



What's Next in Your Life?



Spring 2011 Calendar



Division of Continuing and Global Education

California State University, Fresno

*"I love these lectures — it is great to be retired and keep going to classes.
Learning never ends!"*

Here is another term, with General Sessions, Short Courses, and Field Trips, designed to keep us learning for the sake of learning. The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute is in its sixth year of providing programming for members. You'll be sure to find something to appeal to you, whether it introduces you to something new, or continues to expand your interest in something familiar.

One of the pleasures of putting together this schedule is discovering what members would be interested in, and then locating people whose passion for a subject or discipline can be shared with us. I have found that meeting and getting to know these people is as rewarding as getting to know the members. It is not only the knowledge content, but also the social connections that make it so much fun to work for and with the Osher presenters and members.

Thank you for the opportunity to work for you and to share in these experiences. By way of farewell, let me tell you some of my hopes for the OLLI at Fresno State: I hope you will continue to participate, I hope you will encourage friends to join you, and I hope more of you will share your own rich knowledge and experience with your fellow OLLIs.

I also hope the program will continue to offer not just information but skill-based activities, such as the memoir writing short course being repeated this term. I am sure there are other possibilities out there.

As you will have inferred, this is my last term with OLLI. I am returning to Colorado at the end of December. I will miss many things and many people in California, not the least of which are OLLI and you. It has been a privilege to share your enthusiasm for learning.

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John R. Dunn

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The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at California State University, Fresno, is designed for adults age 50+ who wish to continue learning and exploring for the sheer joy of it. Renew your enthusiasm for learning in a relaxed atmosphere, without entrance requirements, grades or exams.

Membership Information

Fresno State's OLLI has a variety of choices for member participation, ranging from General and Associate memberships to short courses and field trips. You choose how involved you wish to be, depending on your availability and interests.

General Sessions and Short Courses are open ONLY to OLLI members. Seating is limited for some events **so be sure to send your registration in as soon as possible**. We cannot accommodate guests at individual sessions; however, anyone may attend a General Session by becoming an Associate Member (\$25 per person fee for the Spring semester), which allows them to attend two General Sessions of their choice. Non-members may attend Field Trips by paying the non-member registration fees for those individual trips (see details under Field Trip listings in this brochure).

Membership fees are non-refundable and non-transferable. Members who must cancel their Field Trips or Short Courses will be refunded only if their space can be filled.

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP – Fee \$65 single, \$110 couple

- Admission to all seven (7) General Sessions scheduled during the Spring 2011 semester
- Opportunity to sign up for Short Courses and Field Trips (see schedule for details)
- Free parking on campus during all General Session events and Short Courses
- Madden Library privileges
- OLLI-Mail announcements of Fresno State events via email

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP – Fee \$25 per person

- Admission to TWO (2) General Session events (your choice) during the Spring 2011 semester
- Opportunity to sign up for Short Courses and Field Trips (see schedule for details)
- Free parking on campus during two (2) General Session events and all Short Courses
- Madden Library privileges
- OLLI-Mail announcements of Fresno State events via email

SHORT COURSES – Fee varies depending on number of class meetings

- Open only to OLLI members (General and Associate)
- Short Courses are self-supporting; a minimum enrollment is required or courses may be cancelled
- Registration for all Short Courses is first come, first served

FIELD TRIPS – Fee varies depending on destination

- Open to members and non-members
- Field Trips are self-supporting; a minimum enrollment is required or trips may be cancelled
- Registration for all Field Trips is first come, first served

NEW! A TASTE OF OLLI MEMBERSHIP – Fee \$25 per person, three evening sessions; see details on page 10

Designed for those who are still working during our daytime events, this package of three (3) lectures is scheduled from 6:00 – 7:30 pm. Come after work and enjoy listening and learning—just for the fun of it!

- Opportunity to sign up for Short Courses and Field Trips (see schedule for details)
- Free parking on campus during three evening sessions
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Spring 2011 Schedule of Activities

General Sessions

Fresno State's First One Hundred Years

Thursday, January 13 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Satellite Student Union

Dr. John D. Welty has been president of California State University, Fresno, since July 29, 1991. He is also a professor in the Kremen School of Education and Human Development. A native of Amboy, Illinois, Dr.



Welty held administrative positions at Michigan State University, Southwest State University (Minnesota), and the State University of New York (Albany). His presentation will focus on the evolution of Fresno State from Normal School to an engaged university and the role it is playing in Central California. He will also discuss directions for the future and the University's commitment to serve the region.

Stroke Prevention and Intervention

Thursday, February 10 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Satellite Student Union

Each year, about 795,000 people experience a new or recurrent stroke, which is the nation's leading cause of death. Dr. Tanya Warwick, who is largely responsible for developing the first certified stroke center



between Bakersfield and the Bay Area, will explain the warning signs and outline the process from the time a patient comes to the emergency room until they are discharged to return home. An associate clinical professor for the University of California, San Francisco, she serves on the statewide Stroke Task Force for the American

Stroke Association. She recently garnered headlines in the Fresno Bee when she invited the wife and infant

daughter of a stroke patient to live with her after the British man collapsed while on vacation in Yosemite.

A Forecast of the U.S., State, and Central Valley Economy

Wednesday, February 23 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Satellite Student Union

Dr. Joseph Penbera's lively, informative, and interactive session will explore what's ahead for the national, California, and Central Valley economies as derived from an analysis of trends and signals of leading economic indicators. A former dean of the Craig School of Business at Fresno State, he is a Senior Fulbright Scholar in Economics and holds degrees from Rutgers, Bernard Baruch



University, and the American University where he was a Seckler Hudson Fellow. He is currently chairman of the Council of Economic Advisors in Fresno, a member of the Financial Executives Institute, and is listed in *Who's Who in the United States: International*.

Religious Freedom in America: Toward a More Perfect Union

Tuesday, March 8 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Satellite Student Union

The First Amendment has been interpreted differently, not only by time periods but also by locations within the United States. We tend to think we know what the amendment means but if historical evidence is accurate, it suggests varying perceptions on this most basic of amendments. Clint Horwitz graduated from U.C. Berkeley as a history major, with emphasis on U.S. Intellectual History. He graduated from Southwestern University School of Law and has been a practicing attorney since 1982. For the past 24 years he has served as research attorney for the California



Court of Appeal, Fifth Appellate District.

Creativity and the Arts

Tuesday, March 22 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Satellite Student Union

Fresno State's new multidisciplinary Center for Creativity and the Arts (CCA) is an exciting new program that examines and stimulates discussion around a current topic of interest in our community. José A. Díaz, DMA, associate dean of the College of Arts and Humanities at Fresno State, will discuss this topic selected for 2011: Immigration, Migration and Labor. Highlighting the work of El Paso-based



sculptor Margarita Cabrera, CCA will offer a series of guest speakers, films, K-12 interdisciplinary arts education programming, and art exhibits, and will engage community organizations in a multidimensional dialog around the topic of Immigration, Migration and Labor in the San Joaquin Valley. Dr. Díaz has held the Hon. Edward and Anita Shanahan Principal Oboe Chair with the Fresno Philharmonic Orchestra since 1986, and performs regularly with the Orpheus Chamber Ensemble and the California Wind Quintet.

Meditation for Everyone

Tuesday, April 12 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Satellite Student Union

Yes, seniors have stress! Join Dr. Diane Dimon and learn how to turn off the noisy and fretful mind that causes stress. She will explain how meditation offers simple and proven ways to relax tension as well as reframe thinking patterns that cause stress. Learn how meditation can improve your mental clarity and reduce chronic pain, anxiety, insomnia, and many other stress-related conditions. Dr. Dimon is founder of Matters of the Mind, a Fresno company that teaches mind-body techniques both locally and nationally for



improved happiness. She holds a doctorate in Religious Studies with emphasis on the study of consciousness, and is author of *The Meditation CD*, *Finding Stillness*, and her upcoming book, *Mindful Eating*.

Wine: Finding Quality

Monday, May 2 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Satellite Student Union

Defining quality is always problematic and nowhere is this a more vexing issue than in the case of wine. One person's medal winner is another's reject. Over the years, the professional wine community has worked toward establishing uniform definitions of quality such that consumers' expectations and experience are met with each purchase. K. C. Fugelsang is professor of enology at Fresno State, where he recently co-authored, with Charles Edwards of Washington State University, the second edition of *Wine Microbiology - Practical Applications and Procedures*. The first edition of this book received the 2007 Prix de l'OIV, representing only the second time in the history of the award that an American author was recognized in the field of Oenology. Professor Fugelsang manages Fresno State's 20,000 case commercial winery, where his students have received more than 350 awards in major wine competitions since its inception in 1997.



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Short Courses

Short courses are designed for smaller groups, providing the opportunity for more interaction with the instructors. These courses are self-supporting and require a minimum enrollment.

Biology: Ecology and Animal Behavior with Richard Haas, Ph.D.

Ecology is the scientific study of the relationships that define the existence of all life on earth. The basic principles of these relationships are the same for an animal on the Serengeti of Africa as they are for a fish in a small pond in Michigan. Behavior is what animals do. While that idea is not especially profound, neither is it

all that obvious. This class will examine the principles of ecology and discuss what is learned and what is instinct in the animal world. Dr. Haas was a professor of ichthyology, vertebrate natural history, animal behavior, human ecology, and general biology at Fresno State for 23 years. His experience includes working as a researcher in organ transplant biology and more than 20 years as a consultant to the World Health Organization on the use of fish as bio-control against malaria vectors in developing countries.

Two Tuesdays, January 18 & 25 • 3:30 – 5:00 pm

Fee: \$25 • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students

Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

Constructing California: A Geologic Cross-section Through the Golden State with Stephen Lewis, Ph.D.

California is a state with a very wide diversity of weather and climate zones, geographic regions, and underlying it all, a wide variety of geologic provinces. In fact, much of the foundation of California



originated far away and has been transported and assembled in its present location. Dr. Lewis will discuss the origins of the diverse geologic/tectonic rock units and how they came to become elements of the Golden State—

including the gold. Dr. Lewis is an associate professor of geophysics at Fresno State and has previously spoken to OLLI on the topics of global warming and earthquakes.

4 Thursdays, January 20, 27, February 3 & 17 • 3:30 – 5:00 pm

Fee: \$35 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students

Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

Memories to Memoir with Tanya Nichols, MFA

No matter who you are, where you live or have lived, your life is rich with stories to be shared. Turn those memories into memoirs as you make those moments live again on the page. This course will help you write

with greater purpose and literary craft, developing plot, description, dialogue, setting, pacing and significance. These are the elements that will make your stories



resonate with readers long after they have read the last word. Whether your goal is to write an essay-length piece or eventually a book, you will learn how to write

the stories from your life. Tanya Nichols has an MFA in creative writing from California State University, Fresno where she is a lecturer in the English department. Her work has appeared in *Sycamore Review*, *In The Grove*, and *San Joaquin Review*.

5 Tuesdays, February 1, 8, 15, 22 and March 1 • 11:00 am – 12:30 pm

Fee: \$40 per person • Minimum 15/maximum 35 students

Location: Peters Business Building, Room 194

The Bill of Rights with Thomas Holyoke, Ph.D.

Learn the history of the Bill of Rights, the first 10 Amendments of the Constitution of the United States. We'll discuss the First Amendment, considered by many to be the most important statement of individual rights and liberties in the world; the highly-controversial Second Amendment; and the Fifth Amendment, which is the source of the "due process" clause that had significant impacts on other, later constitutional amendments and the Voting Rights Act of 1965. Dr Holyoke is associate professor of political science at Fresno State and specializes in American politics, especially interest groups, lobbying, and Congress.



3 Wednesdays, February 2, 9 & 16 • 3:30 – 5:00 pm

Fee: \$30 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students

Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

Tea Parties and Other Revolutionary Acts with Allen Carden, Ph.D.

If you could have randomly surveyed 100 American colonists in 1760 and asked them if independence from England was a good idea, probably at least 99 of them would have responded with, “Are you crazy? Of course not!” Yet 16 years later, in 1776, the colonies declared their independence and fought a war with the world’s greatest military power to make the America nation a reality. From anti-tax slogans, to tea parties, to tarring and feathering, what happened between American and Mother England to move patriots to throw off colonial status and emerge as the United States of America? Join history professor and author Allen Carden, an OLLI favorite, to explore the causes and quirks of the American Revolution.



4 Thursdays, February 17, 24, March 3 & 17 • 11:00 am – 12:30 pm
Fee: \$35 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students
Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

Contemporary Adaptations of Swan Lake and West Side Story—Centennial Symphonic Dance Project with John Jordan, Ph.D.

This course will preview the Centennial Symphonic Dance Project featuring *Remembering Jerome Robbins*, choreographer for *West Side Story*, which is some of the most beloved dancing ever to be performed on the Broadway stage; and the past and unusual present of *Swan Lake*, one of the most famous ballets of all time. The final session on March 3 will be a “call back” for those who have attended the performance (see description on page 9, separate fee applies). Dr. Jordan has been involved in dance for 30 years in many capacities including teacher, researcher, and performer. He has been a professor in the Theatre Arts department at Fresno State since 2000 where he has taught dance philosophy, dance history, and creative movement.

3 Thursdays, February 17, 24 and March 3 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Fee: \$30 per person • Minimum 15/maximum 25 students
Location: Peters Business Building, Room 192

2011 China and Beyond: America’s Friend, Enemy or Frenemy? with Edward C. Lanfranco

A fourth-generation Fresnan whose Italian ancestors settled in the county in the 1890s, Ed Lanfranco went to China’s capital to study Mandarin for a year and instead stayed in Beijing for almost all of the next 20 years. He will discuss China’s geography, politics, economics, and the prehistory of Peking Man from 11th century to the present day. His focus will include the “upsides”—sex, food, family, funerary practices, philosophy, art, science and religion; and the “downsides”—selfishness, mutilation, misogyny, racism, and nationalism.



4 Mondays, February 21, 28, March 7 & 14 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Fee: \$35 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students
Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

The Power of Persuasion: How We are Bought and Sold with Robert Levine, Ph.D.

Explore the mindsets of those who prod, praise, debase, and manipulate us to do things we never thought we’d do and are sometimes later sorry that we did. We’ll explore the remarkable effect and power of subtlety on effective persuasion, the great illusion of personal vulnerability, and the unlikely similarities across a wide range of persuasive strategies, from teachers and con men to religious leaders. Dr. Levine grew up in Brooklyn and attended UC Berkeley, where he had the “blind good luck” to experience the Sixties from hippy central. He earned his doctorate in personality/social psychology from NYU and has been professor of psychology at Fresno State since 1974.



3 Tuesdays, February 22, March 1 & 15 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Fee: \$30 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students
Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

Vaccines, Immunity and You—How it All Works with Julie Oliver, M.S.

Learn how the immune system works to keep us protected from pathogens and review the complications of an immune system “gone wrong.” Vaccines allow us to challenge the immune system to recognize pathogens prior to getting infected—but how does this work and how has the process developed over the years? We’ll also look at current research trends in vaccine development, and review the truths



and myths about vaccines. Julie Oliver, a professor at Consumnes River College in Sacramento, previously spoke to Osher members about The History and Future of Plagues.

2 Fridays, March 4 & 18 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm

Fee: \$25 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students

Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

Sacred Spaces: Fresno’s Religious Heritage with Karana Hattersley-Drayton, M.A.

What constitutes holy ground? What makes a space sacred? This course will begin with a brief cross-cultural tour of religious sites around the world including the Roman precedents for the early Christian church. Next we will focus on the religious architecture in Fresno with an emphasis on some of the oldest historic buildings, including St.

John’s Cathedral Catholic Church (1902), Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Church (1914), the Fresno Buddhist Temple (1920) and Temple Beth Israel (1923). Karana Hattersley-Drayton earned her master’s degree from UC Berkeley and has been the Historic Preservation Project manager for the City of Fresno since 2002.



3 Mondays, March 28, April 4 & 11 • 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm

Fee: \$30 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students

Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

Finding Our Galapagos with Scott Hatfield

Instructor Scott Hatfield is a science educator by trade (Bullard High School) and, by choice, a public voice for science education. He will discuss



the geological origins of the archipelago, the physical setting, the discovery and exploitation of these islands by European explorers/whalers/

pirates, what makes the islands special in the history of biology (their role in shaping Darwin’s thought), what makes such islands generally useful to biologists today, a brief survey of the more charismatic fauna and their status, and connections between the natural history of the Galapagos and that of the Central Valley.

1 Tuesday and 1 Thursday, April 5 & 14 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm

Fee: \$25 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students

Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

The Impact of Radio and Television on Our Society with James Wilson, M.A.

Join us for a look at the various genres in radio and television programming over the past 80 years and their influence on our society. We will examine such programming genres as children’s programs, dramas, science fiction, news, and comedy programs. You might be surprised how things have changed over the years and how they’ve influenced American culture.

James Wilson is a professor emeritus at Fresno State, having taught for more than 27 years in Mass Communication and Journalism, including classes in Media and Society. Prior to his teaching career he served as news director, program director, and vice president and general manager at KMJ Radio in Fresno.



5 Wednesdays, April 20, May 4, 11, 18 & 25 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm

Fee: \$40 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students

Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

Flamenco: Origins and History with Corey Whitehead, DMA and Javier Alcantara-Rojas, B.A.

Starting with an examination of fretboard harmony and didactic concepts for guitar, vihuela, lute, ukelele, mandolin, banjo, and bass, the course will continue with the history of fretted instruments. The instructors will explore the history of Flamenco music, from the ancient Greek roots to the two distinct musical cultures of Spain—Classical and Flamenco—accompanied by music performances. Corey Whitehead is the only Flamenco guitarist in the world (and the only guitarist from the U.S.) chosen twice



by the legendary Manolo Sanlúcar to receive the *La Becca del Curso* scholarship. He is an assistant professor of music at Fresno State.

Javier Alcantara-Rojas is a nationally recognized teacher of Flamenco and Classical guitar and earned his B.A. in general music education from Fresno State.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 26, 27 & 28 • 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm

Fee: \$30 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students

Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center

Field Trips

Centennial Symphonic Dance Project

A man's undying love and the desire for reconciliation take center stage in these contemporary adaptations of the archetypical tales of *Swan Lake* and *West Side Story*. The glorious music of Tchaikovsky and the rhythmic changes, modulations and melodies of Bernstein combine with the contemporary movements of jazz, ballet, modern and theatre dance in the retelling of these two time-honored classics—a memorable evening of dance along with some of the most popular music of all time. A block of 25 seats has been reserved for Osher members at the Sunday matinee performance. See related Short Course on page 7 (separate fee applies). **Activity Level 1:** a leisurely pace, minimum physical activity.

Sunday, February 27 • 2:00 pm

Location: John Wright Theatre, Fresno State

Fee: Members - \$15 per person; Non-members - \$25 • Maximum 25 participants

Tour of the Federal Courthouse (Club Fed)

The Federal Courthouse (Robert Coyle Federal Courthouse) is a high profile and state-of-the-art symbol of justice in the downtown area. It is nine stories high but the high ceilings and atrium make it equivalent to a 16-story building. A guide will show you the various rooms and point out impressive art objects. Judge Sandra Snyder will welcome the group into her courtroom at the conclusion of the tour for a brief presentation and a question-and-answer session.



Activity Level 2: average physical activity; some walking and standing.

Thursday, March 10 • 9:30 am – 11:30 am

Location: Meet at Federal Courthouse, downtown Fresno. Instructions will be mailed prior to the field trip.

Fee: Members - \$12 per person; Non-members - \$22 • Minimum 15/maximum 35 participants

The Chaffee Zoo with Scott Barton

Join us for a delightful morning exploring one of Fresno's treasures—the Chaffee Zoo. The morning will begin with refreshments and a talk by the director, Scott Barton. Immediately following, we will head out into the zoo for the “behind the scenes” tour of the elephant barn and the reptile house. Entrance fees to Roeding Park will be waived for participants. **Activity Level 2:** Walking and standing on paved surfaces for up to one hour.



Tuesday, March 15 • 9:00 am – 11:00 am

Location: Meet at Chaffee Zoo. Instructions will be mailed prior to the field trip.

Fee: Members - \$12 per person; Non-members - \$22 • Minimum 15/maximum 40 participants

Filoli Gardens - bus trip

Recognized as one of the finest remaining country estates of the early twentieth century, Filoli welcomes the public to this remarkable 654-acre property, including the 36,000-square-foot Georgian country house and spectacular 16-acre English



Renaissance garden. You will enjoy a gourmet lunch (included in the fee) in a private room, a guided tour, and leisure time to explore the

grounds on your own. **Activity Level 2:** average physical activity; some walking and standing as well as climbing stairs and boarding the motorcoach.

Thursday, April 7 • 7:30 am – 8:00 pm

Location: Meet at Fresno State. Instructions will be mailed prior to the bus trip.

Fee: Members - \$75 per person; Non-members - \$85 • Minimum 40/maximum 55 participants

Madera County Fossil Discovery Center

The San Joaquin Valley Paleontology Foundation was formed in 1994 after the discovery of the Fairmead Fossils at the Madera County landfill, in a small town just south of Chowchilla. These fossils were first discovered when a scraper was moving dirt and the alert equipment operator noticed some unusual coloration of the soil. Investigation revealed a complete fossil of a Columbian Mammoth tusk, which was dated at approximately 500,000 years old. In a short time, scientists realized that the landfill was located on one of the most significant fossil beds discovered from the Pleistocene period. **Activity Level 2:** average physical activity; some walking and standing on uneven ground.



Monday, April 18 • 9:30 am – 11:30 am

Location: Meet at Fossil Discovery Center of Madera County, 19450 Road 21½, Chowchilla. Instructions will be mailed prior to the field trip.

Fee: Members - \$13 per person; Non-members - \$23 • Minimum 20/maximum 35 students

Tour of Early Religious Buildings

Visit some of the historic religious buildings in Fresno as illustrated in Karana Hattersley-Drayton's short course (see page 8, separate fee applies). Refreshments will be served at one of the stops. Participants will travel in their own cars as a caravan from each site to the next. Carpooling is encouraged.



Activity Level 2: average physical activity; some walking and standing.

Saturday, April 30 • 9:30 am – 12:00 pm

Location: Instructions will be mailed prior to field trip.

Fee: Members - \$22 per person; Non-members - \$32 • Minimum 25/maximum 35 participants

A Taste of OLLI Activities

Designed for those who are still working and can't attend daytime OLLI sessions, this special package of three lectures is available for \$25.

- **An Overview of Fresno's Architecture** with Karana Hattersley-Drayton, M.A. (see biography on page 8) • Wednesday, February 9, 6:00 – 7:30 pm • This illustrated lecture will provide an overview of Fresno's history through its architecture, beginning with the city's founding as a railroad town in 1872, through the installation of the Fulton Mall in 1964. Come learn how Fresno has fostered "cutting edge" buildings designed by architects trained at UC Berkeley, USC, MIT, Harvard, and the École des Beaux-Arts in Paris. Peters Building, Room 192.
- **Yin-Yang Circle of a Culture** with Edward Lanfranco (see biography on page 7) • Tuesday, February 22, 6:00 – 7:30 pm • Enjoy a lecture on the people and politics of China, including the topics of sex, food, family, funerary practices, philosophy, art, science, and religion. Also discussed will be some of the "downsides" of the culture, such as mutilation, misogyny, and racism. Alice Peters Auditorium.

- **Flamenco: Origins and History** with Corey Whitehead, DMA (see biography on page 8) • Thursday, March 3, 6:00 – 7:30 pm • Explore the history of Flamenco music, from the ancient Greek roots to the two distinct musical cultures of Spain— Classical and Flamenco. Musical performances will accompany the explanations. Alice Peters Auditorium.

Additional Activities

WHY (What Have You) READ

This is an unstructured general discussion group that will meet at the Piazza del Pané on the fourth Friday of each month to allow OLLI members to discuss books they have enjoyed reading.

Fourth Friday of every month beginning January 28 • 2:00 – 4:00 pm

Location: Piazza del Pané, southeast corner of Palm and Herndon Avenues, Fresno

Fee: free

Central Valley Café Scientifique

A little bit about the Café: Our goal is to add a bit of science to the regular roster of cultural activities in the great Central Valley of California! Just like Fresno's monthly Art-Hop and other artistic events you might be familiar with in our community, we provide the opportunity to savor some science. We invite you to come explore the latest ideas in science and technology, hear from local scientists (from Fresno State and other local institutions), connect with other science enthusiasts, and participate in making the Central Valley a place where science thrives.

Following the tradition of the growing Café Scientifique movement, we meet in an informal setting where non-scientists can engage in stimulating (and friendly) conversation about current scientific topics with researchers "in the know."

Do join us on First Monday evenings every month.

Details: www.valleycafesci.org/



Spring 2011 Calendar at a Glance

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Field Trips – see Schedule of Activities for details. Additional fees apply.

February 27 • 2:00 pm	John Wright Theatre, Fresno State campus	Centennial Symphonic Dance Project	
March 10 • 9:30 – 11:30 am	Downtown Fresno	Tour of the Robert Coyle Federal Courthouse (Club Fed)	Judge Sandra Snyder
March 15 • 9:00 – 11:00 am	Chaffee Zoo	Zoo tour	Scott Barton and docents
April 7 • 7:30 am – 8:00 pm	Woodside, CA	Filoli Gardens Tour	Docents
April 18 • 9:30 – 11:30 am	Madera	Madera County Fossil Discovery Center	Larry Martin
April 30 • 9:30 am – 12:00 pm	Fresno	Tour of early religious buildings	Karana Hattersley- Drayton, M.A.

A Taste of OLLI package – evening sessions only

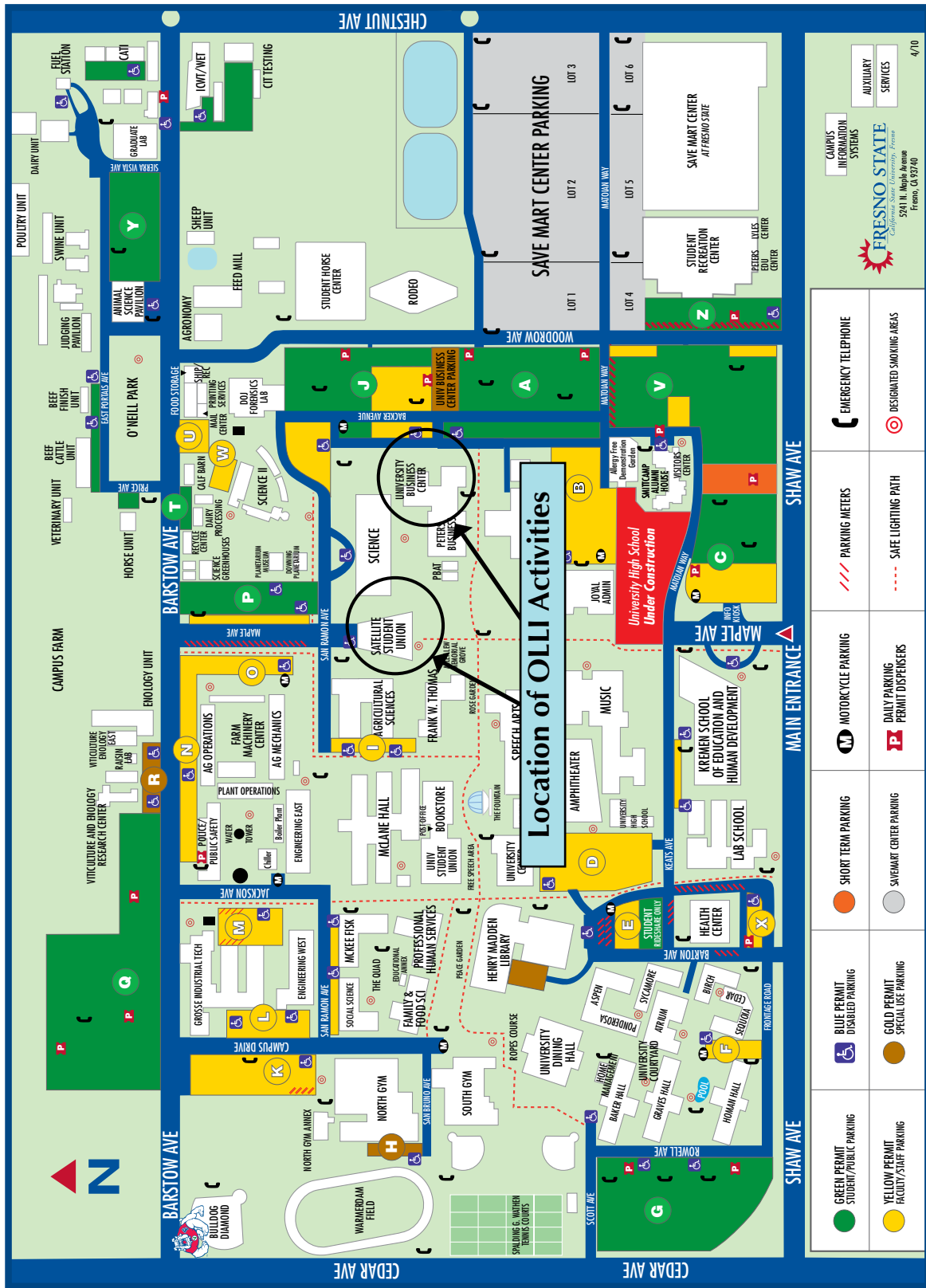
February 9 • 6:00 – 7:30 pm	University Business Center, Room 192	An Overview of Fresno’s Architecture	Karana Hattersley- Drayton, M.A.
February 22 • 6:00 – 7:30 pm	Alice Peters Auditorium	Yin-Yang Circle of a Culture Vulture	Edward C. Lanfranco
March 3 • 6:00 – 7:30 pm	Alice Peters Auditorium	Flamenco: Origins and History	Corey Whitehead, DMA

Important Things to Remember

- You will receive a confirmation letter upon receipt of your registration and payment. Please note that we cannot hold space without a paid registration.
- Seating is limited in many of the Short Courses and Field Trips, so return your Registration Form and payment as soon as possible. You may add Short Courses or Field Trips after your initial registration if space is still available.
- Due to space limitations, we cannot accommodate guests.
- **Parking details will be mailed to you with your confirmation letter.** The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute cannot be responsible for parking citations received by those not in compliance with campus parking regulations.
- The OLLI office is open Monday through Friday from 9 am to 2 pm. Please be patient if you get our answering machine. Leave a voicemail and we’ll get back to you as soon as possible.

Locations of OLLI Activities at Fresno State

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- **General Membership:** \$65 single, \$110 couple. All General Sessions included; register below..... \$ _____
- **Associate Membership:** \$25 per person. Register for **TWO** General Sessions below..... \$ _____
 - Fresno State’s First One Hundred Years • Thurs., January 13 • 3:30 pm Number attending: _____
 - Stroke Prevention and Intervention • Thurs., February 10 • 3:30 pm Number attending: _____
 - A Forecast of the...Central Valley Economy • Wed., February 23 • 3:30 pm Number attending: _____
 - Religious Freedom in America... • Tues., March 8 • 3:30 pm Number attending: _____
 - Creativity and the Arts • Tues., March 22 • 3:30 pm Number attending: _____
 - Meditation for Everyone • Tues., April 12 • 3:30 pm Number attending: _____
 - Wine: Finding Quality • Mon., May 2 • 3:30 pm Number attending: _____
- **A Taste of OLLI Membership:** \$25, three evening sessions included
 Wed., February 9; Tues., February 22; and Thurs., Mar. 3 • 6:00 pm..... \$ _____

SHORT COURSES – available only with a paid General, Associate, or Taste of OLLI membership

- Biology: Ecology and Animal Behavior (two Tuesdays) **\$25** per person \$ _____
- Constructing California: A Geologic Cross-section...Golden State (four Thursdays) **\$35** per person \$ _____
- Memories to Memoirs (five Tuesdays) **\$40** per person \$ _____
- The Bill of Rights (three Wednesdays) **\$30** per person \$ _____
- Tea Parties and Other Revolutionary Acts (four Thursdays) **\$35** per person \$ _____
- Contemporary Adaptations of Swan Lake and West Side Story (three Thursdays)..... **\$30** per person \$ _____
- 2011 China and Beyond: American’s Friend, Enemy or Frenemy? (four Mondays) **\$35** per person \$ _____
- The Power of Persuasion: How We are Bought and Sold (three Tuesdays) **\$30** per person \$ _____
- Vaccines, Immunity and You—How it All Works (two Fridays)..... **\$25** per person \$ _____
- Sacred Spaces: Fresno’s Religious Heritage (three Mondays)..... **\$30** per person \$ _____
- Finding Our Galapagos (one Tuesday and one Thursday)..... **\$25** per person \$ _____
- The Impact of Radio and Television on Our Society (five Wednesdays)..... **\$40** per person \$ _____
- Flamenco: Origins and History (one Tuesday, one Wednesday, one Thursday) **\$30** per person \$ _____

FIELD TRIPS – available to members and non-members

- Centennial Symphonic Dance Concert • Sun., February 27Member: \$15, Non-member: \$25 \$ _____
- Tour of the Federal Courthouse (Club Fed) • Thurs., March 10Member: \$12, Non-member: \$22 \$ _____
- The Chaffee Zoo • Tues., March 15Member: \$12, Non-member: \$22 \$ _____
- Filoli Gardens • Thurs., April 7.....Member: \$75, Non-member: \$85 \$ _____
- Madera County Fossil Discovery Center • Mon., April 18Member: \$13, Non-member: \$23 \$ _____
- Tour of Early Religious Buildings • Sat., April 30.....Member: \$22, Non-member: \$32 \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT:

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