





# A lifelong learning program for people over 50.





# 5 Join Osher for as little as \$50 per year.

New membership levels give individuals more flexibility in participating and a great new option to "get acquainted" with the Osher Institute.



# **6** Exercise your mind and your body.

In addition to thought-provoking and engaging courses, Osher members also have access to the University of Richmond Wellness Center. It's one of many University benefits that Osher members receive.

# 12 Explore the Constitution over breakfast.

Join Rodney Smolla, Dean, T. C. Williams School of Law at the University of Richmond for Breakfast with the Constitution.
This popular course is a series of

constitutional issues.

# 16 Explore the Third Act over lunch.

three sessions that cover current

Come take part in this series of talks, all relating to life after 50. Bring your brown bag lunch and enjoy the provided cookies and soft drinks. All Brown Bag discussions are free and open to the public, so bring a friend.



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This schedule is a publication of the University of Richmond School of Continuing Studies. The contents represent the most current information available at the time of publication. However, due to the period of time covered by this catalog, it is reasonable to expect changes to be made without prior notice. Comments and course suggestions are welcome. Please call (804) 287-6344 or e-mail idowrick@richmond.edu.

# There's a new senior class joining the University of Richmond.

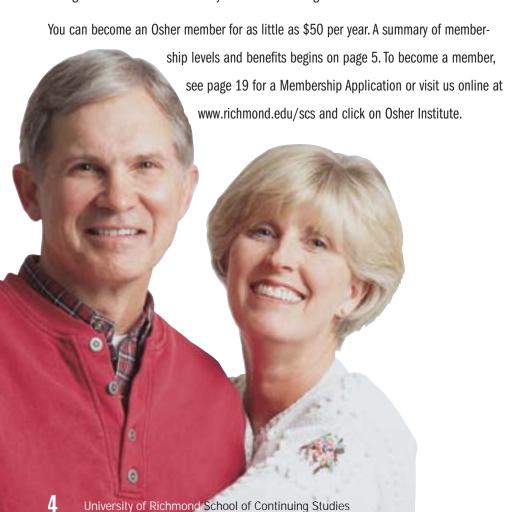


And, if you're 50 or older with a curious mind and a keen interest in learning, we'd love for you to be a part of it.

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute has been established at the University of Richmond School of Continuing Studies through a grant from the Bernard Osher Foundation of San Francisco. We

are a membership organization that serves adults ages 50 and above who are seeking opportunities for intellectual stimulation in a community of lifelong learners.

We offer an extensive array of courses in the liberal arts in the fall, spring and summer semesters. The offerings are a combination of undergraduate credit courses for audit, special interest mini-courses, community service projects, performing arts events and more. There are no entrance requirements, no tests and no grades. In fact, no college background is needed at all—it's your love of learning that counts.



#### **Membership Levels**

There are three Osher membership levels from which to choose, depending on your level of interest. Details of all membership benefits begin on page 6. See page 19 for your Membership Application.

#### GOLD \$400/year

Our **Gold** membership is perfect for individuals who want to take advantage of the entire Osher Lifelong Learning Institute experience. This individual membership includes a University of Richmond One Card and e-mail address, parking pass, six complimentary tickets to the Modlin Center, full use of the library including access to online data bases, membership in "Friends of the Boatwright" and full use of the University of Richmond Wellness Center. In addition, **Gold** members have unlimited access to all Osher courses included in this Schedule of Classes free of charge.

#### GOLD PLUS ONE \$600/year

**Gold Plus One** is the perfect membership for couples or friends who are interested in joining Osher together. When you join with another person as a **Gold Plus One** member, each person saves \$100. This level includes the same benefits as our **Gold** membership but covers two people joining together.

#### SILVER \$50/year

Our **Silver** membership is the perfect "get acquainted" level for individuals who are interested in seeing what Osher has to offer. For a small annual fee, an individual receives a University of Richmond One Card and e-mail address, parking pass, full student-status use of the library including access to online data bases, full use of the University of Richmond Wellness Center and access to register for Osher courses. However, **Silver** members pay for each course in which they enroll.

**Silver** members pay \$100 to audit available semester-long credit courses. Silver members are limited to one audit course per semester.

**Silver** members pay for each Osher course in which they enroll. Course fees are listed in this Schedule of Classes.

## The Value of an Osher Membership

Total Value	\$1,387 and up	
Modlin Center Ticket	\$12 and up	
Online Data Base Subscription	\$35 and up <sup>3</sup>	
Wellness Center	\$500 and up <sup>2</sup>	
UR Undergraduate Course	\$849—\$3,500 <sup>1</sup>	
Osher Short Courses	\$40 and up	
Osher Benefit	Value	

Costs vary depending on the school in which the course is offered. We've used a School of Continuing Studies 3 credit hour course (\$849) to illustrate the total value.
 An average cost for an annual senior fitness membership in Richmond area 3. An average cost for an individual subscription.

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#### **A University Setting Provides Numerous Membership Benefits**

#### **University of Richmond E-mail Address**

All Osher Institute members are eligible for a University email address. Advantages to this include the ability to access Boatwright Library online databases from home or from the Boatwright Library and receiving University notices that are sent to all students, such as "Spiderbytes" of upcoming events. You will still need to maintain an internet connection at your home, in order to access your UofR email address. For instructions on activating your University email account, go to the Osher website.

#### **Speech Center**

If you are considering a speaking assignment, the University Speech Center would like to offer support. Individuals may schedule practice time on a wide variety of visual aids, including Power Point, overhead transparencies, and audio support. Peer tutoring sessions are available with any of the student speech consultants at times designed to suit clients' schedules. There is no charge and reservations are required. To make a reservation or for more information on the Speech Center, go to http://speech.richmond.edu

#### **International Film Series**

Come and enjoy the University of Richmond International Film Series. These films, which are free and open to the public, are shown in the original language with English subtitles. For more details, look on the International Film Series website: http://oncampus.richmond.edu/~mrc/ifilm.html.

#### **One Card: University of Richmond ID Card**

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute members are eligible for the University of Richmond "One Card" which will be used to:

- Obtain complementary tickets for Modlin Center performances (see Modlin Center information in this catalog)
- Check books out at the Boatwright Library
- Receive discounts at the faculty/staff rate for University events
- Use the One Card as a debit "Spidercard" after the member deposits funds by calling 804-289-8769 or online at https://spidercard.richmond.edu)

The Osher Institute office staff will contact newly enrolled Osher Institute members when their enrollment forms and fees have been processed for One Card eligibility. To receive your One Card (this includes having your picture taken), stop by the One-Card Services office, open between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, located in room 330 of the Tyler Haynes Commons Building.

#### **Boatwright Memorial Library**

All Osher Institute members enjoy full student privileges at the Boatwright Library, which include:

- Borrowing books, audiobooks and music recordings
- Use of more than 120 online library databases that can be accessed from a home computer with activation of a University email address

A spring orientation to the Boatwright Library will be held for Osher Institute members on Friday, Jan. 14, from 2-3:30 p.m. at the Boatwright Library.

Osher Institute **Gold** and **Gold Plus One** members may elect to be enrolled in the "Friends of the Boatwright Memorial Library." Boatwright Library Friends are invited to special events throughout the year.

#### **Modlin Center**

Osher **Gold** and **Gold Plus One** members are eligible for one complimentary ticket to each of two Modlin Center performances per semester (Spring, Summer and Fall). When calling to reserve a seat for a Modlin Center event, please have your UR One Card ID number ready. All Osher Institute members with a valid One Card will receive the faculty/staff rate for tickets to all Modlin Center performances.

UR Alumni who are **Gold** or **Gold Plus One** members are eligible for two extra complimentary Modlin Center tickets.

#### **University Wellness Center**

The University of Richmond informal recreational facilities are scheduled and designed to provide optimal recreational opportunities for students, faculty, and staff of the University. With a valid picture University ID card, Osher Institute members are eligible to use the facilities at no cost during scheduled hours. Facilities include exercise equipment and group exercise sessions. Current weekly schedules can be found online at www.richmond.edu by selecting "Recreation and Wellness" in the Campus Directory or by calling 289-8361.

#### **Technology Learning Center (TLC)**

The TLC is available for use by Osher Institute members with a valid One Card and an activated UofR email account. TLC resources include a Macintosh and PC production lab and training materials available for checkout. Help is available from student lab assistants. Priority for use of equipment and lab assistance is given to undergraduates working on academic projects. The TLC is located on the 3rd floor of the Boatwright Library. More information is available on line at www.richmond.edu by selecting "Technology Learning Center" in the Campus Directory or by calling 289-8772.

#### **Jepson Forum**

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute members will not want to miss the exciting Jepson Forum offerings for 2005. Tickets are free and may be reserved three weeks before the event by calling (804) 289-8980. For group tickets or other questions, contact Sue Robinson in the Community Programs Office, (804) 287-6627, jepson@richmond.edu. Forum evenings often include a book sign-

ing, giving patrons an opportunity to speak briefly to the speakers. The University Bookstore staffs a book sale table in the lobby before and after the lecture and accepts credit cards and checks.

# University of Richmond Center for Civic Engagement

At the Center for Civic Engagement, Osher members may join undergraduate students, faculty, staff, and community members to address civic and social issues through action, reflection, and research.

The center will be sponsoring weekly brown bag lunch discussions. Osher Lifelong Learning Institute members are welcome to attend these discussions. The location and weekly topics will be shown on the Center for Civic Engagement website: www.richmond.edu/engage.

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#### **ACADEMIC RESEARCH**

#### The Great Search II

This course is inspired by the current "Quest" question "Are we asking the right questions?" Students will learn about research methods and use Boatwright Library resources to find answers to their own questions about topics they want to explore. This is a continuation of the course which began in the Fall of 2004, however completion of Part I is not required.

Dates: Mondays, Feb, 28 and Mar. 21

Time: 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$30 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

**Faculty:** Ned Swartz, Ed.D., Assistant Dean, School of Continuing Studies, University of Richmond

#### **HISTORY**

#### Leadership in Troubled Times: Jefferson Davis and Robert E. Lee

Since early times, the wartime relationship between the civilian commander-in-chief and his military staff and major field commanders has always been a dynamic one, affected by strategic, political, and economic pressures and divergent goals. So too is the senior field commander's relationship with his subordinates. This course will look at Confederate President Jefferson Davis's preparation for his demanding post, his relationship with his generals, and their performance in combat during the period 1861-1865. General Robert E. Lee's

leadership style will be the focus of our discussion of his military career. These issues continue to interest us as informed citizens of a nation at war with terrorism.

Dates: Monday, Apr. 11 and 18

**Time:** 2-4 p.m.

Fee: \$40 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

Faculty: John W. Mountcastle, Ph.D., Retired

**Brigadier General** 

# A Legacy for Excellence: The History and Promise of the University of Richmond

As we celebrate 175 years of serving students and our community, we will explore how our past has prepared us for educational leadership. This course, based on the theme of the 175th Anniversary Celebration "Honoring the Past, Creating the Future," will cover landmark events, interesting stories and special achievements of the University of Richmond.

Dates: Sundays, Apr. 10-May 1

**Time:** 4:30-6 p.m.

**Fee:** This course is free and open to the public. **Faculty:** Chancellors E. Bruce Heilman and Richard

Morrill, and other University leaders.

#### **JOURNALISM**

# Storytelling: Writing Your Personal Story

This course will present the history and art of storytelling. Students will create and write their own stories in the class, using various creative ways to tackle this task. Family photos and records will be used to help develop one's story, and students will learn about preserving these family treasures. "As we get in touch with our stories, we gain a sense of who we really are, the person we must be now. Our life story may resemble a patchwork quilt: Each story we tell is like a piece of quilt block, representing one bit of color or one piece of texture. When pieced together, the stories become a beautiful quilt. Stories heal us as we remember the diverse fragments and witness the piecing together of the quilt." (from Remembering Your Story: A Guide to Spiritual Autobiography by Richard L. Morgan)

**Date:** Tuesdays, Jan. 25-Feb. 1 **Time:** 12:30-2 p.m.

Fee: \$60 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or Gold Plus One Members



Faculty: Barbara Guvernator, M.Ed., Master Storyteller, graduate of The Collegiate School, Hollins College, and Virginia Commonwealth University; and Whitney Blair, Archival Preservationist, BA English, University of Denver

#### **Writers on Writing**

Have you ever wondered what it takes to get those good stories down on paper? Do you write, or have you thought about writing? Are you interested in knowing the back stories of what appears in print? In this course, five professional writers will talk about their craft, and share their ideas about writing.

Dates: Mondays, Jan. 17-Feb. 14

Time: 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$75 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

Faculty: Nancy Wright Beasley, Author of "Izzy's Fire: Finding Humanity in the Holocaust"; Andrew Corsello, writer for GQ Magazine; Dean King, author of "Skeletons on the Zahara"; Joan Tupponce, writer, editor and photographer whose works have appeared in numerous local and national publications; and Ron Smith, author of "Running Again in Hollywood Cemetary," poet, essayist, and free-lance writer.

#### **LANGUAGE**

#### **Arabic: The Beautiful Language**

Arabic is a beautiful language to look at and listen to. It is also a wonderful language to speak. The grammar is actually quite simple but allows for rich, deep meanings to be communicated in a fairly compact way. With only a few words, you can express thoughts with many shades of meaning that in English would take multiple sentences. Students will learn the history of Arabic and even learn to speak some of this language.

Dates: Thursdays, Jan. 13-27 and Feb. 3

Time: 10-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$60 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

**Faculty:** Muhammad S. Sahli, Ph.D., past president of The Islamic Center of Virginia, and scholar of Islam, Islamic Civilization and the West.

#### LAW

#### The Law for the Layperson

We are all affected by laws in our everyday lives. The course will provide an overview of how laws are made at the legislative, judicial and executive levels, with an emphasis on how lawmaking actually works in the real world rather than in political science texts. Students will glimpse into how the



lobbying process works, and discuss the role that political campaign contributions play in our system (for better or worse). The course will also cover executive branch appointments to government agencies and to the judiciary (with explanations about why the average person should even care about such appointments). The class will be user friendly and interactive, with brief and entertaining tasks to help students understand how the lawmaking process really operates, and how they can become more involved in influencing the laws which affect them each and every day.

**Dates:** Tuesdays, Mar. 1, 15, 22 and Apr. 12

Time: 10-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$60 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

Faculty: April A. Cain graduated from the University of Virginia in 1979 and Tulane University School of Law in 1983. She practiced law both privately and as chief legal counsel (in house) for a publicly traded medical malpractice insurer. She is experienced in litigation matters, administrative law with numerous state and federal agencies, and has been a lobbyist at both the state and federal levels. The mother of two sons, she is also a regular columnist for a parenting website.

#### Criminal Law and the Movies

This course examines the stages of a criminal prosecution through classic and modern films. The course will begin with an examination of the occurrence of a crime, the initial pretrial investigation and the protection of constitutional rights. We will examine both substantive and procedural aspects of trial and evidence and discuss jury deliberations, verdicts and appeals. The course will conclude with a study of punishment and the purposes it serves. Class format is film clips and lecture.

Dates: Thursdays, Mar. 24, 31 and Apr. 14 and 21

**Time:** 5:15-6:45 p.m.

Fee: \$60 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

**Faculty:** Sheryl Herndon, Attorney with Henrico County Commonwealth's Attorney's Office

#### LITERATURE

#### **Osher Lifelong Learning Play Readers**

Originally produced as a play for television, the film "Marty" went on to receive four academy awards. In one review, the play was praised for its "rare quality of honesty, humor and hopefulness." Students will read and discuss the play "Marty" as a group.

Dates: Tuesdays, Mar. 15 and 22

Time: 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$30 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

Facilitator: Jane Dowrick, M.Ed., Program Coordinator, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Office of Community and Professional Education, School of Continuing Studies, University of

Richmond

#### **SCIENCE**

#### Toxicology and Toxic Substances: The Dose Makes the Poison, Doesn't It?

You will leave these sessions with an improved knowledge about how you are exposed to toxic substances, what happens after exposure, and examples of human over-exposures which lead to symptoms and/or death.

**Dates:** Mondays, Jan. 17-Feb. 7

**Time:** 2:45 to 4:15 p.m.

Fee: \$60 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members Faculty: Brenda P. Sahli, Ph.D.

#### The Origins of Life on Earth Part III: Earth's Oven

Find out how high temperatures and pressures deep in the earth cook up a feast of new rocks and minerals. In Part I of this series, Dr. Kitchen guided Osher students through the world of rocks and minerals. Part II focused on sedimentary rocks and what they reveal about the nature of the earth. Part III will cover metamorphic rocks. No prerequisites, and Osher students will be provided with "catch up" readings for any missed sections.

Dates: Tuesdays, Feb. 8 and 15

Time: 3:45-5:15 p.m.

Fee: \$30 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

**Faculty:** David Kitchen, Ph.D., School of Continuing Studies Assistant Dean and Director of Summer

Programs, University of Richmond

#### **UNIVERSITY MUSEUMS**

#### **Art at the University Museums**

This course will explore art in two special exhibitions at University Museums. Participants will have the opportunity to view rarely seen works by artist Andy Warhol and discuss ecologist Rachel Carson's 1962 book "Silent Spring", which helped launch the environmental movement. Participants will also have a private lecture and tour of an exhibition of 18th century Rococo prints.

**Fee:** \$30 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or Gold Plus One Members

Discussion: Rachel Carson's book "Silent Spring" (1962)

**Date:** Wednesday, Jan. 19 **Time:** 10-11:30 a.m.

**Faculty:** Vivienne Shaffer, Executive Director, Rachel Carson Homestead Association, Springdale,

Pennsylvania

Presented in conjunction with the exhibition "Silent Spring: Andy Warhol's Endangered Species and Vanishing Animals," Lora Robins Gallery of Design from Nature. Students are encouraged to read "Silent Spring" by Rachel Carson before the first class on January 19.

# Lecture and Exhibition Viewing: "Disorder, Decadence, and Democracy: Art of the Eighteenth Century"

**Date:** Thursday, Mar. 3 **Time:** 10-11:30 a.m.

**Faculty:** Charles Johnson, Professor of Art and Art History, Emeritus, University of Richmond, and curator of the exhibition. Presented in conjunction with the exhibition "Rococo to Revolution: European Prints of the Eighteenth Century," Marsh Art Gallery.

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#### **WORLD AFFAIRS**

#### Religious Freedom in a Post 9/11 World

Disestablishment is a key concept in the First Amendment and in the Statute of Virginia for Religious Freedom, but what does the term mean? Can there be freedom of religion without disestablishment? The Muslim fundamentalism that prompted the terrorist acts of September 1, 2001 is often analyzed as expressing a religiously based motivation to have a church sponsored government. Is this true? In this seminar we will discuss and define the term "disestablishment," as we briefly review the American history of disestablishment. Then we will turn to the question of whether all religious fundamentalism seeks establishment for itself.

Dates: Thursdays, February 3-24

**Time:** 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$60 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

**Faculty:** Isabelle Kinnard, Education Director at the Council for America's First Freedom. The Council is a non-profit, non-denominational, non political educational organization founded in 1984 to promote and extend freedom of religion as a fundamental human right.

#### Islam: Everything You Wanted to Know but Were Afraid to Ask, Part II

This is a continuation of the very popular class from the Fall of 2004, which introduced the religion, history and politics of Islam. Dr. Sahli will continue his discussion of Islam, past and present. Students will be invited to take a field trip to visit the Islamic Center.

Dates: Mondays, Feb. 14-28 and Mar. 14

**Time:** 2:45 to 4:15 p.m.

Fee: \$60 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

**Faculty:** Muhammad S. Sahli, Ph.D., past president of The Islamic Center of Virginia, and scholar of Islam, Islamic Civilization and the West.

#### **Fundamentals of Terrorism**

Students will be provided with an informative historical background on terrorism that covers terrorist motivations and actions. The course examines the target selection process, reviews several classic case studies and discusses some lessons

learned from events in the last few years. Physical security measures and engineering actions that can be taken to counter terrorism will be discussed. The class takes time to look to the future and includes several checklists and web references.

Dates: Thursdays, Mar. 17-31 and Apr. 14

**Time:** 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$60 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

Faculty: Dick Brushwood, Former Defense Agency

Security Director

#### **Our Global Environment**

This course will examine the scientific and political issues affecting people and nations throughout our world, covering topics such as global warming, acid rain, deforestation, topsoil erosion and nuclear proliferation.

Dates: Tuesdays, February 1-22

Time: 2-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$60 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or

Gold Plus One Members

Faculty: Dr. Zia Hashmi, retired professor of political science, and founder and former director of the Center for International Studies at Georgia Southern University. Hashmi, who also served as executive director of the Association of Third World Studies, Inc. from 1993-96, is author of the book "Iran, Pakistan and Turkey: Regional Cooperation and Economic Development."





7:30 a.m. : Breakfast Buffet opens 8-9:30 a.m.: Session Fee: \$50 per breakfast or \$120 if you register for all three sessions. No fee for Gold or Gold Plus One Members

# Session I: War & Peace: The War Power and The Constitutional Role of the President, the Congress and the Courts

This interactive session will explore the constitutional principles that govern decisions in our society relating to war and peace. The Constitution grants to Congress the power "to declare war," and to pass laws regulating the armed forces. Congress also has the power of the purse, with ultimate authority to fund or not fund military operations. The Constitution also designates the President as Commander-in-Chief. What is the appropriate division of authority between the executive and legislative branches? What role, if any, should courts play in striking this balance? What insights and lessons may we draw from history and current events?

**Date:** Tuesday, Apr. 19 **Time:** 7:30-9:30 a.m. **CEUs:** 1.5

Fee: \$50 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or Gold Plus One Members

# Session II: The Constitution and The War on Terrorism: The Tension Between Security and Liberty

This interactive session will explore constitutional issues germane to War and Peace in the specific content of the modern war on terrorism. Terrorist groups often seek to exploit America's open society and commitment to civil liberties as a strategy for accomplishing terrorist activities. How should our society strike the balance between security and liberty in the context of the War on Terrorism? What constitutional principles should inform and guide our struggle with this question?

Date: Tuesday, May 17 Time: 7:30-9:30 a.m. CEUs: 1.5

Fee: \$50 for Silver Members: no fee for Gold or Gold Plus One Members

# Session III: The President and The Supreme Court: The Delicate Balance of Power

The President of the United States is arguably the single most powerful leader of any democratic society in the world. The Supreme Court of the United States is arguably the single most influential "constitutional court" in any democratic society in the world. What is the relationship between the executive and judicial branches of government in our system, and most importantly, how do the powers of the President intersect with the powers of the Supreme Court? To what extent does the President act as a "check and balance" on the Court, and to what extent does the Court act as a "check and balance on the President?" This interactive session will examine the constitutional text, history, and actions of the President and the Supreme Court in an exploration of the critical elements of the "delicate balance" that is vital to our constitutional system.

**Date:** Tuesday, June 14 **Time:** 7:30-9:30 a.m. **CEUs:** 1.5

Fee: \$50 for Silver Members; no fee for Gold or Gold Plus One Members

This series is pending approval by the Virginia Mandatory Continuing Legal Education Board.

### University of Richmond Credit Courses Open for Audit

All credit courses for audit are on a space available basis. Silver Osher Members are limited to one audit course per semester for a fee of \$100. There is no fee to audit courses for Gold and Gold Plus One Osher Members. Gold and Gold Plus One Osher Members may audit unlimited courses as space is available.

#### **Accounting**

#### **Accounting for Non-Accountants**

Analytical and interpretative approach to study of basic accounting. User's approach rather than preparer's approach used, emphasizing effects of transactions on financial statements; interrelationships among financial statements; and interpretation and use of financial statement information. Emphasizes underlying objective of accounting: to assist in making business and economic decisions.

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan. 12-Apr. 20

**Time:** 7-9:40 p.m.

**Faculty:** Beth Bickford, M.B.A. Adjunct Instructor, President, Cultural Arts Center of Glen Allen

#### **Adult Education**

#### **Critical Thinking**

This course, which may be taken as a substitute for math, is intended to introduce students to the art of critical thinking: the careful and deliberate determination about whether to accept, reject, or suspend judgment about a claim.

Dates: Mondays, Jan. 10-Apr. 18

**Time:** 7-9:40 p.m.

Faculty: Daniel Zelinski, Ph.D., Adjunct Assistant

Professor

#### **Archeology**

# Historical Archeology & Truth About the Past

This course will examine how historical archeologists attempt to sift together documentary and material evidence to answer questions about the past. Primary interest will focus on people who are infrequently written about—"People Without a History."

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan. 12-Apr. 20

Time: 7-9:40 p.m.

Faculty: Katharine Beidleman Thompson, M.A.,

Adjunct Professor

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#### American Art: 1890 to the Present

From 1890s through present day, course includes regionalism, abstract expressionist pop art, and contemporary trends.

Dates: Tuesdays, Jan. 11-Apr. 19

**Time:** 6:30-9:10 p.m.

Faculty: Debra Hanson, M.F.A., Adjunct Professor,

**Professional Artist** 

#### **English and Literature**

#### **Introduction to Expository Writing**

Students will engage in critical reading, thinking and writing across the disciplines.

Dates: Tuesdays and Thursdays, Jan. 11 to Apr. 21

No Classes: March 6-10

Time: 8:15 to 9:30 a.m., Jepson G20 Faculty: Lee Carleton, Faculty of English

Composition

#### Shakespeare and Film II

Students will read Othello, Macbeth, Henry V, As You Like It, and The Taming of the Shrew and analyze film versions of each play.

Dates: Thursdays, Jan. 13-Apr. 21

**Time:** 7-9:40 p.m.

**Faculty:** Rosalind B. Reilly, Ph.D., Adjunct Professor; Adjunct Faculty, Department of English, University

of Richmond

#### **New England Women Writers**

Introduction to New England women's writing in a variety of genres: fiction, essays, poetry, autobiography, travel writing. Authors to be read include Emily Dickinson, Sarah Orne Jewett, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Louisa May Alcott, Edith Wharton, and Sylvia Plath.

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan. 12-Apr. 20

**Time:** 7-9:40 p.m.

Faculty: Sarah Bird Wright, Ph.D., Adjunct Associate

Professor: Freelance writer and editor

#### Film

#### German Film

The course is a survey of German film from the Nazi era to the present. All readings are in English and all films have English subtitles.

Dates: Wednesdays and Fridays, Jan. 12 to Apr. 22

No Classes: March 6-10

Time: 2:45 to 4 p.m., Puryear Hall G13

Faculty: Dr. Kathrin Bower, Associate Professor of

German

#### **Finance**

#### **Applied Personal Investment**

Focuses on practical applications of investment theory. Investment theory presented in context of real-world applications of securities analysis and valuation, investment vehicles, investment strategies, and portfolio management. Will use Internet to perform practical tasks of stock and bond analysis, portfolio construction and monitoring, and mutual fund evaluation as well as gaining exposure to how and why events of the day impact investments.

Dates: Tuesdays, Jan. 11-Apr. 19

Time: 6-8:40 p.m.

**Faculty:** Thomas Gates, M.A., M.S., Adjunct Associate Professor, Senior Vice President, First

Union Bank

#### **History**

#### American Women in Wartime: Home Front and Battle Front

American women have been involved in every war fought from colonial times to the present, both on the home front and the battlefield. They have filled both accustomed and unusual roles on the home front, given support to the military in auxiliary roles, served in the military, been spies, gone to war zones as photographers and reporters, written about and analyzed the history of America's wars, and demonstrated for and against them. This course will examine all these various roles, making use of written and visual sources (photographs, films, paintings, etc.) by and about America's women in times of war.

Dates: Tuesdays, Jan. 11-Apr. 19

**Time:** 7-9:40 p.m.

**Faculty:** Elisabeth E. Wray, M.A., Adjunct Professor, Coordinator, Liberal Arts and Academic Coordinator, Weekend College, Adjunct Faculty, Department of History, University of Richmond;

Freelance writer and editor

#### **An Age of Giants**

Washington, Adams, Jefferson, Madison, Marshall, Hamilton, and Franklin as representative of their age and its ideas and their roles in shaping a new nation. Topical approach includes such issues as structure of society, women, slavery, the Constitution, and development of political parties.

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan. 12-Apr. 20

Time: 7-9:40 p.m.

**Faculty:** Elisabeth E. Wray, M.A., Adjunct Professor, Coordinator, Liberal Arts and Academic Coordinator, Weekend College, Adjunct Faculty, Department of History, University of Richmond; Freelance writer and editor

## **Information Systems**

#### **Web Design and Development**

Focus on planning and development of Web sites using proper design techniques, with design elements such as page layouts, graphics, color, lists, tables, frames, formatting, links, simple CSS styles, templates, and basic forms. Topics include graphics techniques and editing modification of digital pictures. HTML coding, Dreamweaver MX, and Java applets will be used to develop a website.

Dates: Tuesdays, Jan. 11-Apr. 19

**Time:** 7-9:40 p.m.

**Faculty:** Shirley J. Hoerter, M.Ed., Adjunct Associate Professor, Instructional Technology Consultant,

Chesterfield County Public Schools

#### Software Tools: Presentation Technologies

Comprehensive coverage of basic to advanced features of Microsoft PowerPoint for effective oral and online presentations. Use advanced presentation technologies such as SmartBoard, NetOps, interactive monitors and DyKnow software for collaborative learning in education and business environments. Examine the transmission of PowerPoint presentations over the Internet using webcasting. Computer assignments required.

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**Faculty:** Bonnie G. Matthews, B.S., Adjunct Assistant Professor; Instructional Technology Coordinator, Chesterfield County

#### **Software Tools: Microsoft Word**

Comprehensive coverage of basic to advanced document formatting using Microsoft Word. Apply Word features for newsletters, mail merge, research papers, and legal citations and documents. Computer assignments required.

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**Time:** 6-6:50 p.m.

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#### **Advanced Flash and ActionScript**

Modular ActionScript code, video, sound and interactivity. Build complex animations, integrate sophisticated interfaces and navigation schemes. Dynamically control graphics, video, sound and text. Focus on best practices and design, stressing the importance of usability, accessibility, optimization, and performance. Prerequisite: Flash or per-

mission of the instructor. Computer assignments required.

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan. 12-Apr. 20

Time: 7-9:40 p.m.

Faculty: Shirley J. Hoerter, M.Ed., Adjunct Associate Professor, Instructional Technology Consultant,

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#### Law

#### **Domestic Relations**

Domestic problems requiring legal assistance: marriage, divorce, separation agreements, child custody, and financial obligations; ramifications of legal action.

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan. 12-Apr. 20

**Time:** 6:30-9:10 p.m.

Faculty: Nancy D. Cook, J.D., Adjunct Assistant Professor, Attorney, Butler and Cook

#### **Political Science**

#### **Virginia Government and Politics**

A multimedia, high-tech approach to the study of Virginia government at state, county, municipal, and special district levels emphasizing legislative, executive, and judicial organization; and state politics and intergovernmental relations.

Dates: Fridays, Jan. 14-Apr. 22

**Time:** 6-8:40 p.m.

Faculty: Anne Marie Morgan, M.A., Adjunct Associate Professor, State Capitol Correspondent

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of development during prenatal to preadolescent developmental periods.

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan. 12-Apr. 20

Time: 7-9:40 p.m.

Faculty: James B. Angster, Ph.D., Adjunct Assistant

Professor; Psychologist

### **Social Analysis**

#### The Examined Life—What We Know About the Human Condition

Exploring human behavior and the uniqueness of the human condition.

Dates: Fridays and Saturdays, Jan. 14-Feb. 26 Times: 6:30-9:40 p.m. (Fridays) and

9 a.m.-2:30 p.m. (Saturdays)

Faculty: James B. Angster, Ph.D., Adjunct Assistant Professor, Psychologist

## Sociology

#### Deviance

Social deviance at microsociological level, sociological explanations for and current methods of dealing with such behavior. Drug and alcohol abuse, sexual deviance, suicide, mental illness, and child and spouse abuse.

Dates: Thursdays, Jan. 13-Apr. 21

**Time:** 6-8:40 p.m.

Faculty: Jean Moorefield, Ph.D., Adjunct Professor, Transition Counselor, Virginia Department of Correctional Education.

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# **BROWN BAG LUNCHES:** Exploring the Third Act

Come take part in this series of talks, all relating to life after 50. Bring your lunch and enjoy the provided cookies and soft drinks. All Brown Bag talks are free and open to the public. We will meet from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. every Thursday from January 20 through April 28, except March 10 and April 10.

#### January 20 Tax Planning: Advice from the Experts

Faculty: Chuck McCabe, Peoples Finance and Adjunct faculty, University of Richmond School of Continuing Studies; and Catherine A. Mueller, EA, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer for Peoples Finance.

# January 27 Preserving and Extending the Historic Campus

Faculty: John Hoogakker, Associate Vice President for Facilities, University of Richmond.

#### February 3, 10, 17 and 24 Retirement as a Rite of Passage

A series of four talks will explore several dynamics leading up to and including the phenomenon known as retirement in Western Civilization. We will be exposed to a brief history surrounding the development of retirement age in Europe and the United States and examine how our increased longevity is resulting in sea changes for ourselves and our society. We will also take a look at retirement in ritualistic terms; that is to say, how do we go about preparing for retirement from an emotional and/or psychological point of view? Finally, we will culminate our time together by designing a "Rite of Retirement" that is appropriate for those who are participating in the class.

Faculty: The Rev. Dr. John Paul Boucher, an Episcopal priest who currently serves as the rector of St. Matthias Church in Midlothian, Virginia. He received his B.A. from The Catholic University of America in economics, a Master of Divinity degree from Emory University, and a Doctorate of Ministry degree from The University of the South. The topic of his doctoral project was "Retirement as a Rite of Passage: A Look at Some of the Issues Which Surround Retirement." Dr. Boucher is married and has two grown children who live and work in the Washington, D.C. area.

March 3
"One Man's Family": The Columns
of Randy Fitzgerald

Faculty: Dr. Randy Fitzgerald, senior writer at the University of Richmond, where he has worked since 1983, having also served as director of public relations and director of the news bureau. Since 1988, he also has been a weekly columnist for the The Richmond News Leader and now the Richmond Times-Dispatch. He often writes about his wife Barb, their two children, Sarah, 24; Kyle, 22; and assorted family pets.



#### March 17 Lifelong Learning: The Phenomenon that is Sweeping Our Country

Faculty: Jane Dowrick, M.Ed., Program Coordinator, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, University of Richmond

#### March 24 What Do You Want to Do When You Grow Up?

Faculty: Margaret R. Bradley, Ph.D., a business psychologist who specializes in helping boards, work groups, and individuals achieve optimum results. She enables them to identify their strengths that will lead to a sustainable competitive advantage and to develop action plans for thriving in a changing environment.

#### March 31 A Personal Audit: Do You Know wWhat Your Skills Are?

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#### April 7 No brown bag lunch.

Osher members are instead invited to participate in BUILD IT 2005, the University of Richmond's community-wide service event. See information at right for details.

#### April 14 Promoting Brain Health: A Look at the Work of Dr. Paul Nussbaum

Faculty: Pat Wollenberg, M.A. Virginia Commonwealth University, Early 20th Century American Literature. Pat is an Osher member and is currently working on a novel.

#### April 21 Books to Check Out: A Book Talk

Faculty: Ruth Erb, owner of Book People booksellers The ice the Curr org

The largest community service project in the history of the University of Richmond is currently under way.

BUILD IT 2005 is a studentorganized project that will join together students, faculty and staff of the University of Richmond community, as well as the Richmond city community, to help those in need.

Volunteers will construct a Habitat for Humanity house and renovate three Henrico County schools during the week of April 2 through 9. BUILD IT 2005 will officially kick off with the on-campus Habitat for Humanity 5K run on Saturday, April 2, 2005. Throughout the rest of the week, volunteers will build the house and renovate the three schools.

Osher Institute members are welcome to join this effort and should contact the Osher Office at 287-6608 for more information.

#### **Becoming an Osher Member**

Your Osher membership entitles you to enroll in as many of the courses listed in this schedule as you'd like as space is available. Other benefits include access to the Boatwright Library's collections and services, as well as borrowing privileges, discounts for campus events and performances, full access to University dining facilities, free campus parking privileges, free annual series of international films and more.

#### By Mail

- Complete the 2005 Membership Application on the page 19, selecting your membership option.
- Remove the form from the brochure, enclose your payment and mail to:

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute
University of Richmond
School of Continuing Studies
28 Westhampton Way
University of Richmond, VA 23173

#### By Fax

- Complete the 2005 Membership Application on the page 19, selecting your membership option.
- Remove the form from the brochure, include your credit card information for payment and fax to:

(804) 289-8138

#### In Person

- Complete the 2005 Membership Application on the page 19, selecting your membership option.
- Remove the form from the brochure and bring it with your payment to the School of Continuing Studies. We are located in the Special Programs Building near the River Road entrance.
- Office hours are:

Monday-Thursday: 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Friday: 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

■ Please call 289-8133 for directions.

#### **Online Registration**

Gold and Gold Plus One members can register online. Log on to our website:

www.richmond.edu/scs

Click on Osher Institute.

Click on Register for a Class.

#### **Registration Information**

Interested in enrolling in a class or two? Or three? Or more? Osher Gold and Gold Plus One members may register for as many of the courses listed in this schedule as they'd like as space is available for no charge. Silver members pay \$100 for credit courses for audit and are limited to enrolling in one of these courses per semester. Silver members pay the listed course fee for all other courses and may enroll in as many as they would like. Registrations are accepted up to a week prior to the class start date. You may duplicate the Course Registration form on page 21 or download additional copies from our website (www.richmond.edu/scs and click on Osher Institute).

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#### **Confirmation Letters**

Confirmation letters will be mailed prior to each class start date. Class location, parking permit and a campus map will be included.



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This individual membership includes a University of Richmond One Card and e-mail address, parking pass, six complimentary tickets to the Modlin Center, full use of the library including access to online data bases, membership in "Friends of the Boatwright", full use of the Wellness Center AND unlimited access to all Osher courses including mini-courses and semester-long credit courses available for audit.	GOLD PLUS ONE \$600 Same benefits as our Gold membership but covers two people joining together.  Name of member with whom you are joining:  Please note: Both Gold Plus One members must complete Membership Applications.  An additional application is located on the next page.	This individual membership includes a University of Richmond One Card and e-mail address, parking pass, full student-status use of the library including access to online data bases and full use of the Wellness Center.  Silver members pay \$100 to audit available semester-long credit courses.  Silver members pay for each Osher course in which they enroll. Course fees are listed in the Schedule of Classes.
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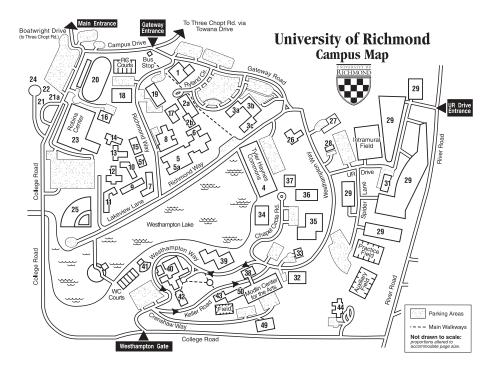




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#### **Directions to Campus**

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