



at University of California, Irvine

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

**Monday,
January 4, 2021**

**Spring Semester
Enrollment
Starts January 6th
Spring classes start February 15th.**

**Online enrollment starts at 7:00 AM;
go to ce.uci.edu/olli
Phone-in enrollment starts at 9:00 AM;
call 949-824-5414, Mon-Thurs**

**Spring Catalogs
Mailed December 14th.**

The **Spring catalog**, with all new OLLI courses, was mailed to all current members. If you haven't received your catalog, email the OLLI office at olli@uci.edu or call 949-451-1403. Do you know someone who might like to receive our Spring catalog? Just reply to this e-mail with the name and mailing address, and we will mail them a free catalog.

**OLLI AT UCI
VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE
via Zoom
FOR PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS**

**MONDAY, JANUARY 11
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Invite your friends to attend.**



The OLLI Open House is an opportunity to register for classes, learn more about the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at UCI, join or renew membership, and much more. It is a place to make connections with people who share the love of learning. The open house provides a showcase for classes and special interest groups coming in the

Spring term. This event will be held online via Zoom. **RSVP TO OLLI@UCI.EDU OR 949-451-1403.**

Classes are being live streamed through the Remote Learning Center.

New members

You will need to create an account to use the Remote Learning Center. To get started, you will need your Membership ID number which begins with the letter 'M'. To obtain your Membership number, email the OLLI office at olli@uci.edu or call the OLLI office at 949-451-1403. Your Membership ID number will be emailed to you along with instructions to create your account.

Returning members

If you already created an account for the Remote Learning Center, you can use the same log in and password. Go to olli.ce.uci.edu, Under Returning User, click the blue Login button and log in.

If you are a returning member, but have not yet created an account for the Remote Learning Center, you will need to create an account to watch live streamed classes. To get started, you will need your Membership ID number which begins with the letter 'M'. To obtain your Membership number, email the OLLI office at olli@uci.edu or call the OLLI office at 949-451-1403. Your Membership ID number will be emailed to you along with instructions to create your account.

Need assistance creating your Remote Learning Center account and using the Remote Learning Center?

Watch these helpful videos:

- Video "How to Set Up Your Remote Learning Center Account": [Click Here](#)
- Video "How to Use the Remote Learning Center": [Click Here](#)

Read this helpful step-by-step document:

- "How to Set Up Your Remote Learning Account": [Click Here](#)

Still have questions?

E-mail us at olli@uci.edu or call us at 949-451-1403.

Important Fall Class Notices

Fall classes continue through the end of January.

Only students enrolled in a class will receive class handouts and class notifications.

New Fall Class

- **Current Issues Forum (SS 314)** January 13; 1:00-3:00 PM.
Click [here](#) for a course description.

Fall Class Reminder

The Metropolitan Opera Comes to OLLI (AH 109)

If you want to watch the opera before class, I suggest these productions. They are all on YouTube. January dates are class lectures; viewing dates are at your discretion.

George Rothman, Presenter/Developer

January 7, 2021 - MAGIC FLUTE: Paris Opera, 2001 (creative production, English subtitles)

January 14, 2021 - ROMEO AND JULIETTE: Southern Illinois Festival, 2010. (semi-modern approach, excellent singing)

January 21, 2021 - DON GIOVANNI: two very different productions: Rodney Gilfrey, Cecilia Bartoli (superb singing but last scene deleted, will explain in class, English subtitles) OR Jeremie Rohrer (very, very modern, crazy but fun, superb singing and very sexy, French subtitles)

January 28, 2021 - NABUCCO: set in an Austrian Roman quarry (spectacular production, but Abigail's singing is unsatisfactory, English subtitles)

Click [here](#) for a course description.

Weekly Schedule of Livestreaming Fall Classes

SC 214

**HOW WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS WORK:
Microwaves, Cell Phones and Our 5G Future**

**Tuesdays, January 5, 12, 19
10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon**

Click [HERE](#) to attend this class.

U.S. and Chinese companies are in a race to establish themselves as the world leader in 5G technology. Huge markets await the winner including smart phones, advanced semiconductors, the Internet, home and business communications and self-driving vehicles. How does microwave-based cellular phone technology work to bring us

communications and the Internet? What technical challenges does 5G present, what new services will it enable, how will it impact our landscape and how is it likely to unfold over the next several years?

Presenter/Developer: David Hammers, M.S.E.E., USC, and Ph.D. Engineering, UCLA. Former Vice President of Advanced Engineering, ITT and Professor of Electromagnetics and Microwave Engineering, UCLA and Loyola Marymount.

AH 109

THE METROPOLITAN OPERA COMES TO OLLI

Friday, January 7, 14, 21, 28

10:00 AM - 12 Noon

Click [HERE](#) to attend this class.

Our operatic journey continues: The Don attempts a seduction with his Magic Flute on Juliette but with the heroic assistance of Romeo, he ends up as a Nabucco prisoner instead.

January 7: Mozart: Magic Flute (January 16 at the Met)

January 14: Gounod: Romeo and Juliette (January 30 at the Met)

January 21: Mozart: Don Giovanni (March 27 at the Met)

January 28: Verdi: Nabucco (May 8 at the Met)

Presenter/Developer: George Rothman. For a number of years, Mr. Rothman has guided OLLI members with his opera presentations. He has earned a degree in music, has studied opera all his life and was a supernumerary at Opera Pacific.

Curriculum Committee Meeting Schedule

You're invited to meet our curriculum chairs and course developers to audit how OLLI members like yourselves develop the courses you love. We have four committees: Arts and Humanities; Social Science; STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math); Special Events

January 2021 Committee Meeting Schedule:

January 5 @ 2:00 PM - Arts & Humanities

January 13 @ 12:00 Noon - Social Science

January 25 @ 10:00 AM - STEM

January 25 @ 1:00 PM - Special Events

If you would like to audit a meeting, please respond to this email and we will send you the Zoom meeting link.

[OLLI Remote Learning Center](#)



Create an Account for the Remote Learning Center

I don't have an account for the Remote Learning Center.

An account is needed to watch live streamed and pre-recorded class lectures.

To create your account, you will need your **Membership ID** number. This number begins with the letter 'M'. If you don't have your membership number, send an email to olli@uci.edu.

Ready to create your account?

Click [OLLI Remote Learning Center](#) to begin setting up your account and click the Register button under New User.

Watch the instructional video above on setting up your account for the OLLI Remote Learning Center.

Still need help?

If you still need assistance, call the OLLI office at 949-451-1403, Monday - Friday, 9 AM - 2 PM



Using the Remote Learning Center

I've already created my Remote Learning Center account.

If you have already set up an account, click [OLLI Remote Learning Center](#), and click the blue Login button under Returning User. Enter the e-mail address and password you used to create your account. Then, click on the red bar titled, *View OLLI Classes Live TV*, to join the live classroom presentation. You may even join after the class starts.

What if I miss the live class lecture?

Most lectures will be recorded and available for later viewing. The video library contains over 400 pre-recorded class lectures from the current and previous terms.

Watch the instructional video above if you need more help using the Remote Learning Center.

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Connect with Your OLLI Friends Through Our Facebook Group!

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

Send a free OLLI catalog to a friend.

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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.

VISIT US ON FACEBOOK

