The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at WVU

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at West Virginia University, known as OLLI at WVU, provides programs and educational opportunities designed for adults 50 and over. One of 120 institutes across the country funded by the Bernard Osher Foundation, OLLI at WVU offers classes in Morgantown and Charleston.

OLLI at WVU is a membership organization affiliated with the School of Public Health at WVU that recognizes the unique experiences, capabilities, and wisdom of mature members of the community. OLLI at WVU emphasizes the sharing of ideas through peer learning, member participation, and collaborative leadership.

During four terms each year, OLLI at WVU offers courses, lectures, seminars and field trips in such areas as music, literature, art, science, politics, nature, history, health, medicine, and economics. Live drama, movies, and special interest groups add to the choices.

Courses are developed and taught by volunteers from the community who are passionate about their topics, avocations, and interests, and love to share their ideas.

*Free from the pressures of tests and grades, this is learning simply for the joy of it.*

Charleston Membership

Membership is open to curious adults interested in programming designed specifically for those over 50, who want to engage socially and intellectually with their peers. An individual must be a member of OLLI to take classes.

In addition to the opportunities to discover a new passion or rekindle an old interest, share a love of learning with peers, and meet new people, members also enjoy such benefits as:

- a weekly e-news bulletin
- discounts on travel and various events around the community
- financial assistance for membership fees

Membership in the Charleston chapter of OLLI at WVU is $25.00 per term.

Members may participate in unlimited courses and activities during a term for which they have a paid membership.

Membership may be purchased on line at www.olliatwvu.org, by calling the OLLI office at 304-293-1793, or mailing a membership/registration form to: OLLI at WVU

PO Box 9123
Morgantown, WV 26506-9123

*Please make checks payable to the WVU Foundation.*

SCHOLARSHIPS

While OLLI at WVU tries to keep fees to a minimum while providing the highest quality experiences to our members, we recognize that membership fees may be out of the reach of some individuals. Therefore, scholarships are available.

To apply, ask for a confidential application at the OLLI office or fill out the form on our website at www.olliatwvu.org.

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The Bernard Osher Foundation

The Bernard Osher Foundation seeks to improve quality of life through the support of lifelong learning institutes such as OLLI at WVU. The Foundation was founded in 1977 by Bernard Osher, a respected businessman and community leader. The Foundation has now funded 120 Osher Lifelong Learning Institutes on campuses of colleges and universities from Maine to Hawaii. Funding for OLLI is contingent upon membership growth goals, so membership matters. To learn more about The Bernard Osher Foundation, please visit their website at [www.osherfoundation.org](http://www.osherfoundation.org).
Learning is a treasure which accompanies us everywhere.

What more appropriate statement could I find in the fortune cookie that came with my lunch on the very afternoon that I had to write this letter for the spring catalog? It speaks directly to my lifelong love of learning and reinforces my belief that through learning, we make the world a better place for all.

As you browse the catalog, I hope you find as many interesting classes as I have. As much as I love my job, I can’t help but wish that I didn’t have to work during our terms as I could actually spend my days in the classroom instead of the office. Thank you to our wonderful instructors who generously offer to share their interests and expertise over such a wide range of topics.

You will find over 20 lectures and presentations in the catalog. This may not be all that OLLI has to offer this spring though. Sometimes opportunities arise at the last minute to offer our members another class or special event. These opportunities are advertised through our Friday eBulletin, special emails, and on our Facebook page. If you’re not on our email list, be sure to contact the OLLI office to join today. If you don’t have access to the web or email and would like to stay up-to-date on added events, please contact the OLLI office and let us know. We’ll do our best to keep you informed.

- Jascenna Haislet
Share Your Passion: Teach for OLLI

OLLI at WVU draws volunteers from all walks of life to teach a wide variety of courses for adults 50 and older. Although many of our instructors are teachers, professors, or business and civic leaders, many others are community members with a desire to share their knowledge and passion with their peers.

*Experience the joy of teaching free of tests and grades.* OLLI classes are offered simply for the joy of learning. Members are enthusiastic, engaged, and eager to learn.

Interested in teaching for OLLI? Visit our website at [www.ollipopву.org](http://www.ollipopву.org/) or call the OLLI office at 304-293-1793 for more information.

Volunteer for OLLI

As a non-profit membership organization, OLLI depends on the generous support of our volunteers. Volunteers are the lifeblood of our program, helping to ensure that OLLI is able to provide the highest quality courses, lectures, workshops, trips and more for our members.

Your volunteer experience can be molded to fit your interests, talents, and schedule. Opportunities may be short-term project-oriented tasks or ongoing general support, team or solo tasks, on-site or in the community.

Current opportunities include:

- class hosts
- project team members
- ambassadors
- committee and board members
- teachers

Perhaps you have expertise or ideas that you’d like to share. We would love to hear it!

If you’re interested in volunteering, contact the OLLI office at 304-293-1793 or submit the Volunteer Information Form online at [http://www.ollipopву.org/](http://www.ollipopву.org/).

Giving to Your OLLI

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at WVU is dedicated to providing the highest quality educational, recreational, and social opportunities possible to our members. Last year, we offered nearly 60 lectures, discussions, field trips and workshops in Charleston in a wide variety of subject areas, from the arts and literature to retirement planning and computer training.

We are thrilled at the success of OLLI at WVU Charleston and proud to be able to offer these experiences to you. Your support as a member has enabled the marked success in Charleston. In order to continue the high quality course selection and to grow the program for you, your financial support is needed also.

Although OLLI receives support from WVU and earnings from the Osher Endowment, this funding covers only about 45% of our expenses. Membership and registration fees cover another 15%. Therefore, the remaining 40% must be raised through donations, gifts, sponsorships and grants. Your donation will help us continue to offer quality programming for OLLI at WVU Charleston.

With a variety of giving options, you can choose the gift that works best for you. For more information, call the OLLI office at 304-293-1793.
A Favorite Book: Let’s Share  
Dr. Frances Simone  
franandwoody@gmail.com  
Tuesday, April 10, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
WVU Extension  

Each participant will bring a favorite book and describe its contents and why it’s a favorite (about 5 to 10 minutes for each). Then participants will pick a number from 1 to X (depending on the size of the group). All books will be displayed and participants will select based on their number. (Example, number 1 will pick from all the books displaced, number 2, etc.). Participants must be prepared to part with their favorite but will leave with another favorite. The instructor will bring a few of her favorites for a wider selection.

**About the Instructor:** Dr. Fran Simone is Professor Emeritus at Marshall University, South Charleston Campus. She’s a published author whose essays has appeared in numerous publications. Fran has conducted over 100 writing workshops and currently blogs for Psychology Today (see Addiction: A Family Affair).

Invertebrate Fossils: Remarkable Records of Life in the Geologic Past  
Steven Holsclaw  
ssh3303@gmail.com  
6 Sessions + Field Trip, Saturday, May 19  
Tuesdays, April 10 - May 15, 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.  
St. John’s Episcopal Church  

This course focuses on invertebrate fossils from the Cambrian through Cretaceous geologic periods. It celebrates their great age, breathtaking beauty and remarkable preservation. Most of the major invertebrate fossil groups will be explored through discussion, diagrams, photographs, and show-and-tell specimens. The class ends with a Saturday all-day field trip to Kentucky to collect ~450,000,000 year old fossils from the Ordovician Period. Students keep all of the fossils they collect. A technical background is not required for this class and the field trip entails light physical activity. Note that dinosaurs (vertebrates) are not covered in this course.

**About the Instructor:** Steven Holsclaw retired from the oil and gas industry in 2016 after 42 years of service. Studying and collecting fossils, minerals and crystals has been a life-long interest.

Pack Your Bags! We’re Heading for Mars!  
Dr. James Spencer  
spencer@wvstateu.edu  
Wednesday, April 11, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.  
WVU Extension  

It has been nearly a half century since humans last stood on the moon. At the time, most assumed Mars would be visited by the end of the 1970s at the latest. Now, in 2018, how much closer are we to realizing this dream? This class will examine the formidable challenges surrounding such a journey, including radiation exposure, communication delay, food storage and waste disposal, zero gravity, micrometeorites, politics, and the prohibitive cost of such a mission. Will we reach the Red Planet in our lifetimes? The answer may be found in the stars.

**About the Instructor:** James Spencer is a retired professor of psychology at West Virginia State University.

The Oil and Gas Industry in West Virginia: What’s Going on Below the Surface?  
Steven Holsclaw  
ssh3303@gmail.com  
6 Sessions  
Thursdays, April 12 - May 17, 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.  
St. John’s Episcopal Church  

This course will cover a broad spectrum of oil and gas industry topics touching on history, petroleum geology, oil and gas well drilling and completion, subsurface oil and gas formations and reservoir evaluation, underground gas storage, technology of fracking, and a general discussion of the Marcellus and Utica Shale. Students are not required to have a technical background.

**About the Instructor:** Steven Holsclaw has worked in the oil and gas industry as a petroleum geologist for 42 years. He has extensive experience in oil and gas exploration, development, production, well drilling and completion, subsurface formation correlation and reservoir evaluation, electric log interpretation and underground gas storage.
The Art and Science of Bread Making
Anthony Abatjoglou
Friday, April 13, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
WVU Extension Kitchen, 1st floor
Maximum Enrollment: 8
Materials Fee: $10 (payable to instructor day of class)
Bread has been an integral part of man’s diet since before recorded history. Beyond today’s high-tech bread baking machines, professional artisan bread baking is a complex art not broadly understood. This class will attempt to bridge the gap between professional artisan bread baking and home baking by revealing the secrets of how to create different qualities of taste and texture in a homemade loaf. Participants will learn how to make flavorful breads with voluptuous and chewy texture, caramelized crusts, and the aroma of nuts. A sampling of various types of artisan breads will be provided.

About the Instructor: Anthony Abatjoglou is a retired chemist from the WVU Institute of Technology who enjoys cooking, artisan bread baking, home brewing, and gardening.

In Touch with Nature:
The Poems of Mary Oliver
Dr. Frances Simone
franandwoody@gmail.com
Tuesday, April 17, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
WVU Extension
Mary Oliver has been described as “far and away this country’s best selling poet.” She’s the recipient of many awards, including The National Book Award and the Pultizer Prize. She writes poems that are clear and poignant observations of the natural world. Many focus on the interaction between humans and the natural world. We will read a selection of poems and discuss and react to questions posed after each. (Note: this will not be a literary analysis of the poems rather it will focus on participants sharing their thoughts and observations.)

About the Instructor: Dr. Fran Simone is Professor Emeritus at Marshall University, South Charleston Campus. She’s a published author whose essays has appeared in numerous publications. Fran has conducted over 100 writing workshops and currently blogs for Psychology Today (see Addiction: A Family Affair).

Keep Yourself Safe When You Go to the Hospital
Janice Smith janice.smith410@icloud.com
Wednesday, April 18, 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Hansford Center
Patients may not be as safe in hospitals as they believe. This class will provide you with information to help you understand why hospitals may not be safe and how to keep yourself safe when you enter the hospital.

About the Instructor: Janice Smith is a nurse of 48 years and is currently a student at WVU pursing a doctorate in nursing. She has extensive experience in patient safety and risk management in hospitals.

“You Shall Eat Healthy and Holy”:
Jewish Healthy Cooking
Marilyn Urecki
Sunday, April 22, 12:00 – 2:00 p.m.
B’nai Jacob Synagogue
Maximum Enrollment: 10
Join Marilyn for another session into the world of Jewish food but with a twist. While most people associate Jewish food with latkes (potato pancakes), gefilte fish, and bagels/lox/cream cheese, authentic Jewish food actually covers a wide range of cultures and societies, ideas, and varieties, and can be made healthy! Participants will learn about the Jewish dietary laws, preparing, and most of all, sampling the growing world of delicious, healthy, Jewish food.

About the Instructor: Marilyn Urecki is the wife of Rabbi Victor Urecki of B’nai Jacob Synagogue. A

OLLI membership has opened a whole new world for me and has given me a challenging and very rewarding activity for my retirement years.

- OLLI member
graduate of Yeshiva University with a Masters in Jewish education and an English teaching degree, she has served as a high school English teacher for over a decade at Charleston Catholic High School. She runs the B’nai Jacob Sunday and Hebrew school and is well known for her cooking skills and abilities.

**Taming the Shrew Within Us**
Dr. Robert Harrison  
drbobwv@aol.com  
Monday, April 23, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
St. John’s Episcopal Church

The Elizabeth Taylor and Richard Burton film version of Shakespeare’s *Taming of the Shrew* not only helps a person tame the inner shrew within themselves but also, under the direction of Franco Zeffirelli, provides an excellent understanding of the life and times in Renaissance Europe.

**About the Instructor:** Dr. Bob Harrison is a retired Professor of Education and former Dean of the College of Professional Studies at West Virginia State University in Institute, West Virginia. He has 50 years of service to public education and higher education in West Virginia.

**Using Your Apple iPad and iPhone**
Steven Fleming  
ollizhsc.wvu.edu  
Tuesday, April 24, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.  
WVU Extension  
**Maximum Enrollment:** 10

This course covers iOS 11 for the iPhone and iPad. We’ll look at features of this state-of-the-art operating system and the incredibly useful devices on which it runs. We’ll explore the basic knowledge and skills you’ll need to use your device effectively and efficiently like the various gestures you use to control the operating system and apps, how to use the 3D touch features, and how to find and install third party apps.

**About the Instructor:** Steve Fleming has an extensive background in the technology field. He has held job positions with Unisys Corporation, The Federal Reserve Banks in Nashville and Atlanta. He is currently OLLI’s Professional Technologist.

**Old World Meets New World: Hester Street**
Dr. Arnold Hartstein  
amh2@suddenlink.net  
Wednesday, April 25, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
St. John’s Episcopal Church

We will watch and discuss the film *Hester Street*, a comedy-drama that focuses on the Jewish immigrant experience in early 20th century America and sheds light more broadly on the changes and dislocations that occur when Old and New World values collide.

**About the Instructor:** Dr. Arnold Hartstein recently retired from West Virginia State University, where he taught English for 41 years.

**Special Places in WV:**
**The State Capitol Complex, Part I**
Ed Johnson  
Wednesday, April 25, 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.  
WVU Extension  
Thursday, April 26, 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.  
Hansford Center (repeated)

Using videos, photos and other technology, this class will “tour” the Capitol Campus: the grounds and the building, and various artwork and statuary, including the Veterans Memorial. We will also take a video tour of the Executive (Governor’s) Mansion, the Culture Center, and a virtual tour of the State Museum.

**About the Instructor:** The WV State Capitol has been a regular presence in much of Ed Johnson’s life, and he would like to share his knowledge of WV. He is the creator and curator of a website for WV Studies students in public, private, parochial, or home school settings.

**Special Places in West Virginia: The State Capitol Building, Part II**
Ed Johnson  
Wednesday, April 25, 2:45 - 4:15 p.m.  
WVU Extension  
Thursday, April 26, 2:45 - 4:15 p.m.  
Hansford Center (repeated)

As a follow-up to our virtual tour of the grounds and other buildings of the Capitol Complex in a previous class, we will enter the Capitol building and tour the hallways, rotunda, Senate and House Chambers, the courtroom of the Supreme Court of Appeals--with a
peek at the judges’ offices, including the $32,000 couch!—
-the Governor’s Reception Room, and of course, see the
chandelier! Videos and photos will be abundant.

About the Instructor: See previous page.

A History of Charleston:
The First 225 Years, Part II
Dr. Billy Joe Peyton
Friday, May 11, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
St. John’s Episcopal Church

This course continues to detail the rich history of Charleston, WV, from 1900 to the present. In part two, local historian Billy Joe Peyton will recount Charleston’s growth from a small 19th century river town into a vibrant capital city and 20th century transportation hub. Through words and images, Peyton will recount extraordinary moments in Charleston’s past, such as the tragic capitol fire of 1921, construction of Kanawha Boulevard, the impact of urban renewal and deindustrialization.

About the Instructor: Billy Joe Peyton received his PhD in History from West Virginia University. Peyton is Professor of History at West Virginia State University, where he teaches a variety of courses in West Virginia history, U.S. history, and public history. He has authored two books on the history of Charleston and is active on a number of state and local history boards and commissions.

Sun Protection and Skin Cancer Prevention
Amy Bruce                           amy.bruce@mail.wvu.edu
Tuesday, May 1, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.
Hansford Center

This course is designed to provide basic education about sun protective measures to prevent the development of skin cancer. Evidence-based literature supports the data found in the course presentation that focuses on risk factors for developing the disease, prevalence in WV, as well as morbidity and mortality rates. This lecture would also include ways in which the American Skin Cancer Association and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommend decreasing one’s sun exposure to reduce the potential for skin cancer development. The ABCDs of skin cancer assessment will be discussed to promote self-assessment of nevi development.

About the Instructor: Amy Bruce, MSN, RN, NE-BC, is a Jonas Nurse Leader Scholar and a 4th year Doctor of Nursing Practice student at WVU School of Nursing. Her capstone research focus is on skin cancer prevention and sun protective behaviors. Mrs. Bruce is an active member of the WV Cancer Action Network promoting efforts to fund cancer research and influence health care policy both statewide and nationally. She was recently published in both the International Journal of Nursing Sciences and International Journal of Telemedicine and Telecare regarding her collaborative research with Melanoma and skin cancer prevention.

Postcards from Stanland: Journeys in Central Asia
Dr. David Mould                  davidhmould@gmail.com
3 Sessions
Wednesdays, May 2 – 16, 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
WVU Extension

Across the vast steppe and mountain ranges, to fabled Silk Road cities, the Soviet rust belt and the futuristic architecture of Astana, Kazakhstan’s capital, you will explore a remote, diverse, and strategically vital region - the former Soviet republics of Central Asia. That jumble of countries whose names end in –stan, Stanland. You’ll meet teachers, students, politicians, entrepreneurs, journalists, cab drivers, and market sellers to learn about their history, culture, and struggle to survive in the post-Soviet era. You’ll enjoy the stories and landscapes but be happy you skipped the dangerous flights and bad hotels.

About the Instructor: David Mould is professor emeritus of media arts and studies at Ohio University. Born in the U.K., he worked as a newspaper and TV journalist before moving to the U.S. He began working in Central Asia in the mid-1990s, four years after the collapse of the Soviet Union, and over the next 20 years traveled to the region many times. He served as a Fulbright Scholar in Kyrgyzstan in 1996-97, and in Kazakhstan in 2011. He currently works as an international communications consultant and freelance writer and has traveled to more than 40 countries in Europe, Asia, and Africa.

Writing Your Life Story
Professor Dolly Withrow           dollywith@gmail.com
Thursday, May 3, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.
WVU Extension

In a relaxed atmosphere, participants will learn the importance of leaving a record of their thoughts and experiences. They will receive tips to help them get
started and copies of published essays they may use as examples. They will be encouraged to ask questions about any aspect of language usage.

About the Instructor: A retired English professor, Professor Withrow has written four books. She read her essays on public radio and led writing workshops for Fortune 500 companies. She taught for the University of Iowa’s famous writing festival and has won local and national writing awards.

Terminologies: Let’s Talk About Them
Leslie Bakker lesbak44@gmail.com
Wednesday, May 9, 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.
Hansford Center
Terminologies used when discussing the LGBTQ population are changing. New words are presenting themselves and old words have revised meanings. Because words can be powerful and many have strong political and social contexts, awareness of current usage can help demystify misconceptions. This course will explore many of the current terminologies used by media and others when discussing the LGBTQ population. Several myths about the population will be described and explained as terminologies are reviewed. Application of terminologies to the LGBTQ aging population will be addressed.

About the Instructor: Leslie Bakker is retired nursing school faculty. She has taught courses and led programs about cross-cultural health care across the life span. An advocate for health and wellness, she has published a continuing education program about promoting LGBTQ health. She is an active member of PFLAG and SAGEUSA, both organizations that promote LGBTQ well-being.

What Is Osteopathic Medicine?
Dr. Michael Harris
Friday, May 11, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
St. John’s Episcopal Church
This class will explore the history of osteopathic medicine and how it relates to other fields of medicine. Discussion will include a description of holistic medicine with emphasis on osteopathic medicine.

About the Instructor: Dr Michael Harris DO is a graduate of the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine. He is board certified in Internal Medicine, has practiced ambulatory, hospital, and emergency medicine in WV, Kentucky, and Ohio since 1990. Dr. Harris practiced aerospace internal medicine and occupational medicine with the West Virginia Air National Guard until his retirement.

The Silent HIV/AIDS Infection in Rural Africa
Dr. Raphael Mutepa
musondam@wstateu.edu
Monday, May 14, 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.
St. John’s Episcopal Church
Maximum Enrollment: 15
This course endeavors to explain how parents, friends, and relatives of town dwellers infected with HIV transmit the disease to their unsuspecting parents and friends taking care of them while sick. The modes of HIV transmission remain the same while the context (rural Africa) provide multiple and varied occasions for the transmission to occur. The course will explain selected occasions and will suggest ways to avoid the infection or reinfection of unsuspecting helpers.

About the Instructor: A graduate of Virginia Commonwealth University, Dr. Mutepa is an instructor at West Virginia State University in the Department of Social Work. Because of his education and frequent travels across Africa, he has first-hand experience on issues confronting African nations and health issues in poverty-stricken areas.
Understanding Gifted Children: Frequent Grandparenting and Educational Dilemmas
Dr. Anne Fishkin
Tuesday, May 15, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Hansford Center

“My child (or grandchild) tends to be exceptionally curious, unusually sensitive to criticism and has a precocious vocabulary. She excels in some subjects, yet struggles with others - why wasn’t she identified as gifted?”
This class will address some of the unique characteristics of gifted children and some dilemmas faced by parents, grandparents and educators. Motivation, encouragement, underachievement, stress, idealism, and friendships are some of the issues often encountered when parenting children who are exceptionally bright.

About the Instructor: Dr. Anne Fishkin was a teacher of gifted and a school psychologist in Oklahoma schools; and an Associate Professor of Special Education at Marshall University Graduate College. She directed a two-week summer program for bright, underachieving students, and co-facilitated a 10-session group for parents of gifted children. She continues to teach co-parenting classes for the WV family courts and recently taught at the STEAM summer camp at BridgeValley CTC. She has been the Gifted Children’s Coordinator for Vandalia Mensa and actively promotes teamwork, creativity, and problem solving for young people through the West Virginia Destination Imagination program.

Location Key

WVU Extension - Room 1017, City Center East building, 4700 MacCorkle Avenue, SE, Charleston
WVU Extension Kitchen - Extension office kitchen, 1st floor, City Center East building
Hansford Center - 500 Washington Street, St. Albans
St. John’s Episcopal Church - 1105 Quarrier Street, Charleston
Registration and Attendance Matters
Please be respectful of the time and efforts of our volunteer instructors. It is important to register for the classes that you wish to attend. If you are unable to attend a class for which you are registered, please notify the instructor or the OLLI office.

Weather and Holiday Policy
OLLI members are personally responsible for their own safety and must exercise good judgment when making travel choices in inclement weather. When Kanawha County Schools are closed for inclement weather, OLLI activities are cancelled. County school delays do not affect OLLI activities. The decision to cancel activities is at the discretion of the Director when a county calls for early dismissal due to the weather. The decision to cancel weekend activities due to weather is at the discretion of the instructor. Registered participants will be notified. The OLLI office observes WVU holidays.

Class Disclaimer
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Non-Discrimination Statement
WVU is an EEO/Affirmative Action Employer. Underrepresented class members are encouraged to apply. This includes minorities, females, individuals with disabilities and veterans.

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