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SUMMER

 **SUMMER 2016**



Our History

Established in 2004 at the University of Richmond's School of Professional and Continuing Studies, the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute operates through the support of its members, the University of Richmond, and an endowment from the Bernard Osher Foundation of San Francisco. There are 119 Osher Institutes in colleges and universities throughout the United States. We offer intellectual stimulation and civic engagement in a community of lifelong learners age 50 and better.

Through the Osher Institute you may rediscover your love for learning on the beautiful University of Richmond campus. We offer a wide array of academic courses and programs year round, in the spring, summer and fall semesters. Osher offerings include undergraduate credit courses for audit, special interest groups, mini-courses, free lectures, 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. If you're 50 or better with a curious mind and a keen interest in learning, we'd love for you to join us.

Give a Gift of Membership

Father's Day, Mother's Day, birthdays, Valentine's, and other celebrations are a great time to give the gift of Osher membership. This is SO much better than another sweater, candy, or a pair of socks! This is perfect for a spouse, partner, friend, parent, grandparent, or neighbor.

Osher membership offers great classes, wonderful benefits, and often leads to longtime friendships. Members may engage in interest groups, book clubs, courses, special events, and travel opportunities, as well as attend special lectures, musical performances, and art exhibit openings. Rather than giving something that is consumed or shoved in a closet, give this great gift of intellectual activities, social engagement, and fun!

For more information, contact Peggy Watson at margaret.watson@richmond.edu.

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Common Ground Mission Statement

The University of Richmond is committed to developing a diverse workforce and student body, and to modeling an inclusive campus community which values the expression of differences in ways that promote excellence in teaching, learning, personal development, and institutional success.

Jeanne Clery Disclosure Statement

The University Police Department, in compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure Act, publishes an annual report outlining its policies, functions, campus safety plans, prevention techniques, and tabulated statistics for the most recent three-year period. For a copy of the Department's Annual Report, call (804) 289-8715, write the University of Richmond Police Department, att. Jeanne Clery Crime Statistician, Special Programs Building, 31 UR Drive, University of Richmond, VA 23173 or access the report online at police.richmond.edu.

Here Comes Summer



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Welcome summer! Life always feels different in the summer . . . we walk a little slower, we observe the colors around us a bit more, we enjoy the change of pace. We have fewer students, fewer cars, more construction, and there is generally a different vibe on campus.

Here at the Osher Institute on the beautiful University of Richmond campus, we experience these changes, but we keep moving! Our course offerings continue during the summer, and we are excited about our upcoming classes. We have topics that range from the 'Richmond and Virginia Theatre History' to 'The 2016 Presidential Nominating Process' to 'Richmond's Unhealed History' to 'Downsizing—Just Thinking About It,' and the list goes on.

We are continuing our partnership with The Center for Culinary Arts. The Center will be offering a great Osher class this summer on the 'Origins and History of the Modern Day Restaurant.' Also, through June 30th, the Center offers our Osher members a discount on its own course offerings.

Registration is open for many of our international trips. This fall, we're offering China (filled), Ireland, Costa Rica, and the Great Canadian Cities. In the spring of 2017, we're planning a trip to the Galapagos Islands and a Danube cruise.

Come be an active part of the Osher Institute today! Page 4 provides all the details on annual membership and course registration. Become a member, sign up for classes, volunteer to serve on an Osher team, join an interest group! Get involved!

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Where do I start?

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Sign up for an annual membership.

You can become an Osher member at any time during the year. We invite you to come and try out one of our many free Osher events before you join. Osher membership is required for all Osher programs except special events, which are free and open to the public and denoted in the schedule with a **Se**.

\$75 – Silver Membership

ENJOY A WIDE ARRAY OF MEMBER BENEFITS & LOW COURSE FEES, PLUS THE OPTION TO UPGRADE YOUR MEMBERSHIP

\$350 – Gold Membership

ENJOY A WIDE ARRAY OF MEMBER BENEFITS & UNLIMITED FREE CLASSES ON CAMPUS

\$25 – UR Membership

FOR QUALIFIED UR FACULTY, STAFF UR RETIREES, AND SPOUSES/PARTNERS.

Member benefits are outlined on the back cover of this schedule. Complete details and membership forms are online at osher.richmond.edu.

A membership form is also included in the insert in this schedule. Contact the Osher Institute office with any question or to schedule a visit by calling (804) 287-6608.

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Register for classes.

We've organized this schedule of classes chronologically by start date to help members better plan their schedules. All Osher events are included in the program listing.

Special events, talks and member bonus programs are designated with special icons. Mini-courses are not designated.

The University of Richmond **Ri** designation identifies those offerings that have university-related subject matter and/or a UR faculty/staff course instructor.

We encourage members to register online for special events. For all other programs, complete the registration form in the insert in the middle of this schedule. Programs are listed in date order.

Mail, fax, or deliver your registration and any required payment. Most programs are free to Gold members. Fees for Silver members are noted.

Osher members interested in course audit opportunities should contact the Osher office. See page 7 for details.

The UR Osher Institute offers need-based scholarships for Osher on-campus mini-courses and talks. To inquire about a scholarship, contact the Osher office.

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Special Events

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Bonus Programs for Members

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Don't forget the extras.

Make the most of your Osher membership and your benefits and learn more about UR campus resources through a variety of bonus programs, which are all free to Osher members.

For your convenience, all bonus programs are listed in the schedule and denoted in the schedule with a **Bo**.

For summer, bonus programs include:

- Osher Membership Orientation
- Bounty of Boatwright Library

- Diversity, Inclusion, and Equity: How We Can Embrace These Within the Osher Institute
- Elements of Bookbinding
- Preserving Your Family's History
- Kluge-Ruhe Aboriginal Art Collection Field Trip
- Taking Your Passion to the Next Level: A Workshop for Developing and Leading Osher Courses

And join us for several special events, free to Osher members and open to the public. They're a great way to get friends and colleagues engaged with Osher. Special events, denoted with a **Se**, include:

- Osher Campus Walk/Tour
- Campus Hike

JUNE

Jane Eyre: But Who Was Curren Bell?

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW Charlotte Bronte's 'Jane Eyre' is rightly known as a masterpiece. It is perhaps the first novel that follows the development of a woman and that also explores several genres. It is without a doubt this instructor's favorite novel. But, who was the elusive Curren Bell?

W • Jun 1 • 3:00 PM–5:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Frank Johns

Too Much Stuff, Not Enough Space!

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW If you can relate to this title, then this is the course for you. Why is it so hard to let go of our belongings? A researcher will provide an interactive session which looks at how our lives are affected by chronic disorganization. This course will look at reasons people clutter and offer ways to improve it.

R • Jun 2 • 10:30 AM–12:00 PM • \$20
Leader: I.L. Khan

Continuation (With New Topics) of American Education: What Is Wrong/Right?

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

UPDATED We continue the conversation about the American education system, pre-K through college. Learn about what 'really goes on' in classrooms and schools. The session will be led by a widely-experienced educator who will both respond to comments and provide insights about educational areas.

R • Jun 2 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Peter Greer

Evolution of Indian Temple Architecture

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW Join this class to learn of the ancient building practices that led to the development of the original temple architecture. The Hindu Temples in India are a reflection of Hinduism and its philosophies. These are Yantra designs manifested in three dimensions

symbolizing the cosmos and housing the deities that created it. In order to describe the philosophy of Hinduism and its mythology, elaborate sculptures and forms are used freely on the exterior walls of the temple.

F • Jun 3, 10, 17, 24 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM • \$60 • Leader: Aparna Patil

The Well-Dressed Hobo

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW This is a personal account of railroading as seen through the eyes of a man who loves trains and has written about railroads and consulted for them for the past 80 years. In this extraordinary inside look at the railroad industry and some of its greatest leaders, Loving looks back over eight decades of colorful people and fascinating anecdotes. Chatting with brakemen, engineers, and executives, Loving shares stories he collected in locomotive cabs, business cars, executive suites and even the White House. They paint a compelling, intimate portrait of the railroad industry and its leaders, both inept and visionary. Above all, Loving tells stories of the dedicated men and women who know the industry from the rails up.

F • Jun 3 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Rush Loving Jr.

Finding a Career after High School

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

Ri NEW The problem for college graduates is that six months after graduation, 41% are working jobs that do NOT require a degree, while another 11% are simply unemployed. Come hear a solution that includes an analysis of 163 careers, plus 18 principles for addressing life's problems. This course will give you great information to pass along to your children and grandchildren if they are at this stage in life.

M • Jun 6 • 10:00 AM–11:30 AM • \$20
Leader: Joe Geiger

The Impact of the Civil War on the Civilians of Petersburg

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW This class will review the war's impact on the city of Petersburg and surrounding region. It will concentrate on the period June 1864–April

1865, when Petersburg was the epicenter of the largest military operation ever to evolve on American soil. Special attention will be paid to non-military sites and structures which still exist and convey the story of this period, as well as the war's impact on Petersburg's sizable free black population, most of whom lived on Pocahontas Island.

M • Jun 6, 13, 20 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM
\$60 • Leader: H. E. "Chip" Mann

iPad Basics

LECTURE, DEMONSTRATION, ACTIVITIES, Q&A

REPRISED Are you getting the most out of your new iPad? Learn short cuts and tricks to make your iPad truly your own. We will cover the basics from setup onward, and there will be generous question-and-answer time and email communication with instructor. Designed for students who own a 2nd generation or newer iPad with OS 7.0 or later software. Registration on the UR network is necessary. Instructions are online at <http://is.richmond.edu/telecom/portable/mobile-registration-form.html>. You may also contact the course leader at ipadbasics@aol.com for help related to the software update.

T • Jun 7, 14 • 10:30 AM–12:30 PM
\$40 • Leader: Betsy Y. Spath

Special Discount on Culinary Classes

The special culinary offer to Osher members runs through June 30, 2016. You and your friends may register for discounted classes through the SPCS Center for Culinary Arts, located in Gayton Crossing.

The **\$20 discount** per class may be used as many times as you wish between now and the end of June, and you may share the discount with your friends as well.

See the full listing of classes online at spcs.richmond.edu/osher/schedule-culinary; use online coupon code **OLLI20**. Be sure to register prior to June 30 for all of your summer culinary classes to take advantage of this discount.

UR's Osher Goes To Market Offering Food for the Brain

Farmers' markets are one of the pleasures of summer. They're the place to go for fresh, local produce, specialty food items, homemade baked goods, fresh-cut flowers . . . indeed everything healthy for the body and soul. The University of Richmond Osher Marketing Team is making sure the markets offer something good for the mind as well by hosting information booths touting the benefits of lifelong learning.

Come visit our Osher Institute booth this summer on the following dates:

May 21: South of the James
June 11: St Stephens
June 25: South of the James
July 9: St Stephens
July 23: South of the James

Tell your friends to look for us. Better yet, join our Marketing Team and be a part of this fun – and healthy – activity! Contact Peggy Watson at margaret.watson@richmond.edu to sign up.



Understanding Long Term Care Planning and Insurance Options

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

REPRISED After 17 years of specializing in long term care planning to include long term care insurance design and claim filing, the instructor will help you understand the core features and benefits of a policy as well as various funding options available. Long term care planning to include a long term care policy should be an informed and educated decision.

T • Jun 7 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Linda Tsironis Caruthers

Making History: A Library of Virginia Transcriptionathon

LECTURE, ACTIVITIES

REPRISED Participate in enhancing access to collections of 400 years of Virginia history. From peace to war-time, court records to letters home, there is something for everyone. Volunteers transcribe handwritten pages by reading written text and typing it into digital form.

W • Jun 8 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM • \$20
Leaders: Sonya Coleman, Adrienne Robertson

The 1920's from a Black Perspective: The Harlem Renaissance

READING, LECTURE, DISCUSSION

REPRISED This mini-course will explore some of the writers of this very rich period. The first class will examine and discuss some short essays that define different aesthetic views of the Harlem Renaissance. The second class will focus on some of the major male writers. The final class will highlight some of the major female writers. A list of readings will be provided in advance of the first meeting.

W • Jun 8, 15, 22 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM
\$60 • Leader: Atalissa (Bitsy) Gilfoyle

Books and Writing–Transmission of Ancient Classical Texts

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW In ancient Greece, the first literature was handed down orally. 'Books' were not common until the 5th Century BC. Early Greek and Roman manuscripts were transmitted through the centuries by copying. Most ancient texts, however, are now forever lost to us. Great histories, poetry, plays, speeches and letters have disappeared. Some were not copied or recopied; others were accidentally lost or intentionally destroyed. Ignorance, vanity, folly, economics, politics, chemistry, fire, and even insects all played a part in destroying much of our past knowledge. This course explores the transmission of the great literature of Greece and Rome, from the Roman Empire, through the

Middle Ages and Renaissance, to the invention of the printing press in the 15th Century.

R • Jun 9, 16, 23, 30 • 9:30 AM–11:30 AM
\$60 • Leader: Glenn Markus

Diversity, Inclusion, and Equity: How We Can Embrace These Within the Osher Institute

INTERACTIVE WORKSHOP

Ri Bo NEW UR's Osher Institute is embarking on an inclusion and equity initiative in keeping with its strategic plan and in concert with the stated goals of the university and the School of Professional and Continuing Studies. As a prelude to this initiative, Dr. Glyn Hughes, Director of Common Ground and affiliated faculty in sociology, will lead a two-hour workshop in which participants will engage with some of the core challenges and misconceptions related to institutional diversity initiatives. Using hands-on examples, media clips, and interactive discussions, the class will also identify practical solutions to individual and organizational quandaries related to diversity, inclusion, and equity.

R • Jun 9 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM
Members free • Leader: Glyn Hughes

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R • Jun 9 • 6:00 PM–8:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Linda Tsironis Caruthers

Early Summer Bird Walk

NARRATED WALK

NEW We will take an early morning walk through the lovely University of Richmond campus to look and

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listen for resident birds. Please dress appropriately for the weather, wear comfortable shoes, and bring binoculars, if you have them.

F • Jun 10 • 8:00 AM–10:00 AM • \$20
Leader: Mary Elfner

Outdoor Entertaining with Oil & Vinegar

LECTURE, DEMONSTRATION, Q&A

NEW It's summertime and the living is easy, and that's what we'll talk about in this class. Learn how to prepare and handle food for outdoor entertaining.

F • Jun 10 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM • \$20
Leaders: Robin Gouckenour, Bettilee Kay

The Wonderful World of Cinema

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW Have you ever wondered why film credits last so long and contain so many different people and jobs? In this class we will break down all the different departments of a film, what their functions are, and how a film is made from conception through release.

M • Jun 13, 20 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM
\$40 • Leader: Adam Stynchula

Wealth Transfer in the Commonwealth: Estate Planning for Retirees

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW Do I need a will or trust? What is an advanced medical directive? What is probate, and is it really that bad? This class will discuss the history of estate law in Virginia, as well as practical strategies for estate planning today.

T • Jun 14, 21 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM • \$40 • Leader: Kelsey Swieringa

Development of Judaism from Antiquity to Modern Times

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW The course will study the development of the faith of Judaism from its inception and show how host cultures influenced its continuing development across the centuries and geography. It will include a concise review of Judaism's religious literature.

W • Jun 15, 22, 29, Jul 6 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM • \$60 • Leader: Gary Creditor

Come . . . and BeMoved!®

LECTURE, ACTIVITY

Ri **NEW** Come to this class to learn about the long-term health benefits of just moving! BeMoved® embraces the joy of dance with people of all movement abilities. Movement expressed through dance and music has a transformative power that can enrich well-being above and beyond the well-known physical fitness benefits. BeMoved® is a dance fitness experience that begins with easy-to-follow therapeutic movements that integrate the upper and lower body. Different musical and dance styles such as Bollywood, jazz, Latin, and disco are used to inspire participants to embrace dance as a lifelong means to health, joy and fulfillment. This course will start off with a very short lecture, then the class will 'get moving!' Note: Wear comfortable clothes and bring a pair of socks.

W • Jun 15 • 3:30 PM–5:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Myra Daleng

From Iowa to the Conventions: The 2016 Presidential Nominating Process

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

Ri **NEW** The presidential nominating process officially began on February 1 with the Iowa Caucuses and will end with the respective national party conventions in July. This course will examine the presidential nominating process in general, with a particular focus on 2016.

R • Jun 16 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Jim Narduzzi

Richmond's Unhealed History

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW Join this class for three presentations on the untold history of Virginia and Richmond from the 16th Century to the present: 'The Trauma of Colonial Virginia and Tsenacomoco,' 'America's Half-Revolution and the Burning of Richmond,' and 'The 21st Century Legacy of Richmond's Unhealed History.'

R • Jun 16, 23, 30 • 3:30 PM–5:00 PM • \$60 • Leader: Ben Campbell

Hitch in the Fifties

MOVIES, DISCUSSION

UPDATED Alfred Hitchcock's reign as one of the top film directors and producers spanned more than 50 years. This class will view and discuss six Hitchcock films produced in the 1950s: 'Strangers on a Train' (1951), 'Rear Window' (1954), 'The Man Who Knew Too Much' (1956), 'To Catch a Thief' (1955), 'Vertigo' (1958), and 'North by Northwest' (1959).

F • Jun 17, 24, Jul 1, 8, 15, 22
1:00 PM–4:00 PM • \$60
Leader: Greg Hall

Osher Member Orientation

Bo Learn from other Osher members how to access and fully enjoy the many benefits of being an Osher member and a member of the UR community.

T • Jun 21 • 9:30 AM–11:00 AM
•Members Free
Leaders: Osher Membership Team

Course Audit Opportunities

Osher Institute members may audit University of Richmond credit classes, which meet for 15 weeks beginning at the start of each semester in fall and spring; summer classes have shorter and more intense schedules and are not recommended for a first-time Osher audit student.

Osher members who audit credit classes do not participate in graded assignments or tests and are asked to be sensitive to the needs of the degree-seeking students.

Gold members pay no additional fees to audit credit classes. Silver members pay \$100 for each audit class.

Contact Debra Guild at dguild@richmond.edu for registration procedures.

Campus Walk/Tour

Ri Se Join us for a walking tour of the beautiful University of Richmond campus. Led by Osher members, the tour provides an orientation to important campus locations, including the Heilman Dining Center, One Card Office, Post Office, other food sites, and parking lots. Also included will be the locations of Osher member benefits, including the Modlin Center for Performing Arts and the Boatwright Library. We will begin our tour at the location of the Osher Member Orientation, as soon as it's completed. Note: Good walking shoes are recommended.

T • Jun 21 • 11:00 AM–12:30 PM • Free
• Leaders: Osher Membership Team

Introduction to Modernism in the Visual Arts

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

Ri **NEW** Join this class to contemplate the ideas that inspired modern works of art. We will peruse work by Cezanne, Braque, Picasso, Boccioni, Matisse, Marc, Kandinsky, Arp, and Duchamp. We will also discuss the recurring themes of creative violence and difficulty in Modernism.

T • Jun 21 • 6:00 PM–8:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Sandy Benoit

Bounty of Boatwright

Ri Bo Access to the vast resources of the Boatwright Memorial Library is a benefit of Osher Institute membership. Students will tour the library building and learn how to navigate the library's web site.

R • Jun 23 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM
Members Free
Leader: Carrie Ludovico

Richmond and Virginia Theatre History

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

Ri **NEW** Since the founding of Jamestown, Virginia and its capital city of Richmond have served as key locations in American theatre history. Explore this fascinating and mostly forgotten story with Bruce Miller, Founding Artistic Director of Virginia

Repertory Theatre, and UR alumnus, Class of '74.

M • Jun 27, Jul 11, 18 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM • \$60

Leader: Bruce Miller

Taking Your Passion to the Next Level: A Workshop for Developing and Leading Osher Courses

Bo Are you contemplating teaching an Osher course? Facilitated by Osher members who lead courses, this session covers the ingredients of peer-led Osher Institute courses.

M • Jun 27 • 1:00 PM–4:00 PM
Members Free

Leader: Bill Bailey

Baseball in a Minor Key

LECTURE, ACTIVITIES

Ri **NEW** We've talked a lot about the Majors over the past few years, but there's a network of smaller leagues from coast to coast, bringing baseball to localities large and small. Currently, there are 19 affiliated leagues composed of some 246 teams, and several independent leagues, so there's baseball all around us. We'll take a look at the history of the minors, share some memorable stories and players, discuss baseball in Richmond, and cap it all off with a Flying Squirrels game at the Diamond.

T, F • Jun 28, Jul 5, Jul 8 (last one at Diamond) • 9:30 AM–11:30 AM • \$60
Leaders: Phil Melita, Tim Williams

The Origins and History of the Modern Day Restaurant

Ri **NEW** This class will trace the history of restaurants from ancient times through to the very recent, with a focus on the social and historical events which led to the inception of what we consider the model for the modern day eatery. A three-course French Bistro lunch, including beer and wine, will be designed, prepared, and served by the instructor and the Culinary Arts Center staff.

T • Jun 28 • 11:30 AM–1:30 PM
\$50 silver/gold • Leader: David Booth

Enjoying the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts

FIELD TRIP

NEW Spend a few hours at the Virginia Museum of Art for docent-guided tours of the American Galleries, with a focus on the McGlothlin Collection, and the 'Kehinde Wiley: A New Republic' exhibition opening in June. The class will meet at the Sculpture Garden at the museum at 9:45 AM. Bring your lunch or purchase and enjoy lunch in the Best Cafe.

W • Jun 29 • 9:45 AM–2:00 PM
\$14 VMFA members; \$24 non-members payable at museum; parking \$5 for non-members • Leader: Linda Borland

JULY

Foreign Policy Issues in the 2016 Presidential Elections

READING, LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW In the current presidential election campaigns, there are a number of schools of thought hoping to shape the future direction of American foreign policy. Liberalism, conservatism, progressivism, socialism, populism, libertarianism, and nativism are all contending for public sanction and support. This course examines the ideological origins of these various schools of thought and seeks to determine their viability and their prospects in the election and in the future of American politics. No textbook is required, but students will be reading articles from publications such as 'Foreign Affairs,' 'The New Republic,' and 'The New York Times.'

W • Jul 6, 13, 20 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM
\$60 • Leader: Jack Kangas

Elements of Bookbinding

LECTURE, DEMONSTRATION, ACTIVITIES

Ri Bo **NEW** Learn how to make your own book. Students will learn how to bind a simple pamphlet structure book with a decorative paper cover. We will cover the basics of paper folding and sewing. By the end of the class, students should have the skills to bind their own books at home. No prior experience necessary!

R • Jul 7 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM
Members Free • Leader: Andrea Kohashi

Cool Flicks: More of the Greatest Comedies

MOVIES, DISCUSSION

UPDATED Join this continuous quest for the funniest movies of all time. This summer we will watch and discuss these classics: 'Woman of the Year' (1942), 'Christmas in July' (1940), and 'Foreign Affair' (1948).

R • Jul 7, 14, 21 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM
\$60 • Leader: Dan Begley

The Adoption Option: A Loving Choice

LECTURE, BOOK SIGNING

Ri **NEW** Adoption can be a blessing for everyone involved: the child who now has a family, parents who now have a child to love, and the birth parents who are able to give their child a better life. Come hear about adoption, the statistics, the myths, the process, and the testimonials.

F • Jul 8 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Sara Crutcher

Preserving Your Family's History

Ri Bo Do you have boxes of photographs or family papers stored away in a closet or attic? This session provides a basic introduction to organizing and preserving family history materials including books, papers, and photographs.

M • Jul 11 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM
Members Free
Leader: Lynda Kachurek

Computer Basics: What is Really Going on Inside That Box!

LECTURE, DEMONSTRATION, Q&A

NEW Have you been using a computer for many years but are still mystified by how it works? We'll explain the major components of a computing device (from iPhones to desktop computers) and show how these components work together to help us get work done, entertain us, and save our pictures, music, and documents. This class will also look at a broad-range of questions, such as 'Am I running out of memory?,' 'How can I speed up my computer?,' 'How should I organize my saved files?,' and 'How do I buy a computer that will meet my needs?'

The instructor will be using a Windows 10 computer to explore the answers to these questions.

T-R • Jul 12, 14, 19, 21 • 10:00 AM–11:30 AM • \$60
Leader: West Cobb

From Germany to South Africa by Car 1963-64, Part 1

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW Join the presenter as he looks at the Africa of 50 years ago and points out some of the changes over the past half-century. The presenter will share the cultural observations he gained traveling in Africa at a time when it was still a challenge to adventure through the continent, which was subsequently torn apart by multiple wars seeking independence from colonial powers. This Trans-Africa tour lasted nine months and traversed the entire length of the African continent.

T • Jul 12, 19 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM • \$40
Leader: Hans Oppe

American Music During the Great Depression

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

Ri **NEW** During the dark days of our country's greatest economic depression, music flourished on a scale unprecedented and unequalled since. We'll consider the roles of Tin Pan Alley, Woody Guthrie, Duke Ellington, and others, and we'll explore the Federal Music Project: the boldest plan for nationwide music performance and participation ever undertaken.

W • Jul 13 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM • \$20
Leader: April Greenan

The Horrors of War Influenced Film

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

Ri **NEW** Join this class to become reacquainted with films from the World War II era: 'The Wizard of Oz' and 'The Bicycle Thief.' We will uncover the history of film through the auteur theory, film noir, and French New Wave, and we will discuss 'Vertigo' and the Cold War.

R • Jul 14 • 6:00 PM–8:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Sandy Benoit



Osher Institute Travel for 2016-17

We have great trips planned for 2016–2017. Here's the run-down:

2016

Great Canadian Cities:
September 21-29, 2016

China: October 10- 25, 2016 (filled)

Ireland: October 21-28, 2016

Costa Rica: November 2 - 17, 2016

2017

Old World Prague and the Blue Danube:
April 23 – May 5, 2017

Quito and the Galapagos Islands:
April 24 – May 1, 2017 (tentative dates)

We have literature and reservation forms in the Osher Office.

Several of these trips are customized just for our Osher Institute and are coordinated by Osher members/instructors. Others are planned as partnerships with other Osher Institutes across the nation. Our hope is that you will be traveling with like-minded people with similar interests.

As always, let us hear from you as to where you'd like to travel. For questions or comments, please contact Peggy Watson at margaret.watson@richmond.edu.

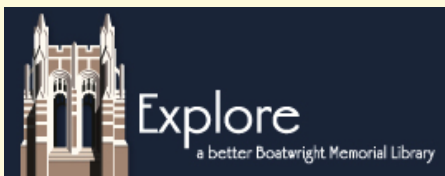
Boatwright Memorial Library Benefits: Did You Know?

The Boatwright library's physical collection comprises approximately 500,000 volumes of books, more than 100,000 bound periodicals, and thousands of multimedia items. More than 110,000 journals, 245,000 books, and nearly 375 research databases are accessible through the library computers.

All Osher Institute members may use the Boatwright vast resources by borrowing books, audiobooks, and music recordings. The online library databases are also available to members and may be accessed from the UR campus via a network ID and password.

And, each semester, the Osher Institute offers courses taught by our expert University librarians. Classes range from learning how to use the Boatwright Library to appreciating the Galvin Rare Book Room and Special Collections.

Use of this wonderful library is a benefit of Osher membership, and we hope you take full advantage of it. If you would like to be involved in the work of the library, the Friends of the Boatwright Memorial Library offers a way to volunteer in an active way. To learn more, contact Osher members Marshall Ervine at marshe73@verizon.net or Carl Booberg at cbooberg@aol.com.



Campus Hike

Ri Join us for a hike of the magnificent University of Richmond campus. Led by Osher members, the tour will showcase what the dynamic UR campus has to offer. Learn about the history and architecture of UR, walk some off-the-beaten-path trails, explore some secluded spots on campus, and listen to a few interesting stories along the way. We'll meet at the Modlin Center entrance near the sculpture. Parking is available in the visitor section of the Modlin Center lot. Note: Good walking shoes are

recommended; check weather forecasts to determine if you should bring a water bottle and/or rain gear.

F • Jul 15 • 8:30 AM–10:30 AM • Free
Leaders: Marshall Ervine, Floyd Myers

Dysfunctional Family: Jews, Christians and Muslims

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW The children of Abraham have a few issues. What do we have in common? How are we different? What do we need to know to understand one other and live together? Larry Lenow will lead a functional comparative study of three Great Monotheistic Faiths.

M • Jul 18 • 1:00 PM–3:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Larry Lenow

Downsizing—Just Thinking: The Good, The Bad, Etc.

LECTURE, DISCUSSION

NEW Thinking about downsizing your home? If you choose to make a conscious decision about downsizing, this seminar will stimulate a discussion with 'yourself' about downsizing, exploring its pros and cons.

W • Jul 20 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Cathy Englishman

Accordion Lessons Made Easy

LECTURE, DEMONSTRATION, ACTIVITIES

Come for an introduction to the Treble, Bass, and Bellows. That's what makes up the accordion! Students will have the hands-on opportunity to try an accordion and to see what it is like to play one. We will listen to accordion music and appreciate why it is number one in Europe and why it is becoming so very popular again in the US. We will also take a look at the new 'digital accordion' that is available today!

F • Jul 22 • 10:00 AM–12:00 PM • \$20
Leader: Al Mermelstein

Kluge-Ruhe Aboriginal Art Collection

FIELD TRIP

NEW Are you curious about Aboriginal art? Travel with us to the

Kluge-Ruhe Aboriginal Art Collection at the University of Virginia, 'the only museum in the United States dedicated to the exhibition and study of Australian Aboriginal Art' for a docent-guided tour. Students will meet at 10:45 AM at the museum in Charlottesville. There is no fee for museum entry.

W • Jul 27 • 10:45 AM • Members Free • Leader: Linda Borland

Osher Volunteer Leadership Opportunities

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute depends on its members to volunteer to help with many aspects of the institute: serving as class assistant, leading an Osher class, and serving on Osher project teams and on the Osher Leadership Council.

Leadership Council members for 2016 include:

Landon Woody, Chair,
landonhw@gmail.com
Charlie Huffstetler, Vice-Chair,
clh1146@verizon.net
George Pangburn, Past Chair,
gcpangburn@hotmail.com

Ruth Blevins
Peter Goodman
Don Miller
Lee Ann Pickering
David Owens
Linda Ventura

Project teams include:

- Curriculum
- Development
- Leader Support
- Marketing
- Membership
- Newsletter

Details of leadership opportunities are online at osher.richmond.edu.

Interested in serving?
Contact **Peggy Watson** at
margaret.watson@richmond.edu.

Formed and led by Osher members, our vibrant Osher interest groups are listed below. More details about interest groups are online at osher.richmond.edu. An Osher Institute membership is required for interest group participants.

Bicycling

This group will explore bike trails mainly in the Richmond area, with possible rides on trails around Virginia. Group members will use their personal bikes and helmets and provide their own transportation to the bike trails. Most rides will be on week days, of moderate difficulty, and several hours duration. The group coordinator is John Votta at johnjoy2you@verizon.net. All participants are required to sign a liability release form.

Bridge

The social/party/duplicate bridge-group meets on the first Friday of each month at 1 PM. A short bridge lesson is taught at the beginning of each session. Please contact Ellen Hollands at efine98@aol.com or (804) 741-0221 if you are interested in joining. These are FUN groups. All levels are welcome!

Great Conversations

For the past eight years our group has been discussing short stories, essays and poetry, with a few longer readings mixed in. The subjects of our chats? This, that and the other thing. As one of our members said long ago, "This is the beginning of a great adventure!" We've floated deep into the Heart of Darkness with Joseph Conrad; in 'Roman Fever', Edith Wharton allowed us to eavesdrop on a long-ago romantic rivalry between two wealthy matrons; Thucydides introduced us to power politics between Athens and Sparta with the tiny isle of Melos as the prize. The adventure continues! We'll discuss Annie Dillard's wonderful essay, 'Seeing'; and writing by Mark Twain, Dorothy Parker and Aristophanes which is sure to provoke laughter. There's much more to come. We hope you'll join us on the fourth Wednesday

of every month from 2-4 PM for smart, friendly conversation about shoes and ships and sealing wax, not to mention cabbages and kings, and who knows what else? If you'd like to sign up, or have questions, please contact John Bruns, the group coordinator, at johnbruns@comcast.net.

Hikers

Come with us and explore the wonders of nature. The breathtaking waterfalls, wildlife, various plants and vegetation; not to mention historic urban settings. Our hikes run from September through June and cover an array of venues from the Shenandoah National Forest to urban hikes, and all points in between. Our hikes generally run between four and seven miles in length with varying degrees of difficulty and elevation change. We generally leave campus around 8 AM and return by 5 PM. For more information, contact the group coordinator; Tim Hanger at tmhang5@gmail.com. All participants are required to sign a liability release form.

Spring/Summer Hikes

May 16, Monday: Mariners' Museum Park, Newport News
June 16, Thursday: York River State Park

Investments

Now is a great time to join the Investments group. Share your knowledge and gain new ideas that may help you in your personal portfolio. Participants assume any and all risks related to their investment decisions.

The group coordinators are:

Diane Andrews:
liasd1@gmail.com

Jerry Cooney:
jerrycooney@gmail.com

Dave Messenger:
ddmessenger87@gmail.com

Literary Dreamers

Osher members are welcome to join this group founded in 2001 by dedicated School of Professional and Continuing Studies students. Readings range from academic non-fiction

Osher Interest Groups



to literary fiction to popular fiction. The group coordinator is Kelly Winters at kwpw79@gmail.com.

Theatre Lovers

A love for live theatre is the only prerequisite for joining this interest group. This Osher interest group explores the Richmond theatre scene by selecting and attending various performances throughout the year. Here's our summer offering:

06/26/16 The Boy From Oz

We will have a whole new list of great plays for 2016-2017, so stay tuned.

There is a wonderful social aspect to this group. When appropriate, we plan to gather after a performance for discussion and a meal. We also hope there will be occasions to go backstage and talk with local actors. To learn more and to join, please contact Linda Turner at lturner@richmond.edu.



Member Benefits at a Glance

- Membership is good for 12 months from date you join
- Several membership options
- Free Osher member orientation and tour

- Osher members receive a discount at the Modlin Center for the Arts
- Free parking on UR campus
- Unlimited borrowing privileges at the UR's Boatwright Library

- Use of more than 100 online databases at the UR Library
- UR 'One Card' used to access full privileges at the UR Library and discounts at some area retailers
- UR email address

- Daily 'SpiderBytes' notice of UR campus programs and events
- Access to UR help centers for preparing presentations and using technology
- Opportunity to audit credit classes
- Unlimited on campus Osher classes for Gold members

Explore your love of learning at UR's Osher Institute.

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute combines intellectual stimulation and civic engagement with a vibrant community of like-minded students, age 50 and older.

We offer an extensive array of programs in the liberal arts in the fall, spring, and summer semesters. 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. Join the fun today!

For more information, contact us today:

Margaret "Peggy" Watson, Director
 margaret.watson@richmond.edu
 (804) 287-6344

Debra Guild, Administrative Coordinator
 dguild@richmond.edu
 (804) 287-6608





Membership Form & Registration Form and Calendar Summer 2016

Membership Form: Please use black ink, print clearly and complete payment information.

Registration Form and Calendar: To register for a class check the box next to the CRN number for those classes you wish to attend. To register for an event, register at spcs.richmond.edu/osher/events.

Mail: Mail your registration form and payment to:
Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Room 100
School of Professional and Continuing Studies
University of Richmond, VA 23173

Fax: Cut this insert in half on fold and fax to our secure fax to (804)287-1264.

Deliver: Deliver your registration form and payment to:
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School of Professional and Continuing Studies (#31 on Campus Map)
University of Richmond, VA





Membership Form Summer 2016

NEW MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL MEMBERSHIP

Please use black ink. Print clearly. Please complete payment information.

This form is also available online at osher.richmond.edu

Member Information

Today's Date _____

Name _____ Preferred Name _____

UR ID Number _____ Date of Birth / / _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone (Day) _____ (Evening) _____ (Cell) _____

Email _____ US Citizen Yes No Gender Male Female

Prior or Current Occupation _____

How did you hear about the Osher Institute? _____

Are you a UR Alumna/us? Yes No Year of Graduation _____ Degree _____

Ethnicity/Race (Optional)

1. Are you Hispanic/Latino? Yes, Hispanic or Latino No

2. Regardless of your answer to the prior question, please select one from the following ethnicities that best describe you:

American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White

Local emergency contact:

Name _____ Telephone Number _____

New/Renewing Membership Options Please select your annual membership level. You may join at anytime during the year. Your membership is valid for one year from the date you join. Member benefits are detailed inside front cover of this schedule and online at osher.richmond.edu.

GOLD \$350

SILVER \$75

UR OSHER \$25 (for faculty, staff, retirees of UR, and their spouses/partners)

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School of Professional and Continuing Studies
University of Richmond, VA 23173
SECURE FAX: (804) 287-1264

You may also drop off your form:

Osher Institute Office
Special Programs Building (#31 on UR Campus Map)
Room 100

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Osher Institute members and friends of the Osher Institute are encouraged to consider tax-deductible gifts to the Osher Institute. Your gift is a gift of education and exploration that helps us continue to provide excellent lifelong learning opportunities and to keep Osher Institute fees affordable. These same gifts may also be used to fund an 'Osher Scholarships for SPCS Credit Students,' which help these students reach their goal of a college degree. For details on making a gift, please contact the Osher Institute office at (804) 287-6344.



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 Your payment **MUST** accompany this form.

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Credit Card. We accept VISA, MasterCard or American Express. (Credit card information is not retained.)

Please complete the following: Please charge my: VISA MasterCard American Express

Account Number _____ Expiration Date _____

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Registration Form and Calendar Summer 2016

Date _____

Last Name _____

First Name _____

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Please total your course fees and complete the following information necessary for processing your registration:

Name	UR ID	Email
Address	Phone	

CRN	Fee*	Title, Page Number	Date, Time/(Day of Week)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50387/50388	\$20	Jane Eyre: But Who Was Currer Bell, 5	Jun 1, 3-5pm(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50374/50375	\$20	Too Much Stuff, Not Enough Space!, 5	Jun 2, 10:30-noon(R)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50341/50342	\$20	Continuation of American Education, 5	Jun 2, 1-3pm(R)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50359/50360	\$60	Evolution of Indian Temple Architecture, 5	Jun 3,10,17,24, 10-noon(F)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50361/50362	\$20	The Well-Dressed Hobo, 5	Jun 3, 1-3pm(F)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50343/50344	\$20	Finding a Career after High School, 5	Jun 6, 10-11:30am(M)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50363/50364	\$60	The Impact of the Civil War-Petersburg, 5	Jun 6,13,20, 1-3pm(M)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50376/50377	\$40	iPad Basics, 5	Jun 7,14, 10:30am-12:30pm(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50378/50379	\$20	Understanding Long Term Care Planning, 6	Jun 7, 1-3pm(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50365/50366	\$20	Making History: A Library of Virginia Transcribe-athon, 6	Jun 8, 10-noon(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50389/50390	\$60	The 1920's from a Black Perspective, 6	Jun 8,15,22, 1-3pm(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50367/50368	\$60	Books and Writing-Transmission of Ancient Texts, 6	Jun 9,16,23,30, 9:30-11:30am(R)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50380	members free	Diversion, Inclusion and Equity, 6	Jun 9, 1-3pm(R)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50385/50386	\$20	Understanding Long Term Care Planning, 6	Jun 9, 6-8pm(R)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50395/50396	\$20	Early Summer Bird Walk, 7	Jun 10, 8-10am(F)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50348/50349	\$20	Outdoor Entertaining with Oils & Vinegar, 7	Jun 10, 1-3pm(F)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50350/50351	\$40	The Wonderful World of Cinema, 7	Jun 13,20, 10-noon(M)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50381/50382	\$40	Wealth Transfer in the Commonwealth, 7	Jun 14,21, 1-3pm(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50393/50394	\$60	Development of Judaism, 7	Jun 15,22,29, 10-noon(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50043/50044		Development of Judaism, 7	Jul 6, 10-noon(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50352/50353	\$20	Come...and BeMoved, 7	Jun 15, 3:30-5pm(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50391/50392	\$20	From Iowa to the Conventions, 7	Jun 16, 1-3pm(R)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50369/50370	\$60	Richmond's Unhealed History, 7	Jun 16,23,30, 3:30-5pm(R)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50354/50355	\$60	Hitch in the Fifties, 7	Jun 17,24, 1-4pm(F)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50013/50014		Hitch in the Fifties, 7	Jul 1,8,15,22, 1-4pm(F)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50345	members free	Osher Member Orientation, 7	Jun 21, 9:30-11am(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> register online	free	Campus Walk/Tour, 8	Jun 21, 11am-12:30pm(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50356/50357	\$20	Introduction to Modernism in the Visual Arts, 8	Jun 21, 6-8pm(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50346	members free	Bounty of Boatwright Library, 8	Jun 23,1-3pm(R)

*Silver members pay this fee; no fee for Gold member. M=Monday, T=Tuesday, W=Wednesday, R=Thursday, F=Friday, S=Saturday, U=Sunday

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<input type="checkbox"/> 50371/50372	\$60	Richmond and Virginia Theatre History, 8	Jun 27, 10-noon(M)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50015/50016		Richmond and Virginia Theatre History, 8	Jul 11, 18, 10-noon(M)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50347	members free	Taking Your Passion to the Next Level, 8	Jun 27, 1-4pm(M)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50383/50384	\$60	Baseball in Minor Key, 8	Jun 28, 9:30-11:30pm(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50018/50019		Baseball in Minor Key, 8	Jul 5, 9:30-11:30am(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50373	\$50 silver/gold	The Origins and History of the Modern Day Restaurant, 8	Jun 28, 11:30-1:30pm(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50358		Enjoying the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, 8	Jun 29, 9:45-2pm(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50039/50040	\$60	Foreign Policy Issues in the 2016 Presidential Elections, 8	Jul 6,13,20, 1-3pm(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50021	members free	Elements of Bookbinding, 8	Jul 7, 10-noon(R)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50022/50023	\$60	Cool Flicks, 9	Jul 7,14,21, 1-3pm(R)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50029/50030	\$20	The Adoption Option: A Loving Choice, 9	Jul 8, 10-noon(F)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50020	members free	Preserving Your Family's History, 9	Jul 11, 1-3pm(M)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50031/50032	\$60	Computer Basics, 9	Jul 12,14,19,21, 10-11:30am(TR)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50027/50028	\$40	From Germany to South Africa by Car, 9	Jul 12,19, 1-3pm(T)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50035/50036	\$20	American Music During the Great Depression, 9	Jul 13, 10-noon(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50024/50025	\$20	The Horrors of War Influenced Film, 9	Jul 14, 6-8pm(R)
register online	free	Campus Hike, 10	Jul 15, 8:30-10:30am(F)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50041/50042	\$20	Dysfunctional Family, 10	Jul 18, 1-3pm(M)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50033/50034	\$20	Downsizing, 10	Jul 20, 10-noon(W)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50037/50038	\$20	Accordion Lessons Made Easy, 10	Jul 22, 10-noon(F)
<input type="checkbox"/> 50026	members free	Kluge-Ruhe Aboriginal Art Collection, 10	Jul, 27, 8am-5pm(W)

TOTAL DUE:

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PAYMENT

*Gold Member—no payment required except for programs where silver and gold is indicated.

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