



OLLI

FALL 2015 CATALOG

Meet. Learn. Grow.

University-level non-credit courses, lectures and field trips for those age 50 and better.

OSHER
LIFELONG
LEARNING
INSTITUTE

CELEBRATING 10+ YEARS OF LEARNING FOR THE LOVE OF LEARNING

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at Fresno State offers learning opportunities to those age 50 or better. No entrance requirements, tests, grades or papers – just learning for enjoyment, personal growth and intellectual stimulation with like-minded people. Come learn for the love of learning!

Membership Information

At Fresno State's OLLI, 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 in your registration as soon as possible. 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.

You will receive a confirmation letter once we receive your registration and payment. We cannot hold space without a paid registration.

General Membership

\$40 Per Person

- Admission to all seven scheduled General Sessions during the Fall 2015 semester.
- Opportunity to register for Short Courses and Field Trips as outlined on the schedule.
- Optional on-campus parking during all General Session events and Short Courses.
- Privileges to use and check out materials at the Henry Madden Library.
- OLLI activity announcements of Fresno State events via email.

If you need a disability-related accommodation or wheelchair access information, please contact the OLLI office at **559.278.0008** or send us an email at osher@csufresno.edu. Requests should be made **at least one week in advance of the event.**

Short Courses

Fee Varies

- Open only to OLLI members.
- A wide variety of interesting topics is offered.
- Registration is processed on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Short courses are self-supporting. A minimum enrollment is required or courses may be cancelled.

Field Trips

Fee Varies

- Open to members and non-members. Members get a lower price.
- Registration is processed on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Field trips are self-supporting. A minimum enrollment is required or trips may be cancelled.
- Consumption of alcoholic beverages is not permitted in vehicles operated or provided by OLLI.

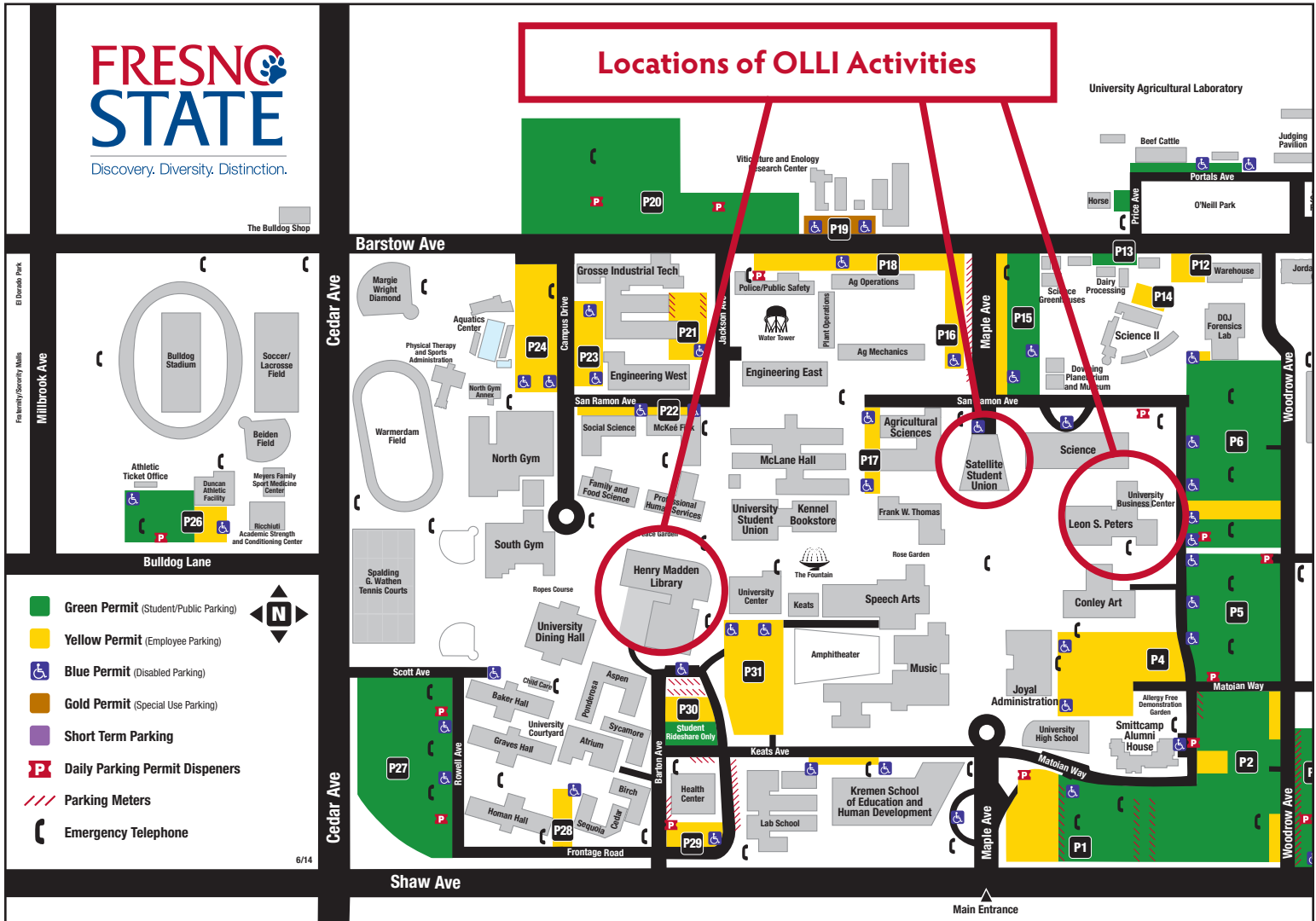
Parking

OLLI incurs a parking charge; however, the OLLI leadership has decided not to pass this cost on to you. Members may request a parking permit by checking the option on the registration form. If you request a permit, parking details will be mailed to you. We respectfully ask that you request a permit only if necessary. If there are multiple OLLI members in your household or social group, please consider carpooling to events. Your consideration maintains OLLI's ability to offer quality programs at an affordable price.

OLLI is not responsible for lost or stolen parking permits or for parking citations received by those not in compliance with campus parking regulations.



Locations of OLLI Activities at Fresno State



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www.FresnoState.edu/olli

Disabled Parking: Fresno State parking lots have clearly designated parking spaces for the disabled. A valid DMV placard or disabled license plate, as well as **some form of parking permit, is required to be displayed.**

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OLLI Fall 2015

General Session Descriptions

SEPTEMBER

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WEDNESDAY

3:00 - 4:30 PM

Satellite Student Union

The State of California

Dan Walters



Dan Walters, a nationally known columnist for The Sacramento Bee, has been a journalist for more than a half-century, spending all but a few of those years working for California newspapers. At one point in his career, at age 22, he was the nation's youngest daily newspaper editor.

He joined The Sacramento Union's Capitol bureau in 1975, just as Jerry Brown began his governorship, and later became the Union's Capitol bureau chief. In 1981, he began writing the state's only daily newspaper column devoted to California political, economic, and social events and in 1984, he and the column moved to The Sacramento Bee. He has written more than 7,500 columns about California and its politics and his column now appears in more than 50 California newspapers.

Walters will give us a view of California as it exists in 2015 - culturally, economically, demographically and, of course, politically. He'll then describe how current politics relate - or don't relate - to that reality. He'll touch on the upcoming 2016 elections and such current issues facing California such as water, transportation, poverty and education.

He is the author of two books: "The Third House: Lobbyists, Power and Money in Sacramento" and "The New California: Facing the 21st Century."

OCTOBER

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THURSDAY

3:00 - 4:30 PM

Satellite Student Union

It's Greek to Me

Dr. Honora H. Chapman



Greek culture has had a profound impact on Western civilization, from the development of democracy to athletic events such as the Olympics to the storytelling structure of Hollywood films. Dr. Chapman will discuss the place of the ancient Greek language as a subject of study in the modern university, and will also touch upon the economic situation in Greece, which she and her colleagues witnessed this summer when taking 27 Fresno State students there for a study abroad experience.

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General Session Descriptions

Continued

OCTOBER

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THURSDAY

3:00 - 4:30 PM

Satellite Student Union

Tales the Tombstones Tell: Exploring the Living Past of the Dead

Sponsored by



Bill Coate



Bill Coate is a veteran teacher who spent 36 years in the classroom. With a special passion for local history, Mr. Coate led his 6th grade classes to local cemeteries in Fresno and Madera to find graves of local pioneers in search for death certificates, obituaries, wills, inventories, military records and a plethora of other primary source documents. In this session, he will take participants on a journey over the rocks and hills of the Valley, retracing his steps in the search for the living past of the dead. Mr. Coate has been published in several educational and historical journals as well as many well-known newspapers across the United States. He earned numerous other awards for his innovative teaching and was one of 39 educators who were recognized nationally by the Disney Company for creativity in the classroom, presented with the Disney American Teacher Award.

OCTOBER

27

TUESDAY

3:00 - 4:30 PM

Satellite Student Union

Fresno: The Next Entrepreneurial Hotbed?

Dr. Timothy Stearns



Fresno and the Central Valley has rarely been looked upon as having an entrepreneurial culture. However, one is rapidly emerging and without much local fanfare. You will learn what is taking place and why Fresno is poised to become the nation's leader in the development of entrepreneurs. Dr. Stearns holds the Coleman Foundation Chair in Entrepreneurial Studies and is Director of the Lyles Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship at Fresno State. He has authored more than 100 research articles and presentation and has taught and lectured on entrepreneurship and innovation to students and executives in Thailand, Poland, Japan, Kazakhstan, Macau, India, Singapore, Germany, Malaysia, France, Belgium, Sri Lanka, Hong Kong, and the People's Republic of China.

NOVEMBER

3

TUESDAY

3:00 - 4:30 PM

Satellite Student Union

The Pathology to Celebrity Sexual Deviance: The Road to Bill Cosby

Dr. Eric Hickey



This presentation explores the lives of more than 100 men who have risen to fame as politicians, entertainers, sports figures, religious leaders, business moguls, educators and others who have self-sabotaged their careers via sexual misconduct. Dr. Hickey examines the etiology, psychology and behavior of these men. Some have self-resurrected while others have floundered into public obscurity. Dr. Hickey is a national expert on criminal psychology, and in addition to teaching classes at Fresno State is Dean of the California School of Forensic Studies at Alliant International University where he oversees the growth and development of the largest forensics studies program in the nation. He makes frequent media appearances including interviews on CNN, History Channel, NPR, Larry King Live, 20/20, A&E Biography, and Good Morning America.

NOVEMBER

17

TUESDAY

3:00 - 4:30 PM

Satellite Student Union

Local TV and How a Modern News Organization Works

Dan Adams,
President and
General Manager, KFSN



Every day, millions of Americans get their local news on-air, online, on mobile devices, and on social media. Local TV news is the primary outlet for breaking news, weather and traffic information. There's no question that Americans value access to local TV and have come to rely on the quality and diversity of local broadcast news and programming regardless of how they watch it. This session will provide insight into local television in the Fresno market and outline how technology and consumer behavior has and continues to impact news organizations. Mr. Adams joined KFSN in 2009, after serving as vice president, business manager, at ABC-owned KTRK in Houston.

DECEMBER

1

TUESDAY

3:00 - 4:30 PM

Satellite Student Union

From Moral Outrage to the Maid of Cotton: Tracing the Roots of Southern Agricultural Beauty Queens

Dr. Blain Roberts



Dr. Roberts's talk will reference her fascinating book: "Pageants, Parlors, and Pretty Women: Race and Beauty in the Twentieth-Century South." She'll focus on a remarkable transformation: in the early twentieth century, most southerners agreed that nice, respectable young women did not stand around in bathing suits showing off their nude limbs to anyone - especially ogling men. Yet by the mid-twentieth century, bathing beauty contests had become a ritual almost synonymous with white southern culture, and white women dominated the Miss America Pageant. Dr. Roberts will explain the reasons for this transformation, focusing on, of all places, southern farms as crucial catalysts. Dr. Roberts is an associate professor of history at Fresno State and is currently writing a book on the memory of slavery in Charleston, South Carolina.



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Short Course Descriptions

SEPTEMBER

8, 15, 22 & 29

TUESDAYS

3:30 - 5:00 PM

UBC 191

\$35

Rock 'n' Roll in the 1950s

Dr. Matthew Darling

You've heard of Atlantic, Frankie Avalon, Chuck Berry, the Coasters, Buddy Holly, Elvis Presley and Little Richard. What about Chess Records, Ahmet Ertegun, Wanda Jackson, Louis Jordan, Mike Stoller and Sam Phillips? These are the artists, songwriters, producers, and record companies that created rhythm and blues, electric blues, rock, doo-wop, teen idols, girl groups, and rockabilly that forever changed not only popular music in America, but also music all around the world. You'll enjoy this in-depth look at rock 'n' roll in the 1950s.

SEPTEMBER

8, 15, & 22

TUESDAYS

10:00 - 11:30 AM

UBC 191

\$25

Be an Edgar Cayce: Ascension Meditation and the Informational Field

Aaron Drake

Learn how to tap into the universal informational field through ascension meditation. In this series of meditations we'll learn how to meet and communicate with our higher self. We'll unravel mysteries of antiquity by immersing ourselves in the informational field and then astral traveling to ancient Egypt. Finally, we'll use a modified version of remote viewing to describe a target that is inaccessible to normal senses due to distance, time or shielding. By the end of this course you'll know how to access the informational field on your own.

SEPTEMBER

9, 16, 23 & 30

WEDNESDAYS

10:00 - 11:30 AM

UBC 191

\$35

Mad Dogs and Englishmen: India's Influence on British Dress and Society

Brenna Barks, MSc

In any contact between nations there is an exchange, no matter how subtle or ignored. This class will examine how India influenced Britain, and later America, through dress, textiles, and other cultural manifestations (language, food, tea, etc.) and reveal how India indirectly brought new life to the British silk weaving trade. India has long had a major influence on the West and its society. We'll see how no two cultures can come into contact without leaving an indelible impact upon each other.

SEPTEMBER

10, 17, & 24

THURSDAYS

10:00 - 11:30 AM

UBC 191

\$25

Drought Tolerant and Small Space Gardening

Calliope Correia

What effect do water restrictions and the drought have on the garden? Learn the basics of having a beautiful garden that is appropriate for the Valley and what programs and rebates are available through the City. We will cover what plants are drought tolerant, how to grow them and how to reduce water use in the garden. Still want to grow veggies and flowers? We'll talk about growing in containers and smaller areas and areas that may be challenging to grow anything. Our last class will be a visit to the Clovis Botanical Garden where we will tour the gardens and see the plants that thrive in our local growing conditions.

SEPTEMBER 10, 17, & 24 OCTOBER 8

THURSDAYS

2:00 - 3:30 PM
UBC 191

\$35

Memoirs to Poetry

Dr. Linnea Alexander

Everyone's life is filled with stories. Some are long; some are haunting vignettes. None are finished. Whether you've started writing your memoirs or not, this class will help you to organize your writing, share your ideas and help others shape their stories. The environment in this class will provide a safe and welcoming place to explore and share your thoughts. Dr. Linnea Alexander is a professor emeritus in English at Fresno State. She taught creative nonfiction and autobiography, as well as other subjects, to undergraduate and graduate students for more than 30 years.

SEPTEMBER

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FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

\$5

Henry Madden Library DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Facebook

There are many social channels through which you can connect with friends and families. Come learn the best features of Facebook and build your confidence.

SEPTEMBER 18, & 25 OCTOBER 16

FRIDAYS

11:00 - 12:30 PM
UBC 191

\$25

Why the Central Valley Is Better Than Anywhere Else

Craig Scharton

You've chosen this area as your home. From ag to art to entrepreneurship, you'll learn why this region offers the most hope and the most promise as it powers towards the future. The knowledge you gain will help you open the eyes of the misinformed. Go Central Valley!

SEPTEMBER 14, 21, & 28 OCTOBER 5

MONDAYS

1:30 - 3:00 PM
UBC 191

\$35

The Community is Our Classroom

Dr. Matt Jendian & Dr. Don Simmons

Fresno State is designated as a Community Engaged institution of higher education by the Carnegie Foundation. In what ways have you engaged in our community as a volunteer, board member, and/or philanthropist? Learn about "Humanics--the education of the whole person, in spirit, mind, and body, for leadership in service to humanity." It's a unique course of study at Fresno State involving five core courses that transform lives and perspectives on leadership and philanthropy and engender exceptional leaders, and enriched communities. Learn about opportunities to connect with students, alumni, and your community.

SEPTEMBER

18

FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

\$5

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

YouTube

YouTube is the world's largest video sharing service. Come learn how to find the videos you want and learn how to share your own videos on the site.

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Short Course Descriptions *Continued*

SEPTEMBER

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FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

\$5

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Photos & Camera on iOS

Learn how to capture, share, edit, and save photos on your Apple device.

SEPTEMBER

29

TUESDAYS

10:00 - 11:30 AM

UBC 191

\$25

Meditation techniques for Qigong, Tai Chi, Yoga, and Energetic Healing Practitioners

Aaron Drake

Experience and learn to control Chi, the life force energy, flowing through and around your body. This series concentrates on Chi for use in your personal health and healing practices. We'll cultivate and kick-start your own Chi with a deeply relaxing yet invigorating Chi Hoo meditation. This course features guided meditations and teachings about Qi and its use in personal health and energetic practices like Qigong, Tai Chi and yoga. There will be some very basic movements involved but this course does not preclude individuals with movement difficulties. This course is led by master meditator Aaron Drake of TwoLightWorkers.com.

OCTOBER

7, 14, & 28

WEDNESDAYS

10:00 - 11:30 AM

UBC 191

American TV: The Glamorous Wasteland

Paul Kaser

We'll review popular scenes from the early decades of American television programs. Was it truly a "vast wasteland," as famously declared by FCC Chairman Newton Minnow, or was it the greatest boon to education-through-entertainment modern technology had ever offered? Television, for better or worse, profoundly affected American culture. How did it change your life?

\$35

OCTOBER

7, 14, & 28

WEDNESDAYS

2:00 - 3:30 PM

UBC 191

Elected by the Grim Reaper or Worse: American VPs who Became Presidents

Dr. Allen Carden

In American history, nine vice presidents have entered the office of President of the United States without first being elected to that position. Eight of our presidents died in office - four at the hands of assassins and four from natural causes - and one lived but resigned the office. We'll focus on the personalities, circumstances and results involved in the sometimes strange and always tragic events experienced when an American president vacates the office early, and how our resilient constitutional system allows our government to carry on with amazing stability in situations that would reduce many other nations to chaos.

\$35

NOVEMBER

4

OCTOBER

9

FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

\$5

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Spotify

Why not be surrounded by your favorite music, for free, without commercials? Come learn about Spotify.

OCTOBER

16

FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

\$5

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Lumosity

Can games keep your brain pistons firing? Yes! Lumosity is designed to keep your brain engaged through play. Have fun learning about it and challenge your gray matter through play.

OCTOBER

22 & 29

THURSDAYS

NOVEMBER

5 & 12

3:00 - 4:30 PM

\$25

Henry Madden Library

The Wonderful World of Henry Madden Library Special Collections

Various

The Henry Madden Library at Fresno State is home to many distinctive collections. You'll learn about the: *Arne Nixon Center for the Study of Children's Literature* (overview and tour, with information on the Teacher Resource Center collection); *Special Collections Research Center* (explanation of all the collections, including digital collections, with tour of closed stacks, and an opportunity to explore "Farm to Fork" exhibition at your leisure); *Viticulture and Enology Research Center Library* (explanation of the "what and whys" of the collection, its projects and goals, will include a tour of VERC); and *Maps and Government Information and Music Libraries* (exploration of the collections within these areas as well as a hands-on trial of the new digital resource for aerial photos and our latest GIS initiatives). *This class is limited to 30.*

OCTOBER

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NOVEMBER

10 & 17

TUESDAYS

9:00 - 10:30 AM

\$25

UBC 191

California Politics

Dr. Jeffrey Cummins

We'll discuss the historical origins, development, and current environment of the state's political system. This will include an overview of the state constitution and the numerous modifications to it and its impact on the system. We will also discuss trends and issues facing the executive and legislative branches. We'll conclude with an analysis of the key issues facing the state

OCTOBER

23

FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

\$5

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Maps on iOS

Never get lost again with your Apple device by your side. Maps has all the tools you'll need for your travels with turn-by-turn spoken directions so you always know where you are going.

OCTOBER

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NOVEMBER

2 & 9

MONDAYS

10:00 - 11:30 AM

\$25

UBC 192

Digital Camera Basics

Paul Calkins

If you have a digital camera or thinking of buying one this class is for you. You will learn basic camera controls, including the shutter button, view finder, mode dial, menus, and play back. In addition you will learn creative photographic techniques. The environment in this class will provide a safe and welcoming place to explore and share your thoughts. Dr. Linnea Alexander is a professor emeritus in English at Fresno State. She taught creative nonfiction and autobiography, as well as other subjects, to undergraduate and graduate students for more than 30 years.

Short Course Descriptions *Continued*

OCTOBER

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THURSDAY

3:30 - 5:00 PM

UBC 191

Contemporary Conflicts of Morals

Dr. Andy Fiala

This course will focus on contemporary moral conflicts, including gay marriage, assisted suicide, the death penalty, environmental concerns, and other issues in the news. Responding to events ripped from the headlines, participants will gain understanding about moral conflict and possible sources for conflict resolution. The course will provide philosophical insight into the moral conflicts of our time. Fiala is the co-author of *Ethics: Theory and Contemporary Issues*, and is an ethics and religion columnist for the Fresno Bee.

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NOVEMBER

5, 12 & 19

NOVEMBER

6

FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Creating your Email Account

Email is a great and inexpensive tool to connect quickly with those in your life and keep on top of your favorite activities. Come learn email basics so you are comfortable communicating this way.

\$5

OCTOBER

29

THURSDAY

10:00 - 11:30 AM

UBC 191

Etiquette & Empire: The World of Jane Austen and her Novels

Brenna Barks, MSc

Jane Austen has been called the first modern novelist. Her works have been translated into many languages and adapted into or inspired countless films, television shows and plays. Born in 1775, her lifetime encompassed the American and French Revolutions, Napoleonic Wars, the abolition of slavery in Britain, and countless artistic, scientific, and political advances – though her novels rarely touch upon these issues. This course will examine Jane Austen, her life and her world, and the historical and cultural influences on her, her society and her novels.

\$35

NOVEMBER

5, 12 & 19

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FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Learn a New Language With DuLingo

In this information age, you can do so much online for free, including learning a new language. If you've always wanted to know another language for travel or fun, attend this class!

\$5

NOVEMBER

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FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

\$5

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Google Earth

Explore the world from the comfort of your home computer or smart phone. Google Earth provides 3D visuals of earth, its landscape and the universe. Come find out how the many interesting ways to use Google Earth.

DECEMBER

4

FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

\$5

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Skitch

Use fewer words but still get your point across with the Android and Apple application, Skitch. This application allows you to write and edit notes, and share them just a touch of a button.

DECEMBER

11

FRIDAY

3:00 - 4:00 PM

\$5

Henry Madden Library
DiscoverE Hub, 1st Floor

Music on iOS

If you love music, learn how to keep all of your music in one spot on your Apple device and learn how to access it anywhere.

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FRIDAYS

10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

FREE

Select just one time to attend. The class is repeated to accommodate more members

UBC 194

Book Club

Kay Davies

Books selected for the fall session are a combination of fiction and non-fiction recommendations from members and a few of my favorites. Join us for all or some of the sessions. Reading the book is not a requirement to join in the discussion!

SEPTEMBER 11

1776

by David McCullough

An American historian presents the intricate story of the year of the birth of the United States of America. "1776" tells two gripping stories: how a group of squabbling, disparate colonies became the United States; and how the British Empire tried to stop them.

OCTOBER 16

To be held in PB 286

Dead Wake

by Erik Larson

With his remarkable new work of nonfiction, "Dead Wake," Erik Larson ushers us aboard the Lusitania as it begins its tragic and final crossing. It is a timely trip, as 2015 marks the 100th anniversary of the disaster.

NOVEMBER 6

Pope Joan

by Donna Cross

For 1,000 years, her existence has been denied. She is the legend that will not die. Pope Joan - the woman who disguised herself as a man and rose to rule Christianity for two years.

DECEMBER 11

The Nazi Officer's Wife

by Edith Hahn Beer

A personal testament of survival during WWII and an inspiring example of perseverance in the face of terrible adversity.

OLLI Fall 2015

Field Trips

OCTOBER

2

FRIDAY

7:30 AM - 7:00 PM

Monterey Bay Aquarium (Bus Trip)

Members - \$85, Non Members - \$90

Maximum Capacity: 49

Last day to register: September 25th

The Monterey Bay Aquarium, perched on the edge of a world-famous coastline and historic Cannery Row, is your window to the wonders of the ocean and marine life. Explore a wide variety of fascinating marine exhibits and get up-close views of sharks, sea otters, penguins, jellyfish, eels and more.

Price includes roundtrip transportation and admission.

OCTOBER

12

MONDAY

9:00 - 12:30 PM

Behind the Scenes at the Big Fresno Fair

Members - \$25, Non Members - \$35

Maximum Capacity: 40

Last day to register: October 2nd

The Big Fresno Fair has been a valley tradition for more than 100 years. As part of this exclusive tour, we'll get a behind-the-scenes tour of the Wells Fargo Agriculture Building, the Big Fresno Fair Museum & New Fresno County Historical Museum and the Livestock Pavilion. Your tour guides include Fresno Fair CEO John Alkire, Fresno County Farm Bureau CEO Ryan Jacobsen, and members of the fair's staff or board of directors. After the tour you are welcome to spend the rest of the day at your leisure, enjoying the Big Fresno Fair.

Price includes fair admission and parking.

OCTOBER

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FRIDAY

&

NOVEMBER

1

SUNDAY

2:00 - 3:00 PM (Tour) & 2:00 - 4:00 PM (Matinée)

Wright Theatre Tour

& Sunday Matinée of Midsummer Night's Dream

Members - \$20, Non Members - \$30

Maximum Capacity: 20

Tour is on Friday; Matinée is on Sunday

Go behind the scenes of University Theatre's production of Shakespeare's beloved comedy, A Midsummer Night's Dream. The tour, led by Dr. Melissa Gibson, will take you backstage at the Dennis and Cheryl Woods Theatre to get a sneak peek at the creation of the sets, lights, and costumes for the play. Then on Sunday, Nov. 1, attend the production, directed by professor Kathleen McKinley. This in-the-round production blurs the line between magic and reality and promises to be a delight for all.

Price includes Wright Theatre tour & matinee admission.

NOVEMBER

18

WEDNESDAY

6:30 AM - 8:00 PM

A Visit to Historic Solvang (Bus Trip)

Members - \$85, Non Members - \$90

Maximum Capacity: 49

Last day to register: November 11th

Solvang (Danish for 'sunny field'), founded by a small group of Danish teachers, is a beautiful little city nestled in the Santa Ynez Valley of California. The town is a visual feast, surrounded by gentle rolling hills featuring windmills, quiet streets, horse drawn carriages, wineries and authentic Danish bakeries, costumes, museums, architecture and more. Join us for a self-guided walking tour of this beautiful little town and get a taste of Europe in of California.

Price includes admission and round trip transportation.

DECEMBER

2

WEDNESDAY

6:30 AM - 8:00 PM

Warner Bros. Studio Tour (Bus Trip)

Members - \$115, Non Members - \$120

Maximum Capacity: 49

Last day to register: November 25th

Warner Bros. Studio Tour Hollywood brings you closer than ever to the legendary entertainment you know and love. Get ready to explore iconic backlots, one of their many soundstages where today's popular TV shows and movies are made. With actual filming happening all around you, no two tours are ever alike.

The grand finale of the Studio Tour experience is a visit to "Stage 48: Script to Screen" where you'll explore key phases of the entertainment production process. From the writer's lounge to the Warner Bros. Legacy Room, this tour offers an interactive look at how the magic of Hollywood is made.

Price includes admission and round trip transportation.

SHAKESPEARE'S



A Midsummer Night's Dream

OCTOBER 30 - NOVEMBER 7, 2015

SEPTEMBER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
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NOVEMBER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SUNDAY 1 Wright Theatre Matinee	3 PM The Pathology to Sexual Deviance 3	10 AM American TV: The Glamorous Wasteland 4 2 PM Elected by the Grim Reaper	10 AM Jane Austin & Her Novels 5 3 PM Madden Library Special Collections 3:30 PM Contemporary Conflicts of Morals	10 AM OR Noon Book Club 6 3 PM Creating Your Email Account
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23	24	25	26	27
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DECEMBER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	3 PM From Moral Outrage to the Maid of Cotton 1	Warner Bros. Studio Tour 2	3	3 PM Skitch 4
7	8	9	10	10 AM OR Noon Book Club 11 3 PM Music on iOS
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	



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- It's Greek to Me – Thursday, October 1
- Tales from the Tombstones – Thursday, October 15
- Fresno: The Next Entrepreneurial Hotbed? – Tuesday, October 27
- The Pathology to Sexual Deviance – Tuesday, November 3
- How a Modern News Organization Works – Tuesday, November 17
- From Moral Outrage to the Maid of Cotton – Tuesday, December 1

SHORT COURSES – Available only with a paid membership

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Ascension Meditation (three Tuesdays) | _____ x \$25/person | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rock 'n' Roll in the 50s (four Tuesdays) | _____ x \$35/person | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mad Dogs & Englishmen: India's Influence (four Wednesdays) | _____ x \$35/person | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drought Tolerant & Small Space Gardening (three Thursdays) | _____ x \$25/person | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Memoirs to Poetry (four Thursdays) | _____ x \$35/person | \$ _____ |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> American TV: The Glamorous Wasteland (four Wednesdays) | _____ x \$35/person | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Community is our Classroom (four Mondays) | _____ x \$35/person | \$ _____ |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Facebook (one Friday) | _____ x \$5*/person | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> iOS Photos/Camera (one Friday) | _____ x \$5*/person | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lumosity (one Friday) | _____ x \$5*/person | \$ _____ |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Music on iOS (one Friday) | _____ x \$5*/person | \$ _____ |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> You Tube (one Friday) | _____ x \$5*/person |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Spotify (one Friday) | _____ x \$5*/person |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Maps on iOS (one Friday) | _____ x \$5*/person |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Duolingo (one Friday) | _____ x \$5*/person |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Skitch (one Friday) | _____ x \$5*/person |

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FIELD TRIPS – Available to members and non-members

	Member	Non-Member	
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Behind the Scenes at The Big Fresno Fair Oct. 12	_____ x \$25	_____ x \$35	\$ _____
Wright Theater Behind the Scenes + Matinée Oct. 30 & Nov. 1	_____ x \$20	_____ x \$30	\$ _____
A Visit to Historic Solvang (Bus Trip) Nov. 18	_____ x \$85	_____ x \$90	\$ _____
Warner Bros. Studio Tour (Bus Trip) Dec. 2	_____ x \$115	_____ x \$120	\$ _____

For ALL FIELD TRIPS sign BOTH SIDES of Liability Form in this Catalog and SEND WITH REGISTRATION

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$

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