

# KIT (Keep in Touch) Mail from OLLI at UCI

Monday, May 25, 2020

### **Happy Memorial Day.**

# OLLI Summer Session FREE to current OLLI members.

Coming soon! The OLLI Summer Session will include 10 new classes on a wide range of topics. These classes will be presented via live streaming through the **OLLI Remote Learning Center** during July and August. For Annual and Spring members, Summer Session will automatically be included at <u>no</u> additional fee. New members will pay a fee of \$25. Schedule to be announced on June 1st.

### **New! Play OLLI Categories via Zoom**

Do you like to play word games? If so, join the OLLI Categories Zoom session on **Wednesday, May 27 at 4:00 PM.** Categories is a game where players come up with answers in a specific category using a specific letter. Example: Category = states; letter = C; answer = California. The challenge is to come up with unique answers in order to score the most points. All that is required to play Categories is pencil and paper.

The first 7 people to email me at **vines1219@gmail.com** will be invited to our first session.

### **Virtual Morning Coffee Mingle**

Join other OLLI members this week for a *virtual* cup of coffee as we talk about what we are doing in quarantine, coping strategies, pets, exercise and more. We will meet online at **10 AM on**Wednesday, May 27. Let us know if you want to join by replying to this e-mail and we will send you a Zoom invitation.

# Connect with Your OLLI Friends Through Our New Facebook Group!

Join our new, members-only Facebook group where we can virtually connect to talk about books, movies, recipes, hobbies and more! Simply reply to this e-mail to let us know

you want to join, and we will send you an invitation!

# Live Stream Class Schedule MAY and JUNE

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Select classes are being live streamed. If a class is not listed below, the presenter has chosen to cancel or postpone the class. Read each Monday's KIT Mail to find out which classes will be live streamed and recorded. This information can change from week-to-week.

Tuesday, May 26 10:00 AM - 12 Noon SS 312

WORLD WAR II REMEMBERED: Part 4 of 4: May 26: Tuskegee Airmen and U.S. POWs

(Click on class title to log in and view live class.)

In 2010-14, OLLI presented a five-part class entitled World War II: Remembered, which brought together veterans, Holocaust survivors, historians and civilians with their stories of the war. Four videotaped years provide a treasure of fascinating stories. We will present a series of four classes that include selections from the video library and discussion about those presenters.

Presenter: Gary Oberts, OLLI STEM Committee

Tuesday, May 26 1:00 - 3:00 PM SS 314

THE HUMAN UNDERSIDE OF CHINA'S ECONOMIC RISE:
Part 3 of 3

(Click on class title to log in and view live class.)

Much of the world has been mesmerized by China's economic miracle and its results. Millions of people have indeed been lifted out of poverty. However, there are still millions who have been left behind. This includes migrants from the countryside and a large number of poorly-educated urban workers who were fired to make industry competitive on the world market. The course will explore the political, economic and social reasons behind those problems.

**Presenter: Professor Dorothy J. Solinger**, retired after 30 years of teaching in UCI's Political Science Department. She has authored six books and edited another seven. Her research has focused on internal migration and urban poverty in China.

#### **POSTPONED CLASS:**

# SC216 THE SECRET LIFE OF GALAXIES Rescheduled date TBD

(Original date: Monday June 1)

Rrescheduled due to Cox Cable construction on presenter's street and possible service outage.

There are over 100 billion galaxies in the observable universe and a single galaxy can contain over a trillion stars! When you look at pictures of galaxies have you wondered how they got those shapes, how they have formed and how they evolved? When did this begin, and will some of them collide? Are some much different than others? Is the Milky Way unusual or ordinary? This presentation will address those questions and more. We will also investigate simulation techniques used to expand our understanding and discuss current and future missions.

**Presenter**: **Robert B. Wilson**, Ph.D., NASA/Marshall Space Flight Center (ret.), OLLI STEM Committee

Friday, June 12 (RESCHEDULED FROM MAY 18 10:00 AM - 12 Noon SC 214

BREAKTHROUGHS IN SCIENCE 2019

(Click on class title to log in and view live class.)

December's issue of Science magazine, the leading journal of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), goes out on a limb and describes the major scientific breakthroughs of the past year. We will describe some of the selections, what qualifies them as breakthroughs, what the relevance to non-scientists may be, how future research pathways might be affected, and their status at the time of this presentation.

**Presenters**: **Robert B. Wilson**, Ph.D., NASA/Marshall Space Flight Center (ret.), OLLI STEM Committee

**Dennis Silverman**, UCI Physics and Astronomy Professor (ret.), OLLI STEM Committee

# **OLLI Remote Learning Center Recently Added Class Lectures**

These classes and more have been recorded and can be viewed from our Remote Learning Center - containing nearly 400 pre-recorded class lectures from current and past terms.

- SC218 The Truth About Masks and Respirators During COVID-19-Howard Cohen
- S308 Tensions Between the US, China and Russia-Part 3 of 3-Tom Bernstein
- SS314 The Human Underside of China's Economic Rise-Part 2 of 3-Dorothy Solinger
- SS315 Emotional Intelligence, A Tool For Living Well-Mel Roth
- SS 314 The Human Underside of China's Economic Rise-Part 1 of 3-Dorothy Solinger
- SS 312 World War II Remembered-Part 2 of 4-Gary Oberts
- SC 213 Discoveries from the World's First Extremely Large Telescope-David Thompson
- SS312 World War II Remembered-Part 1 of 4-Gary Oberts
- SC210 Cutting Edge Climate Research at UCI, Fire-Part 2 of 2-James Randerson
- SC210 Cutting Edge Climate Research at UCI, Ice-Part 1 of 2-Bernd Scheuchl
- SS309 The Contentious Debate Over US Immigration Policy-Part 2 of 2-Loius DeSipio
- SC207 A Geologic Travelogue: Understanding the Wonders-Part 2 of 2-Gary Oberts
- SS308 Tensions Between the US Russia and China-Part 2 of 3-Tom Bernstein
- SS309 The Contentious Debate Over US Immigration Policy-Part 1 of 2-Louis DeSipio
- SC208 Surviving Your Hospital Stay-Ariana Longley
- SC207 A Geologic Travelogue: Understanding the Wonders-Part 1 of 2-Gary Oberts
- SC206 Innovation and Entrepreneurship at UCI-Matt Hanson
- SS308 Tensions Between the US, Russia and China-Part 1 of 3-Tom Bernstein
- AH105 How to Tell Baroque from Romantic and Modern Music-Part 5 of 5-Meredith Cheston
- SS306 Road to the White House, Nadine Koch-Steinberg
- AH105 How to Tell Baroque From Romantic and Modern Music, Part 4 of
   Meredith Cheston
- SS034 Modern European History 19th Century, Part 5 of 5, Feldt
- SC204 Your Aging DNA, Vern Roohk and Asad at Epinex
- AH105 How to Tell Baroque From Romantic and Modern Music, Part 3 of 5, Meredith Cheston
- SS034 Modern European History 19th Century, Part 4 of 5, Feldt
- SC217 Coronavirus Update, Al Glasky

To date, 360 of you have taken advantage of our **Remote Learning Center**, where you can watch live streaming of select class lectures from the comfort of your home using your personal computer, tablet or smart phone. Don't worry if you miss the live lecture because it will be recorded and available later to view. Please note: Live streamed and recorded videos are now **only** accessible through the new Remote Learning Center. See the instructions below to create your personal account.

### JOIN A LIVE STREAM CLASS. CLICK HERE

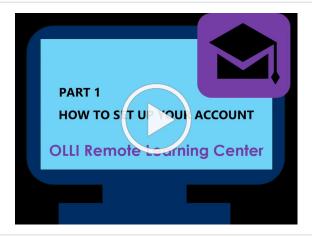
Live streaming lets you watch the class lectures in real time - at the same time it's happening! You can ask questions and interact with the Presenter. Live streamed classes are only available through the <a href="OLLI Remote Learning">OLLI Remote Learning</a>
<a href="Center">Center</a>. If a class is not listed, that means that this class has been postponed. Need help accessing the OLLI Remote Learning Center? Watch the instructional videos below.



### OLLI Remote Learning Center Instructional Videos

### How to Set Up an Account for the OLLI Remote Learning Center

Watch this instructional video below on how to set up your account, then click **OLLI Remote Learning Center** to begin setting up your account. If you still need assistance call the OLLI office at 949-451-1403.



## How to Watch Videos and Attend a Live Class Through the OLLI Remote Learning Center

Watch the instructional video below on how to use the Remote Learning Center, and how to watch live streamed and prerecorded class lectures.

Did you know you can **search** for particular classes or subject areas? For example, type in AH in the search bar, hit enter and only Arts & Humanities classes will show up in the found list. Then use your mouse to scroll and click to select which

lecture you want to watch.



#### **Contacting Us**

At the direction of UCI administration, OLLI staff will be working remotely until further notice. You can still reach us at **olli@uci.edu** or 949-451-1403, Monday-Friday, 9 AM-2 PM. Please do not come in to the OLLI office; it will be closed.

#### **Contact Information**

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#### Map

Click here to view a map of

our location

#### **Office and Classroom Address**

## 15207 Barranca Parkway Irvine, CA 92618

We are located at the corner of Ada and Barranca, next to the Station Café and facing Ada. We are on the ground level of the multi-level parking garage.

#### **VISIT US ON FACEBOOK**

