

Monday, November 28, 2022

# 'Tis the season to be thankful!

This holiday season, the UCI Police Department will be accepting donations of new, unwrapped toys and teddy bears suitable for infants and



children up to age 14. Out of an abundance of caution, we ask that you only gift items that are packaged by the manufacturer. Your generous gifts will help comfort children receiving care at UCI Health and other Orange County children's organizations.

OLLI at UCI will be collecting donations for the Annual UCI Police Department Toy Drive at each class session through Thursday, December 15th, at our **Jolly OLLI Holiday Party!** We will also need volunteers to help bring the toys to the UCI Police Department on Friday, December 16th. Please email olli@uci.edu if you'd like to help drop off donated gifts. Warmly,

**OLLI at UCI** 

### **JOLLY OLLI HOLIDAY PARTY**

December 15 at 5:00 PM RSVP <u>here!</u>



# SPOTLIGHT ON UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

(Click on the image to learn more & register!)



## **Director's Voice II: The Biddy Mason Story**

SE 413 Sunday, December 4 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM UCI Contemporary Arts Center \$18 (Includes matinee ticket)



It is 1850 Los Angeles, and the birth of the Pueblo of Los Angeles is helped along by Biddy Mason, a former Mississippi slave and midwife who walks to California behind a wagon train and becomes a healing force in the wild west. "Auntie Mason" becomes a person to be reckoned with: a businesswoman and entrepreneur whose perseverance and commitment as a healer of bodies and souls ensures that her spirit lives on in the City of Angels. Based on a true story.

### **Please NOTE:**

**SE 413: Director's Voice II: The Biddy Mason Story, is closed**on our OLLI website for registration. OLLI members and guests are still able to register through the UCI Claire Trevor School of the Arts box office and **purchase tickets here**.

Tickets will remain \$18.00 and members are welcome to attend the Director's Talk from 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM.

For more information, please email: olli@uci.edu.

# OLLI at UCI INFORMATION



# OLLI at UCI members have many opportunities to volunteer within our OLLI community!

We are a member-driven organization of enthusiastic lifelong learners. With vibrant minds and unbounded curiosity, we discover, share, and build social connections with like-minded individuals in a rich learning culture.

If you are interested in learning more, email: olli@uci.edu

### **Board of Director Open Positions:**

- Secretary
- VP, Operations
- VP, Programs
- VP, Member Services
- VP, Marketing

### **Member Volunteer Open Positions**:

- Social Science Chair
- Social Science Co-Chair
- STEM Co-Chair
- Committee Members
- Class Facilitators
- Library Coordinator



To view online classes, you will need to create an account for the <u>ORLC</u>. If you have not received your OLLI Membership ID, please email: <u>olli@uci.edu</u>.

If you already created an account for the <u>ORLC</u>, you can use the same log in and video password that you created. If you have forgotten your (Video) password, the office can reset it, by emailing: <u>olli@uci.edu</u>.

NOTE: Please allow 5-10 business days for a video recording to become available after a classes has concluded due to the editing process. Thank you.



# **Upcoming Classes**

#### **CLASS FORMAT LEGEND:**

A: Classroom ONLY (Presenter and Audience attend in person)

B/C: Hybrid with Presenter in person or via Zoom(Audience attend in person or via Zoom)

**D: Zoom ONLY** (Presenter and Audience attend via Zoom)

Calendar at a Glance				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
11/28	11/29	11/30	12/1	12/2
10:00 AM	10:00 AM	10:00 AM AH 111 Format B/C  10:00 AM AH 101 Format D CLOSED	10:00 AM	10:00 AM
SS 314	SC 211		SS 314	SS 314
Format B/C	Format B/C		Format B/C	Format B/C
1:00 PM	1:30 PM	1:30 PM	1:30 PM	<u>1:00 PM</u>
<b>AH 103</b>	<b>SS 314</b>	SC 212	<b>AH 104</b>	

Format D Format B/C Format B/C Format A CLOSED CLOSED

## **Class Descriptions**

SS 314 Format B/C

RUSSIA AND THE RUSSIANS -A Vast Topic (Session 1 of 4)

Monday, November 28 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Presenter:
Edgar M Moran, M.D.,
Professor Emeritus of
Medicine

As the world is opening to allow a better understanding of the culture of other countries, it is pertinent to review the world of Russia and of the Russians. Russia is the largest country of the world and has a captivating history.

We shall review its economy, social structure, civilization, culture, and the arts, as well as the changing political systems over centuries.

It is only through an objective review of the Russian world that we'll be able to adopt a dispassionate understanding of a unique world, very different from ours in many respects.

This six-session class is an interactive adventure in reading and discussing works by acclaimed short story writers from around the world. Class volunteers select a story from the text or PDF from the internet, develop questions and lead the discussion.

The textbook is One World; a Global Anthology of Short Stories published in May 2009, and available in paper and Kindle, at Amazon.com. "All belong to one world, united in their diversity and ethnicity. And together they have one aim: to involve and move the reader." Be sure to purchase the May 2009 edition, not the more recent one.

AH 103
Format D
CLOSED
CONTEMPORARY
INTERNATIONAL
SHORT STORIES

Monday, November 28 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Discussion Leader: Kanga Morgan

SC 211 Format B/C

THE INTEGRATED

The integrated circuit (IC) is a fundamental element of our electronic world and is designed into just about everything we use today. No other technological advancement has had a more profound effect on our world and

Your
Grandfather's
Vacuum Tube
(Session 1 of 2)

Tuesday, November 29 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Presenter:
Bruce Bollinger, OLLI
STEM Committee

our everyday lives than the invention of the IC.

This presentation will take you through the pioneering development of the IC: from the early days of the vacuum tube, the invention of the transistor, through the development of the semiconductor manufacturing processes leading to the creation of the IC. We will also dive into the advanced manufacturing facilities where these components are born, following the complicated manufacturing processes and sophisticated equipment created to support the mass-production of these hi-tech, high-end components.

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RUSSIA AND THE RUSSIANS -A Vast Topic (Session 2 of 4)

Tuesday, November 29 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM

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AH 101
Format D
CLOSED
WRITING LIFE
STORIES

Wednesday, Nov. 28 10:00 AM- 12:00 PM

**Discussion Leader:** 

This warm, supportive class is where you can begin writing down the stories of your life. Share yours and listen to the stories of others in the group.

For those with the goal of creating books to share, you will have an opportunity to learn more about design and printing. This workshop involves a commitment to attend regularly and write two-page story every two weeks.

### **Tim Boyd**

Music can provoke strong emotions, but sometimes music is designed to make you see, hear or feel something physical: the weather (such as wind, thunder or lightning); aspects of nature (such as a mountain, a river, the sea, sunrise or moonlight); animals (such as a bumblebee, birds, snakes, cats, dogs or mules); or travel, including modes of transportation (such as boats, trains or automobiles) and destinations (such as Spain, the Austrian Alps, or the Grand Canyon).

This course will show you how composers use music to create sensory experiences.

AH 111
Format B/C
EVOCATIVE
MUSIC: Music that
Evokes a Sensory
Experience
(Session 1 of 3)

Wednesday, Nov. 30 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Presenter: Steve Weinstein

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## MICROBIOME: Bugs in Your Belly

Wednesday, Nov. 30 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Presenter: Katrine Whiteson, Pd.D.

A "gut check" may soon become part of a routine physical exam and not just a call for courage. The natural balance of "good" and "bad" bacteria and other microorganisms in your gastrointestinal tract and other body cavities has been found to greatly influence human health.

Katrine Whiteson, Ph.D., of UCI's department of Molecular Biology and Biochemistry as well as a Director, UCI Microbiome Initiative, will reprise and update her presentation to OLLI three years ago.

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RUSSIA AND THE RUSSIANS -A Vast Topic (Session 3 of 4)

Thursday, December 1 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM the Russian world that we'll be able to adopt a dispassionate understanding of a unique world, very different from ours in many respects.

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# AH 101 Format D CLOSED BRUSH UP YOUR SHAKESPEARE

Thursday, Dec. 1 1:30 PM- 3:30 PM

**Discussion Leader: Beth Mersch** 

Almost 400 years from publication of Shakespeare's First Folio in 1623, Shakespeare's plays remain a staple in education curriculum and theatre productions.

Join this interactive group in reading aloud two plays of our choosing, discussing the characters, plot and major themes. Woven within this interactive reading will be a discussion of the political and social environment of the period. Class will use Folger Library editions of the plays, available in paperback and online.

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RUSSIA AND THE RUSSIANS -A Vast Topic (Session 4 of 4)

Friday, December 2 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Presenter:
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The Fall 2022 digital catalog pdf has been updated with all course corrections and is the most up-to-date way to view our classes.

To view the online catalog, click here.

To send a catalog to a friend, click here.

Don't forget that you can bring a friend with our One-Bring-One guest pass and if they become a member, then you are eligible for our One-Enroll-One \$25 gift card of appreciation! Inquire at: olli@uci.edu.

#### SS 314

### Russia & the Russians - A Vast Topic

Monday, November 28, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Tuesday, November 29, 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM Thursday, December 1, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Friday, December 2, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM 4th SESSION ADDED

A fourth session added: Friday, December 2, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM. All enrolled members have been notified via email.

#### AH 111

# Evocative Music: Music that Evokes a Sensory Experience Wednesdays November 30, December 14, 21, 10:00 AM - 12:15 PM

**3RD SESSION ADDED** 

Third session added: Wednesday, December 21, 10:00 AM - 12:15 PM. All enrolled members have been notified via email.

SC 213 & SS 315

### **Interdisciplinary Course Lectures Reminder**

Tuesdays, January 10, 17, 24, 31, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Please note that we have two upcoming classes that will provide OLLI at UCI with an Interdisciplinary lecture series in four combined session.

SC 213: Whys in Biomedicine: An Update On Lifelong Questions and SS 315: Why Things Happen?, will both be taught by Dr. Edgar Moran.

The first of the four sessions will be Tuesday, January 10th, and is listed in the catalog as SC 213. The final three sessions will be Tuesdays, January 17, 24, and 31st, and are listed as SS 315.

Please make sure you register and attend both classes so that you are able to hear the complete lecture series! Click on the classes above to register. Both classes will be available as B/C format for Online Zoom Members as well!

### **UCI COVID-19 VACCINATION POLICY**

# OLLI at UCI COVID-19 VACCINATION REQUIREMENT

 OLLI will continue to ask members to provide proof of COVID-19 vaccination at the first class meeting or special event a member attends.



- To view UCI's Vaccination Policy, click <u>here</u>.
- If a member (or guest) is not vaccinated, OLLI requests that they attend class online.

To add your digital State of California COVID-19 vaccination record to your phone, fill out the following form: <a href="https://myvaccinerecord.cdph.ca.gov">https://myvaccinerecord.cdph.ca.gov</a>

### **UCI COVID-19 MASK POLICY**



From the Director of UCI Campus Public Health Response Team, David Souleles:

Face coverings will continue to be recommended indoors, but not required, regardless of vaccination status consistent with current <u>California Department</u> <u>of Public Health (CDPH)</u> guidance on the use of face masks in California. Therefore, individuals should feel free to continue to wear face coverings if they desire.

While the indoor face covering requirement is being lifted, the campus will maintain a number of our prevention and surveillance efforts to help control the spread of COVID-19.

• OLLI at UCI will continue to provide face coverings to those that request one.

For the latest COVID-19 information, please continue to visit the <u>UCI Forward</u> <u>website</u>. Thank you for your ongoing compliance with COVID-19 protocols to help with campus health and well-being.

## **CONTACTING US**



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### **VISIT US ON FACEBOOK**

