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Shakespeare’s Hamlet said: “...for there is nothing either good or bad, but thinking makes it so.”

A New York publisher recently said that it must be very discouraging being a retiree in a small Southern town, no longer involved in intellectual pursuits and scholarly engagements; unable to participate in active discussions of current social contexts and expanding knowledge, unable to stay up-to-date of science and the arts and philosophy and politics and all the essential elements of an engaged life of the mind and body. Ah, how does one respond to a New Yorker, one of such limited grasp of the life we lead? What should she be told about the wondrous opportunities we experience as a function of our valued friends, colleagues, and fellow life-travelers; of our OLLI offerings for the Fall Semester of 2018?

Food? Should we create jealousy by describing our **Italian Cooking** classes, taught by a master chef who has been trained by the Culinary Institute of America with advanced work in Paris and Tuscany? Or our **Condor Chocolate** masters who generate delicacies any New Yorker would envy with lust? Perhaps a class on **Spanish Wine and Food** and a class that explains **Food and Wine Pairings**? A hand-on experience of **Making Goat Cheese**? Eat your heart out, New Yorkers!

Politics? Certainly, our OLLI members will be as current as Big Apple residents will by partaking in such classes as a fall semester **Post Election Analysis**, or staying current on **The Global Journalism and Fake News**, or finding humor in **Political Satire**. We will even have the opportunity of learning about **The Federal Budget Dilemma** and the **Polarization of Congress**, as well as local politics involved in **Kicking Ash – Local Waste Management** issues, and even **Judicial Reform in Georgia**. How is that for staying politically current – from the local to the international?

Art and Culture? We may not have the NY Museum of Modern Art, or MET, or even Broadway, but we do have enough to keep any reasonable person occupied and learning about the arts. We have **Drawing** classes, **Dance** experiences, a review of the UGA **Performing Arts Center**, **Glass Art**, **Woodworking**, **Sculpting**, **Mosaics**, and even a class on the **Greek Revival Style of Architecture in Athens**. All of this great art and culture in Athens,

and we don’t have to pay the exorbitant admission fees required of the New York cultural scene, just the small –town costs of classes with local greats and passionate presenters, brought to us by the OLLI team.

Living Life Fully. So, we may not have the same opportunities of a New Yorker, but we have rich and full lives and an excellent smorgasbord of learning opportunities. We have access to tremendous classes on **Health and Wellness and Positive Aging**, to the exploration of **History**, ranging from local to international, and to experts in **Science** to keep us current in our knowledge and understanding. There are multiple offerings in **Personal Enrichment** without the costs of Manhattan gurus. And we even have accessible parking and we do not have to take a subway to make our way around the village of Athens. Our lives are quite full and engaging and the lifestyle meets our expectations and needs. For our Fall Semester more than **200 classes** are offered because we are a community of interested and interesting people who care about continuing to maintain health and personal and intellectual growth, both our own and our friends and colleagues. New York we are not but we are a community of riches and opportunity. Thank you anyway, Manhattan...we will keep Athens.

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Course Catalog

January - June 2018

Dear OLLI@UGA friends:

We hope you will find many courses to enjoy in OLLI@UGA's course catalog.

As you know, OLLI@UGA provides courses to our members for the purpose of education only. All of our instructors have agreed not to advertise or sell to class participants any products or services from which they benefit financially. We hope that OLLI's policy, in keeping with the University's conflict-of-interest regulations, will prevent exploitation, intended or unintended.

We are delighted that OLLI's curriculum includes courses offered by accomplished individuals with expertise in arts, scholarly disciplines, health, commerce, and industry. We want to provide a wide-range of excellent courses appealing to OLLI members' many different interests. Our talented instructors may discuss art they have created, books they have written, industries in which they work, and non-profit organizations in which they participate as long as they do not sell or advertise to the class any products or services from which they benefit financially.

OLLI@UGA does not endorse any products or services offered by OLLI@UGA instructors or OLLI@UGA members.

We make every effort to be sure that members do not feel pressured by class instructors to purchase goods or services. On the other hand, there are cases in which the policy blocks our members from opportunities that they would like to have. The main case in point is book signing. OLLI recruits some excellent authors to teach classes related to books they have written. Frequently OLLI@UGA members choose to purchase those books in preparing for class and would like to have the opportunity for the author to sign them. Authors are often motivated to teach for OLLI@UGA by their hope for more visibility for their books.

Therefore, after consultation with several in OLLI@UGA leadership, the following Curriculum Committee policy has been adopted:

Authors will make no attempt to sell books to students in their classes and no books will be sold to OLLI class members by the authors during the class. However, as part of OLLI classes, authors can sign books that have been previously purchased and brought to class by OLLI members. Authors can be notified of this option when they are recruited to teach and OLLI members will be informed of this opportunity.

This policy encourages authors' interest in teaching for OLLI and allows our members to purchase books they are exposed to in OLLI classes, without pressure. Please continue to share your opinions on the courses you take. Your feedback will help the Curriculum Committee recruit courses to your liking in the future.



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Online Registration Guide

Before registering

1. You must be a current, paid-up member to register for classes (“Sessions”). To become a member or renew your membership, go to olli.uga.edu, click the green Join button or the purple **Renew** button on the left and follow the instructions. After joining or renewing your membership, you will need to **Logout** and log back in before registering.
2. Before registering, we suggest that you browse the catalog, select your Sessions, and highlight them in your catalog for quick reference.

Initial online registration

1. Go to olli.uga.edu and choose the red **OLLI@UGA Members** button at the top right of the page.
2. Select Register for . . . : Classes and Luncheons from the menu on the left.
3. Locate and select the 2018 Fall Course Event.
4. Enter your email and password and Sign in.
5. Click **Next** (2x) until you get to the page Selecting Your Classes (“Sessions”).
6. Search for your desired Sessions by Name (pick one full word from the title for best results) and select them by placing a check in the box to the left of the title. **To continue adding Sessions**, simply replace the text in the search field with a full word from the title of your next selection. After you have finished selecting all of your Sessions, click **Next**.
7. If a session is full, it will be noted below the title (“Full Waitlist”). If you choose to join the waitlist, you will be charged for the session. If you do not get into the session, the fee will be refunded as a Credit on Account within five days of the class. Refunds are available upon request.
8. Once you have selected all your Sessions, select **Next**, and then **Register Now** and follow the **Check-out** prompts through to the payment screen. Complete your transaction by selecting **Purchase Now***
9. If you’re on a public computer (coffee shop, public library . . .), remember to **Logout**.

Adding Sessions: (if you have already registered for the Curriculum event)

1. Go to olli.uga.edu and choose the red **OLLI@UGA Members** button at the top right of the page.
2. Select Register for . . . : Add'l Classes to Existing Registration from the menu on the left and enter your login details.
3. Locate the Curriculum event from the events listed and choose Add Sessions on the far right.
4. Follow steps 6-10 above.

*** Paying with a credit on your account**

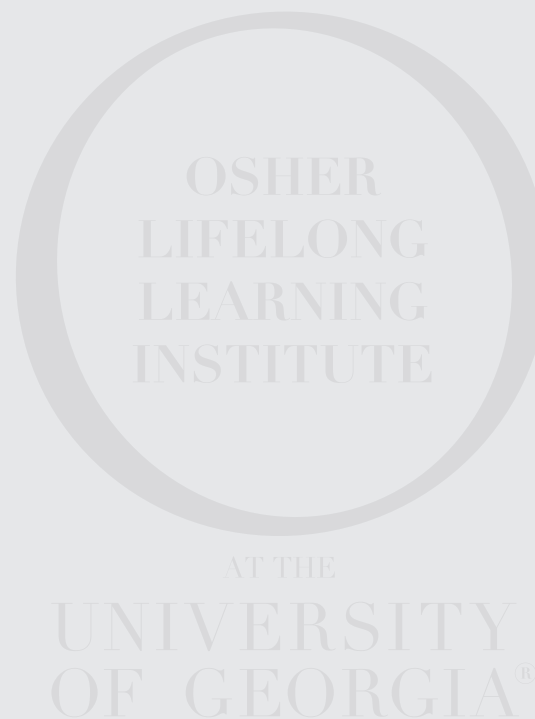
1. If you have a credit on account (COA) it will be displayed on the Payment page.
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3. If your COA will cover the entire amount, select “Pay in full with credit” from the Form of Payment pull-down menu.
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Registration Notes

- Mailed in and dropped-off registration forms are date-stamped and processed in the order received. You may drop-off registrations as soon as your catalog arrives. Due to the high-volume of calls during this time, registrations will not be processed over the phone. Mailed and dropped-off registrations will be processed by the office when registration opens for everyone.

SAVE THE DATES

July 9	New Member Orientation
July 11-18	Class Host Registration Opens @ 12 Noon
July 23	New Member Orientation
July 25	General Registration Opens @ 10 AM
Aug 10	OLLI@UGA Lifelong Learning Fair (Georgia Square Mall)
Aug 17	New Member Orientation
Aug 20	First day of OLLI@UGA classes
Aug 23	Volunteer Meet-up
Sept 13	Land Easements, Newton County (Travel Study)
Sept 20	Membership Picnic
Oct 10-14	Washington D.C. (Travel Study)
Oct 30	All about OLLI@UGA (<i>continued Nov 6 & Nov 13</i>)
Oct 31	Halloween Luncheon
Nov 1	North Georgia Winery Trip (Travel Study)
Dec 31	New Year's Eve Luncheon



Membership Announcements, OLLI@UGA website, and our social media will contain updated information. This information is current as of November 2018. Dates/Times are subject to change.

Reminder: OLLI Course Registration and Cancellation Policies

- If you know you cannot attend a class please notify the OLLI office. To receive a refund, you must notify the office ten days prior to the first class meeting. You can now submit your cancellation request online using the form located under the Forms and Resources menu.
- You can register for a course at the last minute, but be sure to check with the OLLI office before attending. Some classes have waitlists and those on the waitlist receive priority.
- OLLI@UGA does not pro-rate its class fees. You will be charged for all sessions of a class regardless of how many you attend.
- Waitlisted classes are paid for at the time of registration. It is to your benefit to get onto the waitlist if possible. The office routinely works to secure additional seating, larger venues, or additional sessions. The right of first refusal is given to those on the waitlist prior to announcing to the membership.

Parking Tags for River's Crossing for 2018-2019

What you need to know:

Anyone registered for just ONE River's Crossing class will be assigned a semi-permanent, uniquely-numbered hang tag. ***Tags will not be mailed.*** The tag will be valid through July 31, 2019. Members will not pay a separate fee for parking; rather, a parking fee is included in class fees. The tag will be good for all classes, meetings and events at River's Crossing.

Parking tags will be available for pick from the OLLI office beginning August 8, 2018. You may pick up your tag between 9:00 am and 4:00 pm in the OLLI office. We will also have tags available for pick-up at the OLLI@UGA Activity Fair on Friday, August 10.

The cost to replace a lost tag will be \$25—so hang on to your tag!

Course Listing by Category

Aging

Being Social Matters: How Can Communities Prevent Isolation?
 Caregiving for Loved Ones
 Encore: A New Lifestage. What Is It? What's in It for You?
 Living While Dying: Film and Discussion
 Medical Aid in Dying: The Ethics and Pragmatics of Choice
 Medicare 101: Navigating the Medicare Maze
 Senior Living: Be Educated For You And/Or Your Parents
 Technology and Older Adults: The Longevity Explorers
 One Woman Play: Waltzing the Reaper

Animal Kingdom

Animal Companions: How They Help Heal our Pain & Improve Our Lives
 Bats and Batty People: Bats of Athens, Bats of the World
 Bugs in Your Trees!
 Chickenology 101
 Exotic Animals: An Exotic Animal Veterinarian's Routine
 Getting to Know Therapy and Other Service Dogs
 Guide Dog Foundation: How They Help
 Pets: An Ounce of Prevention is Worth a Pound of Cure
 Therapy and Champion Dogs: Breeding, Whelping, and Showing
 Whales and North-Atlantic Cold-Water Environs

Around Athens

Akademia Brew School: Crafting and Cooking with Beer
 An Inside Look from the "Voice of The Lady Dawgs"
 Animal Rescue around Athens: Anyone Can Get Involved
 Athens African American Experience Tour
 Athens Ben Epps Airport: History and Tour
 Athens History & Hauntings Tour
 Athens Land Trust: A Visit to Williams Farm
 Athens' Music Scene Before It Was Famous
 Athens Technical College: A Tour
 ATHICA: The Golden Record Exhibition
 Baber-Bridges Log House: One of Athens' Oldest Buildings
 Beech Haven: A Walking Tour
 Condor Chocolates: Bean to Bar
 Flying Through the Air: A Visit to Canopy Studio
 Garden Tour: West Broad Market Garden
 Georgia Museum of Natural History: Behind the Scenes Tour
 Glory, Glory to Ole Georgia: Revisit UGA Sports Legends
 Jittery Joe's Coffee Roasting Company Tour
 Learning from the Baldwin Hall Burials: A Word From the
 Bioarchaeologist
 Milledge Avenue from Broad to Baxter: A Walking Tour
 Oconee Rivers Greenway: Athens' Emerald Necklace
 Preservation of Old Athens (Jackson Street) Cemetery
 Tallassee Forest: A Hiking Experience
 The Classic Center: Learn & Lunch

The Iron Horse: UGA's Riot about Art
 Trash to Recyclables: Don't Waste Away!
 UGA Main Library: Tour and Introduction
 UGA Performing Arts Center: Behind the Scenes
 UGA Ramsey Center: Tour & Introduction
 UGA's Historic North Campus: Walking Tour
 WUGA Radio Studios Tour

Arts

Agnes Varda: The Most Important Woman Filmmaker in the World (L)
 Architecture in Athens: The Greek Revival Style
 Architecture in Athens: Then and Now
 Black Images in American Art History 1710-1940
 Chautauqua: A Center for the Arts, Religion, and Education
 Contemporary Mosaics: Ancient Art Form in the Modern World
 Drawing Fundamentals for OLLIs
 Fused Glass Art: Studio Demonstration
 Happy Valley Pottery: Building Crafts Into a Business
 Love, Liberation, and Escaping Slavery: Travels of the Crafts (L)
 Voiceover: What Is It?

Beyond Our Borders

China: Inside and Out
 China's Transition to Global Power under Xi Jinping (L)
 Global Travel, A Cornucopia of Exciting Possibilities
 India: Religions & Cultures
 International Travel: Prep and Pack
 Israel at a Crossroad
 Portugal from Its Founding to its Role as an International Empire
 Russia: St. Petersburg & A Love for Robert Burns
 Saudi Arabia – Past, Present and (?) Future
 South Korea: History, Politics and Culture

Biography and Reflections

9/11: A View from the 58th Floor, One WTC
 Day in the Life of an Athletic Director (L)
 Grand Canyon National Park – A Photographers 10 Day Raft Trip
 Growing Up in East-Central Europe during World War II
 Jeannette Rankin and the Women's Scholarship Fund She Began
 Journey to Freedom - Six Thai Elephants and Me
 Mark Twain, the Grand Humorist, Running for President !?!
 Memories of a Sportscaster: The Sporting Life
 Over Germany: Lt. Col. Vince Masters (385th Bomb Group)
 Paris: My Home During the German Occupation, 1939-45
 Reflections of a Former Director of UGA's Performing Arts Center (L)
 The Appalachian Trail: If "HE" Can Do It, "I" Can Do It!
 Vietnam: An Unforgettable War and an Amazing Recovery
 Yellowstone National Park - A Photographic Winter Wonderland

Computers & Technology

Cell Phone Photography 101
Exploring DNA Results from Ancestry.com
Family Tree Maker: Exploring Your Heredity
FamilySearch.org: The Free Genealogy Powerhouse
Genealogy: Getting Started and Finding Resources
HeritageQuest Online: Finding Your Family
iPhone/iPad: What You Want to Know But Are Afraid to Ask

Ecology

Climate Change: Where Do We Stand?
Conservation Easements: What Are They? Why Are They Important?

Past and Future of the Firefly Trail and Athens Greenway

Food and Beverage

Chèvre: Crafting Goat Cheese at Home
Dining Adventure in Spanish Food and Wine
Five Ingredient Recipes for Heathy Cooking
Flavor Perception: Increase Enjoyment of Fine Food and Wine
Hands-on Italian/Mediterranean Cooking
Wine Flavors and Food Pairing

Government & Politics

2018 Election: What to Expect (L)
2018 Mid-Term Elections: Understanding the Results
2018 Mid-Term Elections: Navigating the Changing Media Landscape
Balancing the Federal Budget
Birth Abroad and U.S. Citizenship
Bombs Away! Reasons to Remove Ordinances on Vieques, Puerto Rico (L)
Criminal Justice Reform in Georgia and Across the Nation
Current Affairs
Entertaining Politics: Satirical TV and Political Engagement
Female Lobbyists: Direct and Indirect Effects on Representation in DC
Georgia's 2019 Legislative Session: An Insider's View
Has Democracy Failed in the United States?
Immigrant Visas: Myths and Truths
Journalism, Trust, and Fake News: The Global Battle
Kicking Ash & Taking Names: A David-and-Goliath Battle, 2016 (L)
Nuclear Energy Policy: Understanding the Challenges
Trade, Trump, and Trade Remedy Legislation
U.S. Constitution: Original Intent and the Founding
UGA's Congress Project: Why Is Congress So Polarized?
United Nations Sustainable Development Goals

Health & Fitness

A Stronger You: A Logical Approach to Strength & Conditioning
Accessible Exercise: Stay Active Anywhere
Ageless Grace for Lifelong Comfort and Ease
All About Arthritis
Falling: Causes, Prevention, Solutions
Hatha Yoga: Basic Practice
Health & Wellness 101

Hearing Health for 2018
Move Better to Live Better
Neurodiversity? Mental Health in Social Contexts
Nutrition's Big 3: The Science on Carbs, Protein, and Fat
Tai Chi Easy: Introduction

Historical Perspectives

20th Century Maritime Commerce Raiders
Asa Candler: The Pharmacist Who Really Made Coca-Cola
Atlanta Child Murders of 1979-1981: What the Footage Tells Us
Band of Brothers: D-Day 6 June 1944, A Preview
Eye Deep in Hell: The USA in World War One in Europe
Germans in the Mediterranean During World War Two
Keeping the Kaiser Out of Clarke: UGA and the Great War
Martin Luther King Jr.: Rarely Seen Footage
Moina Michael: The Poppy Lady
Remembering the Dixie Highway
Rewriting History through Television Preservation
Rise and Fall (and Rise Again?) of Communism
Sergeant Alvin C. York: American Hero from the Meuse-Argonne Battle
Twelve O'Clock High: Army Air Corps's Part in WW II Victory
UGA through the Centuries
Virginia and Georgia in the American Civil War
World War One's Final Battle: The Meuse-Argonne Offensive
Wrestling Temptation: Georgia's Quest to Control Alcohol

Hobbies

Beginning Bridge II: The Play of the Hand
Joy of Metalsmithing for Beginners
Knit-a-long with Revival Yarns
Letterboxing: Seeking, Solving, and Rubber Stamping
Painting Landscapes in Watercolor: Topics for the Beginner
Woodturning: Tools, Techniques, and Projects

Literature & Writing

2017: The Year Journalism Roared Back
Getting Started on Writing: A Workshop
Great Books' Great Conversations
Haiku and Related Forms, Introduction and Workshop
Poetry Writing Workshop
Reading Now: Exploring the Arc of Our Lives through Books
Bomber by Len Deighton: The Last Great Air War Novel
Critical Reading: Selected Short Stories
Express Yourself: Creative Writing Styles and You
Little Red Riding Hood: Seven Versions
Paradise Lost: A Guided Walk-through

Music

Appalachian Dulcimers: Their History and Sound
Between the Sheets: Women in Early 20th Century Sheet Music
OLLI's Really Got Musical Talent!

Personal Enrichment

Finding Purpose and Happiness in Retirement: The Ingredients
Grandchildren: What to Expect When You Are Expecting
Immortalizing Your Family with Stories and Photos
Meditative Doodling: Centering Yourself through Art
Men's Wisdom Works: Redefining Retirement for Men
Our Creative Universe
Personal Storytelling: Sharing the Oral Tradition
So You Want to Go Back to School?
Spanish: Beyond the Basics
Telling Real Stories from Your Life

Personal Finance

Intergenerational Wealth Transfers: Planning for Your Legacy
Retirement on Your Terms
You Inherited a Stamp Collection. Now What?

Plant Kingdom

Gardening for Kids... of All Ages!
Growing Blueberries and Figs for the Home Gardener
Invasive Non-Native Plants: Identification and Control
Landscape Design: Mediocre or Marvelous? What Makes Great Design?
More Plant Stories: Still Delicious, Delightful, and Deadly
Winter Container Gardening from Start to Finish

Religion & Spirituality

Embodied Spirituality
Spiritual Vitality and Faithful Aging

Science

Artificial Intelligence for Novices
Astronomy for the Layperson
Biology 101: A Mini-course in Biology for Non-majors
Communicating About Flu and Infectious Diseases: It's Not Easy
Geology and Exploration of the Moon: What Did We Learn From Apollo?
Human Evolution from an Anthropologist's Perspective
Humans Need Not Apply? Artificial Intelligence
Kilauea: Earth's Most Active Volcano
News from Around the Universe
Opioid Epidemic: What Should We Do?
People under the Microscope: Human Research over the Years
Restaurants: Understanding Food Safety Standards
UGA Observatory: View the Night Skies
Understanding the Universe through Science

Sociology

Diversity through Dance
Everyday Heroes: Impacting the Lives of Children
Make a Difference in the Life of a Student: Become a Mentor
OLLI Buddies: Help "At-risk" Children Succeed Academically
Understanding American Muslims: Past and Present (L)



FALL 2018 COMMUNITY MUSIC SCHOOL

**IT'S NEVER TOO LATE
to learn to play a musical instrument!**

NEW HORIZONS BAND

Joyce King, Director
Mondays 12 - 1:30pm
Church at College Station
1225 College Station Road, Athens, GA 30605
\$75

NEW HORIZONS ORCHESTRA

Kathleen Powell, Director
Thursdays 10am - 11am
Holy Cross Lutheran Church
800 W. Lake Drive, Athens GA 30606
\$95

NEW HORIZONS PIANO

Crystal Wu, Instructor
Wednesdays, 4 - 6pm
Hugh Hodgson School of Music, 250 River Road,
Athens, GA 30602
\$110

ugacms.uga.edu/newhorizons.html

**NEW BEGINNERS WELCOME ANYTIME!
Absolutely no prior experience necessary**

**Curious but not sure you want to commit?
New Horizons rehearsals are always open for visitors.**

Alphabetic Listing of Presenters

Abrol	Mony	India: Religions & Cultures	Chappelle	Jerry	Happy Valley Pottery: Building Crafts Into a Business
Agner	Margaret	Drawing Fundamentals for OLLIs	Chastain	Bonnie Jo	Growing Blueberries and Figs for the Home Gardener
Ainsworth	Scott	Female Lobbyists: Direct and Indirect Effects on Representation in DC	Clarke	Jeff	Athens History & Hauntings Tour
Alberts	Jim	20th Century Maritime Commerce Raiders	Coes	Alvie	Athens Technical College: A Tour
Ames	Glenn	Trade, Trump, and Trade Remedy Legislation	Compton	Margie	The Iron Horse: UGA's Riot about Art
Amick	Susan	Spiritual Vitality and Faithful Aging	Cook	Mary	Past and Future of the Firefly Trail and Athens Greenway
Address	Elizabeth	Restaurants: Understanding Food Safety Standards	Cosgrove	Bill	Over Germany: Lt. Col. Vince Masters (385th Bomb Group)
Arlington	Michelle	Ageless Grace for Lifelong Comfort and Ease	Cosgrove	Bill	Sergeant Alvin C. York: American Hero from the Meuse-Argonne Battle
Armistead	Jack	Paradise Lost: A Guided Walk-through	Cosgrove	Bill	World War One's Final Battle: The Meuse-Argonne Offensive
Armstrong	Barbara	Birth Abroad and U.S. Citizenship	Covi	Robert	Critical Reading: Selected Short Stories
Armstrong	Barbara	Immigrant Visas: Myths and Truths	Cox	Robert	Medicare 101: Navigating the Medicare Maze
Atwood	Deb	Flying Through the Air: A Visit to Canopy Studio	Craig	Bowen	Immortalizing Your Family with Stories and Photo
Bailey	Sue	Jeannette Rankin and the Women's Scholarship Fund She Began	Cramer	Paul	The Classic Center: Learn & Lunch
Balsamo	Peter	Chautauqua: A Center for the Arts, Religion, and Education	Crane	Bill	2018 Mid-Term Elections: Understanding the Results
Balsamo	Peter	Living While Dying: Film and Discussion	Crawley	Art	Chautauqua: A Center for the Arts, Religion, and Education
Barnes	Brittany	Bugs in Your Trees!	Crawley	Connie	Chautauqua: A Center for the Arts, Religion, and Education
Barstow	Bill	Biology 101: A Mini-course in Biology for Non-majors	Crescenzo	Daniel	Conservation Easements: What Are They? Why Are They Important?
Barton	Elizabeth	Painting Landscapes in Watercolor: Topics for the Beginner	Crider	Gary	Invasive Non-Native Plants: Identification and Control
Bertsch	Gary	Rise and Fall (and Rise Again?) of Communism	Curran	Peggy	Letterboxing: Seeking, Solving, and Rubber Stamping
Biskin	Bayla	Chautauqua: A Center for the Arts, Religion, and Education	Dale	Nick	Chickenology 101
Biskin	Harvey	Chautauqua: A Center for the Arts, Religion, and Education	Dale	Nick	Condor Chocolates: Bean to Bar
Boney	France	Paris: My Home During the German Occupation, 1939-45	Dale	Peter	Condor Chocolates: Bean to Bar
Boney	Nash	UGA through the Centuries	Dallmeyer	David	Geology and Exploration of the Moon: What Did We Learn From Apollo
Boney	Nash	Virginia and Georgia in the American Civil War	Dallmeyer	David	Kilauea: Earth's Most Active Volcano
Brenner	Debra	Getting to Know Therapy and Other Service Dogs	Dalton	Angela	Athens Ben Epps Airport: History and Tour
Brooks	Rusty	South Korea: History, Politics and Culture	Dantzler	Jeff	An Inside Look from the "Voice of The Lady Dawgs"
Brown	Steven	Keeping the Kaiser Out of Clarke: UGA and the Great War	Dawe	Sylvia	Joy of Metalsmithing for Beginners
Buttrick	Kelley	Voiceover: What Is It?	DeJoy	Judith	International Travel: Prep and Pack
Camp	Tom	Embodied Spirituality	Dendy	Gail	Jeannette Rankin and the Women's Scholarship Fund She Began
Cannon	Cara	Knit-a-long with Revival Yarns	Dendy	Larry	UGA's Historic North Campus: Walking Tour
Cardin	Michael	WUGA Radio Studios Tour	Dolittle	Donna	UGA Ramsey Center: Tour & Introduction
Caro	Richard	Technology and Older Adults: The Longevity Explorers	Dondero	Tim	Dining Adventure in Spanish Food and Wine
Carpenter	Brian	Medical Aid in Dying: The Ethics and Pragmatics of Choice	Dougherty	Keith	U.S. Constitution: Original Intent and the Founding
Carter	Lief	2018 Election: What to Expect (L)	Duncan	Dallas	Akademia Brew School: Crafting and Cooking with Beer
Carter	Lief	Current Affairs	Duncan	Janine	Preservation of Old Athens (Jackson Street) Cemetery
Carter	Laura	FamilySearch.org: The Free Genealogy Powerhouse	Elder	Christopher	Pets: An Ounce of Prevention is Worth a Pound of Cure
Carter	Laura	Genealogy: Getting Started and Finding Resources	Elhage	Fuad	Diversity Through Dance
Carter	Lief	Has Democracy Failed in the United States?	Emerson	Kerstin	Being Social Matters: How Can Communities Prevent Isolation?
Carter	Laura	HeritageQuest Online: Finding Your Family			
Castleberry	Nikki	Georgia Museum of Natural History: Behind the Scenes Tour			
Chapman	Nick	Athens Technical College: A Tour			

English	John	2017: The Year Journalism Roared Back	Kelly	Lisa	People under the Microscope: Human Research Over the Years
Everett	Dan	Climate Change: Where Do We Stand?	Kilpatrick	Jeff	Express Yourself: Creative Writing Styles and You
Everett	Dan	Humans Need Not Apply? Artificial Intelligence	Kleiner	Heather	Jeannette Rankin and the Women's Scholarship Fund She Began
Everett	Dan	United Nations Sustainable Development Goals	Knauft	David	More Plant Stories: Still Delicious, Delightful, and Deadly
Ezekiel	Robert	OLLI Buddies: Help "At-risk" Children Succeed Academically	Kurtz	Kortney	Guide Dog Foundation: How They Help
Fancher	Lauren	ATHICA: The Golden Record Exhibition	Kuykendall	Nat	Beech Haven: A Walking Tour
Fink	Chuck	Men's Wisdom Works: Redefining Retirement for Men	Lear	Kristen	Bats and Batty People: Bats of Athens, Bats of the World
Fink	Chuck	Personal Storytelling: Sharing the Oral Tradition	Lee	Paul	Grandchildren: What To Expect When You Are Expecting
Flaherty	Lu	Chèvre: Crafting Goat Cheese at Home	Lineberger	James	Architecture in Athens: The Greek Revival Style
Foreman	George	Reflections of a Former Director of UGA's Performing Arts Center (L)	Lineberger	James	Architecture in Athens: Then and Now
Fowler	Kim	People under the Microscope: Human Research Over the Years	Loughner	Bill	Great Books' Great Conversations
Frank	Joe	Flavor Perception: Increase Enjoyment of Fine Food and Wine	Ludwig	Richard	Gardening for Kids... of All Ages!
Frank	Joe	Wine Flavors and Food Pairing	Ludwig	Richard	Landscape Design: Mediocre or Marvelous? What Makes Great Design?
Frutiger	Kevin	Retirement on Your Terms	Ludwig	Richard	Winter Container Gardening from Start to Finish
Gantly	Judith	One Woman Play: Waltzing the Reaper	Luken	Emily	UGA Main Library: Tour and Introduction
Gattie	David	Nuclear Energy Policy: Understanding the Challenges	Lynch	Michael	Balancing the Federal Budget
Gilbert	Linda	Meditative Doodling: Centering Yourself through Art	Lynch	Michael	UGA's Congress Project: Why Is Congress So Polarized?
Gonzalez	Bianca	Spanish: Beyond the Basics	Madonna	Tony	UGA's Congress Project: Why Is Congress So Polarized?
Goodhue	Dale	Critical Reading: Selected Short Stories	Marlowe	Julia	Intergenerational Wealth Transfers: Planning for Your Legacy
Grafstein	Robert	2018 Election: What to Expect (L)	Marshall	Jim	Reading Now: Exploring the Arc of Our Lives through Books
Griffiths	Richard	Journalism, Trust, and Fake News: The Global Battle	Martin	Janet	OLLI Buddies: Help "At-risk" Children Succeed Academically
Groves-Chapman	Jessica	Move Better to Live Better	Martin	Jeffrey	UGA Performing Arts Center: Behind the Scenes
Guy	Bob	Vietnam: An Unforgettable War and an Amazing Recovery	Maxwell	Mark	Glory, Glory to Ole Georgia: Revisit UGA Sports Legends
Hansen	Jack	All About OLLIs: Insights from National Surveys	Mayer	Joerg	Exotic Animals: An Exotic Animal Veterinarian's Routine
Hansen	Jack	Artificial Intelligence for Novices	McCaskill	Barbara	Love, Liberation, and Escaping Slavery: Travels of the Crafts (L)
Hardin	Robin	Hearing Health for 2018	McDuff	Nancy	Make a Difference in the Life of a Student: Become a Mentor
Hardin	Ian	Russia: St. Petersburg & A Love for Robert Burns	McDuff	Nancy	So You Want to Go Back to School?
Hartman	Bill	Memories of a Sportscaster: The Sporting Life	McGarity	Greg	Day in the Life of a an Athletic Director (L)
Harvey	Curt	Growing Up in East-Central Europe During World War II	Meehan	Tim	All about OLLI@UGA
Haynes	Greg	Athens' Music Scene Before It Was Famous	Mergenthal	Alden	Intergenerational Wealth Transfers: Planning for Your Legacy
Helm	Ed	Mark Twain, the Grand Humorist, Running for President !?!	Miller	Mary	Atlanta Child Murders of 1979-1981: What the Footage Tells Us
Helm	Adrien	Poetry Writing Workshop	Miller	Mary	Martin Luther King Jr.: Rarely Seen Footage
Henry	Glenn	Athens Technical College: A Tour	Miller	Mary	Rewriting History through Television Preservation
Hines	Sherrie	Animal Rescue Around Athens: Anyone Can Get Involved	Milton	Christopher	Health & Wellness 101
Holt	Margaret	Jeannette Rankin and the Women's Scholarship Fund She Began	Minogue	Lucy	Beech Haven: A Walking Tour
Holt	Margaret	Opioid Epidemic: What Should We Do?	Mitchell	Edward	Understanding American Muslims: Past and Present (L)
Hunter	Nancy	Journey to Freedom - Six Thai Elephants and Me	Mize	Marie	Moina Michael: The Poppy Lady
Jackson	Ed	Remembering the Dixie Highway	Moore	Kellie	Falling: Causes, Prevention, Solutions
Jackson	Ed	You Inherited a Stamp Collection. Now What?	Mowbray	Kate	Baber-Bridges Log House: One of Athens' Oldest Buildings
Jackson	Ed	You Inherited a Stamp Collection. Now What?	Murphy	Chuck	Bats and Batty People: Bats of Athens, Bats of the World
Janssen	Suki	Trash to Recyclables: Don't Waste Away!			
Johnson	Ian	OLLI's Really Got Musical Talent!			
Jones	Jeffrey	Entertaining Politics: Satirical TV and Political Engagement			
Kall	Babs	Fused Glass Art: Studio Demonstration			
Kall	Jim	Woodturning: Tools, Techniques, and Projects			
Kelly	Kevin	Between the Sheets: Women in Early 20th Century Sheet Music			

Murphy	Chuck	iPhone/iPad: What You Want to Know But Are Afraid to Ask	Shaw	Scott	UGA Observatory: View the Night Skies
Mustard	Charlie	Jittery Joe's Coffee Roasting Company Tour	Shaw	Scott	Understanding the Universe Through Science
Muthe	John	Living While Dying: Film and Discussion	Singletary	Caroline	Cell Phone Photography 101
NeSmith	Dink	Kicking Ash & Taking Names: A David-and-Goliath Battle, 2016 (L)	Smagorinsky	Peter	Neurodiversity? Mental Health in Social Contexts
Neupert	Richard	Agnes Varda: The Most Important Woman Filmmaker in the World (L)	Smith	Randy	Baber-Bridges Log House: One of Athens' Oldest Buildings
Nowak	Glen	Communicating About Flu and Infectious Diseases: It's Not Easy	Snook	Maurice	Astronomy for the Layperson
Nutter	Coleman	9/11: A View From the 58th Floor, One WTC	Snook	Maurice	You Inherited a Stamp Collection. Now What?
Oates	David	Haiku and Related Forms, Introduction and Workshop	Spahr	Pamela	Caregiving for Loved Ones
Oehser	Marianne	Finding Purpose and Happiness in Retirement: The Ingredients	St. Clair	Cassie	OLLI Buddies: Help "At-risk" Children Succeed Academically
Okey	James	Hands-on Italian/Mediterranean Cooking	Stangle	Nancy	Athens Land Trust: A Visit to Williams Farm
Overstreet	Patrick	Hatha Yoga: Basic Practice	Stangle	Nancy	Garden Tour: West Broad Market Garden
Page	Howard	Our Creative Universe	Sterk	Karen	Jeannette Rankin and the Women's Scholarship Fund She Began
Palmer	Jennifer	Athens Technical College: A Tour	Stribling	Mary	Senior Living: Be Educated For You And/Or Your Parents
Pannell	Cliff	China's Transition to Global Power Under Xi Jinping (L)	Stricklett	Mark	Appalachian Dulcimers: Their History and Sound
Patel	Gordhan	Portugal from Its Founding to its Role as an International Empire	Sweat	David	Criminal Justice Reform in Georgia and Across the Nation
Pendley	Angie	OLLI Buddies: Help "At-risk" Children Succeed Academically	Thurmond	Rosa	Athens African American Experience Tour
Porter	Jim	Bombs Away! Reasons to Remove Ordnances on Vieques, Puerto Rico (L)	Tingler	Stephanie	Between the Sheets: Women in Early 20th Century Sheet Music
Porter	Karen	Oconee Rivers Greenway: Athens' Emerald Necklace	Turner	Jan	Telling Real Stories from Your Life
Porter	Karen	Tallassee Forest: A Hiking Experience	Wagner	Debbie	Beginning Bridge II: The Play of the Hand
Price	James	Athens Technical College: A Tour	Warren	Flynn	Asa Candler: The Pharmacist Who Really Made Coca-Cola'
Prier	Charles	Getting Started on Writing: A Workshop	Warren	Flynn	Saudi Arabia – Past, Present and (?) Future'
Priest	Neal	Nutrition's Big 3: The Science on Carbs, Protein, and Fat	Washnock	Kaylynn	Wrestling Temptation: Georgia's Quest to Control Alcohol'
Probst	Cliff	Bomber by Len Deighton: The Last Great Air War Novel	Watson	Joe	2018 Mid-Term Elections: Navigating the Changing Media Landscape'
Reed	Lee	News from Around the Universe	Weller	Susie	Everyday Heroes: Impacting the Lives of Children'
Reeves	Trisha	Animal Companions: How They Help Heal our Pain & Improve Our Lives	Wengert	Gene	Exploring DNA Results from Ancestry.com'
Reitsema	Laurie	Learning From the Baldwin Hall Burials: A Word From the Bioarchaeologist	Wengert	Gene	Family Tree Maker: Exploring Your Heredity'
Rieken	John	Germans in the Mediterranean During World War Two	Werley	Betsy	Encore: A New Lifestage. What Is It? What's in It for You?'
Robinson	David	Little Red Riding Hood: Seven Versions	Whipple	Amy	Five Ingredient Recipes for Heathy Cooking '
Roland	Lauren	Accessible Exercise: Stay Active Anywhere	Whitehead	John	Milledge Avenue from Broad to Baxter: A Walking Tour'
Rolison	C.J.	All About Arthritis	Whitney	Sandra	Human Evolution from an Anthropologist's Perspective'
Sanders	Randy	Contemporary Mosaics: Ancient Art Form in the Modern World	Wier	Buddy	The Appalachian Trail: If "HE" Can Do It, "I" Can Do It! '
Sanders	Mark	Georgia's 2019 Legislative Session: An Insider's View	Williams	Geraldine	Black Images in American Art History 1710–1940
Sanders	Brad	Past and Future of the Firefly Trail and Athens Greenway	Williams	Marie	Therapy and Champion Dogs: Breeding, Whelping, and Showing
Saul	Lawrence	Band of Brothers: D-Day 6 June 1944, A Preview	Wilson	Adam	Global Travel, A Cornucopia of Exciting
Saul	Lawrence	Eye Deep in Hell: The USA in World War One in Europe	Winger	Alexis	Critical Reading: Selected Short Stories
Saul	Lawrence	Twelve O'Clock High: Army Air Corps's Part in WW II Victory	Wittenberg	Tom	Tai Chi Easy: Introduction
Schell	John	Whales and North-Atlantic Cold-Water Environs	Woodall	Bob	Grand Canyon National Park – A Photographers 10 Day Raft Trip
Seponski	Chris	A Stronger You: A Logical Approach to Strength & Conditioning	Woodall	Bob	Yellowstone National Park - A Photographic Winter Wonderland
			Yao	Kun	China: Inside and Out
			Zeichner	Amos	Israel at a Crossroad

Luncheon Programs

Luncheon programs start at 12 Noon, with the lecture starting at 12:30 PM. You must register for luncheon programs no later one week prior to the scheduled luncheon date. Costs: Trumps Catering (TC) - \$25; Talmage Terrace (TT) - \$19

Day in the Life of a an Athletic Director

Tuesday August 28

(TC)

Greg McGarity will reflect on what a typical day is like for a Director of Athletics at a Division I NCAA university. Like other ADs' schedules, his day can include progress toward the preparation and approval of the annual budget, planning and facilitating the new construction and renovation of the athletic facilities, fundraising to support UGA athletics, hiring and approval of support staff, coaching hires, approval of contracts, and competition scheduling.

Athens native and University of Georgia graduate **Greg McGarity** was named Director of Athletics at UGA on August 13, 2010, after serving 18 years in the athletic department at the University of Florida. Since that time, McGarity has emphasized exploring new ideas and initiatives designed to move the organization forward in all areas of competition, academics, service, and exceptional experiences for student-athletes and supporters.

Love, Liberation, and Escaping Slavery: Travels of the Crafts

Tuesday, September 11

(TT)

William and Ellen Craft are remembered for their dramatic escape from southern slavery in mid-nineteenth-century Macon, Georgia. In 1848, Ellen disguised herself as an invalid gentleman slaveholder, and her husband William accompanied her during their flight by masquerading as his master's faithful servant. They recounted this escape in their best-selling memoir *Running a Thousand Miles for Freedom*, published in London (1860, 1861). Barbara McCaskill's talk examines the Crafts as cosmopolitan figures whose travels in the US, Canada, and Great Britain exposed the contingencies and messiness behind the triumphal story of freedom that they told to the British and American press and public. **Barbara McCaskill** is Professor of English and Associate Academic Director of UGA's Willson Center for Humanities and Arts. She wrote *Love, Liberation, and Escaping Slavery: William and Ellen Craft in Cultural Memory* (2015), and a teaching edition of the Crafts' 1860 memoir (1999). She co-edited two essay collections about Ethnic American Literature (2006; 1993). Her book on Rev. Peter Thomas Stanford, with doctoral student Sidonia Serafini and Rev. Paul Walker of Birmingham, UK, is forthcoming.

2018 Election: What to Expect)

Tuesday, September 25

(TC)

Lief Carter and Bob Grafstein will describe what is already baked into this election cake and what outcomes might still surprise us. **Lief Carter** received his undergraduate and law degrees from Harvard and his PhD from UC-Berkeley. He taught political science at UGA until 1995 and twice received the Josiah Meigs Teaching Award. From 1995 to 2008 he taught

at Colorado College. He is the author of *The Limits of Order, Reason in Law, Contemporary Constitutional Lawmaking*, and many other works. **Robert Grafstein** is the Georgia Athletic Association Professor of Political Science in 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. He is the author of *Institutional Realism, Choice-Free Rationality*, and numerous articles, as well as coeditor of *A Bridge Too Far? Commonalities and Differences Between China and the U.S.*

Bombs Away! Reasons to Remove Ordnance on Vieques, Puerto Rico

Tuesday, October 9

(TC)

For more than 60 years, Vieques, Puerto Rico was used for weapons testing and military exercises by U.S. and Allied Forces. Dr. Porter's discovery and documentation of carcinogens leaching from unexploded ordnance (UXO) on the island contributed to the end of bombing in 2002 and an acceleration of ordnance disposal. The preferred method of ordnance disposal, open-pit burning, however, simply spews more toxic material into the air upwind from local communities. Hurricanes Irma and Maria exposed more UXO, even on bombing ranges that had been demilitarized, and the concern now is that multi-generational cancer cases will increase as these and other island bombing ranges. **James W. Porter** is the Josiah Meigs Professor Emeritus of Ecology at UGA. He specializes in the ecology of coral reefs. Dr. Porter has testified before Congress five times, most recently on the impact of global warming on coral reefs. His film, *Chasing Coral*, won first place at the 2017 Sundance Film Festival. He has participated in film premieres around the world and in Athens, Georgia.

Agnes Varda: The Most Important Woman Filmmaker in the World

Thursday, October 11

(TT)

Agnes Varda shot her first feature film in France in 1954. She has been writing, directing, and producing movies ever since. In 2018 she won an Academy Award at age 89. Varda set the stage for the French New Wave and launched a career in fiction films, documentaries, and even museum art installations. Her films include *Cleo from 5 to 7* and *Vagabond*. **Richard Neupert**, a good friend of Agnes Varda, will share key scenes from her films to provide a lively portrait of her as a truly fascinating, creative force in world cinema. **Richard Neupert** coordinates the UGA Film Studies program and is President of the Board of the Ciné movie theater. His books include *The End, A History of the French New Wave, French Animation History*, and *John Lasseter*. He is the Charles H. Wheatley Professor of the Arts and a Josiah Meigs Distinguished Teaching Professor.

China's Transition to Global Power Under Xi Jinping

Tuesday, October 23

(TC)

Clifton Pannell will examine the recent shift in China's Communist Party leadership following the 19th Party Congress in October, 2017, and recently affirmed by China's 13th National People's Congress in March, 2018. The party's acceptance of this shift shows the clear continuing consolidation of power of President and Secretary General of the Chinese Communist Party, Xi Jinping. Class discussion will focus on Xi and the current senior leaders whom he has maneuvered in place and the implications of this for China's domestic development and foreign affairs. **Clifton Pannell** is professor of geography and associate dean of the Franklin College of Arts & Sciences emeritus at UGA. His teaching and research activities focus on the economic, political, and urban geography of China and East Asia. He was educated at UNC, Chapel Hill (BA), Univ. of Virginia (MA), and the University of Chicago (PhD). After retiring from UGA, Pannell served as visiting professor at the University of Hong Kong and the University of Oregon.

Understanding American Muslims: Past and Present

Tuesday, November 6

(TC)

Because education is the best vaccine against discrimination, the Council on American-Muslim Relations of Georgia regularly delivers informative presentations about American Muslims to audiences across Georgia,

including church groups, mosque visitors, civic organizations, and political activists. In this presentation CAIR Georgia Executive Director Edward Ahmed Mitchell will explain the basics of who Muslims are, what Muslims believe, and what Muslims practice before answering questions about those and other topics, including current events. Audience members are encouraged to ask anything and everything on their minds. **Edward Ahmed Mitchell** is a Muslim-American attorney who serves as Executive Director of the Georgia Chapter of the Council on American-Islamic Relations. Mitchell, a graduate of Morehouse College and Georgetown University Law Center, previously served as a criminal prosecutor for the City of Atlanta. He is also an editor of AtlantaMuslim.com, a member of the Georgia Association of Muslim Lawyers, and a member of the Board of Trustees of the Islamic Community Center of Atlanta.

Kicking Ash & Taking Names: A David-and-Goliath Battle, 2016

Thursday, November 29

(TC)

Dink NeSmith has led his hometown of Jesup's fight to keep the second-largest waste-management company in America from dumping millions of tons of toxic coal ash in its privately owned landfill. The company's biggest shareholder is Bill Gates. Since January 2016, NeSmith has written 85 personal columns on the issue. On April 24, 2018, he went to Washington to testify before the EPA. So far, no more coal ash has been dumped in Wayne County. **Dink NeSmith** is a 1970 graduate of the University of Georgia. In 1972 the Jesup native borrowed \$3,000 to get into the newspaper business. Today he is president and co-owner of Athens-based Community Newspapers Inc., publisher of more than two dozen newspapers in Georgia, Florida, and North Carolina. A former chairman of USG's Board of Regents, NeSmith and his wife Pam live in Oglethorpe County at their Historic Smithonia Farm. They have three children and eight grandchildren.

Reflections of a Former Director of UGA's Performing Arts Center

Tuesday, December 4

(TC)

During a 44-year-long career of presenting concerts, a person goes to a lot of performances, meets a lot of interesting people, and collects a lot of stories about the experiences . . . many of them quite humorous. From securing a gallon of specially bottled spring water from Texas and a watermelon in the dead of winter for Willie Nelson's bus to learning how to make Kathleen Battle's bed under the critically watchful eye of the diva herself, every new day brought fascinating and ever-changing challenges. In his presentation, **George Foreman** will recount his most memorable incidents as a presenter. **George Foreman** became the director of the UGA Performing Arts Center in January, 2010. He stepped down from that position in January, 2018, and became a full-time faculty member at the Hugh Hodgson School of Music. Foreman earned his PhD in musicology at the University of Kansas, and in addition to his work as a concert presenter, he is a nationally recognized authority on wind bands in 19th century America.



Alphabetic Course Listing with Descriptions

Have you ever wanted to know more about how OLLI@UGA runs and how it compares with other Osher Institutes nationwide? As a member-run and member-led organization, it is important that we give our members the opportunity to learn how this organization operates as well as learn from other Institutes. If you've ever thought about getting more involved, these are courses for you. Both of these courses are free to members but please register as normal.

All about OLLI@UGA

Tues, Oct 30 – Nov 13

Free

2:30 – 3:45 PM

River's Crossing

Want to know more about how OLLI@UGA is constructed, organized and operates? Do you want to know how the financial resources are used to support the mission and possibilities for the future? This FREE multi-session course is perfect for members who want to know more about the inner workings of the organization, and who want to explore the leadership and volunteer needs of OLLI@UGA.

All About OLLIs: Insights from National Surveys

Monday, September 24

1:00 – 2:15 PM

Free

River's Crossing

This class focuses on the results of two national surveys of OLLI members conducted by Dr. Hansen and the OLLI National Resource Center (2014 and 2016). These surveys focus on key demographic and lifestyle characteristics of the membership, extent of technology and distance learning utilization, barriers to participation in OLLI programs, and level of interest in various broad course categories (e.g., history, arts and literature, business, science and mathematics, etc.) Hansen will explore the implications of these results for OLLI programs at UGA and elsewhere. **Jack Hansen** retired from a career of research leadership in the federal government and academic sector. He still consults part-time for NASA Ames Research Center on Artificial Intelligence and related topics. He is also active in OLLI at Furman University and works with the OLLI National Resource Center on surveys of the OLLI membership. He received his BS from Stanford University and ScD from MIT.

2017: The Year Journalism Roared Back

Tuesday, October 2

2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10

River's Crossing

Despite a barrage of challenges, journalists for traditional media showed renewed vigor and independence last year, upholding their mission of reporting on society and serving as a watchdog on government. A new film about the *Washington Post's* decision in 1973 to publish the Pentagon Papers despite a court-ordered publication ban clearly exemplifies that enduring spirit of a free press. This course will discuss *The Post* and other examples of the rich reportage published around the country in 2017. Its focus on journalism and government will supplement the OLLI@UGA travel trip to Washington, D.C., in mid-October.

John W. English is a veteran freelance journalist who specializes in covering the arts, travel journalism, profiles, and the media. He was a professor of arts and magazine journalism at UGA's Grady College of Journalism from 1970 until 2000, when he retired. He continues to live in Athens despite a long-standing affinity for Italy and Malaysia. He is a habitu   of Cin   and ATHICA and starts every morning with a Lavazza espresso.

2018 Mid-Term Elections: Navigating the Changing Media Landscape

Wednesday, September 19

1:00 – 3:45 PM

\$10

River's Crossing

The means by which Americans obtain information on public policy and elections has changed substantially over the last two decades. This course will evaluate these changes and present information on how to navigate new and traditional media channels for content as we approach the 2018 mid-term elections in November.

Joseph Watson, Jr. is the Carolyn Caudell Tieger Professor of Public Affairs Communications at the University of Georgia's Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication. Watson served in President George W. Bush's administration and in the U.S. Senate as Legislative Director to former Senator Peter G. Fitzgerald from Illinois. Watson received a juris doctor degree from the Harvard Law School and graduated magna cum laude from Bradley University with a bachelor's degree in political science.

2018 Mid-Term Elections: Understanding the Results

Friday, November 16

1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10

River's Crossing

In every midterm election since the Civil War, the president's party has lost, on average, thirty-two seats in the House and two in the Senate. Democrats need only twenty-four seats to flip the House and two to take the Senate. Meanwhile, in Georgia, will Republicans have fought off a resurging Democratic Party and retained every Constitutional Officer and super majorities in the state House and Senate? How and why did the elections turn out as they did? Hear WSB TV's Political Analyst Bill Crane provide his views of the 2018 election results.

Since the 2000 Presidential election, **Bill Crane** has become one of the Southeast's most visible political analysts and commentators. A syndicated columnist in many Georgia publications, he routinely appears on WSB-TV Action News, GPB's *The Lawmakers*, CNN International, and Al Jazeera English. He is a graduate of UGA's Grady College of Journalism and is the proprietor of CSI Crane, a full service corporate communications and public relations agency specializing in executive messaging, corporate reputation, and crisis management.



20th Century Maritime Commerce Raiders

Wednesday, October 3

1:00 – 3:45 PM

\$10

River's Crossing

Commerce raiding has existed as long as trading itself. The flow of supplies and materials is vital in sustaining nations in both times of war and peace. Interrupting that flow has always been important during armed conflict. This fact was emphasized in the two major conflicts of the 20th century. Many are familiar with the commerce warfare waged by German U-boats in WWI and WWII, and by US submarines in WWII. However, relatively little is written about the role and effectiveness of surface ships. This class will examine these ships, their crews, and the role they played in those conflicts.

Dr. James Alberts earned his doctorate in Chemical Oceanography at Florida State University. He also earned degrees from Cornell and Dartmouth College. In 1990, he was awarded the Alexander von Humboldt Senior U.S. Scientist Award, and in 1997, the Fulbright Foreign Research Scholar Award. He is the past president of the Southern Association Marine Labs. Since retiring from UGA in 2003, he has had time to pursue his hobbies of woodworking, firearms, and history.

9/11: A View from the 58th Floor, One WTC

Tuesday, September 11

10:00 AM – Noon

\$10

River's Crossing

Coleman Nutter tells his personal story of September 11, 2001, beginning on the 58th floor of One World Trade Center (the North Tower) at 8:46 a.m. when American Airlines Flight 11 slammed into the building. Join us as he shares that personal account from seventeen years ago.

Coleman Nutter is a retired partner of Sidley Austin, an international law firm, specializing in capital markets transactions. He was a leading expert in derivatives and securitization. He co-authored *Derivatives: Legal Practice and Strategies*, Aspen Publishers (credit default swap and regulatory environment chapters). Nutter taught courses in economics and small business management at sea in the Navy under the auspices of the University of South Carolina. He holds degrees in industrial management (Purdue, 1971) and law (UGA, 1977).

A Stronger You: A Logical Approach to Strength & Conditioning

Monday, November 12

9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10

River's Crossing

It is a widespread misconception that, as human beings age, their capacity to improve physical abilities decreases. Although a unique population with varying baselines and response timelines, aging populations rely on the same stress, recovery, adaptation response similar to people of all ages. This course will review the basic biological systems' response to strength training, with an emphasis on free weight and bodyweight exercises, mobility protocols, and how evidence-based training can both aid in improving the quality of life and, in some instances, reverse many of the negative effects experienced during aging. The presenter recommends the text: *Starting Strength*, 3rd ed. by Mark Rippetoe. (13: 978-0-9825227-3-8.)

Chris Seponski has been with SPARC health and fitness gym for one year, specializing in strength and conditioning for people fifty or older. Before coming to SPARC, Chris was a collegiate strength coach at UGA and the

University of Arkansas. Earlier he was an exercise scientist at NASA Johnson Space Center with WYLE, Inc., working with ISS training protocols and the Mars Expedition Project. Chris focuses on strength, mobility and nutrition for improved quality of life.

Accessible Exercise: Stay Active Anywhere

Mon & Fri, Sept 24, 28; Oct 22

9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$23

Off Site

Do you ever feel intimidated by the gym? Are you unsure of how to properly exercise? Are you ready to take positive steps for your health? Then this is the class for you! Lauren Roland will speak on effective, home-based exercise and its many benefits as well as offer safe exercise prescription and progression. Participate in live exercise demonstrations and monitor your progress with a short battery of older adult fitness tests. Please come dressed in athletic attire and be prepared to get moving! Location details will be provided to class participants. Class fee includes the cost to cover class supplies.

Lauren Roland is a graduate student at the University of Georgia earning her master's degree in clinical exercise physiology and a certificate in gerontology. She has extensive experience in older adult fitness and plans to pursue a career as a wellness coordinator in a retirement community. Roland is passionate about educating older adults on how to live active and healthy lives.

Ageless Grace for Lifelong Comfort and Ease

Tue, Aug 28; Sept 25; Oct 23; Nov 20

1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$30

Off Site

Ageless Grace is a cutting-edge brain fitness program based on neuroplasticity that activates all five functions of the brain - analytical, strategic, kinesthetic learning, memory/recall, creativity and imagination - and simultaneously addresses all twenty-one physical skills needed for lifelong optimal function. The program consists of twenty-one simple exercise tools designed for all ages and abilities. These exercises, done seated, are based on everyday movements that are natural and organic, and focus on the healthy longevity of the body and mind.

Michelle Arington is a certified Integrative Nutrition Mind-Body Health & Wellness Coach, NASM and Silver Sneakers certified Fitness Trainer, Ageless Grace@Educator, Yamuna@ Body Rolling & Foot Fitness practitioner, Reiki practitioner, and trauma-sensitive trained Yoga therapist, certified through the International Association of Yoga Therapists. She maintains a private health and fitness coaching practice in Athens and offers public classes, workshops, and corporate wellness programs, workshops, and corporate wellness programs.

Akademia Brew School: Crafting and Cooking with Beer

Session A: Mon, Aug 20 10:00 – 11:15 AM

Session B: Tue, Aug 28 10:00 – 11:15 AM

\$18

Off Site

Both sessions are the same, please register for just one.

What makes a good craft beer? What makes one beer an IPA and another an ESB? In this class the team behind Akademia Brewing Company will take you

behind the scenes at the brewpub for a crash course in brew science, flavor profiles, and craft beer 101. After participants try a few pours and learn about tasting notes, Akademia's head chef will share how to decide what beer to use in your recipes. He will provide varieties of Ale Cheese to sample so you can get an idea of what different beers taste like in the kitchen. The cost of class includes a fee for tasting items.

Matt Casey and head brewer Morgan Wireman founded Akademia Brewing Company, Athens' newest craft brewery and brewpub. Akademia specializes in brewing beers in draft form to drink and to use in recipes crafted by Chef Nate Eve. Fellow members of the Akademia team presenting for OLLI@UGA are **Aaron Martin**, the beer consumption coordinator, and marketing coordinator **Dallas Anne Duncan**.

All about Arthritis

Tuesday, October 2 \$10
Noon – 1:00 PM River's Crossing

In this **brown bag lunch program** members will learn that arthritis is common and affects more than fifty-two million Americans, including nearly fifty percent of the population above age sixty-five. It is also the leading cause of disability in the U.S. and exceeds \$156 billion in lost wages and medical expenses. Dr. Rolison will provide information about the epidemiology, pathophysiology, radiographic findings, and treatment options, including prevention, about arthritis, to include osteoarthritis and rheumatoid arthritis.

Dr. C.J. Rolison IV is a fellowship trained primary care sports medicine physician and an alumnus from the University of Georgia (BA, BS, 2007). His training includes medical school at Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine's Georgia Campus, residency in Anderson, SC, and his sports medicine fellowship at the University of Kentucky. Dr. Rolison currently practices with the Northeast Georgia Physicians Group and is a clinical assistant professor with the AU-UGA Medical Partnership.

An Inside Look from the Voice of The Lady Dawgs

Wednesday, October 17 \$10
1:00 – 2:15 PM River's Crossing

The Lady Dawgs finished the 2017 season with a 26-7 record, SEC Coach of the Year honors for Coach Joni Taylor, and an NCAA Tournament berth. Jeff Dantzler, aka JD, is now in his 25th season as the Voice of the UGA Lady Dawgs. He will share insights into the 2018-2019 women's basketball season and what he believes the new season will bring. As a key member of the Bulldogs broadcast team, JD will likely share insights and stories about other sports teams too!

A longtime University of Georgia and Athens radio personality and writer, Jeff Dantzler serves as the play-by-play voice of the UGA baseball and women's basketball programs. He is the host of the football pre- and post-game shows, and the Sunday Bulldog Brunch. Dantzler co-hosts The Home Team on 960 The Ref weekdays and has been the sports editor of *Bulldawg Illustrated* magazine since its inception in 2003. He earned a degree in political science from UGA.

Animal Companions: How They Help Heal our Pain & Improve Our Lives

Thursday, August 30 \$10
1:00 – 2:15 PM River's Crossing

The relationship between people and pets goes back a long way, and while there have been some bumps along the way, one thing is clear: We need one another. In this class, we will look at how the relationship between human beings and animals has evolved over time, with Hurricane Katrina in August 2005 widely regarded as the storm that turned pets into people, into members of our families. We will focus as well on the theoretical basis of the human-animal bond and the emerging body of science that supports the physiological, emotional, and social affordances of this relationship.

Trisha Reeves, a professor of social work at UGA, teaches classes in human behavior theory, lifespan development, healthcare social work, qualitative research, and for the past four years, an interdisciplinary graduate class, Human-Animal Bond and Professional Practice. Her interest in the human-animal bond and its relationship to health and well-being (for humans and animals) came about late in her academic career. She is an avid reader, adventure-seeking traveler (with husband, Tom), and an aspiring gardener.

Animal Rescue around Athens: Anyone Can Get Involved

Thursday, November 29 \$10
2:30 – 3:45 PM River's Crossing

Athens is a dog (and cat!) loving town, but pet overpopulation still plagues our community. Thankfully, there are multiple nonprofits and animal shelters in the Athens area which are dedicated to resolving this issue through spay/neuter programs, education, and innovative efforts that help ensure better outcomes for our shelter and community pets. This class introduces participants to the many animal welfare efforts already underway in our area, and emphasizes the ways that everyone can become involved. Don't have a lot of time? Can't physically go to the local shelter or rescue group? There are still ways to get involved!

Sherrie Hines is an attorney with the ACC Attorney's Office, having previously been a public defender and worked in legal education. She completed her undergraduate and law school degrees at UGA and has actively volunteered locally since she came to Athens in 2002. Hines is a board member for Athenspets and the Friends of Bear Hollow and is heavily involved in animal rescue. She also teaches karate for free at the East Athens Community Center.

Did you know? OLLI@UGA members can take advantage of an affiliate membership to the Ramsey Center for Physical Health. The cost is \$25/month.

Appalachian Dulcimers: Their History and Sound

Friday, October 5
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Discover the history of the Appalachian dulcimer in this visual and auditory introduction. The Appalachian dulcimer (or mountain dulcimer) certainly qualifies as one of the few original American musical instruments. It made its appearance in the mid to late nineteenth century among the Scotch-Irish settlers in the Appalachian Mountains. Though several possible candidates might have served as European predecessors, it appears likely that the instrument in its present form is purely American.

Mark E. Stricklett is a son, husband, father, and grandfather with a lifetime of professional service in disabilities, medical, and aging programs. Now a semi-retired online adjunct professor, he is working on enjoying his quality of life. His motto is "I learn something new each day – it is only when I don't learn, I will begin to worry!"

Architecture in Athens: The Greek Revival Style

Friday, November 2
9:00 – 11:00 AM

\$15
River's Crossing

What are all those big white houses and why are they called Greek Revival? This class explores the origin and development of this famous architectural style and highlights a significant number of buildings in Athens. They may look similar but they are individually important to the built environment in Athens. We will study sixteen residences in detail. This class is module two of the Architecture in Athens: Then and Now course. The cost of the class includes a fee for materials.

James Lineberger has master's degrees in art history and special education administration. Before retirement he taught special education and English as a Second Language in several Georgia counties. The most exciting experiences of his career were teaching English in a South Korean university and recently working for a year at Walt Disney World. His interest in architecture was recently rekindled through his work as a volunteer at the Athens Welcome Center.

Architecture in Athens: Then and Now

Monday, Sep 24 – Oct 8
\$34

1:00 – 3:00 PM

River's Crossing

Examine prominent buildings in Athens built from 1820 to 2017 through a slide presentation. Participants will receive an excellent handout of photos and documents including suggested driving tours for each building. The cost of the class includes a fee for class materials.

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Artificial Intelligence for Novices

Monday, September 24
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Artificial Intelligence (AI) is currently attracting a very high level of public interest and scrutiny. Jack Hansen will first offer a working definition of AI, distinguishing it from the more common field of automation. The majority of the discussion will then focus on how this field has developed, beginning after World War II and continuing to today, including the key approaches developed and the successes that have resulted (such as playing complex games like chess, controlling spacecraft, and providing the basis for self-driving cars). Finally, Hansen will identify some of the ethical/public policy issues associated with this exciting field.

Jack Hansen retired from a career of research leadership in the federal government and academic sector. He still consults part-time for NASA Ames Research Center on Artificial Intelligence and related topics. He is also active in OLLI at Furman University and works with the OLLI National Resource Center on surveys of the OLLI membership. He received his BS from Stanford University and Doctor of Science from MIT.

Asa Candler: The Pharmacist Who Really Made Coca-Cola

Friday, November 16
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Pharmacist John Pemberton is correctly recognized as the person who came up with the idea for Coca-Cola. Pemberton was not a successful businessman and sold all of Coca-Cola to Asa Candler, for \$2300, within two years of its start. This presentation will describe the life of Asa Candler, pharmacist, entrepreneur and philanthropist, who took Coca-Cola from a local product in Atlanta to the behemoth it is today. When Candler sold Coca-Cola to the Woodruffs in 1919, the price was \$25 million. Candler served as mayor of Atlanta and provided the funds to establish Emory University in Atlanta. Stories of Emory and Coca-Cola will be covered.

Flynn Warren is a native of North Carolina. He attended Belmont Abbey College, received a BS in Pharmacy from the University of South Carolina and an MS in Hospital Pharmacy from the University of Georgia. Flynn joined the UGA pharmacy faculty in 1967. In 1977 he began at the King Faisal Specialist Hospital in Saudi Arabia, where he was Head of Pharmacy Services. Flynn rejoined the UGA pharmacy faculty in 1985 until retirement in 2007.

Astronomy for the Layperson

Thur, Sep 13 – 27
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$24
River's Crossing

Do you enjoy looking at the sky? Ever wonder what that bright object in the sky was? Then this is the class for you. In three fun, fact-filled, engaging sessions, learn how to enjoy the sky with both the naked eye and with an optical aid and see how the sun, moon, planets, and constellations change positions throughout the year. Discover astronomy apps for your iPhone to guide you around the sky and see how Dr. Snook uses binoculars and telescopes to further enhance his enjoyment of the heavens.

Maurice Snook has been an avid amateur astronomer for over 60 years. He was a co-founder of the Athens Astronomical Association; organized numerous astronomy exhibits, talks and observing sessions at area schools, festivals,

and state parks; lectured on solar eclipse safety; composed a weekly Halley's Comet column for the Athens newspaper (1985-6); coordinated Sandy Creek Park's quarterly Star Watches (1980-present); and taught astronomy courses in the University of Georgia's Continuing Educational Programs for five years.

Athens African American Experience Tour

Tour A: Tue, Sep 11	9:30 – 11:30 AM
\$28	
Tour B: Tue, Sep 18	9:30 – 11:30 AM
Off Site	

Both tours are the same; please register for just one date.

Aboard the Classic City Tour Bus, Rosa Thurmond shares heartfelt stories that are enlightening and inspirational. Thurmond covers poignant moments of community spirit during the 1960's Civil Rights Movement. Learn about the teachers and leaders who anchored neighborhoods and shaped the Athens we know today. Her tours are known for their warmth and her personal connection to the city, and are peppered with song. The group will step off the bus for up-close tours of two of the following locations (subject to availability): Artist Harold Rittenberry's sculpture yard, First A.M.E. Church, the Morton Theatre, East Athens Community Center, and/or H.T. Edwards Career Academy. The cost of the class includes the transportation fee. Meeting details will be provided to class participants.

Rosa Thurmond is a native Athenian who claims many firsts. As a student in the 1960s, she was among the first ten African-Americans hand-selected to attend Athens High School prior to its official desegregation. Thurmond was the first woman to be recorded live at the Morton Theatre. She held a long and interesting career at the Clarke County Health Department, where she was their first African-American reception desk clerk.

Athens Ben Epps Airport: History and Tour

Tuesday, September 18	\$8
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Off Site

You are invited to a close-up look at Clarke County's airport facilities including the new commercial terminal, fire station and the general aviation terminal. Discover the history and what is planned for the future of the airport as well as the airport's impact on the local economy. You will also participate in a short focus group to help determine Leisure Traveler air service needs. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Angela Dalton is the Airport Business Coordinator for the Athens Ben Epps Airport, a department of the Athens-Clarke County Government. She has been with ACC for a total of twenty-six years, the past nineteen at the Airport.

Athens History & Hauntings Tour

Tour A: Thur, Sep 27	4:30 – 6:30 PM
\$28	
Tour B: Thur, Oct 4	4:30 – 6:30 PM
Off Site	

Both tours are the same; please register for just one date.

The Athens History & Hauntings Tour is a combination bus and walking tour through downtown, North Campus, and various neighborhoods, including Milledge Avenue. On the tour, Jeff Clarke reveals the backstories of better known landmarks and the little-known lore of Athens' people and places.

Ever wonder which historic buildings have ghost stories? Wonder no more. Each tour explores the spooks, specters, and other oddities of UGA and the Classic City. Wear comfortable walking shoes and bring an umbrella in case of rain. The tour will depart rain or shine! The cost of the class includes the transportation fee. Meeting details will be provided to class participants

Jeff Clarke is a local historian, folklorist, and raconteur who has researched and interviewed countless locals for the Athens History & Hauntings Tour. He has discovered that not only does Athens have a vibrant night life, but it has a spirited afterlife too. Clarke has appeared on the miniseries *The American Revolution* and seasons 4 and 5 of *America: Facts v. Fiction*, both on the Discovery Network. He also hosts GPB's *Saving Grace: Historic Rural Churches of Georgia*.

Athens Land Trust: A Visit to Williams Farm

Friday, September 28	\$8
10:30 – 11:45 AM	Off Site

Athens Land Trust (ALT) has a five-acre farm right in the heart of town! Come for a tour of the farm and see what's growing there. The Farm is a model for organic food production in an urban setting and provides employment for under-served youth. The tour will include a neighboring property protected by Athens Land Trust, as well as land to be used for affordable housing. Learn how ALT promotes responsible and equitable land use in Athens-Clarke County through its programs and activities. Participants should dress appropriately and wear comfortable walking shoes. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Nancy Stangle is a co-founder of Athens Land Trust, (ALT) a local non-profit organization that conserves land, provides permanently affordable housing, and promotes community agriculture, youth development, and entrepreneurship. ALT is one of the only land trusts in the US that addresses all these areas. She is a former high school teacher, middle school counselor, and international student advisor who learned about sustainable land use while working with her neighbors to establish their own neighborhood.

Athens' Music Scene Before It Was Famous

Thursday, November 15	\$10
10:30 – 11:45 AM	River's Crossing

Relive stories of the Athens music scene as author Greg Haynes reminisces about the significant changes in music in 1968-1969, including his depiction of a genre of music and musicians that transcended the racial divide of the '60s. Hear stories from his book, *The Heeey Baby Days of Beach Music*, which include a sold out concert in Albany, Georgia the day before Woodstock began; insights on Athens area bands like The Jesters, Athens Rogues, Oxford Nights, and King David & The Slaves; and hear about Greg's invaluable expertise learned as social chair of a UGA fraternity in the late sixties.

Greg Haynes' book *The Heeey Baby Days of Beach Music* won a Bronze Medal for popular culture books and debuted at the Georgia Music Hall of Fame. Memorabilia and instruments related to the book were displayed at the museum during 2006 and 2007. In 2010 Haynes was appointed by Governor Sonny Perdue to the Board of the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities. He is currently Senior Vice President of CBRE's Industrial & Logistic Group's Southeast (US) Office.

Athens Technical College: A Tour

Friday, September 14
1:00 – 3:45 PM

\$8
Off Site

Participants will visit and explore the Athens campus of Athens Technical College, the first institution in Georgia to participate in a national effort aimed at improving student success, closing achievement gaps, and increasing students' persistence and graduation rates. Athens Technical College offers certificates, diplomas, and associate degrees in business, health, technical, and manufacturing-related fields. Get behind-the-scenes insight and explore the various areas of "Athens Tech" up close. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Tour guides will include the Vice President of Academic Affairs James Price; Dean Glenn Henry, Life Sciences; Dean Alvie Coes III, Technology, Engineering and Manufacturing; Dean Nick Chapman, Business and Education; and Dr. Jennifer Palmer, General Education and Online Learning.

ATHICA: The Golden Record Exhibition

Tuesday, August 21
Noon – 1:00 PM

\$8
Off Site

A visit to the new home of ATHICA: Athens Institute for Contemporary Art in the popular and historic Leathers Building on Pulaski Street, just a few blocks from downtown. Bring your lunch or pick something up from the wonderful Pulaski Heights BBQ in the same building. This casual and conversational brown bag session will explore The Golden Record, an exhibition inspired by images and the hundreds of sounds on *The Sounds of Earth*, the recording that is now traveling on the Voyager spacecraft far beyond our galaxy. Other topics will include ATHICA's history and future, volunteer opportunities, and upcoming events. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Lauren Fancher is an artist and writer living in Athens, Georgia. She serves as the President of the Board of Directors and Operations Coordinator for ATHICA: Athens Institute for Contemporary Art. ATHICA is an all-volunteer, 100-percent community supported arts center serving artists and art lovers in Northeast Georgia for over fifteen years. Fancher believes culture and community and collaboration are at the heart of what makes Athens a great place to live.

Atlanta Child Murders of 1979-1981: What the Footage Tells Us

Wednesday, November 7
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$8
Off Site

At least twenty-eight young African Americans were murdered in Atlanta over a two-year period. Wayne Williams, then twenty three, was arrested in 1981 and eventually convicted of two of the murders. A number of other cases were also attributed to Williams, but many Atlanta citizens, and many in law enforcement, believe that Williams was not guilty, or was not the sole killer. Over 1,200 stories about the crimes are found in the WSB-TV Newsfilm and Videotape Collections in the UGA Libraries. This class will examine important clips from the collection and discuss their implications for understanding this complex and devastating intersection of race, class, and social injustice. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Mary Miller grew up in Florida and has lived in Athens since 1995. She earned a BA in history and economics from Furman University, a master's degree in instructional technology from UGA, and a library science degree from Valdosta State (VSU). Mary was an adjunct member of the VSU faculty from 2010-2012. She enjoys teaching and learning and telling everyone about the Peabody Awards in her work as Peabody Awards Collection Archivist at UGA.

Baber-Bridges Log House: One of Athens' Oldest Buildings

Friday, September 14
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$14
Off Site

The Sandy Creek Nature Center is the caretaker of the Baber-Bridges Log House (ca. 1815), one of the oldest structures in our region. Moved from Oglethorpe County in 1980, the log house is an excellent example of pioneer craftsmanship. In use until the 1940s, the house was home for generations of early Georgians. It is currently set up with both original and reproduction furnishings. Visit this historic building and learn about log house construction and life in Georgia during the 1800s. Enjoy a short video about Georgia log houses as well as a guided tour. The class fee includes cost to cover the park entrance costs.

Kate Mowbray is a naturalist at Sandy Creek Nature Center. She's enjoyed sharing nature with others at SCNC for over ten years. **Randy Smith** is the facility supervisor at the nature center. He has over thirty years of experience with both natural and cultural resources and has managed the center for eighteen years.

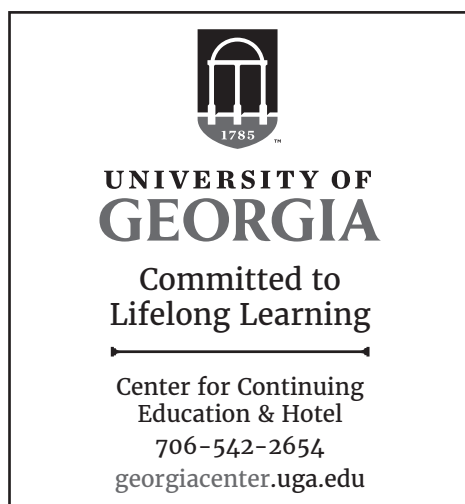
Balancing the Federal Budget

Friday, December 7
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

In this class, you will be introduced to the challenges of the current federal budget, including the challenges' causes and possible solutions. Students will be asked to participate in an exercise that allows them to try their hand at balancing the federal budget deficit.

Dr. Michael Lynch is an associate professor of political science at University of Georgia's School of Public and International Affairs. His research focuses on American politics, Congress, and the presidency. He teaches



undergraduate courses on a variety of American politics topics and teaches graduate courses on legislative politics and quantitative methods.

Band of Brothers: D-Day 6 June 1944, a Preview

Tuesday, October 16
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

This class will provide an overview of D-Day and also serve as a preview to the five-session course and battlefield tour that will be offered in spring 2019. The class will discuss the laying out Operation Overlord, the 1944 Allied invasion of Nazi-held France. Details on the trip, tentatively scheduled for April 2019, will be available in future OLLI Times newsletters.

Col. Lawrence H. Saul, retired, served for thirty-four years in the US Army. His service included tours in Germany, Holland, Kosovo, and other locations. He was one of the last veterans of Viet Nam serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. Saul earned a BA in history from Georgia State as well as two masters degrees. He is a member of the Sons of the American Revolution and the Sons of the Union Veterans of the Civil War.

Bats and Batty People: Bats of Athens, Bats of the World

Friday, November 2
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

No, they won't get tangled in your hair. No, they won't attack you and give you rabies. Nor are you likely to wake up and find a vampire drinking your blood. Some bats are ugly or pretty scary looking. Others are cute or stunningly beautiful. Many fill an important ecological niche. All of them are pretty amazing creatures. Please join us for this enjoyable, non-technical class. You'll learn about the bats flying over your house as well as the weird and wonderful bats in other parts of the world. The course also includes an optional (free) bat viewing session – date, time, and place will be announced to the class participants.

Chuck Murphy and **Kristen Lear** are both batty people. She is a PhD candidate at UGA specializing in bat conservation, and he is a veteran OLLI@UGA presenter and lifetime naturalist who has recently fallen in love with bats.

Beech Haven: A Walking Tour - A

Tour A: Thur, Oct 11
\$8

Tour B: Sat, Oct 13
Off Site

9:00 – 11:45 AM
9:00 – 11:45 AM

Both tours are the same; please register for just one date.

Athens-Clarke County has acquired more than 100 acres of Beech Haven, the Rowland family's historic rustic retreat along the Middle Oconee River. Purchased by Charles Rowland II in 1910, Beech Haven is now surrounded by suburban development but remains essentially unchanged since the 1930's. The site has a long history as an important social and religious gathering place in Athens, and with new public ownership may once again be a cultural and recreational hub for the community. Please note: Beech is not yet open to the general public. The field trip requires hiking about two miles

round-trip on unmaintained gravel roads and trails. Meeting details will be provided to class participants.

Nat Kuykendall is vice-chair of the Oconee Rivers Greenway Commission and is fascinated with the Beech Haven landscape. He moved to Athens in 2008 after retiring from park planning with the National Park Service, including at the NPS Denver Service Center. **Lucy Minogue Rowland** is the widow of Charles Rowland IV and the keeper of the family's Beech Haven history. She is a member of the ACC Planning Commission, director of the L.T. Griffith Library at the Georgia Museum of Art, and a professor emerita of the UGA Science Library.

Beginning Bridge II: The Play of the Hand

Thur, Sep 13 – Oct 18; Nov 1, 8
10:00 AM – Noon

\$40
Off Site

Do you find yourself saying, "I hope I don't get any high cards, and I want to be the dummy?" Do you play all of your high cards first? Do you think you'll never get it? Beginning bridge II will help you play a hand with confidence! You will learn how to formulate a plan and how to execute it—while learning something through doing. Each two-hour lesson will include a set of four pre-dealt hands related to the concepts that have been taught. A textbook, *The Play of the Hand*, is included. Location details will be provided to class participants.

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

Being Social Matters: How Can Communities Prevent Isolation?

Wednesday, October 31
Noon – 1:00 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

We know that social engagement matters. In this **brown bag lunch program** see how research shows that social isolation is linked to many negative outcomes, including cardiovascular disease, cognitive decline, and even early death. But yet many older adults are isolated and report being lonely. Kerstin Emerson will cover the research on loneliness as well as a range of community interventions to address loneliness. The class will explore community programs across the globe and in our own back yard.

Kerstin Emerson, a trained gerontologist with both a Masters and a PhD, has been a faculty member at UGA's Institute of Gerontology for eight years. She teaches graduate and undergraduate students about aging and conducts research using large datasets. She has two areas of research: Hispanic Aging and Loneliness. Emerson has presented her research findings at national and international conferences, and has lectured on topics related to social networks, diversity, and health within an aging population.

Membership in OLLI@UGA entitles you to membership in all of our Shared Interest Groups.

Between the Sheets: Women in Early 20th Century Sheet Music

Wednesday, August 29
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$8
Off Site

Between the Sheets presents songs composed between the years 1908 and 1926 that feature the changing roles of women in America. Popular songs reflected common social mores and attitudes and can be regarded as valuable historical and cultural artifacts. The class will examine text lyrics and cover art and listen to songs from this period, revealing an assortment of iconic images that provide a unique perspective on an era of tremendous significance to American women and their changing roles in society. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Stephanie Tingler was appointed to the School of Music faculty at the University of Georgia in 1992, where she is currently Associate Professor of voice, teaching undergraduate and graduate voice along with vocal pedagogy and literature, and serves as chair of the voice area.

Biology 101: A Mini-Course in Biology for Non-majors

Mon & Wed, Sep 24 – Oct 3
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$28
River's Crossing

Consisting of four lectures taken from the introduction to biology course taught by Barstow, this course is designed for students not majoring in science at UGA. The lectures will include CELLS structure and function; ENERGY including cellular respiration, photosynthesis and the carbon cycle plus a visit from the little green humanoid from Mars ; GENETICS including both Mendelian and molecular (DNA) genetics; and EVOLUTION with an update on the mechanisms of evolution and human evolution. There are no prerequisites, no exams, and no homework. Attendance at all four lectures is encouraged but not required.

William Barstow received his BS and MS degrees from the University of Bridgeport and his MS and PhD degrees from Purdue University. He served in the U.S. Army 1958-1960. Barstow has been teaching biology at UGA since 1974. He retired as a Josiah Meigs Distinguished Teaching Professor in 2008, having taught an estimated 35,000 students. He still teaches introductory biology part time at UGA. His interests include biology, history of science, and the scholarship of teaching.

Birth Abroad and U.S. Citizenship

Wednesday, October 3
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Barbara Armstrong will look at how United States Citizenship is acquired at birth by persons born overseas, how that has changed over the years, and challenges for the future. We will talk about differences for children born to U.S. citizen fathers and those born to U.S. citizen mothers and the documentation required to support a claim to citizenship.

Barbara Armstrong is a retired Foreign Service Officer who specialized in consular work at U.S. Embassies. Her overseas assignments included Dominican Republic, Bahrain, Poland, Guatemala, and Germany where she worked as a regional consular officer responsible for oversight of fifteen posts in the former Soviet Union. She also had several assignments in Washington, D.C. working with various aspects of visa and citizenship issues.

Black Images in American Art History 1710–1940

Wednesday, November 14
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

American art historian Guy C. McElroy's book, *Facing History*, draws from art works he curated for a 1990 exhibit which opened at Corcoran Gallery of Art. The paintings, drawing, and sculpture reflect white and black artists' depictions of African Americans from the beginning of America to 1940. McElroy interprets the works sociologically and notes their implications for forming stereotypes of African Americans by white society.

Geraldine H. Williams (BSED 1969, MAED 1979, UGA) worked as a teacher and registered art therapist (ATR). She is author of *Developmental Art Therapy* with Mary M. Wood, Louis Comfort Tiffany's Last Muse, and other books and magazine articles. She retired from teaching in 2006 and volunteered as a docent at three museums in Central Florida before returning to Athens in 2014. She is continuing to volunteer at the Botanical Gardens, St. Mary's Hospital, and the Bentley Center.

Bomber by Len Deighton: The Last Great Air War Novel

Wednesday, September 5
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

On a June night in 1943, hundreds of British planes took to the skies on an ill-fated mission to bomb a city in Germany's industrial Ruhr valley. In an extensively researched fictional account, Len Deighton tells the story of that night from both the British and German points-of-view. Anthony Burgess considered *Bomber* one of the best novels of the twentieth century. Campbell Macaulay called it one of the five best war novels of all time. The class will examine how Deighton establishes the conflict between the destructive power of the bombs and the fallibility of the crews dropping them.

Cliff Probst, originally from New Orleans, majored in creative writing at Stanford University and earned an MA in English Literature at Tulane. He has taught British and American Literature at Vanderbilt, Northern Illinois, and California State University. He is an active volunteer with Athens Clark County Friends of the Library.

Do I really need to display a parking tag if UGA is not in session?

YES. Our lot is monitored Monday through Friday, 7 am – 4 pm. You will need to display a parking tag during these hours.

Bugs in Your Trees!

Monday, December 3
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Ever wonder what those webs in your pecan trees are? Do you have a tree that is looking sick but was thriving last year? Brittany Barnes will go over the different insects that may be affecting the health of your trees. In this class she will talk about general entomology and forestry, and then discuss specific trees and pests that are common around Athens Clarke County and common in your yard.

Brittany Barnes has been researching forest health for the past eight years. She received her master's degree in forest entomology from the Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources at the University of Georgia in 2012. She is currently a research professional in the Warnell School, researching various aspects of forest health. When she is not working, she enjoys teaching yoga around town and spending time outside!

Caregiving for Loved Ones

Tuesday, September 11
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Pamela Spahr will share the essentials for responding to sudden health and psychological needs of loved ones. After introducing the impacts of aging, she will discuss the dueling emotional challenges of caring for yourself and your loved one at the same time. Spahr will also touch on being prepared and laying out an adjustable plan for care. By the end of the class, based on her book *Caregiver's Survival Kit*, participants will have a much clearer understanding of the walker, the Geritol, and the patience.

Pamela Spahr is the Founder and CEO of Inspired Caregivers and the author of *Caregiver's Survival Toolkit: Go from Surviving to Thriving*. Her expertise lies in the behavioral management of the elderly and those with brain impairments. When her husband suffered a debilitating illness, nothing in her previous experiences had prepared her for her role as caregiver. After months of anguish, she discovered techniques that dramatically changed her caregiving approach and her husband's quality of life for the better.

Cell Phone Photography 101

Thursday December 6
1:00 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Caroline Singletary will present an introduction to the basics of cell phone photography. Learn how to take better photos on your cell phone camera by understanding lighting, focus, editing, and composition with your cell phone camera. The class is applicable to both iPhones and Androids.

Caroline Singletary is the owner and photographer of Caroline Singletary Photography where she photographs weddings, maternity, boudoir, and families. She has lived in Athens for ten years and is a mom to four.

Chautauqua: A Center for the Arts, Religion, and Education

Friday, September 21
10:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Chautauqua: An American Narrative is a one-hour video that looks at contemporary Chautauqua, the utopian community that is in Chautauqua,

New York. The program goes briefly into the history of Chautauqua, the national Chautauqua Movement of the early 19th century, and the historic and cultural importance Chautauqua once held. But most of the program focuses on what goes on at Chautauqua today, including a tremendous artistic community, spiritual aspects, recreation, and the daily dose of educational/intellectual lectures attend by thousands of people in a large semi-outdoor amphitheater. Voices heard in the program include David McCullough, Sandra Day O'Connor, E.J. Dionne, and others.

Discussion leaders will include OLLI members who have had experience at the Chautauqua Institution such as Harvey and Bayla Biskin, Peter Balsamo, and Art and Connie Crawley, among others.

Chèvre: Crafting Goat Cheese at Home

Saturday, October 13
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$28
Off Site

This class will provide both technical and hands-on experience at soft cheese making with raw goats milk. The class will offer background information on materials, methods and real milk acquaintances to help students become do-it-yourself home cheesemakers. Recipes will give flavors to plain chèvre, showing participants how delicious chèvre can taste from raw milk as an unprocessed food source. Each student will be able to prepare a favorite recipe as a take-home sample for family and friends. The class will end with questions and answers over a round table sampling of five flavors of chèvre with wine. The cost of the class includes a fee to cover ingredients. Location information will be provided to class participants.

Lu Flaherty has owned and bred pedigree goats for ten years. As a working herd, Wee Woods Farm goats have also acquired the name "Georgia Chew Crew" for their proficiency at land clearing. Flaherty's knowledge ranges from procuring the right breed, goat maintenance, medical care, kidding, registries, milking, and dairy production, to the skill of highest public interest: cheese making.

Chickenology 101

Monday, November 5
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$8
Off Site

Hear everything you always wanted to know about the 84 pounds of chicken and 250 eggs we each consume annually: what chickens really eat, polygamy in the hen house, what is the tastiest chicken, Frank Perdue and Don Tyson, arsenic and hormones, poultry in Athens, what happens on Chase Street and Oglethorpe Avenue, pollution or not, poultry's role in society and in human nutrition, packaging labels demythicized, candling an egg, seeing real chickens before they get to Kroger. And the chicken or the egg question finally answered! So, cross the road and find out! Location details will be provided to class participants.

Dr. Nick Dale is Professor Emeritus of poultry nutrition at the University of Georgia. For twenty-five years he served as the extension nutritionist, assisting and conducting collaborative studies with nutritionists in the private sector. He continues to assist University of Georgia colleagues in studies of practical relevance. Dr. Dale has an established international reputation, having traveled professionally to some fifty countries.

China: Inside and Out

Friday, August 24
Noon – 1:00 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

China is a huge and diverse country. In this **brown bag lunch program** learn about the country's rich history and culture along with an overview of daily life of the Chinese people. There will be discussion about China's educational system, economy, and environment including comparisons between China and the United States.

Kun Yao received his PhD degree in physical electronics from Peking University, Beijing, China, in 2008. He is now a lecturer in the College of Engineering and manager of the Cleanroom facility at UGA. He has about fifteen years' experience in design, fabrication, and tests of devices based on novel materials and structures.

Climate Change: Where Do We Stand?

Friday, November 30
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Under the current administration, the Federal government has retreated from dealing with global climate change. However, many cities, states, corporations, and other governments are addressing this issue. What is our prospect of avoiding very dangerous climate change? What can we do in our own community?

Dan Everett teaches computer science at UGA and especially enjoys introducing computer modeling to students who don't like math. He is active in local climate change advocacy groups.

Communicating About Flu and Infectious Diseases: It's Not Easy

Friday, October 5
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Most people believe the health threats posed by influenza and other infectious disease make it easy to inform people, get news media interest, and persuade those at risk to take protective actions, including getting recommended vaccines. Unfortunately, that is often not the case. Using personal experiences, recent examples, and research findings, Glen Nowak will highlight major communication challenges and issues as well as identify approaches that improve health-related communication.

Glen Nowak, PhD, is a professor of advertising and public relations in the Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication, and director of the Grady College Center for Health & Risk Communication. He re-joined the Grady faculty in January 2013 after fourteen years at the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, serving as CDC's media relations director and as communication director for CDC's immunization program. He is an infectious and vaccine preventable disease risk communication expert.

Condor Chocolates: Bean to Bar

Session A: Mon, Sep 17 10:30 – 11:45 AM
Session B: Mon, Oct 15 10:30 – 11:45 AM
Session C: Tue, Nov 13 10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$8
Off Site

All sessions are the same; please register for just one date.

Get a behind-the-scenes look at Condor Chocolates in Athens. Class members will learn what goes into selecting cacao beans in Ecuador, shipping the beans to Athens, preparing the beans for roasting, and then transforming the beans into the various levels and grades of chocolate that go into the final product. Along the way, participants will get to sample a variety of chocolate products. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Brothers **Peter Dale** and **Nick Dale** are lifelong Athens residents and UGA alumni who have established food opportunities for the community. They have been recognized for their excellent skills and abilities in food preparation and presentation.

Conservation Easements: What Are They? Why Are They Important?

Wednesday, September 12
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

What is a Conservation Easement and why are they important? Learn the answers to these questions as well as how landowners protect the green spaces they love. Participants will also have a chance to hear about the work of the Oconee River Land Trust and what they do to meet their mission of conserving natural lands to protect water quality, preserve wildlife habitats, and enhance the quality of our lives and those of future generations. A coordinating travel study trip to Newton County to view conservation easements will be available for registration starting July 2. The day trip is scheduled for Thursday, September 13.

Daniel Crescenzo grew up in the ecologically important Pine Barrens region of southern New Jersey. He studied philosophy with a minor in environmental studies at Stockton University in New Jersey. In 2005 Crescenzo moved to Athens to pursue a graduate degree in philosophy with a research focus on environmental ethics at UGA. Since 2016 he has worked as Stewardship Coordinator at the Oconee River Land Trust, monitoring conserved properties, developing landowner resources, and giving talks like this one.

Contemporary Mosaics: Ancient Art Form in the Modern World

Tuesday, August 28
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

The class will explore why one of the oldest art forms in the world continues to appeal to a contemporary audience. Sanders will share a brief history of mosaics with pictures of ancient and modern works, community projects from around the world, and mosaics by the artist. In addition, he will discuss techniques and materials which contribute to the enduring beauty of mosaics.

Randy Sanders of Corazon Mosaics has been creating mosaics for the last two decades. He has worked and studied with several renowned artists in the mosaic world including Laurel True, Isaiah Zagar, Sherry Warner Hunter, and Luciana Notturmi. His large mosaic projects in are found in New Orleans, California, Wisconsin, Italy and Haiti. He now works on projects large and small from his studio in Athens, Georgia.

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Criminal Justice Reform in Georgia and Across the Nation

Thursday, November 29
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

In recent years Georgia and other states have reformed processes for addressing non-violent criminal conduct. Georgia has been a national leader in adopting changes which increase public safety and reduce expense to taxpayers. Recognizing that criminal behavior is frequently correlated to substance abuse, poverty, and mental illness, Georgia and other states have revised criminal codes and implemented court programs to address underlying causes of criminal behavior. Since most individuals incarcerated in prison return to the community, Georgia enhanced re-entry programs to reduce high rates of recidivism. Additionally, a change in availability of criminal records has increased access to employment.

David R. Sweat practiced law in Athens from 1979 until he was elected to be Judge of Superior Courts of the Western Circuit (Clarke and Oconee Counties) in 2002. Judge Sweat handled criminal, family law, and general civil cases. In 2008 he established a mental health accountability court which assists individuals with mental illness involved in the criminal justice system. In 2017 he retired and assumed senior status and now serves by appointment in courts across the state.

Critical Reading: Selected Short Stories

Thur, Oct 25 – Nov 15
1:00 – 2:45 PM

\$28
River's Crossing

Each week two short stories assigned from *The Longman Anthology of Short Fiction: Stories and Authors in Context*, edited by Dana Gioia and R. S. Gwynn (ISBN: 0-8013-3159-5), will be discussed by the class. When ordering the anthology, be sure to get the complete edition, not the compact edition.

Alexis Winger taught composition, grammar, and literature classes at the University of Georgia, Tennessee Technological University, and Truett McConnell College. Since retiring from UGA in 2007, she has become very active in OLLI. **David Robinson** has a PhD in American literature from Ohio State University. He has taught composition and literature at Ohio State and Georgia College and State University. **Dale Goodhue** has no academic qualifications for teaching literature, having studied mostly engineering and management information systems. But he took quite a few creative writing courses as an undergraduate and sold one story for \$25. **Robert Covi** spent four years in a monastic order and has a degree in philosophy, an MS. Ed. in school psychology from St. John's University, and a PhD in child and family development from UGA. Now a retired school psychologist, he enjoys spending time with his wife, walking, reading, participating in political activism, and other hobbies.

Current Affairs

Thur, Sep 20; Oct 18; Nov 15
1:45 – 3:45 PM

Lottery
River's Crossing

Because of the popularity of this class and its limited class size, class members will be chosen and managed through a computer generated lottery system. You will register for this class as you normally do but no payment will be collected at the time of registration. Class members will be selected from all registrations received by August 30 and notified that week. The total class fee will be \$24 per person.

In three monthly meetings during the semester, this group will analyze and discuss the deeper dynamics and anticipated consequences of the leading stories in the news. We will address whatever topics seem important and hot at the time. Professors Lief Carter and Bob Grafstein will coordinate and lead the discussions. Several members of the UGA political science department have also agreed to lend their expertise if topics in their specialties arise.

Dr. Lief Carter received his AB (Harvard, 1962) and a law degree (Harvard, 1965). He was a Peace Corps volunteer (Bolivia) in 1966-67 and received his PhD from the UC, Berkeley, in 1972. Carter taught political science at UGA until 1995. He twice received UGA's Josiah Meigs Teaching Award. He taught from 1995 until 2008 at Colorado College. He is the author of *The Limits of Order, Reason in Law, Contemporary Constitutional Lawmaking*, and many other works. **Robert Grafstein** is a professor of political science at UGA. He specializes in political economy, the study of how governments affect economic conditions and how, in turn, people's economic circumstances affect their political behavior. He has published *Institutional Realism, Choice-Free Rationality, A Bridge Too Far? Differences and Commonalities Between the U.S. and China* co-edited with Fan Wen, and numerous articles.

Dining Adventure in Spanish Food and Wine

Thursday, October 11
6:30 – 8:30 PM

\$31
Off Site

John Kenneth Galbraith said, "Food – taken to support life; wine – taken to enrichen life; and food and wine – taken to fulfill life." What better way to fully enjoy the Spanish food prepared by master chef Tim Dondero than to pair one of the courses with a fine Spanish table wine. Tim will provide commentary on the distinctive qualities of the food and wine. Location details will be provided to class participants. This class is limited to 18 participants. The cost of the class includes a fee to cover ingredients.

Tim Dondero, Executive Chef of Dondero's Kitchen in Athens and recently retired from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, has taught international cooking at the Uncommon Gourmet for several years. He taught at Evening at Emory in Atlanta for over ten years and at other cooking establishments. He lived as well as cooked for nearly eight years in Southeast Asia and for nearly three years in Africa as his CDC work took him abroad.



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Diversity through Dance

Tuesday, August 28

9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10

River's Crossing

Combining movement, interactive group discussion, hands-on activities, and lecture, Fuad Elhage will immerse us in embodied practices of cultural diversity to see and feel the ancient art of dance for what it is: a vehicle for building human connection through kinesthetic empathy. If we move in sync, we feel in sync. We will experience a repertoire of Latin dance moves such as Merengue, Bachata, Salsa, and Cha-cha to engage in joyful and rhythmic forms of cultural awareness. No prior dance skills are required. Please wear comfortable clothes.

Fuad Elhage was raised speaking and studying in Arabic, French, and Spanish as his home, school, and country shifted. He uses language and dance to keep these connections to his cultural affiliations alive. Elhage also has a diverse professional background, including a BA in computer science from Universidad Simón Bolívar; a master's degree in business administration from IESA, Caracas, Venezuela; and a doctorate in education from UGA. Elhage teaches French, Spanish, and ESOL endorsement classes at UGA.

Drawing Fundamentals for OLLIs

Mon & Wed, Oct 22 – 31

2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$28

River's Crossing

For this hands-on drawing course students will draw and sketch many objects, filling many sheets and sketchbook pages and practicing their observation skills. Between classes they will draw everything in sight until their sketchbooks are full of quick little drawings. Developing the skill is so about quantity! We will try as many drawing tools as possible, from charcoal to ink, on as many surfaces as possible. Favorite resources: *Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain* by Edwards (1585429201) and *The Natural Way to Draw* (0395530075) by Nicholaidis. Supplies are available in a kit at The Loft, 1035 Baxter in Athens.

Athens artist **Margaret Agner** received a BFA in painting at LSU in 1974 and learned fabric dyeing and surface design through books, seminars, and workshops. She produces silk banners and art to wear, paintings, pastels, and drawings. She exhibits in several SE galleries, including Chappelle, Aurum, and Lyndon House. Agner has exhibited as featured fiber artist at Piedmont Craftsmen, Winston-Salem; Madison Artist's Guild, GA; and Cabarrus Arts Council, Concord, NC. She taught at the Silk Painters Int'l Conference, Arrowmont.

Embodied Spirituality

Thursday, October 18

10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10

River's Crossing

We will explore themes in healthy spirituality, including awe, compassion, and radical responsibility, experiencing these themes in our own bodies as we practice breathing exercises and a few mild yoga poses that anyone can do. Participants will be guided in learning and performing practices that increase awareness, enjoyment, and appreciation of our minds, bodies, emotions, and spirit.

For over thirty years **Tom Camp** has practiced in Athens as a spiritually sensitive psychotherapist with special interest in the whole person, integrating

body, mind, heart, and spirit. His recent training as a yoga instructor has added to years of practicing meditation and other spiritual disciplines and is a way he helps people become more aware of their embodied nature.

Encore: A New Lifestage - What Is It? What's in it for You?

Tuesday, October 9

9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10

River's Crossing

We're living longer and healthier lives – a great benefit for us as individuals, but what do longer lives mean for our society? Some predict financial and health catastrophes. Fortunately, a growing movement is making the most of this longevity dividend and supporting second acts for the greater good. Encore.org is a leader in defining this new lifestage (spoiler alert, you're living it). Learn how it's changing the narrative about older adults and creating roles that use our skills. Get fresh ideas for your encore and a guided tour of innovative programs that create opportunities for mid-life adults.

Betsy Werley is in her encore career, after 26 years in the for-profit sector as a corporate lawyer and Chase Manhattan Bank executive. She was founding Executive Director of The Transition Network, a national organization for women over 50 exploring what's next in our personal and professional lives. In 2013 she joined Encore.org to build the Encore Network, a global coalition of organizations and leaders working to make longer lives a dividend for society.

Entertaining Politics: Satirical TV and Political Engagement

Wednesday, August 29

9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10

River's Crossing

In an age of Truthiness, satirical and humorous political talk shows have proven themselves viable forms of alternative reporting and critical means for ascertaining truth, in the process questioning the legitimacy of news media's role as the primary mediator of political life. Dr. Jones will discuss the evolution and maturation of political satire on television by examining programs such as Last Week Tonight with John Oliver, Saturday Night Live, Full Frontal with Samantha Bee, and the transformation of traditional late-night talk shows into spaces for political criticism and civic engagement (such as The Late Show with Stephen Colbert).

Jeffrey P. Jones is the Lambdin Kay Chair and Executive Director of the George Foster Peabody Awards of the University of Georgia. Jones holds a PhD in Radio-TV-Film from the University of Texas at Austin. Jones is the author of five books on media and politics, including *Entertaining Politics: Satirical Television and Civic Engagement and Satire TV*.

Everyday Heroes: Impacting the Lives of Children

Tuesday, September 4

1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$8

Off Site

Hundreds of children in Athens and Oconee counties are trapped in dysfunctional and, many times, dangerous homes. Programs like CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates), SafeCare, Family Time, and SPARC (Supportive Parenting and Access Resource Center) are making a difference in the lives of children and families by protecting a child's right to be safe.

Susie Weller, Arden Bakarich and volunteers will share about Children First, Inc., a nonprofit dedicated to promoting safe homes for children in times of family crisis. Hear stories of how everyday people can become everyday heroes and impact the lives of children in their own communities.

Susie Weller is Executive Director of Children First, Inc., a non-profit organization that trains court appointed advocates for children in the foster care system in Clarke and Oconee Counties. Weller has an undergraduate degree and a master's degree from UGA in social work. She previously worked at Children First as the program coordinator and advocate for children.

Exotic Animals: An Exotic Animal Veterinarian's Routine

Mondays, August 20, 27 \$18
10:30 – 11:45 AM River's Crossing

Taking care of non-domesticated animals is very rewarding, but it is often challenging. The course introduces participants to the daily challenges that veterinarians face when dealing with exotic animals. The work place can be an exotic and remote location in a foreign country, a local zoo, or even here at the veterinary clinic at UGA.

Dr. Joerg Mayer grew up in Germany. He went to Budapest, Hungary to study veterinary medicine shortly after the iron curtain fell. His studies on wild animal health took him to South Africa, Namibia, Providence RI, Papua New Guinea, and London. After teaching and heading clinical services for exotic animals at Tufts University, he joined UGA in 2010 as associate professor of zoological medicine.

Exploring DNA Results from Ancestry.com

Friday, October 5 \$10
1:00 – 2:15 PM River's Crossing

This class is designed for those who among the eight million who have sent their DNA to ancestry.com for analysis and have received their results. Gene Wengert will illustrate, using his own results, both the company's obvious and somewhat hidden information and how to use that information, including mail, maps, shared results, and various filters. Seeing these techniques illustrated on the screen will help you understand your own results and how to use the various features. (*Note: Using your test results from other programs will NOT be discussed. Technical details of DNA will NOT be discussed except as such details affect ancestry.com results.*)

Gene Wengert has been an active genealogist for 35 years. He has researched with Family Search and ancestry.com to explore his roots, using DNA to connect with known and unknown relatives. He is a retired extension specialist in Wood Products.

Express Yourself: Creative Writing Styles and You

Tuesday, November 13 \$10
9:00 – 10:15 AM River's Crossing

This creative writing workshop will introduce participants to different approaches to writing and encourage them to explore their own creativity. Jeff Kilpatrick will make a brief presentation on his personal writing style

using some of his works as examples as well as other prominent styles, including some core parameters of storytelling. This will be followed by a hands-on period in which students will have the opportunity to try out different styles in a short creative writing assignment.

Jeff Kilpatrick is an Instructor of Italian at the University of Georgia. He has a PhD in Linguistics and a BA in Film Production. He is the author of *Terrifying Tales of Athens, Vol. 1: Bloody Boulevard*, as well as several short stories. His work can be found at jkkwrites.com.

Eye Deep in Hell: The USA in World War I in Europe

Monday, October 22 \$10
9:00 – 11:45 AM River's Crossing

To commemorate the centennial of the Great War, this course will take a look at World War I on the Western Front. The focus will be on the causes, personalities, and battles that raged for four long, bloody years and on the US involvement. We will take an in-depth look at the U.S. Army and the challenges the generals and doughboys faced.

Col. Lawrence H. Saul, Retired, served for thirty-four years in the US Army. His service included tours in Germany, Holland, Kosovo, and other locations. He was one of the last veterans of Viet Nam serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. He is a Battlefield Tour Guide with expertise in many key campaigns, including D-Day and the Battle of the Bulge. He has a BA in history from Georgia State as well as two masters.

Falling: Causes, Prevention, Solutions

Friday, August 31 \$10
2:30 – 3:45 PM River's Crossing

We've all seen the commercial, and many folks have a true fear of falling and not being able to get up or fully recover from an injury. Understanding why you are a bit off balance can help you understand what to do about combating that instability. In this class, we will learn about vestibular rehabilitation which is used to treat symptoms such as dizziness or vertigo. You will learn some gaze stability exercises, balance exercises, and positioning maneuvers to treat and reduce symptoms caused by inner ear dysfunctions. The overall goal is improving functional mobility and reducing risk of falls even if you haven't been diagnosed with an inner ear dysfunction.

Kellie Moore is originally from Eastman, Georgia. She graduated in 2010 from the University of Georgia with a Bachelor's degree in Exercise and Sports Science. She continued graduate studies at the University of North Georgia, receiving a Doctorate of Physical Therapy in 2014. She is currently employed at Horizon Physical Therapy and treats a variety of patients with orthopedic and neurological conditions. Outside of physical therapy, she enjoys running, reading, and photography.

Course proposals for Spring 2019
are due October 15, 2018.



Family Tree Maker: Exploring Your Heredity

Monday, November 26

9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10

River's Crossing

Gene Wengert's presentation is designed for people who already have the software Family Tree Maker (FTM), but have not explored all of its many options, including the green leaf hint, Family Search hint, printing options, Home person, transferring data, attaching photos, and more. Using the FTM-Apple version and Wengert's family tree, the presentation will demonstrate techniques that apply to all versions. Questions and discussion will be encouraged.

Gene Wengert has been an active genealogist for thirty-five years, using Family Tree Maker most of that time. He is a retired extension specialist in Forest Products.

FamilySearch.org: The Free Genealogy Powerhouse

Tuesday, November 27

9:00 – Noon

\$10

River's Crossing

FamilySearch.org is the online gateway to the resources of the largest genealogical organization in the world. International in scope, FamilySearch.org includes digital images of records, a research wiki, more than 500 lessons, 350,000 digitized genealogy and family history publications, the catalog for the Family History Library in Salt Lake City, and more. This brief overview will introduce you to the Search area of this website—Records, the Catalog, the Wiki—and the Learning Center for online lessons. The second half of this three hour class will be spent hands on at the computer completing exercises.

Laura W. Carter spent forty years working in libraries helping people find information. In 1997 she became the Heritage Room Librarian at the Athens-Clarke County Library. She loves to learn new things and to teach others new things, so she found working in libraries the best job in the world. Now retired from the library, Carter enjoys sharing her knowledge of resources and how to use them with anyone who will listen.

Female Lobbyists: Direct and Indirect Effects on Representation in DC

Monday, September 10

Noon – 1:00 PM

\$10

River's Crossing

This **brown bag lunch program** will explore the presence of women in DC lobbying with data from the Top 20 lobbying firms. Analyzing records of over 1000 male and female lobbyists, we find that about 30% of lobbyists at top firms are female. In contrast, the U.S. House and Senate are seldom more than 20% female. Some of the issue areas addressed by female lobbyists (e.g., health care or reproductive rights) mirror the issue areas frequently pursued by female legislators. Because lobbyists can forego the opportunity costs of elections, we show how a more favorable lobbying environment for women can slow the emergence of female legislators.

Scott H. Ainsworth is Professor and Head of Political Science in the School of Public and International Affairs at the University of Georgia. Ainsworth earned his Ph.D. from Washington University in St. Louis and has taught at Georgia since 1990. Ainsworth's current research focuses on game theoretic models of politics, policymaking, and the intersection of public institutions

(Congress, courts, agencies, etc.) and private interests. Lobbying exemplifies the most common public-private interaction.

Finding Purpose and Happiness in Retirement: The Ingredients

Friday, November 16

10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10

River's Crossing

Retirement can be challenging! Most prepare their financial portfolios so they can enjoy retirement. But very few people are prepared for the non-financial changes that occur when they leave the career phase of their lives. In fact, everything changes and that can really rock your boat. Two of the biggest changes are loss of your identity and sense of purpose. When those important ingredients are missing from your life, your happiness can be seriously challenged. In this session, you will hear insights and tips about how to make this the happiest, most meaningful time of your life.

Marianne Oehser is a retirement consultant, certified Retirement Coach, and founder of Retire & Be Happy. She is a seasoned expert committed to helping people create a happy, fulfilling post-career phase of their lives through her workshops, seminars, public speaking, and individual coaching. Oehser has retired twice after spending over forty years in the corporate world. She holds a Masters of Management from Northwestern University Kellogg School of Management in Chicago.

Five Ingredient Recipes for Heathy Cooking

Monday, September 10

9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$15

River's Crossing

Let's look at ways to create some tasty wholesome meals using five ingredients or fewer. Come to class ready to try seven to ten items that can be made fast using only a few ingredients. The cost of the class includes a fee to cover the cost of ingredients.

Originally from Michigan, **Amy Whipple** grew up in a family that loves food. Her mom rarely cooked the same meal twice, and her grandparents farmed and lived off their land. Amy loves to sneak healthy ingredients into anything she prepares and is impatient when it comes to a recipe with too many ingredients. She spent four years volunteering at a Culinary Center in Salt Lake City and is a regular at the weekend Farmer's Market.

Flavor Perception: Increase Enjoyment of Fine Food and Wine

Tuesdays, September 18, 25

2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$18

River's Crossing

Come learn the biological and psychological aspects of taste and aroma perception and how to apply this knowledge to increase your appreciation of food and wine. The course will include simple sensory exercises.

Joe Frank taught courses in food science at the University of Georgia for forty years. For the past nine years he led a study abroad course in Cortona, Italy where he taught the post-harvest aspects of wine science, including sensory evaluation. He and his wife currently lead the Athens Chapter of the American Wine Society.

Flying through the Air: A Visit to Canopy Studio

Wednesday, August 22 \$8
10:30 – 11:45 AM Off Site

The aerial workshop will include a short presentation by a few of Canopy's over fifty-five teachers and students. Should participants choose, they will have the opportunity to try out a few basic tricks on the dance trapeze and will end with big swings. All of our trapezes can be adjusted to suit your height preference. Trapeze is available to all body types, ages, and skill levels.

Debra Atwood is a retired Speech Pathologist who found her second career at Canopy Studio. She teaches aerial classes and private lessons to individuals with all skill levels and abilities. Atwood pioneered a class specifically for students 53 years and older called the Over B52's. Her aerial specialties include trapeze, silks and lyra (aerial hoop).

Fused Glass Art: Studio Demonstration

Session A: Wed, Nov 7 10:30 – 11:45 AM \$8
Session B: Thur, Nov 8 10:30 – 11:45 AM Off Site

Both sessions are the same, please register for just one date.

Discover the materials and fundamentals of creating fused glass art. Babs Kall will also briefly review stained glass and mosaic construction as well as use of glass components to create fun projects. This demonstration will be held in the artist's studio. Please wear long pants and closed toe shoes, and have eye protection. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Babs Kall has been creating fused glass and other glass projects since 2005 and continues to learn and grow with every project. Her work has been featured in galleries, shows, and specific commissions. In recent years her interest has grown to incorporate recycled glass and found objects into her art. She retired after thirty-two years of owning a graphics design business.

Garden Tour: West Broad Market Garden

Thursday, October 18 \$8
1:00 – 2:15 PM Off Site

Take a tour of the West Broad Market Garden and learn firsthand about urban agriculture at this important site in Athens history. The Garden is located on the playground of a former African-American elementary school where the principal established garden plots for families in 1904. Today the Garden is growing healthy food and providing job opportunities for high school students and residents of the neighborhood. The program will include history of the school, conversations with school alumni and current gardeners, a tour of the garden, and information about land use. Wear comfortable clothes and walking shoes. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Nancy Stangle has been a resident of Athens since 1976 and has seen many changes as our community has grown. In 1994, she co-founded Athens Land Trust, which protects greenspace and farmland, provides permanently affordable housing, and promotes equitable land use through community agriculture, youth development, and entrepreneurship. Nancy is the former Executive Director and is now retired, serving as Board Treasurer. She loves hiking, spending time outdoors, and connecting people to land.

Gardening for Kids...of All Ages!

Thursday, December 6 \$10
10:30 – 11:45 AM River's Crossing

Calling perspective gardeners of all ages who want to include fun in their learning! Find out how to make gardening and nature fun for kids. The love of growing plants and appreciation of the natural world is a wonderful gift to anyone. The class will center on how to make gardening exciting and interesting with an emphasis on practical and easy-to-do activities. Participants need no previous gardening experience or knowledge. However, a willingness to dig in the dirt is important!

Dr. Richard Ludwig, retired director of the horticulture program at Gwinnett Technical College, was selected as Georgia Educator of the Year by the Georgia Green Industry Association. In addition, he worked for *Southern Living* magazine as a garden specialist as well as serving as host of PBS-TV's *GardenSmart*, a national gardening show. Dr. Ludwig is also a former spokesperson for MiracleGro® products.

Genealogy: Getting Started and Finding Resources

Fridays, September 7, 21 \$18
9:00 AM – Noon River's Crossing

This basic, six-hour introduction to United States and international genealogical methodology is designed to introduce participants to sources and techniques. There will be a few advance reading assignments from *How to do Everything: Genealogy, Fourth Edition*, from handouts sent in advance of the first session; and homework before the second session. Laura Carter recommends the book *How to do Everything: Genealogy Fourth Edition*, George G. Morgan, McGraw-Hill, (2015, 978-0071845922.) It is available through your PINES library or you can purchase it on your own. **Because of the preparatory time necessary for this class, you must register for this class no later than Friday, August 24, 2018.**

Laura W. Carter spent forty years working in libraries helping people find information. In 1997 she became the Heritage Room Librarian at the Athens-Clarke County Library. She loves to learn new things and to teach others new things, so she found working in libraries the best job in the world. Now retired from the library, Laura enjoys sharing her knowledge of resources and how to use them with anyone who will listen.



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Geology and Exploration of the Moon: What Did We Learn From Apollo?

Mon – Fri, Nov 5 – 9
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$30
River's Crossing

The Apollo program operated between 1956 and 1975. It landed astronauts at six different sites on the lunar surface, returned 840 pounds of lunar soil and rock, and left six remotely operated seismic stations on the lunar surface. Results from these missions revolutionized our understanding of the Moon. This course will present an overview of the Moon from astronomical, geological and human perspectives, including the Moon's phases and orbital characteristics and the origin of ocean tides and other lunar effects on Earth. The geological evolution and origin of the Moon will be reviewed in the context of results from the Apollo program.

David Dallmeyer is Emeritus Professor of Geology at UGA. His teaching and research focused on the processes and chronology of plate tectonics and mountain building, with field work on all continents. He organized several research expeditions in cooperation with the U.S. Antarctic Research Program and others and directed research programs in West Africa, China, Greenland, Svalbard, Norway and the Andes. Dallmeyer also served as director of a United Nations (UNESCO) research project. His books include a nationally popular introductory geology textbook.

Georgia Museum of Natural History: Behind the Scenes Tour

Mon & Tue, Sept 10, 11
9:00 – 11:00 AM

\$14
Off Site

Georgia's Museum of Natural History, with collections totaling in the millions of specimens, is the state's official natural history museum. This two-session class will include tours of both the museum Gallery on campus and the museum Annex on the Atlanta Highway. The Gallery, which also serves as museum headquarters, features mounted animal displays and collections of insects and archaeological material. The Annex, which is not generally open to the public, includes collections of fungi, fish, reptiles, amphibians, and larger mammal research specimens, including whales and taxidermied specimens not on display in the Gallery. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Nikki Castleberry is the Assistant Curator of Vertebrate Collections at the Georgia Museum of Natural History. She earned a BS and MS in wildlife biology where her research focused on small mammals and amphibians. Her current research focuses on bats and spotted skunks.

Georgia's 2019 Legislative Session: An Insider's View

Thursday, December 13
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

A new governor, several constitutional officers, and changes in the State House and Senate are key factors pointing to the 2019 Georgia Legislative Session being one of the most interesting in years. What will be the key issues facing the governor and legislature? Who are the key players? Mark Sanders will share insights of what we should look for, gained through nearly 40 years of working in and around Georgia government.

An Athens native, **Mark Sanders** is a Double Dawg, having earned a journalism degree with honors in 1979 and a law degree in 1984. After graduation, he worked as a key staffer for Governor Joe Frank Harris where he was the state's lead inter-governmental affairs contact with Congress and federal and state agencies. He opened his own firm in 1995 and is one of the state's most trusted lobbyists.

Germans in the Mediterranean during World War Two

Wednesday, December 5
1:00 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

The German and Italian navies patrolled the Mediterranean Sea together during World War Two on the lookout for British convoys and Allied men-of-war. We will examine the role of the German Mediterranean fleet and the conflict between Hitler and Grand Admiral Karl Doenitz concerning strategy in this area.

John Rieken taught military history at Georgia State University. He received his PhD from Georgia State and his Masters from the University of Illinois. His focus was naval affairs in World War II. He has contributed to the naval museum at Patriot's Point, South Carolina, and attended numerous naval history symposiums at Annapolis. He is now retired from Georgia State.

Getting Started on Writing: A Workshop

Friday, October 26
1:30 – 4:30 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Many people harbor thoughts of writing something someday. Whether it is a letter to an old friend, beginning a personal journal, their life story, or the Great American Novel, thinking about it is as close as they get to doing it. This course offers some methods of getting off the dime and scratching that itch. It will cover techniques for getting inspiration, organizing your thoughts, drafting the piece, and completing the final revision. Productive writing exercises will be conducted throughout, along with collective reviews, critiques, and suggestions leading to the completion of a personal writing project.

Charles Prier's writing experience includes authoring four independently published books, editing several books for other authors, writing a newspaper column for newspapers in Central Arkansas, blogging, and writing essays and short stories for his own amusement. Currently he heads the Bowers House Writers Guild in Canon, Georgia, where he teaches Writers Craft and mentors aspiring and beginning writers.

Did you know?

OLLI@UGA members are eligible to receive a UGA library card at no cost. See the OLLI@UGA website for details.

Getting to Know Therapy and Other Service Dogs

Thursday, August 23
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

In this class, topics included will be what is considered a service animal and what is not, parameters surrounding access to public facilities, what is a facility and court room dog, and organizations that train and evaluate dogs. You will also learn how people with a disability can apply to receive a trained service dog, if your dog has the potential to become a therapy dog, and steps to take to set up training. Debra Brenner will focus on her experience raising and working with Barney and Mo, her two therapy dogs, who will be assisting her during the session.

Debra Brenner retired from working with college students with disabilities, Sign Language Interpreting, and Deaf Education. As a Professional Volunteer, Brenner serves on the board of the Athens Anti-Discrimination Movement and volunteers with the NEGA United Way, Dolly Parton Imagination Library, and the Social Action Committee at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Athens. She has raised eight guide dogs and trained and handles two therapy dogs who work with children and seniors and have worked in the court house.

Global Travel: A Cornucopia of Exciting Possibilities

Thursday, November 1
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Travel is one of life's great treats: new adventures, magnificent wonders, and memories that will stay with you forever. There are also many decisions that need to be made. Where do you want to go? Why? What style of travel (a customized trip? escorted group tour? cruise?). Are you an immerse-into-the-culture type of traveler, or are you more comfortable with a tightly controlled group? When should you go? How much will it cost? How do you get from point A to B? Adam Wilson will cover it all and preview awesome destinations worldwide that would make for unforgettable travel experiences.

Adam Wilson has a BA in international studies from UCLA and a master's in international business from the University of Kentucky. He has worked in international marketing with corporations such as IBM and NCR. Wilson has lived, worked, studied, and traveled all over the world. Since 2004 he has been a professional travel consultant, a career that has given him the pleasure of putting together the trips of a lifetime for his clients.

Glory, Glory to Ole Georgia: Revisit UGA Sports Legends

Tuesday, October 16
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Using archives of various sports legends at the university, Mark will use film and video to enhance his presentation of personal research/knowledge of select individuals. Mark has written a book on Harry Merhr, and many of his insights in this endeavor will also be included in the presentation. Currently, he has been approached to write a book on Dan McGill, so the class will preview some of what will be included in this upcoming publication. What a wonderful opportunity to relive glory days of sports at our beloved university!

Mark Maxwell grew up in Atlanta and from an early age he embraced sports, particularly football, and later combined that interest with an interest

in serious guitar. After playing football at Georgia Tech and then transferring to UGA for classical guitar, these two interests continue to be prominent in his life and have led him to establishing Maxwell Sound Recording Studio in 1984 where he is still active. In 2001 Mark began his work as Archivist of Assets for UGA (audio, film, and video). These sports archives provide the basis for his talk on sports legends at UGA.

Grand Canyon National Park: A Photographers 10 Day Raft Trip

Friday, November 2
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Did you ever stand on the rim of the Grand Canyon, look 1/2 mile down to the bottom, and wonder what it would be like to take a raft trip on the river? Bob Woodall will present stunning images of his 10-day camping raft trip covering 226 miles with no connection to outside civilization. Visualize thundering rapids. Hike up side canyons. See amazing 1.7 billion year old rock formations. Discover there is wildlife down there. Learn a little history. Find out what it's like to camp without a tent under the stars. All this and more will be part of the photographic presentation.

Bob Woodall is an award winning, widely acclaimed outdoor photographer focusing on wildlife and landscapes. His photographic destinations include New Zealand, Africa, Europe, Iceland, Ecuador, Galapagos Islands, Alaska, and many U.S. National Parks. His entertaining presentations include useful travel information and insights into the subject matter.



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Grandchildren: What to Expect When You Are Expecting

Friday, September 7
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Paul Lee's interactive and informative session about taking care of children ages 0 - 5 years old is ideal for both new and seasoned grandparents wanting to help their children by taking care of the grandchildren. Participants will discover developmentally appropriate activities to engage in at home with their grandchildren to age five. Participants will also be able to identify developmental characteristics of each age group (i.e. infants, toddlers, and preschoolers). Class members will learn the 5 S's (Harvey Karp's Happiest Baby method for baby sleep and soothing). In addition, they will meet other grandparents with situations similar to their own.

Paul Lee is a stay-at-home father of three boys ages four, nine, and twelve years old. He has over 20 years of experience in the field of training and development. His two largest clients were Cisco and Deloitte. He has a master's degree in educational media and technology from Boston University. His BA is in child development from California State University, Chico. His wife, Vera Lee-Schoenfeld, is an associate professor of linguistics at UGA.

Great Books' Great Conversations

Wed, Sept 5 – Dec 12
10:00 AM – Noon

\$48
River's Crossing

Class members read short items and selections from some of the world's best fiction and non-fiction. As well as gaining interesting insights, we strive for personal growth and social engagement. This year we will read the selections in the Great Books Foundation anthology *Great Conversations* (<https://store.greatbooks.org/great-conversations-1.html> or used). Selections to be read include Whitman, Freud and Veblen. Do sign up even if you can't make all eight of the independent sessions. **This class will meet on alternating Wednesdays starting September 5th.**

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. For questions and information about the first reading, contact Bill Loughner at 706-543-3812 or bill@loughner.com.

Growing Blueberries and Figs for the Home Gardener

Tuesday, September 4
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

With all the attention to eating healthy, locally grown foods, this is the time to establish blueberries and figs in your yard. Both of these are easy to grow, are long lived, and bear a large amount of fruit. This class will take you from preparation of the area through plant selection, establishment, pruning, and maintenance for both blueberries and figs.

Originally from Davenport, Iowa, **Bonnie Jo Chastain** has lived in Athens for forty-five years. She completed the UGA Extension Athens Area Master Gardener Program in 2013. As a Master Gardener Extension Volunteer, Bonnie specializes in giving presentations to civic groups and organizations to improve their skills in gardening.

Growing Up in East-Central Europe during World War II

Thursday, November 15
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Curt Harvey will describe his early teenage experiences of living in Nazi-occupied Czechoslovakia and his childhood years in the Bukovina region of Romania, once the easternmost area of the Austrian monarchy. He will also discuss his three periods as a refugee: being repatriated into Nazi-controlled Czechoslovakia after the Russian occupation of his homeland, then being expelled by Czech nationalists in 1945, and finally leaving Europe for the United States under the auspices of the Displaced Persons Program.

Curt Harvey is a retired professor of international economics, with degrees from UCLA and the University of Southern California. He worked in DC for the Institute for Defense Analyses in the 1960s and afterwards taught economics at the University of Kentucky for thirty-two years. He also served as Associate VP for Academic Affairs at the American Graduate School for Management (Thunderbird) in Phoenix. He is the author of three books and numerous articles and recipient of three Fulbright awards.

Guide Dog Foundation: How They Help

Monday, November 5
5:30 – 7:30 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

In this **brown bag supper program** learn the process of a being a puppy raiser, beginning with the application process and then moving into what it is like to raise a puppy in Athens. Discover the events that occur after the dogs go in for training. The class will also include how the public should react when they see the puppies working in public and the rules and laws by which they have to abide.

Kortney Kurtz is a graduate student at UGA. She has been involved with Guide Dog Foundation since 2011. She has raised a Golden Retriever, who became a breeder for Guide Dog Foundation; a yellow Labrador, who became a working guide dog for someone who is visually impaired; and a chocolate Labrador, who became a working vet dog for an injured veteran. She has been a Group Leader, a regular Area Coordinator, and an Advance Group Area Coordinator during her time with the Foundation.

Haiku and Related Forms: Introduction and Workshop

Thur, Sep 6 – 27
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$28
River's Crossing

For a moment in school, we are introduced to the poetic form of haiku: Its five syllables, then seven, then five, and it has nature in it which is usually the gist. However, haiku can be so much more—a deep art, capturing and sharing evocative moments with just a few details. If cultivated, the haiku habit can be a lifelong comfort and joy. We'll learn about haiku, Japanese and English, and about writing haiku and related forms including senryu and renku (a group-poem assembly game). All levels of experience and skill welcome. Materials—paper and pens.

David Oates is a teacher and the host of *Wordland*, a radio show of stories, poems, and comedy, on wuga.org. He is also active in poetry performance. He wrote the haiku collections *Shifting with My Sandwich Hand*, *Drunken Robins*, and the upcoming *The Deer's Bandanna*, and the poetry-and-fiction

collection *Night of the Potato*. His haiku have appeared in many periodicals and David has been teaching writing for thirty years, including creative writing for students of all ages.

Hands-on Italian/Mediterranean Cooking

Wed, Oct 10 – 24
4:00 – 7:00 PM

Lottery
Off Site

Because of the anticipated popularity of this class and its limited class size of six, class members will be chosen and managed through a computer generated lottery system. You will register for this class as you normally do but no payment will be collected at the time of registration. Class members will be selected from all registrations received by September 19 and notified that week. The total class fee will be \$65 per person.

In three sessions, participants will prepare (and eat) a four course meal with an Italian/Mediterranean focus. James Okey will include roasted meats, seasonal vegetables, savory appetizers, and desserts, and will incorporate pasta and pizza making. Okey will present demos of various cooking techniques with the class participating fully. Each should bring an apron; all other materials and supplies are provided. The cost of the class includes a fee to cover food and drink.

After retiring from UGA in 1995, **James Okey** attended culinary school (ICE – New York) and subsequently worked in a Paris bistro and patisserie. He studied further at a culinary institute in Italy. He has taught cooking classes for a number of years in Athens.

Happy Valley Pottery: Building Crafts into a Business

Tuesday, October 30
1:00 – 3:45 PM

\$8
Off Site

Kathy and Jerry Chappelle will present the history and background on development of arts and crafts as a career beyond teaching. They will include a slide presentation of the Scorpio Rising Workshop as well as examine how to make your craft business a destination point. Participants will receive handouts with meeting information to Happy Valley Pottery, a community for artists in Watkinsville.

Jerry and Kathy Chappelle moved to Watkinsville with their children in 1970 so Jerry could teach ceramics at the University of Georgia. Jerry left teaching in 1976 to work full time with Kathy building Happy Valley Pottery and their careers. Now semi-retired, they continue to work and mentor. They both have worked with the state and county developing tourism and in 2005 were awarded the Governor's Award in Arts and Humanities.

Has Democracy Failed in the United States?

Friday, December 7
9:30 – 11:30 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

This course suggests that yes, American democracy has failed, and explores two ways of explaining that failure. The first explanation says that we do democracy very badly, e.g., because of too much money in politics and because our voting and party systems are highly dysfunctional. The second explanation argues that democracy itself is no longer capable of solving crises like climate change that endanger our planet. Democracy is too inefficient

and slow to react. People themselves are selfishly short-sighted and do not know enough to govern themselves wisely. Some form of meritocracy must replace democracy or we will eventually perish.

Lief Carter received his AB from Harvard (1962) and a law degree from Harvard Law School (1965). He was a Peace Corps volunteer (Bolivia) in 1966-67 and received his PhD from the UC Berkeley, in 1972. Dr. Carter taught political science at UGA until 1995. He twice received UGA's Josiah Meigs Teaching Award. He taught from 1995 until 2008 at Colorado College. He is the author of *The Limits of Order*, *Reason in Law*, and *Contemporary Constitutional Lawmaking*.

Hatha Yoga: Basic Practice

Tue, Sep 4 – Nov 6
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$75
Off Site

Learn basic hatha yoga practice, featuring simple poses modifiable to individual abilities. Students should participate only to their level of comfort, to do or not do poses as appropriate to their body's ability. The class is available to all levels of experience. Students will need to bring their own yoga mats and/or blanket or cushion to sit on. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Patrick E. Overstreet retired from Athens Regional Medical Center after thirty-two years. He became a teacher in Integral Hatha Yoga in 2011 and is certified at basic and intermediate levels.

Health & Wellness 101

Friday, October 26
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

To achieve optimal health and wellness, we have to make meaningful and lasting changes which begin by focusing on the mind, body, and spirit daily. Changing your mindset is the first step to changing your life - how we think is a reflection of who we are. This class will give you a blueprint on how to start your health & wellness journey. To live a purposeful and meaningful life, we have to be healthy and balanced in mind, body, and spirit.

Christopher Milton is a former Dekalb County S.W.A.T. officer; he has a B.A. in Sociology/Anthropology and an M.A. in Human Services/Counseling. Christopher has completed classes in Stress Management, Spiritual Counseling, and he is certified in Holistic and Integrative Health. Christopher is a certified life coach for Project Health & Wellness and for the John Maxwell Team. His mission is to help people reach their highest potentials by focusing on their minds, bodies, and spirits.

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Hearing Health for 2018

Friday, September 14
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Hearing well means living well in 2018! The presenter will give a review of ear anatomy and physiology as well as studies that show improved hearing leads to improved quality of life. The class includes a demonstration of current amplification technology.

Robin Hardin has thirty-six years of experience in the field of audiology. She has worked at the highly recognized Veterans Administration Medical Center in Atlanta, the University of Georgia Speech and Hearing Clinic, and the Atlanta Ear Clinic, a neurotology practice. In this time she has come to understand that hearing loss is more than a matter of improving a patient's hearing; it is a matter of improving quality of life and individual well-being.

HeritageQuest Online: Finding Your Family

Tuesday, October 30
9:00 AM – Noon

\$10
River's Crossing

HeritageQuest Online 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. This free online database is available through all public libraries in Georgia and can be searched from home. This class is designed to teach about the records, what they contain, and how to use the database. The last 75 minutes of class is hands-on work with assignments in HeritageQuest Online.

Laura W. Carter spent forty years working in libraries helping people find information. In 1997 she became the Heritage Room Librarian at the Athens-Clarke County Library. She loves to learn new things and to teach others new things, so she found working in libraries the best job in the world. Now retired from the library, Carter enjoys sharing her knowledge of resources and how to use them with anyone who will listen.

Human Evolution from an Anthropologist's Perspective

Monday, September 17
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Learn about the physical evidence for human evolution over the last seven million years using both photos and casts of relevant fossils. Starting with the earliest fossils from Africa and expanding worldwide, participants will follow the migration of various hominin species. The class will also talk about the relationships on the human family tree, and about the strengths and weaknesses of various hypotheses for our evolution.

Sandy Whitney has taught various anthropology and geology courses since 1992, both on campus and on travel study programs. Currently she is teaching occasional courses for the African Studies Institute and regularly helps lead the Maymester in Tanzania study abroad program for UGA.

Humans Need Not Apply? Artificial Intelligence

Friday, October 19
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Advances in Artificial Intelligence raise the possibility that many or most jobs could be replaced by robots within the next few decades. Is this a real threat to our livelihoods, or will the natural workings of our market economy replace the lost jobs with new jobs? If robots become more intelligent than humans, what happens then?

Dan Everett teaches computer science at UGA and especially enjoys introducing computer modeling to students who don't like math. He is active in local climate change advocacy groups.

Immigrant Visas: Myths and Truths

Tuesday, September 25
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

The class will cover the various types of immigrant visas currently available and who is eligible to obtain them. Barbara Armstrong will explain how the process actually works, examining chain migration and what the links in the chain are, anchor babies, adoption visas, and the visa lottery system. The class will also look at the issuance process from the perspective of a consular officer at a United States embassy.

Barbara Armstrong is a retired Foreign Service Officer who specialized in consular work at US Embassies. Her overseas assignments included Dominican Republic, Bahrain, Poland, Guatemala and Germany where she worked as a regional consular officer responsible for oversight of fifteen posts in the former Soviet Union. She also had several assignments in Washington DC working with various aspects of visa and citizenship issues.



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	<p>9am - Our Creative Universe</p> <p>9am - Trash to Recyclables: Don't</p> <p>1pm - Architecture in Athens:</p>	<p>9am - Encore: A New Lifestyle.</p> <p>9am - Hatha Yoga: Basic Practice</p> <p>10:30am - Paradise Lost: A</p> <p>10:30am - UGA through the</p> <p>12pm - Bombs Away! Reasons to</p> <p>2:30pm - Technology and Older</p>	<p>9am - Trash to Recyclables: Don't</p> <p>9:30am - Preservation of Old</p> <p>1pm - Reading Now: Exploring</p> <p>2:30pm - Nutrition's Big 3: The</p> <p>4pm - Hands-on</p>	<p>9am - Beech Haven: A Walking</p> <p>10am - Beginning Bridge II - The</p> <p>10:30am - Israel at a Crossroad:</p> <p>10:30am - Paradise Lost: A</p> <p>12pm - Agnes Varda: The Most</p> <p>6:30pm - Dining Adventure in</p>	<p>10am - iPhone/iPad-Everything</p> <p>1:30pm - iPhone/iPad-Everything</p> <p>2:30pm - Telling Real Stories</p>	<p>9am - Beech Haven: A Walking</p> <p>2:30pm - Chevre: Crafting Goat</p>
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	<p>9am - Trash to Recyclables: Don't</p> <p>9am - Whales and North-Atlantic</p> <p>10:30am - Condor Chocolates:</p> <p>1pm - Board Meeting</p> <p>8pm - UGA Observatory: View</p>	<p>9am - Band of Brothers: D-Day 6</p> <p>9am - Hatha Yoga: Basic Practice</p> <p>9:30am - Living While Dying:</p> <p>1pm - Glory, Glory To Ole</p> <p>2:30pm - Little Red Riding Hood:</p>	<p>10am - Great Books' Great</p> <p>10am - Joy of Metalsmithing for</p> <p>10am - Tai Chi Easy: Introduction</p> <p>10:30am - Jeannette Rankin and the</p> <p>1pm - An Inside Look from the</p> <p>4pm - Hands-on</p>	<p>10am - Beginning Bridge II - The</p> <p>10am - Paris: My Home During</p> <p>10:30am - Embodied Spirituality</p> <p>1pm - Garden Tour: West Broad</p> <p>1pm - Joy of Metalsmithing for</p> <p>1:45pm - Current Affairs</p>	<p>10am - Joy of Metalsmithing for</p> <p>10am - Tai Chi Easy: Introduction</p> <p>10:30am - Humans Need Not</p> <p>10:30am - Winter Container</p> <p>1pm - Yellowstone National Park</p> <p>2:30pm - Telling Real Stories</p>	<p>10am - Tallahassee Forest: A</p>
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	<p>9am - Accessible Exercise: Stay</p> <p>9am - Eye Deep in Hell - The USA in</p> <p>9am - Spanish: Beyond the</p> <p>1pm - Chamber Music Series</p> <p>2:30pm - Drawing Fundamentals</p>	<p>9am - Hatha Yoga: Basic Practice</p> <p>9am - Virginia and Georgia in the</p> <p>10am - Spiritual Vitality and</p> <p>10:30am - Milledge Avenue from</p> <p>12pm - China's Transition to</p> <p>1pm - Ageless Grace for Lifelong</p> <p>1pm - MARK TWAIN, the Grand</p> <p>2:30pm - Little Red Riding Hood:</p>	<p>10am - Tai Chi Easy: Introduction</p> <p>10:30am - Martin Luther King Jr.:</p> <p>1:30pm - Poetry Writing</p> <p>2:30pm - Drawing Fundamentals</p> <p>4pm - Hands-on</p>	<p>9am - Journalism, Trust, and</p> <p>9am - Spanish: Beyond the</p> <p>10:30am - Move Better to Live</p> <p>1pm - Critical Reading: Selected</p>	<p>10am - Tai Chi Easy: Introduction</p> <p>10:30am - Health & Wellness 101</p> <p>10:30am - UGA Ramsey Center:</p> <p>1:30pm - Getting Started on</p> <p>2:30pm - Telling Real Stories</p> <p>2:30pm - UGA's Historic North</p>	
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	<p>9am - A Stronger You: A Logical</p> <p>9am - Spanish: Beyond the</p> <p>10:30am - World War One's Final</p> <p>1pm - Sergeant Alvin C. York:</p>	<p>9am - Express Yourself: Creative</p> <p>10:30am - Conдор Chocolates:</p> <p>12pm - South Korea: History,</p> <p>1pm - Opioid Epidemic: What</p> <p>2:30pm - All about OLLI@UGA</p>	<p>10am - Great Books' Great</p> <p>10:30am - Senior Living: Be</p> <p>1pm - Black Images in American Art</p> <p>1:30pm - Poetry Writing</p>	<p>9am - Spanish: Beyond the</p> <p>10:30am - Athens' Music Scene</p> <p>10:30am - Growing Up in East-</p> <p>10:30am - Milledge Avenue from</p> <p>1pm - Critical Reading: Selected</p> <p>1:45pm - Current Affairs</p>	<p>10:30am - Finding Purpose and</p> <p>1pm - 2018 Midterm Elections:</p> <p>1pm - Asa Candler: The</p>	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	<p>9am - Spanish: Beyond the</p> <p>9am - United Nations</p> <p>1pm - Board Meeting</p>	<p>12pm - South Korea: History,</p> <p>1pm - Ageless Grace for Lifelong</p> <p>1pm - Opioid Epidemic: What</p>	<p>OLLIOFFICES CLOSED</p>	<p>OLLIOFFICES CLOSED</p>	<p>OLLIOFFICES CLOSED</p>	
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	<p>9am - Family Tree Maker:</p> <p>9am - Spanish: Beyond the</p> <p>1:30pm - Painting Landscapes in</p>	<p>9am - FamilySearch.org : The</p> <p>12pm - South Korea: History,</p> <p>2:30pm - Rise and Fall (and Rise</p>	<p>10am - Great Books' Great</p> <p>2:30pm - Retirement on Your</p>	<p>9am - Spanish: Beyond the</p> <p>10:30am - Criminal Justice</p> <p>10:30am - Move Better to Live</p> <p>12pm - Kicking Ash and Taking</p> <p>2:30pm - Animal Rescue Around</p>	<p>10:30am - Climate Change:</p> <p>1pm - Invasive Non-Native</p> <p>2:30pm - Russia: St. Petersburg</p>	<p>Please see course description for location information.</p>

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Immortalizing Your Family with Stories and Photos

Tuesdays, September 18, 25
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$23
River's Crossing

Every family has stories. Every family has pictures. In order to ensure that precious family stories, anecdotes, jokes, and memories don't get lost to time, lost in a move, or find their final resting place in the back of a U-Haul, learn how to compile them into a book, a family memoir. This two-session class will focus on compiling and crafting a permanent record of your family. Bring family stories to the first class. Bring family pictures to the second class. Future generations of your family will thank you. The cost of the class includes a fee for supplies.

Bowen Craig and **William Bray** have written three books each. They formed Bilbo Books Publishing over a decade ago and have published many memoirs as well as children's books, novels, and books of poetry. As publishers, they have helped numerous families immortalize their stories in book form. Bray has degrees from Yale and Johns Hopkins. Craig has a degree from Davidson College.

India: Religions and Cultures

Tuesday, October 30
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

From structures in Bamiyan (Afghanistan) to Bali (Indonesia) and on to Angkor Wat (Cambodia), we see the wonders of India's religious masterpieces. India

built these to win the hearts and minds of the people, without ever sending a single soldier across her borders to do so. Many styles of architecture are reflected in these diverse temples. The Buddhas of Bamiyan, fifth century solid rock carvings, are as inspiring as the Carrera white marble temple of 2010 in Lilburn, Georgia. A travel study trip complimenting the class content is being planned for early November to visit the Hindu temple, and the BAPS Shri Swaminarayan Mandir, in Lilburn.

Mony Abrol holds a degree in marine engineering and naval architecture. He sailed for ten years, covering all major continents. Mony arrived in New York in 1974 to work for Germanischer Lloyds for one year. Several other projects followed in Brazil and Malaysia, followed by a return to New York to manage a bulk carrier group. He moved to Athens in 1996 and is a member of Civitan Club, volunteer for KOCBC, an usher at the PAC, a newbie square dancer, and a good cook.

Intergenerational Wealth Transfers: Planning for Your Legacy

Wednesday, September 5
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

After people spend a lifetime building wealth, there comes a time when they must plan for how they want their monetary and physical assets to be passed on and used by their heirs. This class will focus on the importance of creating a legacy plan and the recommended steps to ensure the plan is implemented. The presenters will cover the topics in a discussion-based format by drawing from their own experiences with helping others plan for and organize their legacies.

Alden Mergenthal has a degree from UGA in financial planning. She is a Certified Financial Planner and has worked in a wealth advisory firm in Athens for eight years. Julia Marlowe has a PhD in consumer economics and has 30 years' experience teaching. Since retiring in 2007, she has had her own organizing business and is currently doing household inventories.

International Travel: Prep and Pack

Wednesday, November 7
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

The preparations for an international trip can be daunting: paperwork, timelines, checking individual country requirements, packing wisely, etc. Judith DeJoy will discuss suggested steps in preparing for a trip, beginning with the idea of a timeline for managing many organizational details—starting six months out from departure. In addition to pragmatic preparation details, DeJoy will offer ideas about the importance of communication, cultures, and norms. Finally, she will discuss tips for packing that luggage and provide several handouts for reference.

Judith DeJoy has been part of the Athens community for over thirty-five years and is a UGA faculty retiree. Thanks to her husband's interesting professional academic opportunities, she has had the chance to travel internationally over the past twenty plus years. During that time she has acquired trip preparation and planning experience to help make her international travels special experiences!

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Invasive Non-Native Plants: Identification and Control

Friday, November 30
1:00 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Privet and wisteria are just two examples of the many invasive, non-native pest plants which threaten the viability and diversity of our native plants and wildlife. Gary Crider will focus on the Top Ten worst invasive plants in the Georgia Piedmont. Participants will learn how to identify these plants and what basic management and control strategies are available. These management tools and methods are applicable to suburban backyards or larger spaces such as public parks. Finally, if time and weather permit, the class will walk the perimeter of the River's Crossing parking lot to have a look at some of the invaders.

Gary Crider works at the State Botanical Garden as an invasive plant control specialist and is a volunteer leader with the Memorial Park/Birchmore Trail Weed Warriors, a group that works to limit the spread of invasive plant species and to restore wildlife habitat on public and private land. In recognition of his environmental stewardship and activism with the Weed Warriors, the local Audubon Society, and similar organizations, Gary received the 2013 Alec Little Environmental Award.

iPhone/iPad: What You Want to Know But Are Afraid to Ask

Session A: Fri, Oct 12 10:00 AM – Noon
Session B: Fri, Oct 12 1:30 – 3:30 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Both sessions are the same; please register for just one date.
Tips, tricks, traps, hints, cheats, and all the basic features you know are in there somewhere, but you never can find: We'll cover it! If you've got a handheld Apple device and would like to become best friends with it, then join us for this tour of the fundamentals, the fun stuff, and the way the basic features fit together to simplify your life, just like you saw in the Apple commercials. We'll cover the Phone, Contacts, Calendar, Camera, Mail, Safari, Reminders, and a few more.

Chuck Murphy is a retired software professional and veteran OLLI@UGA presenter. He's on his seventh iPhone and second iPad, and loves to share his knowledge of how these devices can simplify and enhance our lives.

Israel at a Crossroad

Thursday, October 11
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Dr. Zeichner will present a brief history of the founding of Israel and its first seventy years of existence. He will put particular emphasis on present demographic, political, and security issues as they pertain to the road toward the elusive resolution of the Israel-Palestinian conflict.

Dr. Amos Zeichner is a retired Professor Emeritus of Psychology (Clinic) at UGA, having taught and conducted research for thirty-seven years. He is a native of Israel and a former member of the Israel Defense Forces who experienced four Mideast wars (two on active duty). He is familiar with political, social, and security issues affecting Israel and supports a just resolution of the conflict.

Jeannette Rankin and the Women's Scholarship Fund She Began

Wednesday, October 17
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Learn the origin story of Jeannette Rankin and her bequest that started the foundation named in her honor, the Jeannette Rankin Women's Scholarship Fund. The Founders will be on hand, including Sue Bailey, Gail Dendy, Margaret Holt, and Heather Kleiner along with Executive Director Karen Sterk. Beyond the origin story, the speakers will share the work of the foundation today as it supports low income women over the age of thirty-five with scholarships for post-secondary education.

Karen Sterk is a champion for women, education, and social justice. Most recently, Sterk was the Founding Director of Racial Justice at the YWCA of Greater Atlanta. Earlier she served as the Program and Development Director, responsible for both programs and fundraising at that YWCA. In addition she was part of the Senior Leadership Team that revitalized the YWCA in Atlanta. Sterk worked the previous ten years at the YWCA of Minneapolis.

Jittery Joe's Coffee Roasting Company Tour

Thursday, September 13
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$8
Off Site

Locally owned Jittery Joe's Coffee Roasting Company selects beans from at least eighteen different countries and roasts them in small batches. This class will tour the roaster and learn about the company's hands-on approach to roasting coffee. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Charlie Mustard came to Athens by way of Clemson University where he earned a Bachelor's degree in biological sciences. After teaching anatomy and physiology at Clarke Central High School, he earned a Master's degree in nutrition from the University of Georgia. He started a number of coffee shops and other ventures related to coffee. Currently he is, and has been for the past twenty-three years, the roastmaster for Jittery Joe's Coffee Roasting Company.





Journalism, Trust, and Fake News: The Global Battle

Thursday, October 25
9:00 – 11:00 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

This class will explore the current state of journalism and the global pressures to limit free and independent journalism. It will offer some ideas that might help restore trust in an institution that even Thomas Jefferson described as “an evil for which there is no remedy [since] our liberty depends on the freedom of the press...”

Richard T. Griffiths is a retired journalist and frequent lecturer/consultant on journalism ethics and investigative journalism. Until he retired in 2017, he was CNN's Vice President and Senior Editorial Director responsible for editorial oversight for all the company's worldwide platforms. During his more than forty years as a journalist, his work was honored with two Emmys, two Investigative Reporter and Editor's medals, and five Peabody awards.

Journey to Freedom - Six Thai Elephants and Me

Wednesday, September 5
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

In the northern mountains of Thailand the Elephant Nature Park is making a difference to the rescued elephants that live there, to the hundreds of other animals who have found a safe haven with them, and to volunteers from all over the globe who participate in their educational programs. At one such program, Journey to Freedom, a week is spent with Karen tribe members following six elephants in their native habitat. Travel with one of these volunteers as she shares her observations and interactions with these magnificent beings, and experiences her own life-changing journey to freedom.

Nancy Hunter worked with the Atlanta Police Department providing direct services to over 6000 victims of domestic violence. She went on to train police, prosecutors, judges and attorneys in the law and psychology of domestic violence. After retiring, her love of animals motivated her to find ways to spend time around species that most fascinated her. She spent four years at a sanctuary for parrots and then made the longest trip of her life to volunteer with rescued elephants.

Joy of Metalsmithing for Beginners

Wed & Fri, Oct 17 & 19 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Thur, October 18 1:00 – 4:00 PM

\$83
Off Site

Working with metals including copper and brass will provide students with skills to make pendants, earrings, rings, and objects. Sylvia Dawe is providing copper and brass for the workshop, and tools and equipment will be available. No prior experience is necessary. Safety glasses, ear protection, and magnification for seeing small details will be the responsibility of the student and must be brought to class. The cost of the class includes a lab space usage fee which provides access for participants for thirty days.

Sylvia Dawe developed metalsmithing skills through University of Georgia jewelry and metals classes, community classes, and master workshops. Her creations are expressions of appreciation of nature, architecture, and sentiment.

Keeping the Kaiser Out of Clarke: UGA and the Great War

Friday, November 2
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

What is the connection between the University and whiskey consumption by First World War aviators? How are century-old black walnut trees in Athens connected to the Kaiser? What war-related diplomatic failure killed the Georgia/Georgia Tech rivalry for years? Drawing on the collections of the Hargrett Rare Book and Manuscript Library Steven Brown will consider these questions and explore the War to End All Wars in relation to the University and Athens/Clarke County.

A resident of Athens and a member of the UGA Libraries faculty since 1979, **Steven Brown** joined the Hargrett Rare Book & Manuscript Library in 2000. Since semi-retirement in 2008 he had remained at Hargrett as University Archivist Emeritus. He currently serves on the board of the Athens Historical Society as historian. He has written and given presentations on local history for a number of organizations, including OLLI@UGA.

Kilauea: Earth's Most Active Volcano

Mon – Wed, Sept 17 – 19
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$24
River's Crossing

Kilauea is one of five large shield volcanoes that comprise the island of Hawai'i. The Island is part of a chain of Pacific volcanic islands and seamounts (Hawaiian-Emperor chain) that extends more than 3,700 miles from the Island of Hawai'i to the Aleutian peninsula. Kilauea has been continuously active since 1983, erupting an average annual lava output in excess of 24 million cubic yards. This course will discuss the origin of the Hawaiian-Emperor seamount chain and evaluate the history of volcanic activity in the Hawaiian Archipelago. Eruptive styles will be described and lava flow characters illustrated with a variety of hand samples collected within the Kilauea area. The recent 2018 volcanic activity in the Puna area will be reviewed and illustrated with appropriate video coverage.

David Dallmeyer is Emeritus Professor of Geology at the University of Georgia, a member of the Environmental Ethics Faculty and a frequent OLLI@UGA presenter. His teaching and research have focused on the processes and chronology of mountain building and plate tectonics with fieldwork on all continents. He organized several research expeditions in cooperation with the U.S. Antarctic Research Program and also has directed research programs in the British Isles, West Africa, China, Greenland, Svalbard, Norway and the Andes of Chile and Peru.

Knit-a-long with Revival Yarns

Tue, Sep 4 – 18
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$18
Off Site

Revival Yarns is hosting a knit-a-long. Join them and knit a simple, timeless cow! Basic knitting skills are required (cast-on, knit, purl, bind-off) to complete this project. Participants will need basic supplies which can be from their own supply or purchased in a project supply kit (approx. \$38.)

Cara Cannon and **Lindsay Woodson** own Revival Yarns, a yarn shop located in the Bottleworks in downtown Athens. They met when Lindsay started a knitting group in their neighborhood and agreed that Athens needed a yarn shop. Revival Yarns provides a place for knitters and crocheters to gather, be creative, hone their craft, and purchase their favorite yarns.

Landscape Design: Mediocre or Marvelous? What Makes Great Design?

Monday, October 1
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

What qualities make a beautiful landscape? The course is a perfect start for participants who want to critique and plan their yard and outside spaces. Dr. Ludwig will emphasize practical design theory and include opportunities to critique various landscape situations. Participants will learn the specific steps they should follow to create beautiful and functional outdoor areas.

Dr. Richard Ludwig, retired director of the horticulture program at Gwinnett Technical College, was selected as Georgia Educator of the Year by the Georgia Green Industry Association. In addition, he worked for *Southern Living* magazine as a garden specialist as well as serving as host of PBS-TV's GardenSmart, a national gardening show. Dr. Ludwig is also a former spokesperson for MiracleGro® products.

Learning from the Baldwin Hall Burials: A Word from the Bioarchaeologist

Wednesday, August 22
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

The discovery of human remains beneath Baldwin Hall on UGA's North Campus led to the excavation and osteological study of some of Athens' earliest residents. DNA evidence indicates the people buried in this region of the Old Athens Cemetery are of African ancestry and, given the time, were likely enslaved. Dr. Reitsema directed the osteological study of these remains and will discuss this work in its historic and modern-day social contexts.

Laurie Reitsema is an associate professor in the Department of Anthropology. She researches human remains in archaeological contexts to understand past human lives. Dr. Reitsema directs two research projects: one on ancient Greek colonization that uses human skeletal remains to understand the dynamics of ancient colonization, and another on the Georgia coast studying how indigenous lives were altered through the Spanish Mission system.

Letterboxing: Seeking, Solving, Rubber Stamping

Mon & Thur, Aug 27 & 30
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$21
River's Crossing

Letterboxing is an activity in which participants solve puzzles and follow online clues that lead to «boxes» each revealing a unique rubber stamp and log-book. This course will cover the history of letterboxing, will teach the basics of clue-interpretation and box discovery, and will instruct participants on how to actively take part in this new hobby. By the end of the course, participants will have the knowledge and ability to letterbox and will leave with their own personal log book and trail name. Letterboxing is an activity suitable for all ages and fitness levels. There is something for everyone in this quaint old-world past time. The cost of the class includes a fee to cover the cost of class supplies.

Peggy Curran, a retired physical therapist, is now an avid scrapbooker, card-maker, letterboxer, and world traveler. In 2009, on vacation in Key West, Peggy discovered her first letterbox hidden in the gardens of Ernest Hemingway's home. Since then, letterboxing has led her to many interesting locations and allowed her to discover places she would not have otherwise. Not only has she logged-in over 200 letterboxes, she has also

planted several of her own. Peggy's educational background includes a BS in Physical Therapy, an MBA from Brenau University, and a certification in infant massage education (CIME).

Little Red Riding Hood: Seven Versions

Tuesdays, October 16, 23
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$18
River's Crossing

Like other folklore, fairy tales evolved in an oral tradition over many years and in many places, so that a story could exist in several versions by the time it was written down. *Red Riding Hood* is such a story, and in the second session we will discuss seven versions of it. The first session will provide an introduction to fairy tales in general and a brief account of their publication history. Students will receive copies of the tales at the first session.

Dr. David Robinson has a Ph.D. in American Literature from Ohio State University. He has taught composition and literature at both Ohio State and Georgia College and State University.

Living While Dying: Film and Discussion

Tuesday, October 16
9:30 – 11:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

In a world that sees death as something to vanquish, the film *Living While Dying* presents an alternative: people living with terminal illness who greet the inevitable with courage, humor, creativity, and acceptance. Though the subject is difficult, the film is surprisingly uplifting. Death is a big mystery, yet the outcome is 100% certain. Dispelling traditional fears and expectations about death, *Living While Dying* invites us to reimagine and set the stage for our own inevitable endings. It offers profound opportunities to uncover value, grace, and meaning for all stages of life. Guided discussion will follow the showing of the film.

OLLI members, **Peter Balsamo** and **John Muthe** will serve as moderators of the discussion. Balsamo has more than thirty-five years' experience in the continuing higher education field and founded the Shepherd's Center of Lexington, SC. Muthe, a retired business executive, served as a member of the mental health curriculum committee at the Community College of Philadelphia.



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Make a Difference in the Life of a Student: Become a Mentor

Tuesday, August 21
1:00 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

For over 30 years the Clarke County Mentor Program (CCMP) has been matching trained adults from the community to serve as mentors for students in the Clarke County public schools. Although annually 500 mentors will work for one hour a week as in-school mentors/friends to a students, there are many more students who want a mentor. The UGA student body provides hundreds of mentors, but there is a tremendous need for adults from the Athens area to make this commitment. OLLI members can learn how to become mentors and serve in this vital role.

Nancy McDuff retired in 2015 after twenty years as the Associate Vice President for Admissions and Enrollment Management at UGA. For the last nine years she has served on the Board of the Clarke County Mentor Program. She believes that the work of adults in our community, serving for one hour a week in the Clarke County public schools as a one-on-one mentor to a student can make a real difference in students' lives.

Mark Twain, the Grand Humorist, Running for President!?!

Tuesday, October 23
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Experience the genius, wit, and wisdom of Mark Twain as he was on the lecture circuit. Savor his unique blend of satire, social commentary, storytelling, and backwoods philosophy.

Ed Helm has enjoyed performing Twain for thirty years in Asia, Latin America, Europe, and the east and west coasts of the U.S. He has shared Twain with children, physicians, and Civil War groups, Labor Unions, the 2000 Democratic National Convention, and other fora. Twain was born in 1835 and died in 1910, both years Halley's Comet appeared. Helm's father (born 1910) and son Daniel (born 1985), both Halley's Comet years, make Helm's Twain performances heavenly (he says modestly).

Martin Luther King Jr.: Rarely Seen Footage

Wednesday, October 24
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$8
Off Site

Since his assassination fifty years ago, Martin Luther King, Jr. has been often seen on television, but in the same few pieces of historical footage. Mary Miller will draw from the Peabody Awards Collection, WSB Newsfilm, and Arnold Michaelis Library of Living History to screen some less commonly seen footage of Dr. King and to illuminate the breadth of his philosophy of non-violence and his social justice concerns. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Mary Miller grew up in Florida and has lived in Athens since 1995. She earned a BA in history and economics from Furman University, a master's degree in instructional technology from UGA, and a library science degree from Valdosta State (VSU). Mary was an adjunct member of the VSU faculty from 2010-2012. She enjoys teaching and learning and telling everyone about the Peabody Awards in her work as Peabody Awards Collection Archivist at UGA.

Medical Aid in Dying: The Ethics and Pragmatics of Choice

Tuesday, September 18
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

In several countries and U.S. states, it is legal for patients with a terminal illness to ask a physician to provide a medication to end their life. This practice, variously but imprecisely known as physician assisted suicide or euthanasia, has obvious ethical complexities. In this class we will review the historical evolution of medical aid in dying, important ethical perspectives, critical case studies that have moved the debate forward, legal requirements of the practice, and results of its implementation.

Brian Carpenter is a clinical psychologist and professor whose research and teaching focuses on aging and the end of life. He teaches both undergraduate and graduate courses, and he directs the Clinical Geropsychology Research Laboratory at Washington University, where he has been on faculty since 2000. His current research focuses on promoting effective communication among older adults, family members, and their healthcare providers.

Medicare 101: Navigating the Medicare Maze

Friday, August 24
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Planning your benefits strategy for applying for Medicare or collecting information that will help you guide your parents in their choices? In this class learn the many facets and particulars of Medicare, including a foundation on Medicare Part A, Part B, Part C (Medicare Advantage) and Part D (Prescription Drug Plan). Included: when to apply, what penalties might apply if you apply late, how Medicare interacts with private insurance, deductibles, and what factors to include in choosing the right plan. Cox will also provide an overview of Medigap (Supplement) plans.

Robert Cox, "The Retirement Educator," is a professional retirement planner and holds certifications of Retirement Income Certified Professional RICP®, Certified Financial Education Instructor CFEI®, National Social Security Advisors NSSA®, and 2018 Certified Medicare Plan Agent, and is SEC Series 65 exam qualified. Cox teaches monthly seminars at community programs (cities of Decatur, Duluth, and Sugar Hill) and for professional organizations. He lives in Suwanee, GA.

Meditative Doodling: Centering Yourself through Art

Tuesday, August 28
9:30 – 11:30 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

This hands-on class draws on newly-popular artforms such as ZenTangles as well as older traditions such as mandalas. These meditative forms of art can be done in short sessions, making them ideal for today's busy lives. While the product is less important than the process, the results are often quite pleasing. Meditative doodling does not require prior art training, however, those who have had art training will recognize some of the principles. Participants should bring a pencil and a medium-fine black felt tip pen. (An archival brand such as Micron is preferred.)

Linda Gilbert graduated with a BFA in drawing and painting and worked as a graphic designer for more than a decade. However, she moved on to other work and gradually let her time for art slip away. Through meditative doodling, she found a way to incorporate art into her life once more.

Memories of a Sportscaster: The Sporting Life

Thursday, August 30
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Remember when the big stories on television were narrated and ended with the phrase "Film at 11" setting up viewers to come back later for video and an expanded story? Bill Hartman will share changes in technology along with memories and observations of events and personalities of covering thirty-five years of sports in the Atlanta TV market.

Bill Hartman III began his sports journalist career as a newspaper stringer and a sportscaster while earning his BA in journalism at UGA. After graduation he went right to work at WAGA TV before a stint in the U.S. Air Force. In 1973 he returned from service, working in UGA's Sports Information department, before returning to WAGA to become a five-time Emmy Award winner over a twenty-two year career. In 1995 he moved to WSB TV until retiring in 2008. He still covers Georgia High School Football's Game of the Week Friday's for Fox TV.

Men's Wisdom Works: Redefining Retirement for Men

Monday, November 5
1:00 – 3:00 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Chuck Fink will tell his personal story of the formation of Men's Wisdom Works and the many positives derived for members and their loved ones. Hear the process unfold from doubt to today with MWW now numbering one hundred fifty men. Following his story, Fink will facilitate a conversation on issues now facing men in retirement as he discusses transitioning from PIP (Previously Important Persons) to successful, meaningful retirement.

Chuck Fink founded Men's Wisdom Works at OLLI UNC Asheville in 2009. He was told by many that men's groups calling for personal disclosure and social engagement with other men wouldn't work due to DNA and male conditioning. Today MWW hosts fifteen groups of men ranging in size from eight-thirteen men. Hear Fink's story of his personal battle with depression upon retirement and how good came from the bad as MWW rolled out. After media exposure, MWW growth continues.

Milledge Avenue from Broad to Baxter: A Walking Tour

Session A: Tue, Oct 23 10:30 – 12:30 PM
Session B: Thur, Nov 15 10:30 – 12:30 PM

\$8
Off Site

Milledge Avenue from Broad to Baxter is an iconic street in Athens filled with ante-bellum and Victorian mansions converted to UGA sororities and fraternities. It is also home to Clarke Central High School (earlier Athens High School). CCHS was once an all-white school but integrated in 1970. The walking tour will point out the history of the older homes and their residents and will describe changes at Clarke Central High School from 1952 to today. If time permits, we will look at two streets off Milledge, Henderson and Dearing. Location details will be provided to class participants.

John Whitehead grew up near Henderson Avenue and attended Athens High School. After a career of teaching history at the University of Alaska, he retired to Athens on Henderson Avenue and taught at UGA. Prof. Whitehead

is currently preparing a reminiscence of Milledge Avenue for Volume II of *The Tangible Past of Athens, Georgia* with Milton Leathers and Charlotte Marshall.

Moina Michael: The Poppy Lady

Friday, November 9
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Come learn about the life and legacy of "The Poppy Lady", Moina Bell Michael. Michael was a teacher from Athens, Georgia who at forty-nine had the idea and dedication to create a memorial emblem after the First World War. Through her tireless campaigning, the Flanders Field Red Poppy is now a widely recognized symbol of remembrance for war veterans. Learn how the Moina Michael Poppy Project nonprofit is working to carry forward her mission through fundraising and education efforts that enrich the lives of veterans today. 2018 also marks the 100th anniversary of Michael's famous WW1 poem, *We Shall Keep the Faith*.

Marie Mize is the circulation manager for the law library at the University of Georgia. She has worked at UGA for ten years. Mize is also the current director of the Moina Michael Poppy Project, a nonprofit that works to better the lives of veterans through fundraising and education.

More Plant Stories: Still Delicious, Delightful, and Deadly

Monday, October 29
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Plants provide us with food and beauty, but they also have had significant impacts on human history. This class will explore fun stories about the interactions between plants and humans, focusing on those that are edible, beautiful, or poisonous. This is the second in a series of plant stories and will concentrate on the legume and cabbage families. This is a stand-alone presentation so there is no need to have taken the previous class.

David Knauff is a professor of horticulture at UGA. He has served as Associate Dean of the Graduate School and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs at UGA. Previously he served as department head for the Crop Science Department at North Carolina State University. He began his academic career at the University of Florida where he taught a number of genetics-related courses and conducted research on peanut breeding and genetics.



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Move Better to Live Better

Thur, Oct 25; Nov 29; Dec 13
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$18
Off Site

Jessica Groves-Chapman aims to provide instruction, demonstration, and practice of natural movement patterns. Movements will include getting off the floor, lifting and carrying, pushing, pulling, etc. Participants will be actively moving during each class and should be injury free at time of participation. Additional instruction will be provided on setting attainable lifestyle goals, the importance of breathing, balance and stability training, and movement for cognitive and emotional health. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Jessica Groves-Chapman is a trained Movement Educator who specializes in re-educating and re-training movement patterns. She holds a BA in psychology, MS in kinesiology, and PhD in neuroscience. She is a NASM CPT and MovNat certified trainer. She is passionate about educating others on how to move better, free of pain and discomfort, capable of actively participating in their daily lives. She lives by the notion that we are only as strong as we allow ourselves to believe.

Neurodiversity? Mental Health in Social Contexts

Tuesday, September 4
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

During this highly conversational session, Peter Smagorinsky will discuss his experiences on the Asperger's spectrum and those of family members, arguing that disability is always situational rather than fixed. He will talk about his Asperger's Advantage given that the focus available through the condition allows for productivity of the sort valued in higher education. Audience members may simply be curious, may have been diagnosed with mental health conditions, may have acquaintances considered mentally ill, or have other motives for enrolling. All perspectives are welcome, and all participants should come ready to talk and listen to others.

Peter Smagorinsky is Distinguished Research Professor of English Education at UGA. In 2017 he was named Aderhold Distinguished Professor and recipient of the National Council of Teachers of English Distinguished Service Award. His research concerns literacy teaching and learning, teacher education, and neurodiversity.

News from Around the Universe

Monday, October 29
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Lee Reed will share recent developments in our understanding of the Universe, set in a context of modern astronomy and astrophysics. For this non-technical presentation no materials are required except an inquiring mind, which is, of course, nothing more than the Universe thinking about itself.

After thirty-eight years at UGA, **Lee Reed** retired in 2010 as Scherer Chair in Public Affairs and Meigs Distinguished Teaching Professor. He always wanted to be paid for reading and deeply appreciates that the people of the State of Georgia supported him for doing as a living what he would happily have done for free. Some years back he taught sky-watching at the State Botanical Garden.

Nuclear Energy Policy: Understanding the Challenges

Wednesday, September 12
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

This course will provide context for issues related to safe, reliable, affordable energy as one of the most challenging issues of our time. David Gattie will use U.S. and global energy data to convey the magnitude of these challenges, including national and international security challenges associated with nuclear energy policy decisions. The class will include an overview of carbon emissions, fossil fuels, renewable energy resources, and how nuclear power fits along this continuum. A particular focus will be on the national security implications of U.S. civilian nuclear power in the context of global geopolitical realities.

David Gattie is an associate professor of engineering at the University of Georgia and has fourteen years of private industry experience as an energy services engineer and environmental engineer. He conducts research on energy policy and integrated energy resource planning for the power sector and, in collaboration with UGA's Center for International Trade and Security, is currently focused on the national security implications of U.S. nuclear power.

Nutrition's Big 3: The Science on Carbs, Protein, and Fat

Wednesday, October 10
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Dr. Neal Priest, an emergency medicine specialist, has studied reams of nutrition research so you don't have to slog through them. He will talk about the best sources for carbs, protein and fat—and foods you should avoid. He'll break down the latest and best studies into easily digestible nuggets that will help you thrive.

Neal Priest has worked as an ER physician at St. Mary's Hospital for thirty-two years. He went to medical school at Tulane in New Orleans and completed an Emergency Medicine residency at Los Angeles County/USC. He keeps up with the latest information about nutrition so that he can help his patients live longer, healthier lives.

Oconee Rivers Greenway: Athens' Emerald Necklace

Monday, October 1
Noon – 1:00 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

In this **brown bag lunch program** the presenter will share about the Oconee Rivers Greenway that includes the flood plains of the North and Middle Oconee Rivers that surround Athens. Greenway trails connect the riverside parks, exceptional natural areas, and cultural resources; all gems in our emerald necklace. With this virtual tour, discover the Greenway and learn about the walking, biking, and paddling trails available for health and recreation, experiencing nature and learning about the river. Course materials will describe the newest sections which now extend the greenway trail to twenty-three miles, from Sandy Creek Park in the north to College Station Road and the Park-and-Ride on the eastside

Karen Porter is Professor Emerita in the Odum School of Ecology. She graduated from Vassar College and received a Ph.D. from Yale University where she met her husband Jim. Her career began as the only woman on

the faculty of Zoology at the University of Michigan. She studied planktonic food webs in the US, Caribbean, Panama and the Great Barrier Reef. She brings forty years of professional experience to her current membership on the ACC Oconee River Greenway Commission and the Board of the Oconee River Land Trust.

OLLI Buddies: Helping At-Risk Children Succeed Academically

Friday, August 31 \$10
10:30 – 11:45 AM River's Crossing

OLLI member and OLLI Buddies SIG Coordinator, Janet Martin will moderate a panel discussion that will focus on the social, economic, and educational challenges faced by Gaines School students and ways tutors impact the students. The purpose of OLLI Buddies, now beginning its fourth year, is to provide OLLI volunteers to tutor in reading and math in a classroom weekly for about an hour. Panelists include: Gaines Elementary School principal Dr. Robert Trey Ezekiel, school counselor Cassie St. Clair, a teacher who participates in the program, media specialist Angie Pendley, and an OLLI Buddy (tutor).

Janet Martin retired from the Clarke County School District in 2008 after working there for twenty-three years as an elementary school counselor and a school psychologist. After her retirement from the school district she had a private psychology practice for six years. Prior to moving to Athens, she was a teacher and counselor in Philadelphia. In her retirement she is enjoying having time to pursue hobbies such as knitting, gardening, reading, and traveling with her husband Roy.

OLLI's Really Got Musical Talent!

Mondays, August 20, 27 \$14
9:00 – 11:00 AM Off Site

We all love to listen, sing, or play music in the privacy of our homes or in public. Whether you think you're musical or not, it's probably safe to say you love music. Wouldn't it be nice to showcase your talents in a nurturing environment? This course will develop your performance skills regardless of musical level, culminating with an optional public class performance & recording. Activities include solo and ensemble groups performing familiar and new music from a variety of musical genres. See this as a performance-based enrichment experience as you develop confidence and self-esteem in your musical abilities! Bring your voice and/or instrument! Location details will be provided to class participants.

Ian Johnson is a retired music and instructional technology educator who enjoys celebrating what the Bible offers. As an educator, he taught orchestra and other music classes, coding and introduction to computer classes in K-12, and Higher Education in Jamaica and Athens. He, with family and friends, perform classical and jazz music for weddings, receptions, and other functions.

One Woman Play: Waltzing the Reaper

Thursday, September 13 \$10
10:30 – 11:45 AM River's Crossing

Waltzing the Reaper is a deeply moving and humorous look at the patient and caregiver journey through the dying process and a last opportunity to

mend a broken family relationship. The play concerns a once-vital, still-witty woman, Vera, who has been resuscitated despite her Living Will. Now she must depend on a relative she never liked to get her out of the hospital and home where she can make peace with her family and die with dignity under hospice care.

Judith Gantly was nominated the Best Featured Actress by the *Newark Star Ledger* for her comedic performance in *Mornings at Seven* at the Bickford Theatre in New Jersey. A graduate of the American Academy of Dramatic Arts in New York City, she has been performing *Waltzing the Reaper* at numerous universities, conventions, conferences, and theatres around the country. The play was written for her by the playwright Poullette MacDougal.

Opioid Epidemic: What Should We Do?

Tuesdays, November 6 – 20 \$24
1:00 – 3:45 PM River's Crossing

Participants in the class will be citizens in a National Issues Forum. The forum will be held over three class sessions allowing time to consider three options for addressing the opioid epidemic. Participants will be given the link the download to discussion guide prior to the first class meeting.

Dr. Margaret Holt is a retired faculty member of the Department of Adult Education at the University of Georgia, and since 1981 an Associate with the Charles F. Kettering Foundation in Dayton, Ohio. She also has worked as a strategizer with the nonprofit organization, CommonHealth ACTION, in Washington, D.C. She is one of six founders of the Jeannette Rankin Foundation, a non-profit organization that annually awards scholarships to older women pursuing higher education.

Our Creative Universe

Mondays, October 1, 8 \$18
9:00 – 10:15 AM River's Crossing

Human beings think that our creative abilities make us unique in the universe. We'll learn that this is not the case. The universe has creativity built in, but it takes on different forms from what we are used to seeing. Working with writings from Daniel Kahneman, Nobel Prize winner in behavioral economics, and John Cleese, co-founder of Monty Python, we'll explore creativity and discuss how we can be more creative in our own lives. If you've always wanted to know too much about creativity, this is the place to be.

Howard Page has a BS in math and physics from Guilford College and a MA in applied math from the University of Maryland. He has spent thirty years studying complex systems, focusing on how the universe uses simple rules to build up a hierarchy. He has taught courses for OLLI at Emory and achieved consistently positive evaluations.

Membership in OLLI@UGA entitles you to membership in all of our Shared Interest Groups.



Over Germany: Lt. Col. Vince Masters (385th Bomb Group)

Friday, August 24
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

This talk is a tribute to former OLLI@UGA member Vince Masters and all the airmen who served and gave their lives during the air war over Europe. Lt. Col. (Dr.) Vince Masters, long time Athens resident, served as both a B-17 and a P-51 pilot with the 8th Air Force in the European Theatre. Vince participated in some of the most famous missions of World War II, including Regensburg, Schweinfurt, and Berlin. He survived a water ditching, twenty-eight missions with the 385th Bomb Group (B-17), and numerous strikes with the 3rd Scouting Force (P-51) which he helped form and lead.

Bill Cosgrove graduated from both UGA and Clemson. He worked for the US-EPA for thirty-five years and as an adjunct instructor at UGA in the environmental health science department. His real passion is World War II history, and he has made nine trips to the battlefields in Europe. Bill wrote *Time on Target: the 945th Field Artillery Battalion in World War II*. He works with the Witness to War Foundation interviewing WW II veterans. His website is www.timeontarget.us.

Painting Landscapes in Watercolor: Topics for the Beginner

Mondays, Nov 19 – Dec 10
1:30 – 3:30 PM

\$28
River's Crossing

As she introduces beginners to watercolor, Elizabeth Barton will cover the basics of developing a design from a photograph, understanding values and contrasts (how to create and use them), creating any colors you want from a limited palette, and painting skies and trees. Prior to the class, a list of minimal supplies will be provided to registrants. Students will receive a supply list and will need to bring those supplies with them to the first class meeting.

After a career as a clinical psychologist, **Elizabeth Barton** became a quilter, but then she wanted to make her own designs so she took painting classes to learn to design and paint. Alas, few of the classes were helpful so then she read many books. Since everyone, however, is not as obsessive an autodidact as she is, Barton thought it would be fun to put together the class she would have liked to have had!

Paradise Lost: A Guided Walk-through

Tue & Thur, Oct 2 – 11
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$28
River's Crossing

Milton's twelve-part epic, *Paradise Lost*, is daunting to the average modern reader. This class is designed to make it less threatening and more accessible. As the instructor leads the class through the poem, the group will read aloud and discuss key passages. There will be four 75-minute meetings with no required homework, though some class members may choose to read between sessions. Any full version of the poem will do, provided the lines are numbered. A good choice would be the 2008 Modern Library Classics edition, ed. Kerrigan et al. (ISBN-13: 978-0375757969 or ISBN-10: 0375757961).

Jack Armistead was Professor of English at the University of Tennessee and liberal arts dean at James Madison and Tennessee Technological universities. He retired as Provost of Tennessee Tech. He is the author of books and

articles about English literature 1660-1800, most recently *Otherworldly John Dryden* (Ashgate 2014). For twenty-five years he served as founding editor of the scholarly journal, *Restoration: Studies in English Literature 1660-1700*.

Paris: My Home during the German Occupation, 1939-45

Thursday, October 18
10:00 AM – Noon

\$10
River's Crossing

France Boney shares personal reminiscences of the German invasion and long occupation of Paris during World War II and the August 1944 liberation.

France Boney was born in Paris in 1931. She is a graduate of the University of Paris and holds a master's degree in French literature from UGA. She taught French at Cedar Shoals High School in Athens for seventeen years and is now retired.

Past and Future of the Firefly Trail and Athens Greenway

Thursday, October 4
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Learn about Firefly Trail and its history. Once completed, it will be a thirty-nine mile multi-purpose trail following the historic corridor of the GA Railroad Athens Branch from Union Point to Athens. The trail will provide a safe, flat, public resource for health, economic development, transportation options, tourism, historic preservation – and fun. Check out the project in advance at www.fireflytrail.com.

Mary Cook, a native Athenian, grew up on a farm in northern Clarke County. While a planner in Oglethorpe County, she became excited about the idea of the Firefly Trail and has been a board member for ten years. **Brad Sanders** is a Bartram scholar who has retraced William Bartram's footsteps many times during the past eight years. He has traveled from Cowee to Blue Springs and from Cape Fear to Pointe Coupee cataloging and describing the myriad sites that lie along the Bartram Trail. He is the author of *Guide to William Bartram's Travels*.

People under the Microscope: Human Research over the Years

Tuesday, October 2
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

What were the experiments that prompted a public call for regulations on human research? What ethical principles and policies are in place now to protect human research participants? Experts from the University of Georgia Office of Research will share how the use of human subjects has evolved and how institutions like UGA protect people participating in research studies. They will discuss the importance of informed consent and share about research being conducted at UGA and in the Athens community. Come learn how UGA continues to improve lives through research.

Kim Fowler is the Director of the Human Subjects Office and has worked in the Human Subjects since 2007. Also an alumna of UGA's School of Public and International Affairs (SPIA), she found her calling in contributing to the vast and diverse human research enterprise. Her favorite part of her job is working with eager and passionate researchers, both students and seasoned faculty, who approach each project with amazing focus on understanding

and improving our world. **Lisa Kelly** serves as the Training Core Director for the Office of Research Compliance and the Quality Assurance Coordinator for the Office of the Vice President for Research at UGA. Kelly is responsible for training oversight for a variety of departments including the Human Subjects Office. Kelly earned her BSA in biological sciences from UGA and is currently pursuing a graduate degree in educational administration and policy. She has published a number of journal articles and written several national training courses.

Personal Storytelling: Sharing the Oral Tradition

Monday, November 5
9:00 – 11:00 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Everyone has stories to share. The richer your life experiences, the more stories are waiting to be told. You'll learn the basics of storytelling, from story formation to tell. An experienced storyteller, the first American teller to tell in Iran post-1979, will share her personal story via YouTube, and Chuck Fink will share his story live. Each class member will develop a personal story during the class. The instructor will offer ideas to improve your story, with help from the class. This class is limited to twelve participants.

Chuck Fink dove into the art of storytelling as a retiree. In 2012 he took a course on personal storytelling at OLLI UNC Asheville. He appears in shows throughout the Asheville area. Professional and seasoned storytellers continue to enrich Chuck's skills via coaching sessions and workshops. Chuck now wants to inspire and motivate other active retirees to share their stories. Prior to retiring, Chuck told stories as a trainer and organizational consultant, and to any willing listener.

Pets: An Ounce of Prevention is Worth a Pound of Cure

Wednesday, December 5
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Dr. Elder will discuss the needed veterinary and home care for kittens, puppies, and adult companion animals. He will examine how you can provide needed routine care and treatment of common medical problems on a fixed income. He will also evaluate the importance of routine veterinary care and proper nutrition in ensuring your companion animal will live a long, healthy life.

Dr. Christopher Elder received an undergraduate degree in biology from the University of Georgia and a masters in biology from Georgia State University before earning his doctor of veterinary medicine degree from the University of Georgia College of Veterinary Medicine. Dr. Elder enjoys all aspects of the practice of veterinary medicine but has special interests in internal medicine, nutrition, neurology, behavior, and dermatology. He is the owner of Shoal Creek Animal Clinic in Athens.

Poetry Writing Workshop

Wed, Oct 24 – Nov 14
1:30 – 3:30 PM

\$28
River's Crossing

This workshop, which will meet for four two-hour sessions, is open to veterans and newbie writers of poetry. Each session will explore new poetic forms and provide writing and sharing times. We will explore the possibility of continuing to write together as a Shared Interest Group. All are welcome; bring paper and pencil.

Adrien Helm is a retired lawyer and educator who began a four-week poetry writing workshop in Vermont six years ago. The weekly workshop expanded to five months and continues to date! Adrien has a BA in English from Mills College; a MA in Political Science from Rutgers University (Eagleton Institute of Politics), and a J.D. from Columbus School of Law at Catholic University of America. She and her husband moved to Athens in 2017.

Portugal from Its Founding to its Role as an International Empire

Thursday, August 23
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

This class will trace the development of Portugal dating from 1415 through the end of its time as an international empire. As a native of one of the African colonies which was part of this international activity, the presenter will look at the time of explorations and the colonization of the islands in the Atlantic and along the African coast. Among topics explored will be how the Portuguese influence has impacted the area even today. The class timeline leads to the independence granted to African colonies in the mid-1970s and to Macau (in the Far East) in 2002.

Gordhan L. Patel was born to Indian parents in Mozambique, a Portuguese colony in southern Africa. He came to the USA in 1956 to attend college and received his bachelor and doctoral degrees from Washington University, St. Louis, MO. In 1967 Gordhan joined UGA where he served as faculty, Dean of the Graduate School and Vice President for Research and Research Foundation until 2005. His research on chromosomal proteins has been published in national and international journals.

Preservation of Old Athens (Jackson Street Cemetery)

Wednesday, October 10
9:30 – 11:15 AM

\$8
Off Site

The class will be spent on-site at Old Athens (a.k.a. Jackson Street Cemetery) on the UGA campus. Janine Duncan will follow a brief history of the cemetery and its residents with descriptions of the preservation projects undertaken (and underway) inside the cemetery. Participants will view repair demonstrations, weather permitting. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Janine Duncan was born in New Orleans and raised in Washington State. She holds degrees from Gonzaga University and the University of Georgia, and her career has traveled through broadcasting, Wall Street, and non-profit fundraising. As the historic preservationist for UGA Grounds Department, she is charged with the preservation of campus landscapes and features including Old Athens Cemetery, the Arch, and the North Campus cast iron fence.

Course proposals for Spring 2019
are due October 15, 2018.

Reading Now: Exploring the Arc of Our Lives through Books

Wednesday, October 10 \$10

1:00 – 2:15 PM

River's Crossing

The teaching of literature is a vital part of American education, yet school reading often leaves students with an impression that they must read the right books and read them in the right way. School reading usually looks forward to students' future, including college and careers. But in retirement we are often more focused on the present and the past so as to understand more fully the lives that we have lived. In this class, we will explore through conversation the reading lives we have constructed over time, examining our reading practices so that they are more satisfying and reflective of our personal interests now.

Jim Marshall holds a PhD from Stanford University in language, literacy, and culture. He taught English and education at the University of Iowa for twenty years and taught in the language and literacy education department at UGA for nine years. His scholarship and teaching have focused largely on the teaching of literature.

Remembering the Dixie Highway

Wednesday, August 29

1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10

River's Crossing

Ed Jackson will explore the story of America's first north-south paved highway. Launched in 1915 without federal or state funding, the Dixie Highway was a cooperative among state and local leaders from Michigan to Florida, with each county paying for its share of the route. Prior to the Dixie Highway, only the wealthy could afford to vacation in Florida during the winter. The advent of the Model T made Florida also affordable for the average American. But Georgia's dirt roads became muddy quagmires in rainy weather. Building a paved highway through Georgia resulted in dramatic changes in the Peach State as tourists from the Midwest headed south.

Ed Jackson holds the rank of senior public service associate emeritus, having served on the faculty of the Carl Vinson Institute of Government thirty-nine years before retirement. His specialty is Georgia history, and he is senior author of *The Georgia Studies Book*. He also has written a number of other books and articles, contributed to the online *New Georgia Encyclopedia*, produced several documentaries, and launched a number of websites on Georgia.

Restaurants: Understanding Food Safety Standards

Wednesday, August 22

2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10

River's Crossing

U.S. consumers all enjoy eating out a lot. In addition to thinking about food taste and quality, we should also be thinking about the safety of our food. As preferences for food change, and especially as we age, food safety risks can increase for many consumers. A natural decline in immune systems can be further complicated by living with chronic diseases and on numerous medications. With ServSafe® or other food handler certifications displayed in places where we eat out, Elizabeth Andress will explore what we should know about these programs as well as about inspection scores.

Elizabeth Andress has been a food safety specialist with Georgia Cooperative Extension since 1994 and is a professor in the Department of Foods and Nutrition. Her Extension programs in food safety and quality cover home food preservation and foodservice sanitation, including the ServSafe® food handler certification program. She is also the director of the National Center for Home Food Preservation. She teaches FDNS 4640, Food Sanitation and Safety, for UGA.

Retirement on Your Terms

Wednesday, November 28

2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10

River's Crossing

Kevin Frutiger will discuss ways to determine how much income you will need in retirement as well as identify income sources that can be combined to create your retirement paycheck. In addition, he will discuss the basics of a smart investment plan, including a timely conversation around the state of current investment markets. Finally, he will identify risks that could throw your retirement plans off and track solutions that can help you protect what you have earned.

Kevin Frutiger is a Certified Financial Planner serving clients in the greater Athens area for over twenty years. He specializes in retirement planning and assists clients in designing and implementing income strategies that allow them to live comfortably in retirement. He resides in Oconee County with his wife and daughter.

Rewriting History through Television Preservation

Wednesday, September 19

10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$8

Off Site

Some modern scholars assert that television is a significant factor in eliminating a sense of the past, driving society towards an inescapable presentness where there is no sense of shared, linear, cultural, and social development. Others recognize television as an agent of more positive change, transforming our sense of history without erasing it. The Walter J. Brown Media Archives is engaged in efforts to recapture our sense of late 20th century history by describing and providing access to raw news footage from across the state of Georgia. Learn more about this work to preserve our collective memory and how you can play a part. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Mary Miller grew up in Florida and has lived in Athens since 1995. She earned a BA in history and economics from Furman University, a master's

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degree in instructional technology from UGA, and a library science degree from Valdosta State (VSU). Mary was an adjunct member of the VSU faculty from 2010-2012. She enjoys teaching and learning and telling everyone about the Peabody Awards in her work as Peabody Awards Collection Archivist at UGA.

Rise and Fall (and Rise Again?) of Communism

Tuesday, November 27
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Communism appeared to be a rising and dynamic force at various times during the 20th century. Internal developments and international conflicts weakened it considerably by the last quarter of the century. The collapse of the former Soviet Union represented its ultimate demise in the early 1990s, although some countries still purport to being communist. Gary Bertsch will share his research and experience in a variety of countries from the USSR to China, and the nations of Eastern Europe to Cuba. He will conclude with thoughts about the future.

Gary Bertsch joined the UGA faculty in 1969 but spent his first year on research leave with Marshall Tito in Yugoslavia. Gary was the founding director of UGA's Center for International Trade and Security. Designated a University Professor in 1995, he was awarded UGA's President's Medal in 2015. He has served as Fulbright Professor in England, a Visiting Professor at China Foreign Affairs University, and on the boards of the UGA Foundation and the UGA Research Foundation.

Russia: St. Petersburg & A Love for Robert Burns

Friday, November 30
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Russia is a fascinating country with a rich tradition in literature and music that continues to move us deeply. St. Petersburg was created from nothing by Peter the Great on the River Neva where it empties into the Baltic Sea. We will do a quick examination of the history of Russia and St. Petersburg (with its name changes to Petrograd and Leningrad and back to St. Petersburg). But, this will also be about a personal visit with my Scottish cousins in February, 2018. That visit culminated in a Robert Burns Dinner attended by two Americans, 20 Scots and 120 Russians! The presentation will cover my long standing interest in Russia, the iconic sites in St. Petersburg, as well as the story of my February visit and why Robert Burns is loved in Russia!

Ian Hardin has had an abiding interest in Russia and its culture since his first quarter as a seventeen year old freshman at Auburn, where the first book he read in the literature class was *Crime and Punishment* by Dostoevsky. In the fall and winter quarter, that was followed by *Fathers and Sons* by Turgenev and short stories by Gogol. That initiated an intense interest in Russian literature and music, as well as its turbulent history.

Saudi Arabia – Past, Present, and (?) Future

Monday, September 10
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Beginning with a review of Saudi Arabia's geography, Flynn Warren will use photos of historic locations to illustrate the country's past and then explain

current life in Saudi Arabia for citizens and expatriate civilians. In addition to explaining religious practices such as the Haj, Warren will describe the ruling family's organization and the names and positions of the current leaders. He will include the kingdom's plans to move forward by making it easier for women to participate in the work force and by making changes to move from an economy based solely on oil.

Flynn Warren is a native of North Carolina. He attended Belmont Abbey College and received a BS in Pharmacy from the University of South Carolina and an MS in Hospital Pharmacy from the University of Georgia. Flynn joined the UGA pharmacy faculty in 1967. In 1977 Warren began at the King Faisal Specialist Hospital in Saudi Arabia where he was Head of Pharmacy Services. He rejoined the UGA pharmacy faculty in 1985 and retired in 2007.

Senior Living: Be Educated For You And/Or Your Parents

Wednesday, November 14
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

From retirement to home care, assisted living and memory care, all the way to Nursing Homes, this class will cover what to expect along the way. We will investigate Veteran Benefits as well as what Medicare and Medicaid pay and DON'T pay. Be ready for the future. It's time to plan and get your questions answered.

After an executive career in the fragrance industry, **Mary Stribling** found the Eldercare Industry by joining A Place for Mom, the largest Eldercare Agency in the United States. After seven years of advising hundreds of families, Mary chose to get closer to seniors by joining Iris Place, a Holiday Retirement Community in Athens, GA. She also is experiencing the trials and tribulations with aging, with her ninety-one year old mother. Mary is a seniors advocate that helps families as they enter into the unknown area of what is next with aging.

Sergeant Alvin C. York: American Hero from the Meuse-Argonne Battle

Monday, November 12
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

The story of Tennessee farm boy and pacifist Alvin C. York is well known to most Americans. A Medal of Honor recipient from the Great War, York's exploits still fascinate history enthusiasts and researchers alike. This presentation will place York in the context of the greater Meuse-Argonne Offensive of September 1918 that helped secure the defeat of Germany. In the presentation we will visit the area where York fought with the 82nd Infantry Division and explore the claims of two competing teams of researchers that have both worked diligently to pin down the actual location of York's amazing heroism in the Argonne Forest.

Bill Cosgrove graduated from both UGA and Clemson. He worked for the US-EPA for thirty-five years and as an adjunct instructor at UGA in the environmental health science department. His real passion is World War II history, and he has made nine trips to the battlefields in Europe. Bill wrote *Time on Target: the 945th Field Artillery Battalion in World War II*. He works with the Witness to War Foundation interviewing WW II veterans. His website is www.timeontarget.us.



So You Want to Go Back to School?

Tuesday, August 21
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

The University System of Georgia provides opportunities for Georgia citizens over the age of 62 to take classes, tuition free. But many seniors are confused about the application process and are seeking guidance. This class will provide information and resources for the process and explain the limitations for those wanting to take advantage of this program.

Nancy McDuff served as the Associate Vice President for Admissions and Enrollment Management at UGA for 20 years, retiring in 2015. Prior to UGA she spent fifteen years at Tulane University in many roles including Acting Dean of Admissions. Throughout her career in higher education, she has been active in many national and international organizations.

South Korea: History, Politics and Culture

Tuesdays, November 13 – 27
Noon – 1:00 PM

\$24
River's Crossing

During this **brown bag lunch series**, Rusty Brooks will share how South Korea is a country that rebuilt itself in the years after the Korean War period. Since that time, it has emerged as a technology leader, a political conundrum, a critical U.S. strategic partner, and a foil to North Korean nuclear ambitions. South Korea is a place of unique culture, inspiring history, wonderful cuisine and melodramatic politics and business. This course will take you through post-Korean War history to the present day focusing on what makes South Korea such an interesting study in economics, politics, and society. The course instructor, who has worked extensively in South Korea, will engage UGA visiting Korean government officials and their families in presenting the story of South Korea in an exciting and engaging way.

Rusty Brooks is Director of the International Center in the Carl Vinson Institute of Government. He has over twenty years in international development work in countries including Uzbekistan, China, South Korea, Georgia, Armenia, Zimbabwe, Croatia, Ukraine, and Bosnia. He has worked in various public service and outreach units at UGA over his thirty-plus year career and has led UGA study abroad programs to Ukraine and Croatia. His professional interests are in sustainable development, rural development, and public management.

Spanish: Beyond the Basics

Mon & Thur, Oct 22 – Dec 13
9:00 – 10:30 AM

\$54
River's Crossing

This non-academic course is the continuation of the Spanish II class and it assumes basic prior knowledge of Spanish. We will work on communicative situations such as talking about professions, routines, describing people and places, talking to the doctor, discussing plans, etc. These situations may involve studying some grammar, including the conjugation of regular and irregular verbs in different verbal tenses. No book will be required for this class; the presenter will provide study materials.

Graduating in International Studies and focused on Public Administration, **Bianca Gonzalez** has mainly worked in policy and planning analysis in her home country, Venezuela. She was the instructor of the Community Spanish class at OLLI@UGA during the Fall 2017 term.

Spiritual Vitality and Faithful Aging

Tuesday, October 23
10:00 – 11:30 AM

\$10
Off Site

Participants will actively engage in spiritual practices, discuss vital models for aging faithfully, and contemplate ways to create, facilitate, and maintain spaces for living out faith across the entire life span. We will look at the roles of hope, resilience, and flexibility in the creation of wholeness and wellbeing. Attendees will participate in gentle stretching, prayerful meditation, and laughter exercises with a focus on integration of mind, body, and spirit. Optimizing health, while at the same time reckoning with the realities of change and loss, will be considered in the context of life-long learning and continual spiritual growth and purpose.

Susan Amick witnesses the journeys of people experiencing life transition and transformation, and has served as chaplain at Wesley Woods Towers Senior Living, recreation therapist in multiple settings, and spiritual director for clergy and caregivers. She also leads retreats and spiritual practice seminars to integrate mind, body, and spirit. A United Methodist clergywoman, she holds a masters in spiritual formation (Garrett Seminary), and in administration/ healthcare (University of Maryland). She resides in Decatur with her family.

Tai Chi Easy: Introduction

Wed & Fri, Oct 17 – Nov 2
10:00 – 11:00 AM

\$45
Off Site

Tai Chi is an ancient Chinese tradition that involves gestures that are performed in a slow and deliberate manner. Tai Chi Easy consists of movement, self-applied massage, intentional breathing, and meditation/relaxation. It is suitable for all age and fitness levels. According to the Mayo Clinic, benefits include stress reduction, increased flexibility and balance, and better sleep patterns. Regular practice has been shown to strengthen the immune system and reduce falls (and fear of falling) among older adults. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Tom Wittenberg earned an AB from Dartmouth and a MA from the University of Minnesota. His careers have been in book publishing, recruiting for the Athens Area Chamber of Commerce, and Tai Chi training. He studied Tai Chi with Roger Jahnke, OMD, Institute of Integral Tai Chi and Qigong in Santa Barbara, California.

Tallassee Forest: A Hiking Experience

Saturday, October 20
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

\$8
Off Site

A hike in the woods! Tallassee Forest is Athens-Clarke County's largest conservation land holding and is not yet open to the public. This area has over one mile of Middle Oconee River frontage, nine diverse habitats, canebrakes, and a rare upland American Holly forest. The terrain is steep with no trails beyond an old farm road. To see the diversity, we will have to go off trail. This rugged 3 ½ hour hike is not for the faint of heart. Wear layers of clothing and heavy boots, and bring a walking stick and water. Location details will be provided to class participants. The hike is limited to 12 participants.

Karen Porter is Professor Emerita in the Odum School of Ecology. She graduated from Vassar College and received a Ph.D. from Yale University where she met her husband Jim. Her career began as the only woman on the faculty of Zoology at the University of Michigan. She studied planktonic food webs in the US, Caribbean, Panama and the Great Barrier Reef. She

brings forty years of professional experience to her current membership on the ACC Oconee River Greenway Commission and the Board of the Oconee River Land Trust.

Technology and Older Adults: The Longevity Explorers

Tuesday, October 9
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Learn about an experimental sharing and ideation community called the Longevity Explorers—made up of older adults (in their 70's, 80's and 90's). This community leverages the insights, years of accumulated wisdom, and enthusiasm of older adults themselves to accelerate the emergence of novel solutions to some of the challenges of aging. Together we explore unmet needs related to growing older; try out, critique and compare various interesting products; and engage in brainstorming and ideation for new and better products to help improve the quality of life as we age.

Dr. Richard G. Caro, Co-founder of Tech-enhanced Life, PBC., has over 30 years of experience at the intersection of technology and business—as startup CEO, startup CTO, scientist / inventor, angel investor, and advisor to emerging growth companies. His current focus is the intersection of technology and aging. Caro holds twenty-four patents and has a D.Phil. in experimental physics from Oxford University, where he was a Rhodes Scholar.

Telling Real Stories from Your Life

Fridays, October 12 – 26
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$24
River's Crossing

This is a fun class with lots of interaction. Participants will learn story-telling techniques such as creating evocative imagery that engages listeners, types of nonverbal communication and how they enrich stories, and storytelling resources for those who want to pursue telling and writing stories beyond the class. The first session will focus on ways to bring your story alive as well story development and story ideas. For the second and third sessions, participants will tell their own stories and get feedback.

Jan Turner has been telling stories for more than thirty-five years, using the power of narrative in executive positions at four universities and four nonprofits in five states. She is the founder and executive director of Remembering Forward: Stories in Motion in Athens. Turner is a member of the National Storytelling Network and the Healing Story Alliance. A former Emory administrator, she completed a MA and two years of doctoral studies in intercultural communication.

The Appalachian Trail: If HE Can Do It, I Can Do It!

Monday, October 29
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Over three summers, Buddy Wier solo hiked the 2189.2 mile Appalachian Trail (AT) from Georgia to Maine. He will discuss and demonstrate the backpacking equipment he carried and share pictures and anecdotes of his weeks hiking the Trail to the summit of Mt. Katahdin in Maine. Those who are just curious about what one experiences in hiking—be it as a day hiker or an experienced hiker—will enjoy this class.

Buddy Wier was born in and grew up in Athens. He is a graduate of the United States Naval Academy and served as a Naval aviator. He enjoyed a

thirty-one year career as a stockbroker/financial consultant in Columbia, SC. After retiring, he took up backpacking. With no intention to do so, he has travelled to all seven continents since retirement. He is married to Diane and they have three children and four grandchildren.

The Classic Center: Learn & Lunch

Thursday, August 30, 2018
Noon – 1:30 PM

\$23
Off Site

Participants will enjoy lunch on the stage at the Classic Center Theatre. Learn about the Classic Center and its many offerings, including the work of the Cultural Foundation, upcoming shows and events, and the Classic Center's economic impact for Athens-Clarke County.

Paul Cramer is Executive Director of the Classic Center Authority. He earned a BA from Rochester Institute of Technology and is a Certified Facilities Executive. He served as director of catering at the Desmond Hotel in Albany, NY, and started food and beverage operations at the Riverside Convention Center in Rochester before becoming Assistant Executive Director. He came to Athens in 1995 to open the Classic Center.

The Iron Horse: UGA's Riot about Art

Wednesday, September 12
2:30 – 3:45

\$8
Off Site

See a screening of filmmaker and UGA alumnus Bill VanDerKloot's award-winning 1980 film, *IRON HORSE*, a documentary about public sculpture and its human impact. Sculptor Abbott Pattison's welded-steel sculpture of a horse caused a riot on the UGA campus in 1954. The 30-minute documentary includes interviews, archival footage, and a re-creation of the riot to explain this moment in UGA's history. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Margie Compton is the film archivist for the Brown Media Archives in UGA's Special Collections Building. She received her MLIS from the University of Texas at Austin and has been at UGA for fourteen years preserving our campus films, television newfilm, historic home movies, educational films, and videotapes. She is a long-time member of the Association of Moving Image Archivists and recently of the Society of Georgia Archivists.

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Therapy and Champion Dogs: Breeding, Whelping, and Showing

Monday, August 27
1:00 – 3:45 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Marie Williams will take participants into the world of dog breeding and showing, especially as these relate to the Golden Retriever breed. We will learn about the genetic and health testing done by responsible breeders vs. irresponsible breeders and puppy mills. We will also discuss the breeding and whelping practices and temperament testing of puppies. Williams will describe the world of showing dogs and competitive dog sports relating to the golden retriever as well as training and certifying a therapy dog. Dogs from Williams' line will be on site for the presentation.

Marie Williams lived in New York, Florida, Washington, and California before settling in the Athens area in 2008. She enlisted in the United States Navy on her eighteenth birthday and completed a BA in psychology while on active duty. After separating from service, she completed a PhD in clinical psychology and has worked for almost twenty years in a variety of correctional and forensic facilities. She has been in private practice in the Athens area since 2009.

Trade, Trump, and Trade Remedy Legislation

Wednesdays, September 19, 26
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$18
River's Crossing

The Trump Administration has made trade negotiations a central feature of its foreign policy agenda. The administration has imposed tariffs on steel and aluminum, and softwood lumber imports from Canada, initiated NAFTA renegotiations, and railed against unfair trade practices and trade deficits with our trading partners such as China, Mexico, South Korea, and the EU. Administration officials favor a tough broad-based approach to China and the use of tariffs as leverage in negotiations. The Trump administration has utilized trade remedy legislation which focuses on national security rather than more specific legislation. If these negotiations fail, a trade war is possible.

Glenn Ames has taught applied economics at the University of Georgia for forty years, specializing in international trade and international economic development. He has worked in east and west Africa, promoted trade between Kenya, Uganda and the U.S., studied EU and U.S. trade policy, and attended trade missions in China. He has administered educational projects in Mexico and Central America. In the mid-1960s, he was a Peace Corp volunteer in rural Venezuela.

Trash to Recyclables: Don't Waste Away!

Mon & Wed, Oct 8 – 15
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$18
Off Site

What happens to our trash and recycling? This class will explore our wasteful habits, where our trash travels and how we can make less waste. This class will include three field trips, including the ACC Landfill, the ACC Recycling Facility and ACC CHaRM (Center for Hard to Recycle Materials). The third field trip will feature a reuse craft activity.

Suki Janssen is Director of the ACC Solid Waste Department and has been with ACC for over ten years. She was a Program Coordinator for the Keep Georgia Beautiful program within the Georgia Office of Environmental Management. She is a certified middle grades teacher, past Georgia Recycling

Coalition president, and current Northeast Georgia Regional Solid Waste Management Authority board member. She is a SWANA certified Landfill Operator, Recycling Systems Manager, and Composting Programs Manager.

Twelve O'Clock High: Army Air Corps's Part in WW II Victory

Thursday, August 23
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

There should be no doubt as to the significant contribution the U.S. Army Air Corps made to victory in WW II. In every theater, in every environment, the brave men and women of the air service daily risked their lives to bring about the end of the war mongering of two vicious dictators. The vast majority of aircrew never flew in an aircraft until after they began flight training. In 1940, 50,000 men composed the Air Corps. By VJ Day, there were over 2.5 million airmen and 80,000 aircraft. This class will look at those brave young individuals and their flying machines.

Col. Lawrence H. Saul, Retired, served for thirty-four years in the US Army. His service included tours in Germany, Holland, Kosovo, and other locations. He was one of the last veterans of Viet Nam serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. He is a Battlefield Tour Guide with expertise in many key campaigns, including D-Day and the Battle of the Bulge. He has a BA in history from Georgia State as well as two masters.

U.S. Constitution: Original Intent and the Founding

Tuesday, September 11
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Justice Anton Scalia warned that if judges redefine the Constitution according to their own views, then they will eventually render the Constitution useless. However, identifying the original intent of the framers is difficult in practice. This brief class explores the difficulties historians face in trying to determine the original intent of the authors of the Constitution and how the text of the Constitution was understood in the late eighteenth century.

Keith Dougherty specializes in the institutional design of American politics with emphasis on the American Founding. He established the American Founding Group to help students discuss issues related to the American Founding. Dougherty won a SPIA teaching award, earned an Outstanding Professor Award from UGA student government, and was named the Lothar Tresp Outstanding Honors Professor in 2016.

UGA Main Library: Tour and Introduction

Wednesday, August 29
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$8
Off Site

Emily Luken will begin the tour of the UGA main library in the first floor Instructional lab for an orientation which will include information and use of the online catalog and other resources available to OLLI@UGA members. After the orientation you can obtain your UGA Library card and begin using the library. Meeting and parking details will be provided to class participants.

Emily Luken has been a librarian at UGA since 2004 and is currently the bibliographer for art, classics, philosophy and religion. She has a BA in religion from Sewanee (University of the South) and a MLIS from the

University of South Carolina. In her spare time, she enjoys gardening, knitting, experimenting in the kitchen, backpacking, and spending time with her husband and three children.

UGA Observatory: View the Night Skies

Monday, October 15 \$8
8:00 – 9:30 PM Off Site

Join Scott Shaw to observe the moon, Mars, and Saturn with UGA's 24-inch telescope during an evening visit to the UGA Observatory atop the Physics building. In case of inclement weather or cloudy skies, participants will be notified the day of the class if the observation must be canceled.

Scott Shaw is Josiah Meigs Professor, Emeritus at the University of Georgia. His Ph.D. is from the University of Pennsylvania where he began his career in stellar astronomy, specializing in binary stars. He still teaches an astronomy seminar at UGA.

UGA Performing Arts Center: Behind the Scenes

Tuesday, September 25 \$8
4:30 – 6:30 PM Off Site

Have you ever wondered what it takes to curate and present a world-class concert series and to run a world-class concert hall venue? Go behind the scenes of the UGA Performing Arts Center with the center's director in this fun and informative class about the business of the performing arts. The class will include a forty-minute lecture followed by a tour of the performing arts center. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Jeffrey Martin is the director of the UGA Performing Arts Center. He holds degrees from the University of Oklahoma, Brigham Young University, and Ricks College. Broadway credits include *Anastasia*, *42nd Street*, and *Urinetown*. Prior to joining UGA in November 2017, Martin was the Presenter for ten years at BYU, where he presented Joshua Bell, Renée Fleming, Kristin Chenoweth, Lea Salonga, the King's Singers, Chris Thile, Branford Marsalis, the Martha Graham Dance Company, and many others.

UGA Ramsey Center: Tour & Introduction

Friday, October 26 \$8
10:30 – 11:45 AM Off Site

OLLI@UGA members can now join UGA's Ramsey Center for Physical Activities through an affiliate membership agreement. This semester enjoy an up-close tour designed specifically for OLLI@UGA. Known simply as Ramsey, the facility is one of the largest student athletic recreation facilities in the United States. The eight-acre center has three gyms, three pools (one Olympic-sized, a 17-foot diving well, and a lap pool), 1/8 mile indoor suspended rubberized track, four-foot-high climbing wall, fourteen-foot outdoor bouldering wall, ten racquetball courts, two squash courts, bicycle repair stands, eight full-length basketball courts, and 19,000 square feet of weight-training space. Meeting and parking information will be provided to class participants.

Donna Doolittle is the associate accountant for UGA's department of recreational sports which manages the Ramsey Center facility. She has worked for the University for twenty years serving with recreational sports.

With a passion for people and customer satisfaction, Doolittle works diligently to ensure Ramsey patrons are able to gain access to the facility and are comfortable in the Ramsey environment.

UGA through the Centuries

Tuesday, October 9 \$10
10:30 – 11:45 AM River's Crossing

Discover UGA's history from its chartering in 1785 to the present. During the nineteenth century the university functioned as a traditional small liberal arts college with only a few hundred all-white, all-male students. Then in the twentieth century it grew rapidly with the admission of women in 1918 and blacks in 1961 to become a typical large state university. In recent years with an enrollment of 35,000, UGA operates on a state, national, and international basis.

Nash Boney, a native of Richmond, Virginia, received his PhD at UVA in 1963 thanks to the GI Bill for active service from 1954 -1956 in the draftee army. He taught American history at UGA for twenty-eight years and authored many books and articles. Now in retirement he is writing his memoir that includes a chapter describing his military career mainly in Frankfurt/Main, Germany, in the Counter-Intelligence Corps.

UGA's Congress Project: Why Is Congress So Polarized?

Friday, September 7 \$10
1:00 – 2:15 PM River's Crossing

Dig into UGA's Congress Project which exposes UGA students to data collection and political research on Congressional politics. Professors Madonna and Lynch will also explain their broader research examining Congressional votes including amendments from 1877-2017 that demonstrate fairly convincingly that today's two political parties are more polarized than they have been since before the Civil War.

Dr. Michael Lynch is an associate professor of political science at UGA's School of Public and International Affairs. He holds degrees from Baker University and Washington University and is a National Science Foundation research grant recipient. He teaches undergraduate courses on a variety of American political topics and teaches graduate courses on legislative politics and quantitative methods. **Dr. Anthony Madonna** is an associate professor of political science at UGA's SPIA. He has degrees from Washington University and Michigan State and was a Congressional Fellow. His research interests include American political institutions and development with an emphasis on U.S. Congressional politics and procedures. Together Lynch and Madonna direct UGA's Congress Project.

UGA's Historic North Campus: Walking Tour

Friday, October 26 \$8
2:30 – 3:45 PM Off Site

UGA's iconic North Campus features buildings and spaces—many more than a century old—that are architecturally diverse, aesthetically charming, and rich in history, lore, and legend. Get a close-up look at these landmarks on a walking tour starting at the Arch and covering much of the North Campus

area. Visit the oldest building in Athens...the beautiful UGA Chapel...the site of the first murder on campus...the charming Founders Memorial Garden...and the field where the first college football game in Georgia was played. See first-hand why UGA is one of America's classic college campuses.

After receiving a journalism degree from UGA in 1965, **Larry Dendy** served in the Peace Corps in India and was a newspaper reporter in Winston-Salem, NC, and Tifton, GA. In 1972 he joined the UGA Office of Public Affairs where he worked for thirty-seven years as a writer, editor, News Service director, speechwriter and special projects manager. After retiring in 2009, he wrote *Through the Arch: An Illustrated Guide to the University of Georgia Campus*.

Understanding the Universe through Science

Thursdays, November 1, 8
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$18
River's Crossing

Can You Talk to God on Your Cell Phone? Join Scott Shaw for an exploration of how Quantum Mechanics and General Relativity provide an explanation of the Universe and how that differs from much earlier human descriptions that depended on the supernatural.

Scott Shaw is Josiah Meigs Professor, Emeritus at the University of Georgia. His Ph.D. is from the University of Pennsylvania where he began his career in stellar astronomy, specializing in binary stars. He still teaches an astronomy seminar at UGA.

United Nations Sustainable Development Goals

Monday, November 19
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

In November 2015, 193 members of the United Nations agreed on a set of seventeen goals designed to provide material decency to all of Earth's people while staying within the ecological limits of our planet. What are these goals? Can we really hope to achieve them? And what can we, as global citizens, do to contribute to reaching the goals?

Dan Everett teaches computer science at UGA and especially enjoys introducing computer modeling to students who don't like math. He is active in local climate change advocacy groups.

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Vietnam: An Unforgettable War and an Amazing Recovery

Fridays, September 21, 28
1:00 – 3:00 PM

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River's Crossing

In session one Colonel Robert A. Guy will provide a perspective on the Vietnam War that is different from those of individuals who did not experience it. His view is that of a soldier who served as a junior officer in combat arms for two years, fighting a war that, in the end, was not to be won. Pictures and video included are from Guy's collections. In session two, we will provide a look at Vietnam's truly remarkable changes; from a country poorer than one can imagine in the 1960-70 timeframe, to one that has amazed the world with its progress!

Colonel Robert A. Guy, a West Point graduate, served as an Infantry Officer in the United States Army for twenty-seven years, including two years in Vietnam during the Vietnam War. Upon retirement from the Army, he taught eighth grade science at Clarke Middle School (Athens) and later at Oconee County Middle School (Watkinsville). At Oconee Middle, he was named the 2004 Georgia Teacher of the Year. He taught middle school science for eighteen years, retiring in 2010.

Virginia and Georgia in the American Civil War

Tuesday, October 23
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

From secession and through the war, 1861-1865, Virginia in the upper South and Georgia in the lower South were essential to the Confederate war effort. Nash Boney will examine and lead a discussion on the states' varying efforts—and successes and failures—as another way to study this brief but crucial and tragic period in American history.

F. Nash Boney, a native of Richmond, Virginia, received his PhD at UVA in 1963 thanks to the GI Bill for active service from 1954 -1956 in the draftee army. He taught American history at UGA for twenty-eight years and authored many books, articles, and published extensively on the Civil War in his two home states. Now in retirement he is writing his memoir that includes a chapter describing his military career mainly in Frankfurt/Main, Germany, in the Counter-Intelligence Corps.

Voiceover: What Is It?

Wednesday, September 19, 2018
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Do you: Enjoy audio books? Cry at a Publix commercial? Get told where to turn by a GPS system? Every day, we experience voiceover in some way, shape, or form. In this class, dive into the fun, frantic world of VO. Learn where voiceover is used, the process behind it, and even get up and try your hand...er, voice...on some actual VO scripts.

Heard but never seen, **Kelley Buttrick** is an award-winning voiceover talent hired by brands like McDonalds, Michelin, Country Crock, L'Oreal and Amtrak to give voice to their brands. She is known for being a marketing trailblazer, and her business, KB Voiceovers, has been recognized for innovative marketing and recently honored as one of the 100 fastest growing businesses owned by UGA alumni. She's been featured in *Inc. Magazine*, *AdWeek*, and *Reader's Digest* and on NPR's *Marketplace*.

Whales and North-Atlantic Cold-Water Environs

Monday, October 15
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Come along for a photographic travel log of whales, birds, and the landscape of the North Atlantic. Photos taken summer 2018 will feature the landscape of Iceland including waterfalls, glaciers, and the midnight sun. Whale photographs may include humpback, right, and killer whales and other marine life. Birds may include puffins and eagles.

Dr. John Schell, Emeritus, is retired from the UGA College of Education. For twelve years he has taught classes on situated cognition using whale watching as a natural context. He has published a variety of professional articles on situated learning theories and is co-author of a textbook on clinical and professional reasoning. Schell is also known as a high quality photographer of whales. Sample photographs can be viewed on Facebook: John W Schell

Wine Flavors and Food Pairing

Thur, Sep 27; Oct 4
2:30 – 3:45 PM

\$28
River's Crossing

Students will learn to recognize and describe the common flavor profiles of red and white wines. They will see how the flavor components of wine complement food flavors, and how foods can influence wine flavor. In addition, students will learn how to select wines to maximize meal enjoyment and how to select food to maximize wine enjoyment. The cost of the class includes a fee to cover the cost of the tasting supplies.

Joe Frank taught courses in food science at the University of Georgia for forty years. For the past ten years he has led a study abroad course in Cortona, Italy, teaching the post-harvest aspects of wine science including sensory evaluation. Frank and his wife currently lead the Athens Chapter of the American Wine Society.

Winter Container Gardening from Start to Finish

Friday, October 19
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

Richard Ludwig will discuss the design, construction, and maintenance of container gardens for Southern climates, emphasizing container and plant selection, soil preparation, and overall care. This is a perfect course for those with limited space who want to create containers that explode with color and pizzazz and who want to start this winter.

Dr. Richard Ludwig, retired director of the horticulture program at Gwinnett Technical College, was selected as Georgia Educator of the Year by the Georgia Green Industry Association. In addition, he worked for *Southern Living* magazine as a garden specialist as well as serving as host of PBS-TV's GardenSmart, a national gardening show. Dr. Ludwig is also a former spokesperson for MiracleGro® products.

Woodturning: Tools, Techniques, and Projects

Friday, November 9
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$8
Off Site

Beginning with the use of a lathe along with the tools needed to produce a variety of wood projects, Jim Kall will also explain safety and different wood types. In addition Kall will demonstrate the process of taking the raw tree wood to a finished project. Location details will be provided to class participants.

Jim Kall has been turning wood for about fifteen years. He is currently a member of Classic City Wood Turners Club. Kall has turned items such as bowls, vases, platters, pens, and pepper mills. Not a production turner, he creates items for his enjoyment.

Fisher Fund Tuition Assistance Program

Upon the death of Carol Fisher, OLLI established a memorial fund in her honor to provide funds for tuition assistance to OLLI members, per the policy below:

All registered OLLI@UGA members shall be eligible for Fisher Fund tuition assistance upon simple oral or written application to the Executive Director, such application to remain confidential. Approved requests are limited to \$100 per person per semester, as credits to defray course and/or Luncheon fees selected by the member. Applicants can apply in any number of succeeding semesters, with dollar ceiling limits as recommended by the Finance Committee and approved by the Board in advance of each semester. The Executive Director will have authority to extend any Tuition Assistance request above the \$100 maximum on a case-by-case exception approved by the President.

World War One's Final Battle: The Meuse-Argonne Offensive

Monday, November 12
10:30 – 11:45 AM

\$10
River's Crossing

To honor the memory of our World War I veterans on the 100th anniversary of the Armistice, this presentation will be taught from 10:30 – 11:45 am and serve as an introduction to the story of Sgt. Alvin C. York (1:00 – 2:15 pm). The talk will also include highlights from the National World War I Museum and Memorial in Kansas City. The Meuse-Argonne Offensive was America's largest land battle of the Great War. With over 26,000 killed and 95,000 wounded in forty-seven days, this battle is remembered as not only a great American military victory, but also being critical to the defeat of Germany.

Bill Cosgrove graduated from both UGA and Clemson. He worked for the US-EPA for thirty-five years and as an adjunct instructor at UGA in the environmental health science department. His real passion is World War II history, and he has made nine trips to the battlefields in Europe. Bill wrote *Time on Target: the 945th Field Artillery Battalion in World War II*. He works with the Witness to War Foundation interviewing WW II veterans. His website is www.timeontarget.us.

Wrestling Temptation: Georgia's Quest to Control Alcohol

Tuesday, August 21
9:00 – 11:45 AM

\$8
Off Site

Kaylynn Washnock, who curated the Special Collections Library's exhibit, "Wrestling Temptation: Georgia's Quest to Control Alcohol", will present a behind-the-scenes view of how the exhibit came together and will lead a tour of the gallery. The exhibit traces the struggle that state leaders have faced in regulating the production, transportation, and use of alcohol from 1733 to the present. In addition, it explores issues of morality, economy and personal liberty entwined with the use and abuse of alcohol. Meeting and parking information will be provided to class participants.

Kaylynn Washnock, a PhD Candidate in UGA's history department, serves as a graduate intern at the Richard B. Russell, Jr. Special Collections Library. Washnock has a MA in public history from Western Carolina University and BA in history and anthropology from Florida State University.

WUGA Radio Studios Tour

Wednesday, September 19
9:00 – 10:15 AM

\$8
Off Site

Staff members at WUGA will provide a tour of this dynamic and award-winning Public Radio station, introducing tour participants to the studios and providing a glimpse of how WUGA programming and broadcasting take place. The station is located at the UGA Center for Continuing Education. Meeting and parking information will be provided to class participants.

Michael Cardin started at WUGA in 1991 and is currently the Production and Operations Director and Host of *Afternoon Concert*.

Yellowstone National Park - A Photographic Winter Wonderland

Friday, October 19, 2018

1:00 – 2:15 PM
River's Crossing
\$10

Vicariously brave the 20° below zero frigid wonder of Yellowstone in the comfort of an OLLI classroom as Bob and Andrea Woodall show stunning photos of seldom seen views of Yellowstone in the deep freeze of winter. Come on a virtual expedition with them via tracked snowcoach over unplowed roads into the depths of the park. See Old Faithful, thermal pools, the Lower Falls, magnificent vistas, snow covered bison, twelve-point bull elk, coyotes, wolves, trumpeter swans, other exotic wildlife, and much more.

Bob Woodall is an award winning, widely acclaimed outdoor photographer focusing on wildlife and landscapes. His photographic destinations include New Zealand, Africa, Europe, Iceland, Ecuador, Galapagos Islands, Alaska, and many U.S. National Parks. His entertaining presentations include useful travel information and insights into the subject matter.

You Inherited a Stamp Collection. Now What?

Thursday, September 6
1:00 – 2:15 PM

\$10
River's Crossing

Stamp collecting was once one of the most popular hobbies. While many youngsters and teens have other interests today, there are thousands of elderly collectors who are passing without having disposed of their collections. Most spouses know little about how to evaluate and dispose of their inherited collections. Ed Jackson and Maurice Snook will explore the status of stamp collecting today and the options there are for disposing of collections.

In addition to having a thirty-nine year career at UGA, **Ed Jackson** is a long-time stamp collector. He was a founding member of the Southeast Federation of Stamp Clubs, and has been a collector, exhibitor, presenter, stamp show organizer, and many other philatelic positions. **Maurice Snook** is a chemist, astronomer, and long-time stamp collector who frequently advises spouses of deceased collectors on options for disposing of their collections.

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Oak Strip Chair Bottoms – The Art Demonstrated and Explained

Monday, September 24

The critical techniques is using oak strips to weave a tight, uniformly-designed chair bottom without using metal or other fasteners, yet to create a seat for a 200-pounder. **David Russell** is a resident of Wilkes County, Georgia and experienced in oak strip chair bottom weaving as well as use of other materials such as corn shucks and various twines. He has displayed these several times at the local Mule Days events.

Crawford Long and the Discovery of Ether Anesthesia

Monday, October 1

Learn about the career of Dr. Crawford Long and his battle for recognition as the first physician to use ether for surgical anesthesia. Warren will review the state of surgery before anesthesia and then trace the narrative of Long's life from his birth in Danielsville, Georgia (1815) to his death in Athens, Georgia (1878). His education at UGA and his medical studies will be highlighted. The ether story includes the first surgery (1842) and Long's battle for recognition from others. The Doctor's later career in Athens will conclude the story. **Flynn Warren** is a native of North Carolina. He attended Belmont Abbey College, received a BS in Pharmacy from the University of South Carolina and an MS in Hospital Pharmacy from the University of Georgia. Flynn joined the UGA pharmacy faculty in 1967. In 1977, Flynn began at the King Faisal Specialist Hospital in Saudi Arabia, where he was Head of Pharmacy Services. Flynn rejoined the UGA pharmacy faculty in 1985 until retirement in 2007.

The Search for Life in the Solar System

Monday, October 8, 2-4 PM, Parish House

One of the major objectives of our current exploration of the solar system is to answer the age-old question of whether life exists on any of the moons or planets besides earth. To date, no definitive evidence of life has yet been found, although we know of several moons and planets that are, or may have been, once habitable. In this class, we will describe some of these planetary bodies and explain why we think life may be present or may have once existed. **David Wenner**, recently retired from the Geology Department at UGA, continues to teach in UGA's summer Interdisciplinary Field Program. His love of the planetary sciences originated at Caltech, at the time in the forefront of training Apollo astronauts. While at UGA, he undertook terrestrial analog studies in Iceland in support of the Mars Viking Program. He earned his BS in chemistry at the University of Cincinnati in 1963 and a PhD in geochemistry and geology from Caltech in 1971.

Politics, Society and Culture in Georgia and the Ukraine

Monday, October 22

A discussion of world politics, culture and society with a focus on Georgia and The Ukraine. An explanation of how political events and social changes in these interesting countries influence United States and world politics and culture. The Class will also discuss places and events in these countries which make them intriguing destinations to visit. Brooks will use current events and past history to put in context important roles these countries play in strategic relations. **Rusty Brooks** is Director of the International Center of the Carl Vinson Institute of Government. He has more than twenty years in international development work in countries including Uzbekistan, China, Georgia, Zimbabwe, Croatia, Ukraine and Bosnia. He has worked in public services and outreach units at UGA during his thirty-plus year career and has led UGA study abroad programs to Ukraine and Croatia. His professional interests are in sustainable development, rural development and public management.

How Pre- and Post-Natal Experiences Impact Our Lives

Monday, October 29 and November 12

What did we experience before and during our births? Psychological research opens the possibility of consciousness this early in life and suggests that those experiences have an effect on how we turn out as adults. Learn the many stages of prenatal life and how they shape us. In particular, long before doctors looking at sonograms discovered twins who had "vanished," individuals recalled twin loss even though they were born singletons. A questionnaire will determine if you had a twin. **Alice Rose** graduated from Georgia State University with an MSA in experimental social psychology, a PhD in clinical psychology in 1979, and an MST from Emory in 2011. She had a thriving clinical practice for forty years in Atlanta with clients coming from various cities and Canada as well as locally. Her specialty was a form of emotionally sourced regression that has rapid effects on many disorders such as depression, eating disorders, and sexual dysfunction, without using drugs.

Saudi Arabia – Past, Present and (?) Future

November 5

A review of the geography of Saudi Arabia with photos to illustrate historic locations and the country's past. More modern examples will explain life in Saudi Arabia for citizens and expatriate civilians. Examples of religious practices such as Haj will also be explained. Organization of the government will explain how the ruling family is organized and the names and positions of current leaders. Plans to move forward involve making it easier for women to enter the workforce and change from an oil economy. A crackdown on corruption and opening of new entertainment venues are moving the country socially forward. **Flynn Warren** is a native of North Carolina. He attended Belmont Abbey College, received a BS in Pharmacy from the University of South Carolina and an MS in Hospital Pharmacy from the University of Georgia. Flynn joined the UGA pharmacy faculty in 1967. In 1977, Flynn began at the King Faisal Specialist Hospital in Saudi Arabia, where he was Head of Pharmacy Services. Flynn rejoined the UGA pharmacy faculty in 1985 until retirement in 2007.

OLLI@UGA Shared Interest Groups

OLLI@UGA Shared Interest Groups (SIGs) are a benefit of membership and an opportunity for members to gather outside of the classroom. Join any of our SIGs or learn more about them by visiting the OLLI@UGA Members' Online Community. To access the Online Community, visit olli.uga.edu and select the large red button, *OLLI@UGA Members* at the top right.

ALGONQUIN in ATHENS – Members meet most months except summer to discuss and debate “big questions.”

AUGUST WILSON & OTHERS – Explore the plays in August Wilson's Twentieth Century Cycle, among other related works. Monthly luncheon meetings during the year will feature an in-depth discussion of one play in the cycle or a play by another excellent contemporary playwright from the African diaspora.

BOOK DISCUSSION – This group meets monthly to discuss selections made by group vote. Selections include fiction and nonfiction, contemporary and classic. Discussion is informal and participation is encouraged.

CINEMA@CINE – This group meets once a month at Cine', Athens' only independent Art House Cinema to watch a film then enjoy a discussion about the film with refreshments and snacks.

DOC BUFFS – View and discuss documentaries, including winners from UGA's famed Peabody Awards Collection with expert discussants when possible. Information is shared about other screenings in town and on TV. Most events are held at UGA's Special Collections Library.

ENJOY OPERA IN ATHENS – Enjoy opportunities to learn about opera, attend the MetOpera HD Live broadcasts at Beechwood Cinemas, and attend the UGA Opera Theatre productions and student recitals. A luncheon before the Met broadcasts features a UGA opera grad student presenting information.

EVERYBODY READS Athens – Members share a common goal to support, recognize, and assist literacy programs leading to Athens becoming

100% literate.

GARDEN ENTHUSIASTS – Members help each other with planning or planting a vegetable garden (whatever its size), swapping seeds and cuttings, sharing local knowledge, and touring commercial nurseries, organic farms, botanical gardens and our own gardens.

HAPPY HIKERS – If you love the great outdoors and hiking is a passion or an interest then you will want to join this group. Hikes are short and long, easy to challenging, for fitness, fun & enjoyment of the marvels of nature.

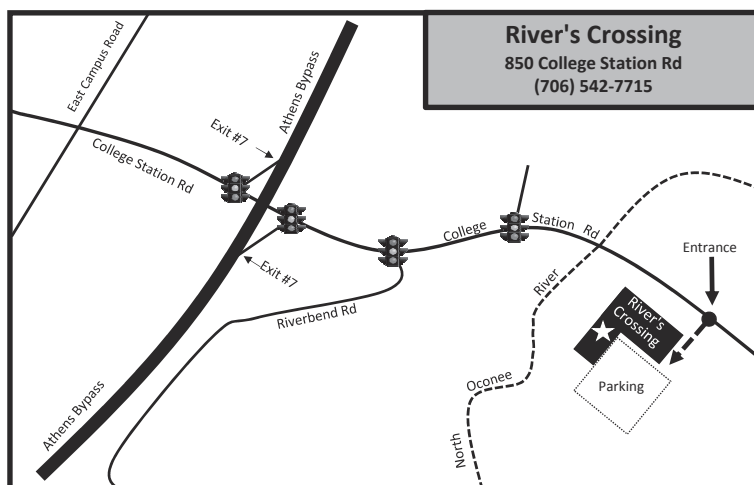
HEALTHCARE – Members will analyze, discuss, and help each other deal with the healthcare issues and problems that face us as we age, whether these concerns are of national or local relevance.

LADY DOGS BASKETBALL – Follow the Lady Dogs Basketball team with other OLLI members. We buy season tickets for all the home games and by ordering through OLLI@UGA you sit with other OLLI members in Stegman Coliseum.

LUNCH BUNCH – This lively and friendly group's purpose is to socialize, meet new people, form new friendships and enjoy wonderful food at locally-owned Athens/Watkinsville restaurants. We get together once per month.

MAHJONGG – Do you already know how to play Mahjongg, or have you wanted to learn? We meet each week in the afternoon at Talmadge Terrace Activities Room. All are welcome-novice to expert! If you have a set, bring it!

Maps to
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Course Locations



NOVICE BRIDGE – This group is for people who already know the basics of playing bridge, but have not played in a long time or have not played a lot.

OLLI BUDDIES – Buddies assist the students and faculty of Gaines Elementary School in Athens, GA. The assistance can be as “morning greeters”, reading volunteers, and math volunteers. OLLI Buddies can volunteer daily, weekly or monthly with flexible scheduling done one month in advance.

OLLI ROCKS – Designed to foster awareness and understanding of Earth and Planetary Science this group meet once per month for professional seminar presentations and associated DVD viewing.

OLLI WALKS – Improve your health while exploring Athens and getting to know other OLLI members. Walkers stroll approximately two miles, two days a week throughout Athens’s historic neighborhoods, parks, and gardens.

PETANQUE – Enjoy this international game from France, related to Italian Bocce Ball, English Lawn Bowling and American Bowling. It utilizes and develops concentration, strategizing, body-mind coordination/focus, and can be played by almost anyone.

PICTURE THIS! Digital Photography Group – Members include complete novices, serious amateurs and everything in between. Meetings feature a “show & tell” session and a presentation on a topic of interest to amateur photographers. Photo walks around Athens and trips to scenic venues and photo exhibits are scheduled.

PINOCHLE POSSE – This group is for those who already play Pinochle, those who have not played for some time & those who never played but wish to learn! We meet twice monthly at Talmage Terrace.

PLANT BASED LIVING – Whether you’re Vegan, Vegetarian, or looking for recipes for Meatless Mondays, we’ll do our best to get more plants into your diet. Included are meetings, potlucks, restaurant outings, fieldtrips and more.

PLAY READERS CLUB – At monthly meetings, members will rotate as director and cast members in performing state readings of plays. The purpose is to meet new folks, have fun, and learn about drama.

POKER – All are welcome, ladies and gentlemen. This will be a “dealer’s choice” game. We play each week in the evening.

R.O.M.E.O. – Retired Old Men Eating Out -- Join us as often or as little as you please.

ROBERT BURNS – Dedicated to the immortal memory of the Bard of Scotland. Robert Burns birthday is celebrated the world over and his poetry inspires to this day. We will have several events during the year including a dinner in late January, poetry readings and scotch tastings.

SHORT STORY ENTHUSIASTS – This group grew out of the “Critical Reading” class offered each term. The purpose is to read and discuss short stories for literary knowledge and enjoyment and to exchange ideas and perspectives.

SOLO SENIORS – This group meets for dinner at an area restaurant once per month to foster interaction and networking among unmarried OLLI@UGA members.

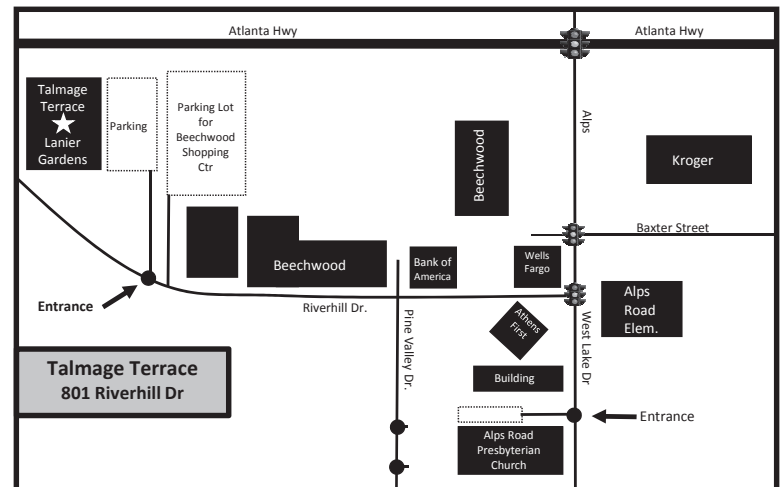
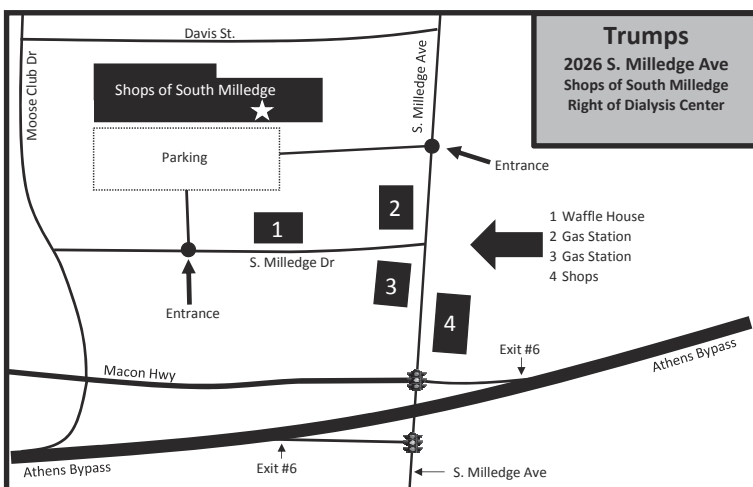
SPANISH CONVERSATION – Still in the formation stage, this group will meet monthly to practice conversational Spanish and learn from each other.

SPLASHDOWN – Members participate in kayak and canoeing activities around Athens. The group will have a monthly trip (Splashdown) for all interested, weather permitting.

STITCH & CHAT – Members gather once per month doing knitting, needlepoint or whatever’s of interest to enjoy each other while working on their own projects.

WISEMEN – Groups of 8-12 men will meet every two weeks to discuss common issues and challenges faced by men living in retirement, to share each other’s knowledge and expertise on a range of topics, and to socialize in an informal environment.

WRITING MEMOIR– Writing about our lives, we share our prose and poetry to learn more about ourselves and each other as we hope to write memoir more effectively in regard to both form and content.



Alphabetic Course List with Schedule

Class Title	Presenter Last	Assigned Schedule	Loc
Ageless Grace for Lifelong Comfort and Ease	Arlington	Tuesdays, February 27; March 27; April 24; May 22, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Aikido: The Way of Harmony	Smartt	Tuesdays & Fridays, February 6 – June 5, 2018 2:00 – 3:00 PM	OS
All About Arthritis	Rolison	Tuesday, March 20, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
All about Composting	Tedrow	Friday, March 30, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
All about OLLI@UGA	Hayes, B	Thursdays, February 1, 8, 15, 2018 2:30 – 3:30 PM	RC
Annuities: Understanding Fixed, Variable, and Deferred	Flick	Monday & Wednesday, February 5, 7, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Appalachian Dulcimers: Their History and Sound	Stricklett	Friday, March 9, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Architecture in Athens: The Greek Revival Style	Lineberger	Tuesday, April 17, 2018 9:00 – 11:00 AM	RC
Architecture in Athens: Then and Now	Lineberger	Thursdays, April 5, 12, 19, 2018 1:00 – 3:00 PM	RC
Assistive Technology to Help Maintain Independence	Beer	Wednesday, April 25, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Athens Ben Epps Airport: History and Tour	Dalton	Monday, May 21, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Athens Music History Tour - A	Butchart	Tuesday, April 3, 2018 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM	OS
Athens Music History Tour - B	Butchart	Tuesday, April 10, 2018 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM	OS
Athens Passenger Rail: A Future with a Past	Crowley	Thursday, May 3, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Athens Then & Now: What a Difference 100 Years Can Make	Doster	Monday, April 30, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Athens Young Designers: Sewing Skills and Much More	Kincey	Wednesday, March 28, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Athens' Historic Homes Tour	Marshall, C	Monday, March 12, 2018 9:00 – 11:00 AM	OS
Athens' Untold Story: The First Flight of a U.S. Monoplane	Aldridge	Friday, February 9, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Athens-Clarke County's Mental Health Court	Hope	Friday, May 4, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Attracting Birds to Your Garden: A Gardener's Perspective	Chastain	Thursday, April 19, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Attracting Hummingbirds and Butterflies to Your Yard	Chastain	Tuesday, April 24, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
August Wilson's Twentieth-Century Cycle	Giles	Wednesdays, February 7, 14, 21, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Backyard Insects: The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly	Matthews, B	Monday, April 2, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Balance Enhancement Activities for Daily Routines: Part II	Simpson, M	Mondays & Wednesdays, February 5 – 14, 2018 10:00 – 11:15 AM	OS
Be Ready for Summer Vegetable Gardening	Tedrow	Monday, February 26, 2018 9:00 – 11:00 AM	RC
Bee There! A Beekeeper's Tale of Bee-ing	Ball	Thursday, February 8, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Beech Haven: A Walking Tour - A	Kuykendall	Friday, March 30, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	OS
Beech Haven: A Walking Tour - B	Kuykendall	Friday, April 6, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	OS
Beech Haven: A Class on the Hidden Arts and Crafts Landscape	Kuykendall	Tuesday, April 10, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Behind the Scenes: How Theatre Magic Is Made	Rose, R	Tuesday, March 27, 2018 10:00 AM – Noon	OS
Biennale: Venice's Rich Banquet of Art	English	Tuesday, March 6, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Blogging: An Introduction	Poole	Monday, May 7, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Blood, Bone and Marrow: A Biography of Harry Crews	Geltner	Thursday, March 22, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC

BoomAthens Magazine: Not Southern Living for Seniors!	Bean	Friday, April 6, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Botanic Gardens & How they Partner for Conservation	Cruse-Sanders	Wednesday, March 14, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	OS
Braveheart, Rob Roy, and Robert Burns: Scotland's Legends	Hardin	Tuesdays & Thursdays, May 15 – 31, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Break the Cycle of Discrimination: A Conversation about Race	Johnson, Mo	Thursday, April 19, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC
Bridge for Beginners	Wagner	Thursdays, February 15 – April 12, 2018 10:00 AM – Noon	OS
Caravaggio: The Bad Boy (and Founder) of Baroque Art	Abney	Monday & Wednesday, March 5, 7, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
CASA and What One Person Can Mean in a Foster Child's Life	Weller	Monday, May 14, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: The Big Picture	Wilson	Tuesday, May 15, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Challenges Ahead: Planning for Caregivers and Care Consumers	Simmons	Monday, May 14, 2018 10:30 AM – Noon	RC
Citizen Kane: What Made Its Story and Style So Influential?	Neupert	Thursday, February 15, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Climate Change: Why Is There a Debate?	Nutter	Thursdays, February 15, 22; March 1, 8, 15, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC
Commonsense Gardening: A Tour - A	Armitage	Friday, April 27, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Commonsense Gardening: A Tour - B	Armitage	Friday, May 4, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Community Spanish II	Gonzalez	Tuesdays & Fridays, February 6 – March 30, 2018 4:30 – 6:30 PM	RC
Condor Chocolates: From Process to Final Product - A	Dale	Monday, February 19, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Condor Chocolates: From Process to Final Product - B	Dale	Monday, March 19, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Condor Chocolates: From Process to Final Product - C	Dale	Monday, April 16, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Condor Chocolates: From Process to Final Product - D	Dale	Monday, May 21, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Conflict Transformation	Lash	Wednesdays, May 16, 23, 30, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Cosmo's Lessons: What an African Parrot Teaches Us Humans	Craige	Wednesday, February 7, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Courageous Conversations: T.O.O.L.S. for Engaging	Bennett-Alexander	Monday, February 5, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Crawford Long and the Discovery of Ether Anesthesia	Warren	Monday, February 5, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Creating Characters: A Conversation with the White Car Gang	Bell-Scott	Wednesday, May 2, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Current Affairs	Carter, Li	Thursdays, February 15; March 22; April 19, 2018 1:45 – 3:45 PM	RC
Cybersecurity, Privacy, & Protecting Digital Assets: You're Naked	Murphy	Monday, Wednesday, Friday, March 12, 14, 16, 2018 1:30 – 3:30 PM	RC
Deerlick Astronomy Village: Georgia's Best Kept Secret	Kuehn	Monday, February 5, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Demystifying Big Data: New Uses in Politics and Social Life	Powell	Tuesdays, May 1, 8, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Desegregating UGA: OLLI@UGA Members Who Were There	Powell	Friday, April 6, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC
Difficult Discussions: End of Life Preferences	Schuster	Monday, April 30, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Digital Citizenship: Taking School Experiences Home	Hollandsworth	Friday, April 27, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Discover the Story of the State Botanical Garden of Georgia	Fischer	Wednesday, March 21, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Dog Behavior Transformation Fundamentals	Bayless	Fridays, May 18, 25, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC
Dog Walking Made Fun, Safe, and Easy	Walker	Wednesdays, April 11, 18, 25, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC/OS
Doors: Creation & Execution of a Mural in the Russell Library	Rosenbaum	Tuesdays, February 6, 13, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC/OS
Dracula: Man, Myth, Monster	Campbell	Mondays, March 5 – 26, 2018 9:00 – 11:00 AM	RC
Dramatic Legal Cases in the News	Carlson	Wednesday, April 18, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC



Drawing Fundamentals for OLLIs	Agner	Tuesdays & Thursdays, February 20 – March 1, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Driving Laws for Seniors	Grant	Monday, February 12, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Drones: A Primer on Recreational vs. Legal Commercial Use	Waters	Thursday, May 3, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC
Dying in the United States: Preparing for the Future	Carpenter	Wednesdays, February 21; March 7, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Eating Your Way to a Healthier You and a Healthier Planet	Blane	Wednesday, May 9, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Ecofeminism: How Women Can Support the Environment	Herles	Wednesday, February 7, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Economic Policy for the Electorate	Nutter	Thursdays, February 15 – March 15, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC
Embodied Spirituality	Camp	Thursday, February 22, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
ENGAGE Now: Volunteering in Athens Clarke County - A	Podvin	Monday, March 26, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
ENGAGE Now: Volunteering in Athens Clarke County - B	Podvin	Monday, April 2, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Excellence in Estonia: Summer Camp and Architecture	Lineberger	Tuesday, March 6, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Explore Scotland's Highlands and Islands	Elder	Monday, February 5, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
FamilySearch.org Research Wiki: A Researcher's BFF	Carter, La	Wednesday, February 14, 2018 9:00 AM – Noon	RC
Faulkner's Achievement in Absalom, Absalom!	Lowe	Monday, February 26, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC
Fighting Cancer with Humor	Finney	Tuesday, February 13, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Food and the Obesity Epidemic: What You Can Do	Johnson, MA	Tuesday, April 10, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Food Bank of NEGA and Its Partnership with the Community	Taylor	Thursday, May 10, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
From Fish to Fungi: Tour the Museum of Natural History	Castleberry	Thursday, February 8, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	OS
Galapagos! First-Hand Reports from the Islands	Murphy	Friday, February 16, 2018 1:30 – 3:30 PM	RC
Genealogy Databases: The Big Four	Carter, La	Wednesday, March 28, 2018 9:00 AM – Noon	RC
Genealogy Research Using Georgia's GALILEO	Carter, La	Monday, February 12, 2018 9:00 AM – Noon	RC
Geological Hazards: Living with a Restless Planet	Dallmeyer	Monday through Friday, April 9 – 13, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC
Georgia Museum of Art: A Tour	Eiland	Tuesday, March 27, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Georgia Public Service Commission: Its History & Key Issues	Echols	Mondays, February 26; March 5, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Georgia's Hidden Biodiversity	Gibbons	Tuesday, February 20, 2018 Noon - 1:30 PM	TC
Georgia's Wild Gardens	Chafin	Tuesday, March 6, 2018 Noon – 1:30 PM	TT
Gorillas: Their Sounds and Their Future	Salmi	Friday, March 2, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Grandparenting Essentials: Keeping Your Grandchildren Safe	Haltiwanger	Tuesday, March 6, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Great Gardens of the World	Armitage	Mondays, April 23, 30, 2018 1:00 – 3:00 PM	RC
Haiku: Capturing Moments	Oates	Tuesdays, February 6 – 27, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Ham Radio 101: When All Else Fails, Ham Radio Works!	Waters	Wednesday, May 30, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC
Harnessing Art and Technology to Boost Vet School Learning	Carter, K	Thursday, March 1, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Hatha Yoga: Basic Practice	Overstreet	Tuesdays, February 6 – April 10, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	OS
Home Modifications: Safe and Accessible with Seniors in Mind	Smith	Monday, June 4, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
How Old Age and the Environment Impact the Brain	Filipov	Tuesday, April 3, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
How Pre- and Perinatal Experiences Impact Our Lives	Rose, A	Tuesdays & Thursdays, May 29, 31; June 5, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
How to Become Your Own Financial Manager	Flick	Monday & Wednesday, February 26, 28, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
How to Efficiently Buy and Sell Tax-Exempt Bonds	Rush	Tuesdays, February 13, 20, 27, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC

How We Can Disrupt the Sixth Extinction	Blane	Wednesday, May 2, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
How Your Teeth May Reveal Health Problems	McDonald	Friday, May 4, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC
Human Research at UGA: Protecting Human Research Participants	Fowler	Thursday, May 10, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Immigration Woes and Joys: Cases of an Immigration Lawyer	Winfield	Monday, February 12, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC
Impacts of Latin America's Commodity Boom	Lapegna	Friday, February 9, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Income Inequality from Multiple Perspectives	Marshall, J	Tuesday & Thursday, February 6, 8, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Individual Disaster Preparedness for Seniors	Cleveland	Friday, February 16, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Informed Consent in Medicine and Research	Fahmy	Wednesday, May 9, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Insects and Spiders, EEEEE!	Guillebeau	Tuesdays, May 1 – June 5, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC/OS
Insurance 101: Understanding the Basics	Simpson, G	Mondays, April 16, 23, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Is It Time for Reuse in Athens?	Hall	Thursday, March 1, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
It's Your Library: Get the Most Out of It!	Green	Wednesday, May 23, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
James Dickey's Deliverance: Novel and Film	Ruppersburg	Wednesday, February 14, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Jewish Humor: What's So Special About It?	Lieberman	Wednesday, February 7, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Johnny Mercer: A Little History, Lots of Music	Martin	Tuesday, May 15, 2018 Noon – 1:30 PM	TC
Join the Georgia Master Naturalist Program	Tedrow	Thursday, February 8, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Kickstart Whole-Foods, Plant-Based Eating	Bradberry	Wednesdays, February 7 – 28, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Lessons Learned in Responding to Alzheimer's Disease	Blackmon	Friday, February 23, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Life as a Potter	Meyers	Monday, April 2, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Making Healthy Lifestyle Choices	Kuehn	Monday, February 26, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Managing Conflict	Rawls	Friday, March 2, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Manuscripts: Books before Printing	Meehan	Wednesdays, May 16, 23, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
March to Victory: Normandy Invasion and Liberation of France	Saul	Tuesdays, March 6 – 27; April 3, 2018 9:00 AM – Noon	RC
Martin Luther's Vision of Humanity and The Freedom of a Christian	Coppins	Tuesday, February 13, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Medications: Let's Talk about the Pills You're Taking	Block	Thursdays, May 24, 31, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Meditative Doodling: Centering Yourself through Art	Gilbert	Thursday, February 15, 2018 10:00 AM – Noon	RC
Memoir: Reflection and Response	Bailey	Tuesday, April 17, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Memory vs. Memoir: Connecting the Dots of Personal Experience	Kay	Tuesday, May 1, 2018 Noon – 1:30 PM	TT
Milledge Avenue from Broad to Baxter: A Walking Tour - A	Whitehead	Thursday, April 5, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Milledge Avenue from Broad to Baxter: A Walking Tour - B	Whitehead	Wednesday, May 16, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Navigating Life's Transition Using Your Internal GPS	Pemberton	Thursday, February 22, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC
Nevertheless She Persisted: Women's History Month 2018	Hannon	Wednesday, February 28, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
New to Neurodiversity? Understanding Mental Health in Social Contexts	Smagorinsky	Wednesday, April 4 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
New Zealand: Land of the Long White Cloud	Pierce	Tuesday, February 13, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Nicaragua: Land of Poets (and Some Amazing History)	Neuhauser	Wednesdays, March 14, 28; April 11, 25, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Night of the Hunter: An American Film Classic	Ruppersburg	Wednesday, February 7, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC



Not Your Mother's Girl Scouts! Empowering Young Women	Legette	Monday, February 26, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Now is the Perfect Time to "Become" a Writer!	Cerulean	Saturday, February 10, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Nuclear Weapons in the 21st Century	Bertsch	Tuesday, April 24, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Nuclear, Chemical, and Biological Threats: The Human Factor	Khripunov	Thursday, February 8, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Oconee Hill Cemetery: A Visit to a Victorian Natural Landscape Cemetery	Marshall, C	Tuesday & Thursday, February 6, 8, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC/OS
Oconee Rivers Greenway: Athens' Emerald Necklace	Porter	Friday, February 9, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Painting Landscapes in Watercolor: Topics for the Beginner	Barton	Thursdays, March 8 – 29, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Palliative Care: Who, What, When, Where and Why?	Apaloo	Tuesday, May 8, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Paraguay, 1864-70: The Modern Era's Most Devastating War	Whigham	Wednesday, February 28, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Peabody Awards: UGA's Role in the Most Prestigious Broadcast Award	Jones	Monday, February 19, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Persuading People Who Disagree with You	Vogel	Wednesday, May 16, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Placing the Penny Whistle in Irish Traditional Music	Matthews, P	Wednesday, March 7, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Plant Stories: Delicious, Delightful, and Deadly	Knauff	Thursday, April 26, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Plato's Republic: A Guided Tour	Robinson	Mondays & Thursdays, May 7 – 24, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Political Campaign Communication's Impact on Voters	Gramzinski	Wednesdays, May 2, 9, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Politics, Society, and Culture in Eastern Europe and Asia	Brooks	Wednesdays, April 4, 11, 18, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Population Bomb: Still Ticking or a Dud?	Farmer	Tuesday, March 13, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Race and the Evolution of Southern Rock	Lyndon	Tuesday, February 6, 2018 Noon – 1:30 PM	TT
Racing Thoroughbreds: The Sport of Kings	Crowell	Monday, April 30, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Reading Novels for Pleasure—With a Critical Eye	Probst	Monday, June 4, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Red Alert! U.S. Waters Are Threatened	Rosemond	Monday, March 26, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Responding to the Opioid Epidemic in Georgia and Beyond	Clayton	Monday, May 7, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Rethinking Annuals for Your Garden	Cottingham	Thursday, April 5, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Retirement Renewal for Men: Opportunities for a Great Quality of Life	Balsamo	Thursday, March 22, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Revisiting the Oconee War: View from Carr's Hill, 1784-1794	Scurry	Tuesdays, May 15, 22, 29, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC/OS
RiverWebs: A True Story about Life, Death, Science, and Streams	Rosemond	Monday, March 19, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC
Roll 'Em: Georgia's Role in the Film & Entertainment Industry	Thomas	Tuesday May 1, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Roundup: The Herbicide's Benefits and Dangers	Sumner	Monday, February 19, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC
Science, Technology, and the Arts: New Concepts in Entertainment	Saravati	Tuesday, March 20, 2018 Noon – 1:30 PM	TC
Seabirds: What's the Scoop?	Parker	Tuesday, April 3, 2018 Noon – 1:30 PM	TT
See Vinyl's Future at Kindercore Records	Fortenberry	Tuesday, February 20, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Seeing Culture: Ethnographic Strategies to Enhance Travel	Moreno-Kilpatrick	Friday, February 16, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Sense and Sensibility: Romanticism and Restraint	Campbell	Mondays, April 2 – 23, 2018 9:00 – 11:00 AM	RC
Sexual Health Across the Lifespan: Seniors, Sex, STDs, and Prevention	Swartzendruber	Tuesday, February 27, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Soil Ecology, Part the Third	Wallace	Tuesday, April 10, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC

Sonya's Mystery: A Child's Hair, Jewish Ancestors, a Speculative Story	Glickman	Tuesday, February 6, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Status of Children and Youth in Athens-Clarke County	Johnson, T	Wednesday, March 7, 2018 1:00 – 3:45 PM	RC
Step into a Magical Performance at ATHICA	Fancher	Tuesday, March 20, 2018 1:00 – 3:00 PM	OS
Substance Use Disorder in the US: Implications for Older Adults	Abraham	Wednesdays, March 14, 21, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Tai Chi Easy - A: Introduction - A	Wittenberg	Wednesdays & Fridays, February 21 – March 9, 2018 10:00 – 11:00 AM	OS
Tai Chi Easy - B: Introduction - B	Wittenberg	Wednesdays & Fridays, April 4 – 20, 2018 10:00 – 11:00 AM	OS
Tallassee Forest: A Hiking Experience	Porter	Saturday, February 10, 2018 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM	OS
Tank Battle at Arracourt: Patton vs Von Manteuffel	Cosgrove	Wednesday, May 2, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Telestroke: An Introduction to Its Implementation and Impact	Zhang	Fridays, February 23; March 2, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Telling Real Stories from Your Life	Turner	Fridays, May 4, 18, 25, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Test. Fix. Save a Life: Reducing the Risks of Radon Exposure	Dean	Wednesday, February 21, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
The Blue Death: Cholera in 19th Century England and America	McMurry	Thursdays, April 19, 26, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
The Revolution is Here: How Media Use Changes Everything	Davis	Monday, April 23, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
The Truth About Private Property: Offending Liberals & Conservatives Alike	Reed	Monday, February 12, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
The Wisdom and Foolishment of Crows	Murphy	Friday, February 23, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Tips for the First-Time International Traveler	Branch	Monday, February 12, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Tour Cine, Athens Nonprofit Arts Theater	Joiner	Wednesday, March 21, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	OS
Transforming Georgia through the Centuries	Connolly	Tuesday, March 13, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Treasures from the Hive	Ball	Thursday, March 8, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Trout Unlimited and Cold Water Conservation	Calkin	Monday, March 26, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC
Trumpism and the Psychology of Politics	Carter, Li	Tuesday, March 6, 2018 9:30 – 11:30 AM	RC
UGA Equestrian: Horse Talk about the Mane Dawgs	Harper	Wednesday, February 7, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
UGA Main Library: Tour and Introduction	Luken	Tuesday, March 13, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
UGA Ramsey Center: Tour & Introduction	Doolittle	Thursday, March 15, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
UGA through the Centuries	Boney	Tuesday, February 20, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
UGA's Green Roof Garden Tour	Courson	Saturday, April 7, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
UGA's Historic North Campus: Walking Tour	Dendy	Thursday, May 10, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	OS
UGA's Iconic Buildings: If These Walls Could Talk	Dendy	Wednesday, March 14, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Understanding the Forms and Functions of Local Government	Hayes, H	Wednesday, March 7, 2018 10:30 - 11:45 AM	RC
United States Senate: An Insider's View	Watson	Tuesdays & Thursdays, March 20 – 29, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Urban Renewal in the City Still Too Busy: Race and the Shaping of Atlanta	Way	Thursday April 5, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
US Health Care vs Global Health Systems: Why the mess here?	Shuster	Thursdays, April 5, 12, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Vietnam: An Unforgettable War and an Amazing Recovery	Guy	Wednesdays, February 14, 21, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Virtual Experiences Impact Physical Attitudes and Behaviors	Ahn	Wednesday, April 18, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Visit Winterville's Carter-Coile Country Doctors Museum	Hartle	Tuesday, June 5, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Vocal Wellness: Keeping Your Voice Healthy and Strong	Wright	Monday, March 5, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC

Walk through the Georgia's Botanical Garden	Chafin	Tuesday, April 3, 2018 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM	OS
Watercolor Paintings of Great Significance	Barton	Friday, February 16, 2018 11:00 AM - Noon	OS
What Happened to Poop on the Loop? A Tour	Loftin	Monday, April 2, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	OS
Where the Men Aren't	Cornwell	Monday, April 9, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Why Is There a Music Scene in Athens, GA?	Barbe	Friday February 9, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
Why the 2016 Presidential Election Turned Out as It Did	Gurian	Friday, April 27, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
William Bartram: American Naturalist in the Georgia Colony	Sanders	Monday, June 4, 2018 9:00 – 11:45 AM	RC
Wine Flavors and Food Pairing - A	Frank	Tuesdays, March 13, 20, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Wine Flavors and Food Pairing - B	Frank	Thursdays, March 15, 22, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Women and Minorities: Challenging Barriers in STEM Fields	Sanchez	Fridays, April 6, 13, 20, 2018 Noon – 1:00 PM	RC
Women of Faith in 19th Century Abolition and Suffrage	Wilcox	Monday, March 26, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
Working with Financial Professionals	Flick	Monday & Wednesday, February 12, 14, 2018 2:30 – 3:45 PM	RC
World's Smallest Airport	Thrasher	Tuesday, April 17, 2018 Noon - 1:30 PM	TC
Writing, Publishing and (Maybe) Selling Your Dreams	Brewer	Monday, February 5, 2018 9:00 – 10:15 AM	RC
WUGA Radio Studios Tour - A	Cardin	Tuesday, May 8, 2018 10:00 – 11:30 AM	OS
WUGA Radio Studios Tour - B	Cardin	Wednesday, May 9, 2018 3:00 – 4:30 PM	OS
Your Backyard – What Should You Plant?	Knauff	Friday, February 9, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC
Your Changing Sleep Patterns: What to Do About Aging Brains	Renzi-Hammond	Monday, April 9, 2018 1:00 – 2:15 PM	RC
Zen and the Art of Chinese Calligraphy	Pierson	Monday, Wednesday, Friday, March 12, 14, 16, 2018 10:30 – 11:45 AM	RC

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