jimmy McHugh, Jerome Kern and Cy Coleman are presented through live performance as well as recordings.

Susan Kraft

Susan Kraft has worked as a trombonist, pianist and vocalist in the Atlanta area for more than 40 years. In her college years, she played shows with Bob Hope, Robert Goulet and Joe Lovano. She has played for many years in Atlanta area big bands and salsa bands, as well as classical music groups and pit orchestras for musicals. Currently she plays primarily with jazz duos, trios and quartets.

Distilling Gin and other Spirits

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 12 (Th)

OS

12:00PM–1:15PM

\$32

Come tour Athens first legal distillery and learn how gin, rum, and vodka are made.

Rob Woods

Dr. Woods is a biochemist at the CCRC. He has also opened the first legal distillery in Athens.

Robbie Bryan

Dr. Bryan is a chemist and educator. He shares Dr. Woods' passion for making great spirits.

The Athens Fibercraft Guild: A Community of Crafters

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 13 (Fr)

Z

2:00PM–3:00PM

\$12

This class will cover the history of AFG (Lyndon House's first guild), member benefits, projects, and what members can expect. Member skill levels range from beginner to pro. AFG has an extensive library of vintage and current fibercraft books and magazines. Projects include participation in the annual Lyndon House Full House Exhibit, an annual Challenge Project, and a Holiday Gift Exchange. Programs include presentations by local and national fiber crafters. AFG has a website, facebook page, and newsletter. This class will feature images of work by members and program presenters. Participants are encouraged to share their fiber interests.

Liz Johnson

Liz has been fibercrafting since she was six, when her neighbor taught her to crochet. She has won many awards with her quilting and knitting. She has published patterns in magazines and has also pursued weaving and other fibercrafts. If it is done with fiber, she has probably tried it. So when she retired, it was natural for her to join Athens Fibercraft Guild to meet friends with similar interests. She is now the AFG Secretary.

Tour of the Latin American Ethnobotanical Garden

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 14 (Sa)

OS

1:00PM–3:45 PM

\$12

Managed by the UGA Latin American and Caribbean Studies Institute since opening in October of 1998, the Latin American Ethnobotanical Garden (LAEG) is a unique green space behind Baldwin Hall. The LAEG was constructed to research the horticultural requirements of medicinal plants used by the Maya of highland Chiapas, Mexico, and to focus attention on the need for the conservation of plant biodiversity and traditional plant knowledge. It includes some 150 culturally important plants found throughout Latin America and the Caribbean and serves as a space for research, instruction and community outreach. Liz Johnson

See Receipt note for venue

Paul Duncan

Paul Duncan serves as associate director of the UGA Latin American & Caribbean Studies Institute and supervises curation of LACSI's on-campus Latin American Ethnobotanical Garden. As a public service faculty member at UGA, he develops and supervises community service and outreach programming carried out by LACSI, particularly service involving the Athens-area Hispanic immigrant community. Duncan teaches the horticulture service-learning course AESC2990S each spring semester. He also manages UGA's Peace Corps Prep Certificate Program.

Week 10 (Oct 16– 20)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Art on View at ATHICA: Athens Institute for Contemporary Art	Fancher	1	\$12	Oct 16 (Mo)	10:00AM – 11:00AM	OS
A Family Historian's Treasure Trove: Records of Religious Organizations	Carter	1	\$12	Oct 16 (Mo)	1:00PM – 4:00PM	RC/Z
Chinese Written Characters: A Mini-Demystification	Broaded	3	\$30	Oct 16 (Mo) Oct 18 (We) Oct 20 (Fr)	2:00PM – 3:00PM 2:00PM – 3:00PM 2:00PM – 3:00PM	RC
Making Athens-Clarke County Transit Work for You	Hopkins	1	\$12	Oct 17 (Tu)	10:30AM – 1:00PM	RC
Athens-Ben Epps Airport Tour and Talk	Mathews / Welter	1	\$12	Oct 17 (Tu)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	OS
Army 101	Saul	1	\$12	Oct 18 (We)	10:00AM – 12:30PM	RC
Burning Man: The event, the culture, the organization	Taflinger	1	\$12	Oct 19 (Th)	10:00AM – 11:30AM	RC
Cameo Collection: Caring for and Collecting Cameo Jewelry	Johnson	1	\$12	Oct 20 (Fr)	2:00PM – 3:00PM	Z

Art on View at ATHICA: Athens Institute for Contemporary Art

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 16 (Mo)

10:00AM–11:00AM

OS

\$12

Visit the Athens Institute for Contemporary Art (ATHICA), your local, artist-run nonprofit arts space. See the annual juried exhibition, which is open for entry to artists from all over the world, and often includes many of your local favorites. Director Lauren Fancher will host a casual chat about the work on display as well as current and upcoming program offerings and ways to get involved. Fun for friends to meet up for either a new or familiar experience and a great way for newcomers to see the creative culture of Athens.

See Receipt note for venue

Lauren Fancher

Lauren serves as the Director of ATHICA: The Athens Institute for Contemporary Art, a non-profit artist-run arts center serving Athens for over 20 years. Fancher is also an artist and writer in Athens, Georgia. She works with found, appropriated, and original materials to make video, sound, image, sculptural, and written works. She has a BFA in Drawing and Painting and an MEd in Interactive Design and Development from UGA.

A Family Historian's Treasure Trove: Records of Religious Organizations

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 16 (Mo)

RC/Z

1:00PM-4:00PM

\$12

Church and religious organizations create multiple records which are essential tools in family history research for the United States and across the water. These records can provide clues about birth, death, marriage, burial, migration, national origin, and much more. Records kept by religious entities put families in a place at a time along with context for that place and time. This three-hour class will be an overview of how to find these records, why to use them, including hands-on exercises during the class period. Handout and homework will be sent in advance of class.

Laura Carter

Laura W. Carter, a native Athenian, grew up in Clarke County, Georgia, and spent the majority of her life working in libraries. Her work passions were cataloging and reference work – the primary avenues in libraries to help people find information they need. Retired from library work, she enjoys teaching people how to use resources for research. Laura has taught multiple genealogy classes for OLLI and co-chairs the DNA for Genealogy SIG with Gene Wengert.

Chinese Written Characters: A Mini-Demystification

Number of Sessions: 3

Oct 16 (Mo), Oct 18 (We), Oct 20 (Fr).

RC

2:00PM-3:00PM

\$30

Many people find the Chinese writing system both fascinating and mysterious. The characters can be quite beautiful, but where does meaning come from? In this hands-on course, we will learn to recognize -- and to write -- some of the basic building blocks of Chinese characters and will explore the ways they are combined to create more complex characters. By the end of the course you will know the meanings and be able to write at least 30 characters and make slightly demystified guesses about the meaning of many others. Please bring a pen to class; other materials provided.

Monte Broaded

Monte Broaded is a comparative sociologist (retired) who specialized in contemporary Chinese social issues. He has carried out large-scale survey research projects in mainland China and Taiwan and has organized and led study trips to China for numerous student and faculty groups. He has served in faculty and/or international programs positions at Stanford, the University of Pittsburgh, the University of Sydney, and Butler University.

Making Athens–Clarke County Transit Work for You

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 17 (Tu)

RC / OS

10:30AM–1:00PM

\$12

Have you considered trying Transit, but aren't quite sure how to get started? This class will provide answers through classroom lessons and experiential learning. We'll start in the classroom learning the ins and outs of the ACC Transit System and how to effectively incorporate Transit into your transportation needs. We will then take a field trip to the Multimodal Transportation Center utilizing ACC Transit. Here, the learning will continue enhanced by refreshments provided by ACC Transit. We will walk between the OLLI Classroom & the bus stop. All of our buses are ADA compliant and completely fare free!

Free boxed lunch included

Rachel Hopkins

Rachel Hopkins heads the Marketing and Public Education efforts for Athens–Clarke County Transit and is passionate about Transit and its many benefits. One of her specialties is teaching Athens–area residents how to navigate our bus system efficiently and effectively while having some fun in the process

Athens–Ben Epps Airport Tour and Talk

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 17 (Tu)

OS

2:00PM–3:15PM

\$12

Davin and Mike will give a tour of the Athens–Ben Epps Airport (AHN) facilities that will include recently finished and current construction projects to modernize the airport. This tour will also provide opportunities to hear about the airport's plans for the future, including commercial service, and about the history of the airport. AHN was the first civilian airport in Georgia and was home to the state's first aviator, Ben Epps.

Davin Welter

Davin is the Business Coordinator at Athens–Ben Epps Airport. He previously worked at the UGA Development Office, WUGA, Georgia River Network, and Family Promise. He was in the 2006 Leadership Georgia and the 2000 Leadership Athens classes. His previous board service includes Oconee River Land Trust, Foundation for Excellence, Kiwanis, Georgia Options, Keep Athens–Clarke County Beautiful, and Furman Alumni Association. Currently, he is a member of the Athens Symphony board and the Rotary Club of Athens.

Mike Mathews

Mike is the Airport Director at Athens–Ben Epps Airport. He led the Richard B. Russell Regional Airport in Floyd County for two decades before coming to Athens in July 2018. He started learning how to fly at the age of 15 and holds a private pilot certificate with an instrument rating. He is a member of the American Association of Airport Executives, Georgia Airports Association, and the Georgia Aviation Hall of Fame board of directors.

Army 101

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 18 (We)

RC

10:00AM-12:30PM

\$12

An introduction to the US Army. This course will serve as a primer for the Army. We will look at organizational structure, ranks, equipment, tactics, and personalities. Beginning with the pre-Revolutionary War and ending with today, we will find answers to questions like: Why does a Major outrank a Lieutenant, but a Lieutenant General outrank a Major general? What does an MRE taste like? How heavy was the M1 Garand? What foreign army has had the biggest influence on the US Army? How do we recruit, educate and train soldiers?

Lawrence Saul

Military historian and Colonel (retired) Lawrence Saul served for 37 years in the US Army, including tours in Germany, Holland, Belgium, England, Kosovo and other locations. He was one of the last veterans of the Vietnam War still serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. A dedicated OLLI volunteer instructor, Saul has taught more than 75 military history courses at Clemson, California State University – San Marcos, Emory, and the University of Georgia. He has extensive experience as a Battlefield Tour Guide and has a BA in History from Georgia State University, as well as two master's degrees.

Burning Man: The event, the culture, the organization

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 19 (Th)

RC

10:00AM-11:30AM

\$12

Once a year, 80,000 people gather in Nevada's Black Rock Desert to create Black Rock City, a temporary metropolis dedicated to community, art, self-expression, and participation. In this crucible of creativity, all are welcome. The event: Burning Man. This presentation will provide an insider's look at the event's history, the culture and collective experience for the participants, and the year-round organization, the Burning Man Project, that drives a vision of global art and civic engagement. Who knows? This may provide the spark for your own Burning Man adventure!

Jim Taflinger

Jim experienced his first trip to Burning Man in 2010. Subsequently he and his husband have attended five additional years. Jim represents the Burning Man Project for Georgia. He also sits on the Global Advisory Board for Burners Without Borders, the civic engagement arm of the organization

Cameo Collection: Caring for and Collecting Cameo Jewelry

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 20 (Fr)

Z

2:00PM-3:00PM

\$12

This class begins with a brief history of cameos from ancient to modern times, focusing on the last two centuries. Liz will share her collection through her website describing how to identify materials, subjects, carving styles, and dating. She will suggest resources for further study and give tips on care and restoration of cameos. Class members will learn how to use a loupe to inspect for damage, dirt, and marks. The class will conclude by sharing cameo stories. If participants own a cameo, they may want to take a photo of the front and back to share with the class

Liz Johnson

Liz received her first cameo at the age of 15 but didn't start collecting until about 30 years later. She now has a collection of about 30 cameos of all types, subjects, and materials. Her Master's degree in History with an Emphasis on Historic Preservation and her prior experience as a museum professional have enabled her to research her collection and build a website describing the best examples it contains.

Week 11 (Oct 23 - 27)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Travels in Africa, The Big Five and Now Jihadists	Ames	1	\$12	Oct 23 (Mo)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	RC/Z
English Sonnets and Sonneteers	Armistead	4	\$39	Oct 24 (Tu) Oct 26 (Th) Oct 31 (Tu) Nov 2 (Th)	10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM 10:00AM - 11:30AM	RC
Identity Crisis: Mystery, Murder, and Missing DNA (Lunch & Learn)	Jefferson	1	\$33	Oct 24 (Tu)	11:30AM - 1:30PM	TC
Vaccines: Their Development and Availability	Warren	1	\$12	Oct 24 (Tu)	12:00PM - 1:30PM	RC/Z
The Joy of Metalsmithing	Dawe	3	\$105	Oct 24 (Tu) Oct 25 (We) Oct 26 (Th)	1:00PM - 4:00PM 1:00PM - 4:00PM 1:00PM - 4:00PM	OS
All About Fall Color	Ney	1	\$12	Oct 25 (We)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	RC/Z
SNAFU - Accidents and Incidents in War	Saul	1	\$12	Oct 25 (We)	10:00AM - 12:30PM	RC
Hearing and Communication Improvement Classes	Cohen	3	\$30	Oct 25 (We) Nov 15 (We) Dec 6 (We)	2:00PM - 3:00PM 2:00PM - 3:00PM 2:00PM - 3:00PM	RC/Z
Why Did Your Mother Tell You to Eat Carrots?	Armitage	1	\$12	Oct 25 (We)	2:00PM - 3:00PM	RC
Your Legacy at OLLI	Meehan	1	FREE	Oct 26 (Th)	2:00PM - 3:30PM	RC
Get to Know UGA's Ramsey Center for Physical Activities	Doolittle	1	\$12	Oct 27 (Fr)	10:00AM - 11:30AM	OS
CBD for Better Health	Gabriel / Hart	1	\$12	Oct 27 (Fr)	12:00PM - 1:00PM	RC
Way to Go!: A Well-Planned Exit	Murphy	1	\$12	Oct 27 (Fr)	2:00PM - 3:30PM	RC/Z

Travels in Africa, The Big Five and Now Jihadists

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 23 (Mo)

10:00AM–11:15AM

RC/Z

\$12

Agricultural development is critical for food security in the Sahel of Africa where drought and famine are common. This class will be devoted to a discussion of food security projects in Mali, Burkina Faso, and Niger and international trade projects in Kenya and Uganda during the 1980s through the early 2000s. The impact of political instability in the region on wildlife tourism--the big five--and development projects supported by the U.S. government will be the focus of this class along with the changing political landscape in the region.

Glenn Ames

Glenn is a retired faculty member in the Dept. of Agricultural and Applied Economics at the University of Georgia, where he taught for 40 years. He specialized in international trade and development. He was the author or co-author of several projects for African development in Mali, Burkina Faso, Niger, Kenya, and Uganda. He also directed several graduate students from the Congo. He has specialized in agricultural development, trade, and education in the Sahel of Africa.

English Sonnets and Sonneteers

Number of Sessions: 4

Oct 24 (Tu), Oct 26 (Th), Oct 31 (Tu), Nov 2 (Th).

10:00AM–11:30AM

RC

\$39

Sonnets are built on the tension between control and emotion. We know of sonnets from 500 years ago as well as from yesterday. In this course the instructor will outline the sonnet's history and "rules" but the main mission of the class will be to read aloud and discuss some of the most interesting contributions to the form. Neither homework nor a specific textbook is required. To deepen understanding of the genre, each class member is encouraged to try his/her hand at writing a sonnet--and is welcome, though not expected, to read it aloud in class on the last day.

Jack Armistead

Jack Armistead is a retired university professor and administrator. He was educated at Michigan State and Duke, taught English literature at Rider and the University of Tennessee, served as liberal arts dean at James Madison and Tennessee Tech, and retired as Provost from the latter. For twenty-five years he edited a scholarly journal, and his books and articles focus on English literature of the later Stuart era.

Identity Crisis: Mystery, Murder, and Missing DNA

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 24 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

In 19____, a woman named Leoma Patterson went missing, last seen leaving a bar in Clinton, Tennessee. Eighteen months later, a skeleton was found in the woods in an adjoining county. Investigators concluded the bones were Leoma Patterson's, and they were buried in a family cemetery. But some family members always doubted the identification. Two decades later - - during the heyday of the TV crime show "C.S.I." - - the family asked forensic anthropologist William Bass, of "Body Farm" fame, to exhume the bones and definitively identify them. Thus began a wild, roller-coaster-ride investigation by Bass and writer Jon Jefferson.

Jon Jefferson

Jon Jefferson is a writer and documentary producer based in Athens, GA. His television documentaries have been seen by millions worldwide. In a long, fruitful collaboration with legendary forensic anthropologist William Bass, Jon has written two nonfiction books and ten crime novels - six of them New York Times bestsellers - as well as a stand-alone thriller novel. He is currently writing an Athens-based series of crime novels for the University of Georgia Press.

Vaccines: Their Development and Availability

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 24 (Tu)

RC/Z

12:00PM-1:30PM

\$12

Vaccines have been our most effective method for both prevention and treatment of disease. They have also made possible the worldwide elimination of one disease - smallpox. Warren will present a history of vaccinations by explaining vaccine development and production. The efficacy of major vaccines will be used to show the number of lives saved, especially for childhood diseases. He will provide a complete listing of available vaccines and will also discuss soon-to-come vaccines as well as diseases for which vaccines are still needed.

Flynn Warren

North Carolina native Flynn Warren attended Belmont Abbey College and the Universities of South Carolina and Georgia. Flynn was on the faculty of the UGA College of Pharmacy from 1967 to 1977 and 1985 to 2007. He retired as Clinical Professor and Assistant Dean. From 1977 to 1985 he was Head of Pharmacy at the King Faisal Specialist Hospital in Saudi Arabia. Flynn is a former President of the Georgia Pharmacy Association.

The Joy of Metalsmithing

Number of Sessions: 3:

Oct 24 (Tu), Oct 25 (We), Oct 26 (Th).

OS

1:00PM–4:00PM

\$105

Class members will learn studio safety while using tools and metal to create jewelry. We will use copper and brass wire and sheet. Sylvia will provide all materials and tools for 6 students, and we will meet at the Lyndon House Art Center in the Jewelry and Metal Studio for 3 consecutive days. Classes are 3 hours long. Once students learn studio safety, they will be entitled to use the LHAC facility following the completion of the class for a period of one month.

See Receipt for venue

Sylvia Dawe

Sylvia Dawe developed metalsmithing skills through University of Georgia jewelry and metals classes, community classes, and master workshops. Her creations are expressions of her appreciation of nature, architecture, and sentiment. The encouragement of her teachers and supportive family have allowed her to continue following her passion for metalsmithing.

All About Fall Color

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 25 (We)

RC / Z

10:00AM–11:15AM

\$12

In this class, participants will learn about nearly all the different kinds of plants that lend such beauty to the fall landscape in Athens with their glorious shades of red, orange, and yellow. The presenter will go over the needs of different plants and what plants are appropriate for what sites.

Laura Ney

Laura is the Agriculture and Natural Resources Extension Agent for Athens–Clarke County. After completing her bachelor's degree in Horticulture from UGA, with certificates in organic and international agriculture, Laura worked as a farm manager at the UGA Costa Rica campus. Back in Athens she earned her PhD, focusing on soil health. She now works with UGA and Clarke County to provide support to producers and homeowners in matters related to sustainable management, food production, and landscaping

SNAFU - Accidents and Incidents in War

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 25 (We)

RC

10:00AM-12:30PM

\$12

Accidents, calamities, disasters, and tragedies in war -- oftentimes little known -- can affect the outcome of battle, or the writing of the history. This course will examine many of the unreported disasters of WW II. Some SNAFUs are caused by bad luck, bad leadership, organizational flaws, or just plain stupidity. We will discuss some of the incidents that escaped scrutiny.

Lawrence Saul

Military historian and Colonel (retired) Lawrence Saul served for 37 years in the US Army, including tours in Germany, Holland, Belgium, England, Kosovo and other locations. He was one of the last veterans of the Vietnam War still serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. A dedicated OLLI volunteer instructor, Saul has taught more than 75 military history courses at Clemson, California State University - San Marcos, Emory, and the University of Georgia. He has extensive experience as a Battlefield Tour Guide and has a BA in History from Georgia State University, as well as two master's degrees.

Hearing and Communication Improvement Classes

Number of Sessions: 3

Oct 25 (We), Nov 15 (We), Dec 6 (We).

RC/Z

2:00PM-3:00PM

\$30

This class will meet monthly for those with hearing difficulties as well as communication partners to help discover strategies to improve the understanding of speech, discuss shared experiences, develop strategies to improve communication in difficult environments, have a better understanding of ears, hearing, and auditory processing in the brain.

Kerry Cohen

Kerry is a clinical doctor of audiology with 20 years of experience. She has extensive experience working with people with all ages and in a variety of settings. Dr. Cohen is a member of the American Speech Language and Hearing Association and a member of the Georgia Academy of Audiology. Her expertises include managing tinnitus, promoting hearing conservations and aural rehabilitations using hearing aids and auditory training.

Why Did Your Mother Tell You to Eat Carrots?

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 25 (We)

RC

2:00PM-3:00PM

\$12

Dr. Armitage will educate and entertain with his Tales From The Garden. Was there really someone called Joe Pye? Of all the flowers in the world, why is the poppy the flower of remembrance? What do bachelor's buttons have to do with bachelors, and why is a dogwood called a dogwood? It has nothing to do with dogs. Enjoy the stories behind the common names of plants we know. Smile and learn.

Allan Armitage

Professor Emeritus of Horticulture, Armitage has written 17 books that serve as classroom texts, reference books, and gardeners' companions. His reference book "Herbaceous Perennial Plants", now in its 4th edition, was recognized as one of the best 75 books in the last 75 years. One of his most recent books, "Of Naked Ladies and Forget-me-Nots", which tells the stories behind plant names, is also a best seller. His App, Armitage's Great Garden Plants, serves industry and consumers.

Your Legacy at OLLI

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 26 (Th)

RC

2:00PM-3:30PM

FREE

(this class will be free) Join us to explore some of the options available to you, and see how even a small planned gift can help OLLI@UGA plan for the future and continue to build our lifelong learning community.

Tim Meehan

Tim Meehan became Executive Director of OLLI in 2017, having spent ten years developing the nonprofits and businesses associated with St Andrew Holborn in London, England. Born in Coventry, England, he read Classics (Greek and Latin) at King's College, London, gaining both bachelor's and master's degrees.

Get to Know UGA's Ramsey Center for Physical Activities

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 27 (Fr)

OS

10:00AM-11:30AM

\$12

Known simply as "Ramsey," the facility is one of the largest student athletic recreation facilities in the United States. It was built and named in honor of Bernard and Eugenia Ramsey. The campus's eight-acre Ramsey Center has 3 gyms, 3 pools (one Olympic-sized, a 17-foot diving well, and a lap pool), a 1/8 mile indoor suspended rubberized track, a 44 feet-high climbing wall, a 14-foot outdoor bouldering wall, 10 racquetball courts, 2 squash courts, 8 full-length basketball courts, and 19,000 square feet of weight-training space. OLLI members can join Ramsey Center through an affiliate membership agreement. Enjoy a up-close tour designed specifically for OLLI@UGA.

Donna Doolittle

Donna is the Senior Operations Supervisor for UGA's department of recreational sports, which manages the Ramsey Center facility. She has worked for UGA for twenty-plus years in recreational sports. Doolittle works diligently to ensure that Ramsey patrons are able to gain access to the facility and are comfortable in the Ramsey environment.

CBD for Better Health

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 27 (Fr)

RC

12:00PM–1:00PM

\$12

CBD is produced by the cannabis plant. It interacts with humans and other animals' endocannabinoid system. CBD has been shown to decrease pain, decrease stress, and improve sleep. It has been used to decrease the severity of auto-immune disorders, like Parkinson's, Krone's, and Rheumatoid Arthritis. This talk will focus on the wellness aspects of hemp as well as the benefits to our overall happiness and well-being.

Alan Hart

Alan is the owner of Frannys Farmacy in Athens. He was raised in a farming community. Alan received his bachelor of science degree from Cornell University in Animal Science and Agricultural Business. He lives on his small farm in Watkinsville, Georgia, with his wife, Dr. Kelsey Hart, and their two young girls. His advocacy of Hemp and Cannabis has brought improved health and happiness to thousands of Athens residents.

James Gabriel

James, known to his friends as "Pocket" for his ability to help friends in need, was born and raised in Comer, Georgia. He attended Ithaca College. He is the founder of a charity that provides mental health support and suicide prevention. His hemp salesmanship has empowered a 400% growth in patients treated at Franny's Farmacy in Athens. He is known for his local outreach that has improved the lives of hundreds.

Way to Go!: A Well-Planned Exit

Number of Sessions: 1: Oct 27 (Fr)

RC/Z

2:00PM–3:30PM

\$12

Nobody lives forever, and you're not going to be the exception. Have you prepared your will, power of attorney, and healthcare directive? If not, this class will help you complete them. However, even with those documents in hand you still have LOTS more to do. We'll review another 20+ topics to ensure that your successors have a simple and clear path for closing out everything else. A few examples: Obituary, letter to loved ones, passwords and secure places, disposal of personal property, insurance, pets, memberships, and more. Join us for this light-hearted look at how to prepare for the inevitable!

Recommended text: Get It Together: Organize Your Records So Your Family Won't Have To, Spiral-bound, by Melanie Cullen and Shae Irving, ISBN-10: 1413329950

Chuck Murphy

Chuck has presented over 120 OLLI sessions on a wide variety of topics. He plans to live well and live long, and then leave his heirs and executor with a short, simple "to-do" list to wrap up the remaining details. Now that he is prepared for a well-planned exit, he'd like to share the process with you so that you can do the same.

Week 12 (Oct 30 – Nov 3)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
The Great Commanders	Saul	1	\$12	Nov 1 (We)	10:00AM – 12:30PM	RC
What is Second Life?	Johnson / Johnson	1	\$12	Nov 1 (We)	2:00PM – 3:00PM	Z
Soil or Dirt?	Tasistrov	2	\$21	Nov 2 (Th) Nov 9 (Th)	10:00AM – 11:00AM	Z
Battle of Britain	Roeder	1	\$12	Nov 2 (Th)	2:00PM – 4:00PM	RC
Common Sense Gardening – Walkabout with Dr A	Armitage	1	\$12	Nov 3 (Fr)	10:00AM – 11:00AM	OS
Common Sense Gardening – Walkabout with Dr A	Armitage	1	\$12	Nov 3 (Fr)	12:00PM – 1:00PM	OS
Lt. Ben Parks: A UGA Graduate KIA in the Battle of the Bulge	Cosgrove	1	\$12	Nov 3 (Fr)	12:00PM – 1:30PM	RC
The Naval Battles for Guadalacanal 1942	Davis	1	\$12	Nov 3 (Fr)	2:00PM – 3:30PM	RC

The Great Commanders

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 1 (We)

10:00AM–12:30PM

RC

\$12

Throughout the history of warfare, a select group of men have risen to a level of greatness for their acumen and prowess on the battlefield. This course will examine some of these great men and their impact, not just on warfare but on history as a whole. Some will be familiar to the course participants, others unknown.

Lawrence Saul

Military historian and Colonel (retired) Lawrence Saul served for 37 years in the US Army, including tours in Germany, Holland, Belgium, England, Kosovo and other locations. He was one of the last veterans of the Vietnam War still serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. A dedicated OLLI volunteer instructor, Saul has taught more than 75 military history courses at Clemson, California State University – San Marcos, Emory, and the University of Georgia. He has extensive experience as a Battlefield Tour Guide and has a BA in History from Georgia State University, as well as two master's degrees.

What is Second Life?

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 1 (We)

Z

2:00PM–3:00PM

\$12

Second Life, founded in 2003, is the longest running, user developed virtual world. In 2008 SL won a Technology & Engineering Emmy Award. Active users number nearly a million and its GDP revivals many small countries. Users can build avatars, interact with others, build properties, buy and sell products and attend events. Access is free but many users buy properties and accessories. In this class Ed will lead a tour of some of his favorite places to give you a taste of Second Life. Participants in this class need not have an account or login.

Edward Johnson

Ed is a model builder from way back so when he discovered a way to build models that wasn't expensive and didn't take up a lot of space he saw potential. Ed has been a member of Second Life for 15 years. In it he builds properties, hosts discussions, attends performances and meetings and leads tours. Prior to his retirement, Ed was employed by Information Technology Services at the University System of Georgia.

Liz M. Johnson

Liz is Ed's RL (real life) wife as well as his SL wife. She has indulged his fascination with Second Life for 15 of their 46 years of marriage. She occasionally ventures into SL herself for special discussions, events or tours and she has her own avatar designed by Ed. Liz will give some background on SL before Ed leads the tour. Prior to retirement Liz also was employed by ITS for USG.

Soil or Dirt?

Number of Sessions: 2

Nov 2 (Th), Nov 9 (Th).

Z

10:00AM–11:00AM

\$21

The soil is a very thin layer that covers Earth's lithosphere, and it is essential for life. This course, will introduce key concepts about soils, including factors involved in their formation and quality. Upon completing the course, participants will have a better appreciation of the nature and importance of soils, their fragility, and the need to improve their quality. In part one, we will discuss the five soil formation factors. Part two will focus on soil quality as an indicator of the adequacy of soil functioning.

Armando Tasistrov

Armando is an Agronomist, with a MSc degree in Weed Science (U. of Wisconsin-Madison) and a PhD in Soil Science (U. of Georgia). Currently retired, his career was mostly in international agriculture, with special interests in research and education. He lives in Oconee County.

Battle of Britain

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 2 (Th)

RC

2:00PM-4:00PM

\$12

“Never in the history of human conflict has so much been owed by so many to so few”. This is how Winston Churchill described the Battle of Britain. It was a turning point of World War II. If Great Britain had not survived this battle, the war might have had a different outcome. Royal Air Force (RAF) pilots are the are most famous participants in the battle, but many others were involved and were just as important. This class provides an operational overview as well as a broad view of the strategic situation at beginning and end of the battle.

John Roeder

John Roeder was in the military for 22 years (4 years on submarines). This was followed by 9 years in Hollywood as an actor and 10 years at Disneyland. He was a tour guide on the USS Iowa (World War II battleship), a docent at the Richard M. Nixon Presidential Library and Birthplace, and a volunteer at the Gwinnett Veterans Muesum. He enjoys providing a better understanding of history through his dramatic presentations.

Common Sense Gardening – Walkabout with Dr A

Tour 1: Nov 3 (Fr)

OS

10:00AM-11:00AM

\$12

Tour 2: Nov 3 (Fr)

OS

12:00PM-1:00PM

\$12

Gardening need not be complicated. It is not brain surgery. Dr A will open his garden to participants and use common sense to simplify topics like pruning, plant selection, fertilizing, perennials, shrubs and season long color.

See receipt note for venue

Allan Armitage

Professor Emeritus of Horticulture, Armitage has written 17 books that serve as classroom texts, reference books, and gardeners' companions. His reference book Herbaceous Perennial Plants, now in its 4th edition, was recognized as one of the best 75 books in the last 75 years. One of his most recent books, Of Naked Ladies and Forget-me-Nots. which tells the stories behind plant names, is also a best seller. His App, Armitage's Great Garden Plants, serves industry and consumers.

Lt. Ben Parks: A UGA Graduate KIA in the Battle of the Bulge

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 3 (Fr)

RC

12:00PM–1:30PM

\$12

1st Lt. Benjamin F Parks of Maysville, Georgia, was a 1942 UGA ROTC graduate who served with the 75th Infantry Division. Ben was tragically killed in action on his first day of combat in the western region of the Battle of the Bulge. His story is told based on Cosgrove's visit to the battlefield, a diary from a fellow platoon leader, his UGA legacy, and his final burial at the Marietta National Cemetery.

Bill Cosgrove

Bill Cosgrove is a graduate of both the University of Georgia and Clemson University. He is retired from the US EPA following a 35-year career in Athens. Bill's real interest is WWII history, as his father served with the American Field Service and his father-in-law served as an artillery officer in Patton's Third Army. Bill is the author of *Time on Target: the 945th Field Artillery Battalion in World War Two*. His website is www.timeontarget.us.

The Naval Battles for Guadalacanal 1942

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 3 (Fr)

RC

2:00PM–3:30PM

\$12

During 1942, neither the US Navy nor the Imperial Japanese Navy thought that the decisive battle of the Pacific War would be fought over a small, isolated, Southwest Pacific island located in the remote Solomon Islands chain. Both navies were locked in the most SUSTAINED naval campaign of the Pacific War, centered around the island of Guadalacanal.

Rod Davis

Rod was born and raised in West Virginia, has lived in Athens since 1967, and is retired from the US EPA after 42 years of service. He graduated from Concord University and the University of Georgia with degrees in education and chemistry. He has always been a student of history, particularly WWII. He has traveled to European battlefields nine times. More recently, he traveled to the central Pacific Islands.

Week 13 (Nov 6– 10)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Discover the Fold3 Database	Shull	1	\$12	Nov 6 (Mo)	10:00AM – 12:00PM	RC/Z
New Perspectives on the Contact Period Native Americans of Northeast Georgia	Wettstaed	1	\$12	Nov 7 (Tu)	10:00AM – 11:00AM	RC
United States Air Force Munitions: A Brief History	Kent	1	\$12	Nov 7 (Tu)	10:00AM – 11:15AM	RC
Bonnie Prince Charlie, the Jacobite Rebellions, and the Clearances (Lunch & Learn)	Hardin	1	\$33	Nov 7 (Tu)	11:30AM – 1:30PM	TC
Invasive/Non-Native Plants: Identification and Control	Crider	1	\$12	Nov 8 (We)	10:00AM – 12:30PM	RC
Vietnam	Saul	1	\$12	Nov 8 (We)	10:00AM – 12:30PM	RC
Advance Planning Seminar, Pets too	Finger	1	\$12	Nov 8 (We)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	RC/Z
The Great American Songbook: Songs Of Duke Ellington	Kraft	1	\$12	Nov 8 (We)	2:00PM – 3:30PM	RC
The Tricky Business of Civil Rights Commemoration	Bean	1	\$12	Nov 9 (Th)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	RC
Nutrition, Physical Activity and Bone Health	Lewis	1	\$12	Nov 9 (Th)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	RC
Brickyard Business & Bamboozlement: A Hod-Full of Information, Images, and an Insidious Lady Inventor Regarding the Sandy Creek Nature Center's Georgia Brick Company Ruins	Brown / Brown	1	\$12	Nov 10 (Fr)	10:00AM – 12:00PM	RC

Discover the Fold3 Database

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 6 (Mo)

RC/Z

10:00AM-12:00PM

\$12

Learn how to access and navigate the Fold3 database. Fold3 provides access to military records, naturalization records, documentation of Native American populations and many other federally created documents. Ashley Shull, Archives & Special Collections Coordinator at the Athens-Clarke County Library, will walk all attendees through how to access Fold3 for free via Athens Regional Library System and GALILEO as well as search techniques for discovering records. Materials will be provided prior to the session for you to review and hands-on research assistance after the presentation.

Ashley Shull

Ashley Shull serves as the Archives and Special Collections Coordinator at the Athens Regional Library System. Shull manages the Heritage Room at the Athens-Clarke County Library and serves on the leadership team for the 11-branch Athens Regional Library System. Previously she worked as an Information Services Librarian at the Athens-Clarke County Library and as Branch Manager of the Winterville Library. Shull earned an MLIS from Valdosta State University, an MAT, and English BA from GC&SU.

New Perspectives on the Contact Period Native Americans of Northeast Georgia

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 7 (Tu)

RC

10:00AM-11:00AM

\$12

Archaeologists and historians once believed that most of Northeast Georgia was an empty no-mans-land between Chiefdoms located on the major rivers between AD 1400 and 1550. They further believed that these Chiefdoms collapsed following the expedition of Hernando de Soto in 1540-42. Recent research, however, reveals a very different situation. This presentation will summarize the results of recent archaeological research and our new understanding of the Native American occupation of Northeast Georgia. The period between AD 1400 and 1670 was more complex and interesting than it has traditionally been portrayed.

James Wettstaed

James has an MA in anthropology from Wichita State University. He began working as an archaeologist for the US Forest Service in Montana, then moved to Missouri, and finally transferred to Georgia in 2005 to become the District Archaeologist for the Oconee Ranger District in Eatonton. Since 2009 he has been the Forest Archaeologist and Tribal Liaison for the Chattahoochee-Oconee National Forests.

United States Air Force Munitions: A Brief History

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 7 (Tu)

RC

10:00AM-11:15AM

\$12

This class will examine the development of both Air-to-Air and Air-to-Ground munitions used by the USAF spanning from US Army Air Corp to present-day munitions, from conventional to nuclear weapons and many points between.

Trecy Kent

Trecy is a Retired US Air Force Master Sergeant, former Economics and History teacher, and current Financial Advisor with Edward Jones. He has a bachelor's in Business Administration, a master's in Secondary Education, and an Education Specialist degree in Education Administration. He currently holds a Series 7 General Securities Representative License, the Series 66 (Uniform Combined State Law Examination) license, and a Georgia Insurance License.

Bonnie Prince Charlie, the Jacobite Rebellions, and the Clearances

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 7 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

The last Jacobite rebellion in Scotland was led by Charles Edward Stewart in 1745-46. The disastrous defeat at Culloden led to the Highland Clearances. These changed the Highlands and its culture forever, and led to the diaspora of highland Scots all over the world.

Ian Hardin

Ian Hardin was born in Scotland, and half his family are still there. He has been teaching about Scotland to freshmen at Auburn and UGA for decades, and for ten years to OLLI students.

Invasive/Non-Native Plants: Identification and Control

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 8 (We)

RC

10:00AM-12:30PM

\$12

Privet and wisteria are just two examples of the many invasive, non-native pest plants that threaten the diversity and viability of our native plants and wildlife. This course will focus on the "Top Ten" worst invasive plants in the Georgia Piedmont. Participants will learn how to identify these plants and why they can overwhelm native plant communities, disrupting natural ecosystems. Basic management and control strategies will be discussed. These management tools and methods will be applicable to suburban backyards or larger spaces such as public parks.

Gary Crider

Gary Crider works at the State Botanical Garden and with the ACC Sustainability Office as an invasive plant control specialist. He also leads volunteer groups in their efforts to limit the spread of invasive plant species and to restore wildlife habitat. He serves on the boards of Sandy Creek Nature Center, Inc. and the Oconee Rivers Audubon Society. In recognition of his environmental stewardship and activism, Gary received the 2013 Alec Little Environmental Award.

Vietnam

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 8 (We)

RC

10:00AM-12:30PM

\$12

As a young, non-commissioned officer in 1970, then 19-year old US Army Sergeant Larry Saul served a combat tour in Vietnam. Fifty years later he returned to Vietnam. The purpose of the journey was to see the modern Vietnam, and, also, to rediscover himself. This lecture will look at the history, culture, and geography of Vietnam, from the late 19th century up to 1975. Larry will use his unit's mission and their experiences to present a snapshot of US involvement...then, fast forward to late 2018 and how Vietnam has progressed. He has made two subsequent trips, seeking something.

Lawrence Saul

Military historian and Colonel (retired) Lawrence Saul served for 37 years in the US Army, including tours in Germany, Holland, Belgium, England, Kosovo and other locations. He was one of the last veterans of the Vietnam War still serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. A dedicated OLLI volunteer instructor, Saul has taught more than 75 military history courses at Clemson, California State University - San Marcos, Emory, and the University of Georgia. He has extensive experience as a Battlefield Tour Guide and has a BA in History from Georgia State University, as well as two master's degrees.

Advance Planning Seminar, Pets too

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 8 (We)

RC /Z

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

Losing someone you love is often one of the hardest moments in life. Add sudden logistical and financial decisions and the pain only intensifies. In this course Ray and Lindsie Finger will introduce students to the process of Advance Funeral Planning or Pre-Planning. They will discover the many benefits to planning ahead which includes connection and healing, avoiding costly spending, recording final wishes and vital information, and creating peace of mind. A portion of this class will be set aside to address pet loss, including the cremation process, preplanning, and memorialization.

Lindsie Finger

Lindsie serves as the manager of Athens Pet Cremation in partnership with Lord & Stephens. She has worked in various customer service roles over the last twenty years. Each experience has built the skills needed to assist pet owners with pre-arranging for cremation and caring for each pet owner when the time comes to say goodbye to a beloved pet.

Ray Finger

Ray Finger serves as the Advance Funeral Planner and Aftercare Counselor at Lord & Stephens Funeral Homes. As a native Athenian, Ray has worked and served the people of the Athens area in several different capacities including wholesale/retail hardware sales, chemical process operator, bi-vocational and full-time ministry, and insurance. These unique experiences make him both knowledgeable and sensitive to the needs of families pre-planning final wishes and caring for those families after their loss.

The Great American Songbook: Songs Of Duke Ellington

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 8 (We)

RC

2:00PM-3:30PM

\$12

This class reviews the amazing life of the man who has been called America's greatest composer- - Edward Kennedy "Duke" Ellington. His music, truly- "beyond category" , will be [stet] through live performance as well as recordings.

Susan Kraft

Susan Kraft has worked as a trombonist, pianist and vocalist in the Atlanta area for more than 40 years. In her college years, she played shows with Bob Hope, Robert Goulet and Joe Lovano. She has played for many years in Atlanta area big bands and salsa bands, as well as classical music groups and pit orchestras for musicals. Currently she plays primarily with jazz duos, trios and quartets.

The Tricky Business of Civil Rights Commemoration

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 9 (Th)

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

The Anniston bus station was the site of the first attack on the Freedom Riders in May 1961. In 2007, the community had never acknowledged it, despite having the intact bus station and surrounding area that looked exactly as it had that day. Ms. Bean will share her experience of trying to please white Annistonians and black Annistonians as the 50th anniversary of the rides approached.

Recommended viewing: 2010 PBS film, Freedom Riders and/or Freedom Riders: 1961 and the Struggle for Racial Justice by Raymond Arsenault

Betsy Bean

Betsy is the founder and publisher of Boom Magazine. While she has been in the field of communications for most of her life, she had a five-year stint as Executive Director for a downtown revitalization organization in Anniston, Ala. from 2007 to 2012. During that time she spearheaded a civil rights memorial to the Freedom Riders, who were attacked at the Anniston Bus station in 1961.

Nutrition, Physical Activity and Bone Health

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 9 (Th)

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

The roles of nutrition and physical activity in promoting healthy bones and preventing fractures in older adults will be addressed.

Richard Lewis

Dr. Lewis was the UGA Foundation Professor in the Department of Nutritional Sciences. He conducted research and taught in the fields of nutrition, physical activity, and bone health.

Brickyard Business & Bamboozlement: A Hod-Full of Information, Images, and an Insidious Lady Inventor Regarding the Sandy Creek Nature Center's Georgia Brick Company Ruins

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 10 (Fr)

RC

10:00AM-12:00PM

\$12

In 1911 modernization was in the air and the successful Georgia Brick Company of Athens met its attack of "Ford Fever" by installing "The Shaw System" of a 50-year-old untrained, inventor, Mrs. Francis Shaw. Was she a fraud or, as a friend of hers suggested, just a little over-confident? Either way the company (and many bricks) were broken within months. Come join us and an album of rare industrial photographs to learn about brick-making, the "Shaw System," and the tale behind the beloved and fascinating industrial ruins at Sandy Creek Nature Center.

Beth Brown

Retiring after a career as an elementary and high school librarian in South Carolina and Georgia, Beth moved to Athens in 2007 and assumed a part time position as archivist with the Athens/Clarke Public Libraries' Heritage Room, working with local history and genealogy. Fully retiring in 2019 she has worked with worked with historical and educational groups with her husband, Steven, writing articles and giving tours and lectures as a team in "Athens Magic Lantern."

Steven Brown

Steven became an Athenian in 1979, joining the Libraries faculty at UGA. In 2008 he retired from UGA's Hargrett Rare Book and Manuscript Library, with the title of University Archivist Emeritus. He continued at Hargrett part-time, working with University and local history until 2019. He has since worked with worked with historical and educational groups with his wife, Beth, writing articles and giving tours and lectures as a team in "Athens Magic Lantern."

Week 14 (Nov 13– 17)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Are You Ready for an EV Yet?	Murphy	1	\$12	Nov 13 (Mo)	2:00PM – 4:00PM	RC / Z
The Double Helix – The Discovery of DNA's Structure	Hardin	1	\$12	Nov 13 (Mo)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	RC
10 British Invasion Songs and the Stories Behind Them	Summerlin	1	\$12	Nov 14 (Tu)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	RC
The Zen of Aviation	Shinn	1	\$12	Nov 14 (Tu)	10:00AM – 11:15AM	RC/Z
Finding your way with paint	Loose	1	\$27	Nov 14 (Tu)	2:00PM – 3:30PM	RC
Iconic Images of War	Saul	1	\$12	Nov 15 (We)	10:00AM – 12:30PM	RC
One Pair Must Last a Lifetime	DiPalma	1	\$12	Nov 15 (We)	5:30PM – 6:30PM	RC
HeritageQuest Online: Another Free Family History Database from Georgia Public Libraries	Carter	1	\$12	Nov 16 (Th)	1:00PM – 4:00PM	RC/Z
What's Up at the Courts?	Eaton	1	\$12	Nov 16 (Th)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	RC

Are You Ready for an EV Yet?

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 13 (Mo)

2:00PM–4:00PM

RC / Z

\$12

EVs are practical, economical, and eco-friendly! Nah, They're too expensive, you'll get stranded, and they'll burn your house down! Thinking about buying an EV? Then join us for this overview of the issues in this new world of eco-transportation. We'll cover the pros and cons and the costs and benefits of EVs available now and coming soon. Switching to an EV involves a lot of tradeoffs & they're not for everybody, at least not yet. To learn if now's the time to get yours, join us for this high-voltage, electrifying session. Don't get zapped by a bad decision!

Chuck Murphy

Chuck has presented over 120 OLLI sessions on a wide variety of topics. He and his daughters have owned five hybrid cars starting with a Prius in 2005. He's really amped about the Tesla he's been driving for the last three years, especially since it's powered by the solar panels on his roof. He's turned on by all things technical and gets a charge out of sharing his knowledge through presenting OLLI courses.

The Double Helix - The Discovery of DNA's Structure

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 13 (Mo)

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

James Watson begins the story of the discovery of the structure of deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) with this famous line about his fellow Nobelists: "I have never seen Francis Crick in a modest mood." This course will use as its main text the 1980/1 Norton Critical edition of *The Double Helix*. This is the essential (!) edition for this course because it includes many contemporary book reviews as well as a retrospective. The book is a page turner that gives the layman a great explanation of how Watson and Crick came to put together the DNA model. The book is controversial in a number of ways, particularly because of Watson's treatment of Rosalind Franklin, a DNA researcher.

Recommended reading: *The Double Helix*, by James Watson (1980/1 Norton Critical Edition), ISBN 0-393-95075-1

Ian Hardin,

Ian Hardin has degrees in engineering and chemistry. While he was in graduate school, *The Double Helix* came out, and he and a cohort passed it around to everyone in the lab. His background in chemistry as well as in analytical techniques such as x-ray crystallography helped him love the book at first read. He has taught several OLLI courses over the last three years.

The Zen of Aviation

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 14 (Tu)

RC / Z

10:00AM-11:15AM

\$12

There was, and remains, magic in aviation; but travel has become a commodity to such a degree that much of that magic of moving across continents and oceans at nearly the speed of sound has been lost. We'll look at that magic, that Zen, and hopefully again appreciate its beauty.

Jay Shinn

Jay Shinn, an OLLI member since Learning in Retirement days, retired after more than 40 years of flying with the US Navy, Pan American World Airways, and Delta Air Lines.

10 British Invasion Songs and the Stories Behind Them

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 14 (Tu)

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

After the Beatles appeared on the Ed Sullivan Show in 1964, a flood of rock and roll artists from the UK took over the American pop charts. These songs have been part of the soundtrack of your life, but do you know the stories behind them? Donnie Summerlin will count down ten essential songs from the British Invasion (1964-1967) and share histories behind the artists that created them, including the Rolling Stones, Petula Clark, and Herman's Hermits. The session will be enhanced by music clips, videos, and photographs that give life to these entertaining stories.

Donnie Summerlin

Donnie Summerlin is the Digital Projects Archivist at the Digital Library of Georgia, where he manages the ongoing effort to digitize Georgia's historical newspapers. He has earned a BA in history from the University of Georgia, an MA in history from Georgia College & State University, and an MLIS from Valdosta State University. He has published research in the Georgia Historical Quarterly, Archival Outlook, and Georgia Backroads Magazine.

Finding your way with paint

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 14 (Tu)

RC

2:00PM-3:30PM

\$27

Peter will present you with various tools and techniques for painting with acrylic on a stretched canvas. A variety of brushes, paints, and creative approaches will be introduced. All materials will be provided to you through the \$15.00 materials fee. You will walk out of class carrying two new brushes and your own completed work of art on stretched canvas!

Peter Loose

Peter Loose is an accomplished and celebrated folk artist with a lifelong obsession with art and particularly paint. He builds bird house sculptures and dulcimers shaped like snakes, alligators, owls, etc. Pete is also known for his remarkable and wide-ranging art collection and his expertise in appraising art. A gifted teacher, he helps students young and old find their way as painters. His goal in teaching is to help students discover their artist selves.

Iconic Images of War

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 15 (We)

RC

10:00AM-12:30PM

\$12

Explore warfare through imagery. Using historical paintings and modern photographs, we will look at the men, the myths, and the legends of warfare from the late 18th century until today. Understand how imagery can enhance patriotism, enflame nationalism, or incite violence. More importantly, this course goes deeper into the background of the imagery to discover hidden truths, historical errors, or misconceptions. Think of the great historical images of military history and see how those images come alive.

Lawrence Saul

Military historian and Colonel (retired) Lawrence Saul served for 37 years in the US Army, including tours in Germany, Holland, Belgium, England, Kosovo and other locations. He was one of the last veterans of the Vietnam War still serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. A dedicated OLLI volunteer instructor, Saul has taught more than 75 military history courses at Clemson, California State University - San Marcos, Emory, and the University of Georgia. He has extensive experience as a Battlefield Tour Guide and has a BA in History from Georgia State University, as well as two master's degrees.

One Pair Must Last a Life Time

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 15 (We)

RC

5:30PM-6:30PM

\$12

Dr. Frank DiPalma will discuss foot anatomy, how to take care of your feet to prevent common problems encountered with aging such as bunions, corns, plantar fasciitis, Morton's neuroma, and hammertoes. He will discuss both nonsurgical and surgical treatment of these and other foot conditions. He welcomes questions from class attendees.

Frank DiPalma

Dr. DiPalma has been practicing podiatric medicine and surgery for the past 47 years. He has seen many foot deformities that have been a result of neglect or misinformation. He is devoted to educating the public and medical students in the art of preventing unnecessary pain, suffering, and sometimes limb loss.

HeritageQuest Online: Another Free Family History Database from Georgia Public Libraries

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 16 (Th)

RC/Z

1:00PM-4:00PM

\$12

HeritageQuest Online (HQO) has tools for genealogical research including census records (population and non-population schedules), maps, some Freedman's Bank records, city directories, 28,000 full text local and family histories, Revolutionary War Era Pension & Bounty-land Warrant Application Files, other military records, some immigration records, U.S. Serial Set and more. HQO is freely available from home via GALILEO through all public libraries in Georgia. This class is an overview of how to use this database. The last 75 minutes of class is hands-on work with exercises in HeritageQuest Online. Handout and homework will be sent in advance of class to prepare students

Laura Carter

Laura W. Carter, a native Athenian, grew up in Clarke County, Georgia, and spent the majority of her life working in libraries. Her work passions were cataloging and reference work - the primary avenues in libraries to help people find information they need. Retired from library work, she enjoys teaching people how to use resources for research. Laura has taught multiple genealogy classes for OLLI and co-chairs the DNA for Genealogy SIG with Gene Wengert.

What's Up at the Courts?

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 16 (Th)

RC

2:00PM-3:15PM

\$12

Tom Eaton will provide a summary of two or three important cases that will be argued at the Supreme Court in its upcoming term and explain why they are important.

Tom Eaton

Tom Eaton, J. Alton Hosch Professor Emeritus, UGA School of Law, taught Constitutional Litigation for more than 20 years among other things.

Week 15 (Nov 20 - 24)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
Road to Roubaix	Saul	1	\$12	Nov 22 (We)	10:00AM - 12:30PM	RC

Road to Roubaix

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 22 (We)

10:00AM-12:30PM

RC

\$12

Paris-Roubaix, also known as The Hell of the North, is a one-day professional bicycle race starting north of Paris, France and finishing in Roubaix. Famous for its cobblestones, it is one of cycling's oldest races, considered one of the 'Monuments' of the European calendar. Larry participated in the 2023 Paris-Roubaix Challenge, the amateur version that ran on the course the day before the professional race. He will share with us his experiences and observations.

Lawrence Saul

Military historian and Colonel (retired) Lawrence Saul served for 37 years in the US Army, including tours in Germany, Holland, Belgium, England, Kosovo and other locations. He was one of the last veterans of the Vietnam War still serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. A dedicated OLLI volunteer instructor, Saul has taught more than 75 military history courses at Clemson, California State University - San Marcos, Emory, and the University of Georgia. He has extensive experience as a Battlefield Tour Guide and has a BA in History from Georgia State University, as well as two master's degrees.

Week 16 (Nov 27 - Dec 1)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
100 Beautiful Photographs	Reed	1	\$12	Nov 27 (Mo)	10:00AM - 11:30AM	RC
Understanding Western Manuscripts	Meehan	3	\$30	Nov 30 (Th) Dec 7 (Th) Dec 14 (Th)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	RC

100 Beautiful Photographs

Number of Sessions: 1: Nov 27 (Mo)

RC

10:00AM-11:30AM

\$12

The presenter has been taking photographs since the mid-1980s, well over 100,000 of them. Recently, he has been editing this collection and now has reduced it to his 100 finest images, images of all subjects, but predominately landscapes. The class consists of showing these 100 photographs, plus tips on how, where, and when they were taken.

Lee Reed

Lee retired from UGA in 2010 as the Sherer Chair in Public Affairs. He was also Meigs Distinguished Teaching Professor. He has taught several OLLI classes on subjects like astronomy and photography.

Understanding Western Manuscripts

Number of Sessions: 3

Nov 30 (Th), Dec 7 (Th), Dec 14 (Th).

RC

10:00AM-11:15AM

\$30

Until the invention of the printing press, every text had to be written out by hand. How, when, and where, and how to recognize styles will be covered in this 3-part class. The third class will (hopefully) take place at the Hargrett Library.

Tim Meehan

Tim Meehan became Executive Director of OLLI in 2017, having spent ten years developing the nonprofits and businesses associated with St Andrew Holborn in London, England. Born in Coventry, England, he read Classics (Greek and Latin) at King's College, London, gaining both bachelor's and master's degrees.

Week 17 (Dec 4-8)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
In Search of the Laws of History	Keene	2	\$21	Dec 4 (Mo) Dec 6 (We)	10:00AM - 11:15AM	RC
“Nobody who has been drinking is let in to see this show”: the Armory Show of 1913 (Lunch & Learn)	Simon	1	\$33	Dec 5 (Tu)	11:30AM - 1:30PM	TC
Glyphosate (Roundup): Ideal Herbicide or Global Menace?	Crider	1	\$12	Dec 6 (We)	2:00PM - 4:00PM	RC
CBD for Better Health	Hart	1	\$12	Dec 7 (Th)	12:00N- 1:00PM	RC

In Search of the Laws of History

Number of Sessions: 2

Dec 4 (Mo), Dec 6 (We).

10:00AM-11:15AM

RC

\$21

From Sima Qian’s “Dynastic Cycles” in the 2nd Century BCE to Karl Marx’s “Dialectical Materialism” and Arnold Toynbee’s “Challenge and Response” many scholars have made a name for themselves by seeking to reduce human history to tidy, easy-to-understand patterns or “Laws.” These efforts are inevitably imperfect; but by drawing attention to key aspects of history, they have contributed greatly to our understanding of both the past and our own time. This course will examine a selection of these influential, if imperfect, ideas: as well as the fascinating individuals who produced and advocated for them.

Tom Keene

Tom Keene is Emeritus Professor of History at Kennesaw State University, where he taught for 42 years, doing mostly undergraduate teaching of World History, the History of Science and South Asian History. He served for 15 years as Director of the KSU International Center, organizing study abroad and faculty exchange programs. He is an avid cyclist. He and Jane Keene moved to Athens in 2015 to be near their grandchildren.

“Nobody who has been drinking is let in to see this show”: the Armory Show of 1913

Number of Sessions: 1: Dec 5 (Tu)

TC

11:30AM-1:30PM

\$33

On February 17 1913, New Yorkers witnessed the opening of the International Exhibition of Modern Art, known as the Armory Show. As the largest exhibition of European and American avant-garde art in the nation to date, it changed the history of art in America. Matisse, Picasso, Duchamp, Picabia, and Brancusi were praised and reviled -- their galleries dubbed “the chamber of horrors”; American artists dominated the galleries but most were ignored by the critics, collectors, and public who came in droves to see and buy the “futurist” art. We will study the art, cartoons, and commentary of this revolutionary exhibition.

Janice Simon

Janice Simon taught art history at UGA for thirty-five years, specializing in American Art, spirituality in modern art, and the films of Alfred Hitchcock. She received all her degrees in art history: her BA from SUNY/Buffalo (her home town), and her MA and PhD. with great distinction from the University of Michigan. At UGA she received many teaching awards including the University’s highest designation, Josiah Meigs Distinguished Teaching Professor

Glyphosate (Roundup): Ideal Herbicide or Global Menace?

Number of Sessions: 1: Dec 6 (We)

RC

2:00PM-4:00PM

\$12

This class will investigate some of the controversies surrounding glyphosate, the world’s most widely used herbicide. There is a wealth of mainstream research and factual information to indicate that glyphosate has a favorable safety profile for the environment and for human health, especially when compared to other herbicides.

Gary Crider

Gary Crider works at the State Botanical Garden and with the ACC Sustainability Office as an invasive plant control specialist. He also leads volunteer groups in their efforts to limit the spread of invasive plant species and to restore wildlife habitat. He serves on the boards of Sandy Creek Nature Center, Inc. and the Oconee Rivers Audubon Society. In recognition of his environmental stewardship and activism, Gary received the 2013 Alec Little Environmental Award.

CBD for Better Health

Number of Sessions: 1: Dec 7 (Th)

RC

12:00PM-1:00PM

\$12

CBD is produced by the cannabis plant. It interacts with humans and other animals' endocannabinoid system. CBD has been shown to decrease pain, decrease stress, and improve sleep. It has been used to decrease the severity of auto-immune disorders, like Parkinson's, Krone's, and Rheumatoid Arthritis. This talk will focus on the wellness aspects of hemp as well as the benefits to our overall happiness and well-being.

Alan Hart

Alan is the owner of Frannys Farmacy in Athens. He was raised in a farming community. Alan received his bachelor of science degree from Cornell University in Animal Science and Agricultural Business. He lives on his small farm in Watkinsville, Georgia, with his wife, Dr. Kelsey Hart, and their two young girls. His advocacy of Hemp and Cannabis has brought improved health and happiness to thousands of Athens residents.

Week 18 (Dec 11 – 15)

Title	Instructor	Sessions	Cost	Date	Time	Venue
How to Design your Forever Home	Barnett	1	\$12	Dec 12 (Tu)	10:00AM – 11:00AM	RC/Z
Shop Around the Corner: Jimmy Stewart's First (and best) Christmas Movie	Kraft	1	\$12	Dec 12 (Tu)	2:00PM – 3:15PM	Z

How to Design your Forever Home

Number of Sessions: 1: Dec 12 (Tu)

10:00AM–11:00AM

RC/Z

\$12

You will learn the key elements and steps involved in designing a home that meets your long-term needs. It will cover topics such as space planning, lighting, material selection, and sustainability, as well as the importance of incorporating personal style and functionality into the design process. Through engaging visual aids and real-life examples, attendees will gain insight into the process of working with designers to create a custom home that is tailored to their unique preferences. Attendees will leave having a better understanding of what it takes to design a forever home that they can enjoy for years to come.

Morgan Barnett

Morgan is a Certified Aging In Place Specialist & Interior Designer who focuses on accessibility. She opened Barnett Design Unlimited in 2018 with a mission to remove barriers and prepare for the future by designing homes for people with accessibility concerns so that they could be empowered to live their Unlimited best life!

Shop Around the Corner: Jimmy Stewart's First (and Best) Christmas Movie

Number of Sessions: 1: Dec 12 (Tu)

2:00PM–3:15PM

Z

\$12

In this one-session class, we will discuss Ernst Lubitsch's 1940 comedy of manners, *The Shop Around the Corner*. While not exactly a screwball comedy, it bears relation to that genre but hovers on the verge of melodrama as well. Participants will watch the film on their own and then join the Zoom class to ponder themes, motifs, characters, and the "Lubitsch touch."

Elizabeth Kraft

Elizabeth Kraft is Professor Emerita of English at the University of Georgia where she taught for 33 years (retiring in 2020). Her primary area of specialization is Restoration and eighteenth-century British literature, but, along the way, she developed a sub-specialty in comic films of the Classical Hollywood era.

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To register for membership and classes:

From your web browser:

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- b) Select MEMBERS AREA in the top right hand corner.
- c) Select the red REGISTRATION button.
- d) You will be taken to the Sign-in Page in the registration site.
- e) Sign in to “Existing Account” by entering your Username and Password in the top two boxes.

Note:

- If you are not signed in, you will not be able to add items to your cart.
- If you have forgotten your username and password, you will be able to request a new one using the prompts provided.

If you are not currently a member, create a new account by scrolling to the bottom of the page and filling in the information under Create New Account. As soon as you have created your account, please purchase a membership so that you will be ready to add classes when class registration opens.

Membership:

- If your membership expired on or before June 30, 2022, you will need to add a membership to your cart before you can select any classes.
- If your membership expires on December 31, 2022 or June 30, 2023, you will be able to add items directly to your cart.

Adding classes:

- Registration for the classes starts Wednesday, July 20, at 10:00AM
- On the registration site, select how you want to take your classes ('In-Person' or 'Zoom')
- Classes are then listed by week,
- To select a class click the Add to Cart button - this will place your class in your cart.
- To add more classes, preview your cart, then click the Continue Shopping button to return to the registration pages to select another class.
- Classes are open for registration until the day before the class meets.

Checking out:

- Once you have registered for all the classes you wish to take, click on your Cart and follow the prompts to check out.
- You may return to the registration site at any time to enroll in more classes.
- If you are using a public computer, please remember to log out when you have finished the registration process.

Don't like registering online?

- We accept paper registration forms by mail but cannot guarantee the availability of classes if delivery of your form is delayed.
- A copy of the registration form can be found [here](#)

How to use Zoom

About 15–30 minutes before your class is scheduled to begin, you will receive an email from OLLI@UGA with a link to your Zoom meeting and instructions for using Zoom on your desktop or laptop computer. These instructions are reproduced below. Videos showing how to use Zoom on any device are available on the OLLI@UGA [YouTube Channel](#).

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For PC:

- Click the link that reads “[download and run Zoom](#)”.
- After your software downloads, click the Zoom.exe file at the bottom left of your browser.
- Zoom will begin to install.

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- Click the link that reads “[download and run Zoom](#)”.
- Your new software will be located in your Downloads folder as a PKG or DMG file. Double-click this file.
- Zoom will begin to install

Zoom will launch, prompting you to enter your name. Please enter your full first and last names so we can verify your registration, then click “**Join Meeting**”.

If the host and presenter are still preparing for the class when you join, you may be placed in a waiting room for a few minutes. Once you’re admitted to the meeting room, click “**Join with Computer Audio.**”

Your microphone may be muted upon entry, and your camera turned off when you enter the room. To be heard and seen, click the options to “Unmute” and “Start Video” at the bottom left of the Zoom window. You’re now ready to begin!

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Please mute you microphone if you are not speaking. Background noise (doors opening and closing, phones ringing, dogs barking, laundry machines, dishwashers, microwaves, or microphone feedback in general) may not seem distracting to you but it may be for other participants. If a host mutes your microphone, please do not unmute yourself until you’ve eliminated the noise.

Please be sure that your face is no more than 3 feet away from your microphone so that we can hear any questions or comments you may have. You may also click the **Chat icon** at the bottom of the Zoom window (PC / Mac) to open the chat window where you can type your questions or comments for the host to read aloud.

If your camera is on, **please be dressed appropriately.** If you are not appropriately dressed, feel free to leave your camera off. We’ll understand.