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Winter/Spring 2025
**CURRICULUM
GUIDE**



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OLLI FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT IS OLLI?

OLLI is the acronym for the prestigious Osher Lifelong Learning Institute offered at 120+ Universities throughout the country. OLLI provides intellectual, social, and cultural enrichment opportunities in a climate that fosters friendship and a mutual sharing of ideas and life experiences.

MISSION

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at the University of South Carolina Beaufort (USCB) is devoted to creating and sustaining a robust and thriving lifelong learning community specifically developed for adults 50 and older through intellectual and social programs.

WHY JOIN OLLI?

People who are active, engaged in their communities, and who continue learning throughout their lives feel more productive and purposeful, and are healthier and happier. Members share common bonds of intellectual curiosity and the experience of their generation. They are self-motivated learners, eager to share opinions, knowledge, and expertise with humor and mutual respect. OLLI offers opportunities to meet new friends, make contacts, and develop connections. In addition to lectures, members can attend social events, take field trips, and participate in a myriad of other short courses that better one's quality of life, providing a personal sense of health, engagement, and overall well-being.

WHO TEACHES THE COURSES?

OLLI's philosophy is "teach your passion." Our volunteer instructors are fellow lifelong learners, just like you. They may teach topics related to those they pursued before retirement or may share their knowledge in a new area of interest.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

OLLI memberships are \$45 annually. Membership grants you access to all OLLI programs across our three regions. There are three terms within a year, Winter/Spring, Summer, and Fall. Members can choose between an UNLIMITED or PAYGO option. Unlimited allows a member to take as many classes within that term as they wish for just \$125. PAYGO allows members to pay per class for just \$15. Summer classes are FREE for OLLI members.

HOW DO I BECOME AN OLLI MEMBER?

You can sign up online at www.lli.uscb.edu or visit any of the three OLLI locations across the Lowcountry.

Registration opens January 7 and runs through May 31

CONTACT INFORMATION

Registration Website: www.lli.uscb.edu

Informational Website: www.uscb.edu/lli

Phone: (843) 208-8247

Email: lli@uscb.edu

Mailing address: 1 University Blvd., Rm 161, Bluffton, SC 29909

Follow us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/lliatuscb

**Office locations on all three campuses:
Beaufort, Bluffton, and Hilton Head**

MEMBERSHIP

Annual Membership: \$45

- Membership into 1 of 120+ OLLI communities nationwide
- Ability to participate in OLLI courses during the Fall, Winter/Spring, and Summer terms.
- Free "pop-up" OLLI lectures and Summer programs
- USCB campus library membership and access to research
- Discounted meals at USCB dining facilities
- Discounted ticket to USCB Chamber Music concerts
- Discounted fees to USCB Continuing Education classes
- Participation in the USCB OLLI Community Concert Band
- Free USCB campus student parking permit (\$25 value)

Ensure your membership is current throughout the term otherwise, you will not be able to register for classes beyond your membership expiration date.

TERM FEES

PAYGO (\$15 per course): Pay for each class separately upon registration throughout the term. USCB OLLI courses, regardless of the number of sessions, are \$15 for the entire course, whether in-person or live on Zoom. It is \$8 per course if viewed on the OLLI Digital Library.

***Upgrade to Unlimited at any time and apply already paid class fees to the upgrade.**

***UNLIMITED** (\$125) allows you to take as many live in-person, live on Zoom, and OLLI Digital Library courses as you wish throughout the term.

***Additional fee classes do not apply to an upgrade or the unlimited term fee.**

MEET YOUR OLLI STAFF



Annette Claus
Program Coordinator
Hilton Head Island



Marianne Conti
Program Coordinator
Bluffton



Lori Jones
Program Coordinator
Beaufort



Frankie Korosi
Program Coordinator
Hilton Head Island



CJ Oremus
Registrar
Bluffton



Terry Reed
Member Services
Bluffton



MJ Simmons
Program Coordinator
Beaufort



Andrea Sisino
Director

Refund and Cancellation Policy

- OLLI annual memberships are non-refundable.
- All additional fee programs are assessed a \$10 cancellation fee anytime after payment.
- No credit for additional fee programs if cancellation is less than 5 business days before the course/tour.
- PAYGO class fee (\$15) will not be credited to members account with less than 24 hours cancellation notice.
- Full forfeiture also applies to those members who do not show up for any enrolled course.

NEW

Important Dates

Guides Mail End of December



REGISTRATION OPENS for both In-person and online registration

The online registration system will **automatically turn on at midnight**. Walk-in or early drop-off registrations will be a top priority for OLLI staff on the morning of January 7, 2025, but some classes or offsite tours may be full. Please watch for your registration email to confirm your enrollment. **Make note that some limited enrollment options are on a first-served basis.**



WINTER/SPRING TERM CLASSES BEGIN Bring A Friend to Experience OLLI January 21-31, 2025

Welcome and bring a new friend, neighbor, or family member to USCB OLLI at no charge. Available in classroom lectures only. Call the OLLI office to check availability and reserve a seat for your guest.



RANDOM DRAW SELECTION Applies to selected limited enrollment classes/tours

This registration method, used for selected limited enrollment courses, ensures equal access to all OLLI members. Register anytime before February 3 and be entered into the random draw pool. Members selected will be contacted by OLLI via phone and email - payment is due to reserve your space by February 7, 2025.



RANDOM DRAW PAYMENT DUE To reserve your participation if selected

Pay online (www.lli.uscb.edu) or call the OLLI office (843) 208-8247 to make payment over the phone via credit card.

OLLI Glossary of Terms

FIRST SERVED REGISTRATION: A program filled by members who register first.

IN-PERSON: Physical attendance in a USCB OLLI classroom in Beaufort, Bluffton, and Hilton Head Island.

LIMITED ENROLLMENT: Limited number of attendees based on instructor preference or location.

LIVESTREAM: Live transmission of a class between OLLI regions.

OFFSITE: Class/tour/trip not on campus but at a location that will be disclosed in the class reminder email.

OLLI DIGITAL LIBRARY (ODL): Access to previously recorded classes on a video library via the internet anytime during the term.

OSHER ONLINE: Additional learning opportunity via ZOOM run by the Osher National Resource Center in Chicago (additional fees apply) for USCB OLLI members.

* **PAYGO:** Pay for each class separately upon registration.

RANDOM DRAW: The registration method for selected limited enrollment classes. Anyone can register until a certain date and then a random drawing, via computer software, to select participants. Those not selected go on the waitlist.

* **UNLIMITED:** Pay one price that allows you to take as many USCB OLLI courses within the term.*

ZOOM: Live class viewed via Zoom on a device with internet.

* *Additional fee classes do not apply to an upgrade or the unlimited term fee.*



= Livestream class



= OLLI Digital Library (ODL)



= Offsite tour

OLLI Digital Library

*Anytime
Anywhere*



The OLLI Digital Library (ODL) allows members to enjoy OLLI classes that have been previously recorded.

Membership is a prerequisite for ODL access.

Recordings are included in the unlimited term fee and only \$8 for our PAYGO members.

Look for the OLLI Digital Library icon throughout the guide.

Viewing links are included in your confirmation email upon registering. You may view immediately and will be available until May 31, 2025.

Art & Theater



ART201: INTRODUCTION TO TRADITIONAL RUG HOOKING

1 Session | Monday | March 10 | 1-3:00PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

Limited Enrollment - 12 *First Served Registration*

Want to learn about a centuries-old art fiber art that creates beautiful artwork? This is not your local craft store hooking, but an art started in Egypt and brought to New England in the 1800's. Watch a demonstration of how hand-dyed wool is cut and hooked into pieces of art that can create gorgeous rugs or intricate designs for your walls.

NOTE: This course is not a hands-on workshop.



JUDY BROWN moved from New Hampshire to St. Helena Island in 2017. She's been hooking since 2012. She's a 5-year McGown accreditation program student, requiring seven hooked pieces to be entered and juried.

ART202: ANDREW WYETH THE ENCHANTED REALIST OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
**RON
ROTH**

Revered by the public and berated by art critics, Andrew Wyeth was one of the most popular and controversial American artists of the 20th century. The spare, flinty, realism of his paintings; their limited palette of colors; the haunting and at times eerie portraits of his neighbors in Chadds Ford, Pennsylvania depicted rural life in ways that viewers found profoundly interesting and emotionally and psychologically evocative.

ART203: ART DECO IS NOT ART MODERNE OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
**GERALD
LARSON**

Art Deco and Art Moderne are two terms that are frequently used interchangeably, especially when referring to architecture. Learn why this is not accurate! Art Deco was a style of the late 1920s that was a product of the Roaring 20s. It was marked by warm colors and angular lines. Following the 1929 crash, businesses needed to "style" their products to look "modern" to encourage people to spend what little money they had. Designers turned to the airplanes and zeppelins of the period as inspiration for being "modern." Art Moderne was the result: curved, streamlined forms with cool color palettes.



ART200: THE SHARK IS BROKEN

1 Session | Saturday | March 1 | 1:00-4:00PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

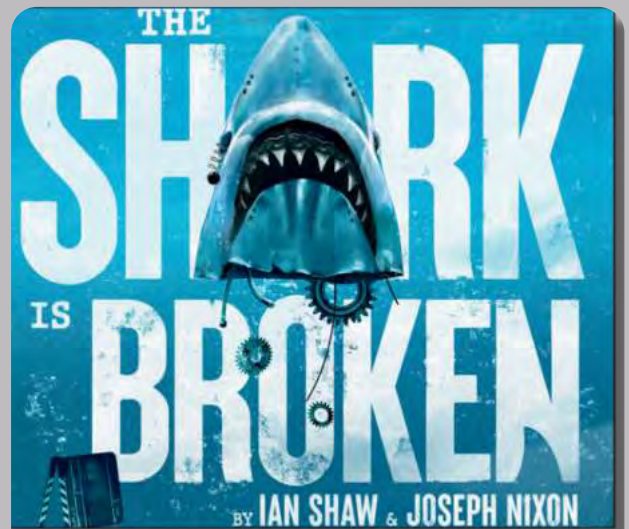
First Served Registration

Ticket Fee \$18

NEW

OLLI has reserved seats for this **hilarious play**. Step aboard the Orca and into *THE SHARK IS BROKEN*, a profound dive behind the scenes of the making of *Jaws* (The Daily Telegraph). This Olivier Award-nominated new play is brilliant and genius. Inspired by Robert Shaw's experience playing Quint on the notorious shoot, *THE SHARK IS BROKEN* by Ian Shaw and Joseph Nixon celebrates movie history and peeks at choppy waters behind Hollywood's first blockbuster.

Presented by: Pure Theater



Community Interest



COI200: WHAT'S HAPPENING ON HHI FROM THE OFFICE OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS

1 Session | Thursday | Jan 23 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus



COI200BL: [LIVESTREAM TO BLUFFTON CAMPUS](#)

Join Natalie Harvey, Director of the Town of Hilton Head Island Office of Cultural Affairs, to learn more about the Town's public art projects, the annual Crescendo Celebration of Art and Culture, and the Lantern Parade. Find out what projects are coming for next year and how you can get involved.



NATALIE HARVEY is the Director of the Office of Cultural Affairs for the Town of Hilton Head responsible for managing a wide range of Town projects including the public art collection, special events, marketing the community arts and cultural offerings, and producing the annual Lantern Parade.

TOUR: USCB BLUFFTON CAMPUS TOUR

1 Session | Tuesday | Jan 28 | 10-11:00AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Limited Enrollment - 15 First Served Registration

Register to take a guided tour of the USCB Bluffton campus to learn about the amenities available to you including the library, dining areas, post office, campus bookstore, and future OLLI Bus Stop.

COI201: THE KOREAN WAVE'S IMPACT ON THE REGION 2025 UPDATE

1 Session | Friday | Jan 24 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person, Zoom | Bluffton campus



The Coastal Empire and the Lowcountry regions of Georgia and South Carolina are undergoing rapid demographic changes with the arrival of more than 15 Korean businesses. The main companies spearheading these changes are Hyundai and HL Mando. Rapid transitions need to be guided through education for the constituents. The U.S. Dept. of Education funded USCB to train educators with a one-month trip to South Korea to help prepare the region for rapid changes. The question is - will this be enough? The Hyundai plant is scheduled to begin production in the last quarter of 2024. Learn the latest updates and see first-hand the enormity of this project.



JUANITA BABET VILLENA-ALVEREZ arrived at USCB in 1994 to teach French, Spanish, and Global Studies. Her accolades include initiated USCB's 1995 study abroad, 1998 USCB Professor of the Year, 2010 South Carolina Governor's Professor of the Year, 2012 South Carolina Board of Trustees Professorship, 2018 Fulbright-Hays Group Seminar in Poland.

COI202: BECOME A HILTON HEAD AMBASSADOR

1 Session | Thursday | Feb 6 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus



The Island Ambassador Program explores the rich history and culture of Hilton Head Island and its diverse ecology. With expert insights and interviews from locals across the island, experience our ever-evolving community and piece of the Lowcountry like never before. Whether you've been here for just two months or two decades, you're sure to discover something new about Hilton Head Island.



SARAH BEACHKOFSKY is currently the Executive Director of the Center for Lowcountry Hospitality Education at USCB. She holds a Bachelor of Public & Corporate Communications from Butler University and a Masters in Athletic Administration and Coaching from Concordia University Irvine.



TREY RAMSEY is currently the Assistant Director of the Center for Lowcountry Hospitality Education, is a 2023 graduate from USCB and holds a Bachelor of Communications.

Registration opens on January 7, 2025

online system automatically opens at midnight

COI203: ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY IN BEAUFORT COUNTY

1 Session | Thursday | Feb 13 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

NEW



COI203B: LIVESTREAM TO BEAUFORT CAMPUS

COI203BL: LIVESTREAM TO BLUFFTON CAMPUS

This presentation offers an in-depth exploration of recycling, stormwater management, and sustainability in Beaufort County. Learn about effective waste reduction strategies, innovative approaches to stormwater management, and the importance of environmental stewardship. The session will cover local initiatives and best practices. Gain valuable insights into enhancing community resilience and fostering a healthier environment for future generations. Discover what steps you can take to contribute to a more sustainable community.



VALENTINA PALACIO is the Environmental Education Coordinator for Beaufort County Public Works, dedicated to promoting sustainable practices in the community. Born and raised in the Lowcountry, she combines a deep appreciation of the region's natural beauty with a passion for educating others about environmental stewardship within the community.

COI204: COMMUNITY GROWTH MANAGEMENT - THE BASICS

1 Session | Friday | March 7 | 10:00-11:30AM
In-Person, Zoom | Beaufort campus

NEW

Looking at a map of the Lowcountry, you may notice that the boundaries defining some towns have sprawled over very large areas, creating odd shapes and often leaving "holes" throughout the community that are still part of the "unincorporated county." How and where a municipality or county grows and makes decisions on land development can be perplexing but there are some basic ingredients to ensure thriving communities and the protection of natural resources into the future. The class will discuss some of the tenets of responsible growth management and delve into topics such as comprehensive plans, zoning, annexation, planned-unit developments, and land conservation.



JESSIE WHITE is the Director of the Coastal Conservation. The South Coast office manages projects in Beaufort, Jasper, Colleton, and Hampton Counties. Before that, she spent seven years with the South Carolina Environmental Law Project. Jessie has a B.A. in Environmental Thought and Practice and Psychology and a J.D. from USC School of Law.

COI205: BEAUFORT JASPER WATER & SEWER AUTHORITY INSIDERS TOUR

1 Session | Thursday | April 17 | 9-11:00AM
In-Person | Offsite (Okatie)

NEW



Limited Enrollment - 20

Random draw selected on February 3, 2025

Tour Fee \$10 (if selected)

Beaufort-Jasper Water & Sewer Authority (BJWSA) treats and delivers up to 39 million gallons of drinking water each day for approximately 57,000 residential customers and 7 wholesale water customers. Participants will view videos showing water treatment methods and then tour BJWSA's Chelsea Water Treatment facility and laboratories. Learn how your drinking water is treated and how BJWSA uses reclaimed water to irrigate golf courses and replenish the Great Swamp. Its mission is simple - Provide quality water and wastewater services to our current and future customers in the Lowcountry.

COI206: THE CHANGING LANDSCAPE OF OUR REGIONS EDUCATION - UNIVERSITY AND PUBLIC SCHOOL PARTNERSHIPS

1 Session | Thursday | March 27 | 11:30AM-1:00PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

NEW

Join us for an engaging discussion featuring diverse voices from Beaufort County's educational landscape, including an elementary school teacher, a principal, and the superintendent of the Beaufort County School District (BCSD), as well as the University of South Carolina Beaufort's Alumni Coaching and Support Coordinator. We'll delve into the rich history throughout the years of collaboration between the university and the Beaufort County School District and describe the powerful impact of this partnership on our local community today. Before turning to the audience for questions and dialogue, the panelists will also explore innovative strategies for overcoming future educational challenges. Moderated by the Chair of USCB's Education Department, this panel promises valuable insights for educators, university students, and community members alike.

A complimentary reception is in the lobby immediately following the program

PANELISTS:

Frank Rodriguez, Superintendent, Beaufort County School District
Constance Goodwine-Lewis, Principal, Broad River Elementary School

Eugene McLaurin, Teacher, Red Cedar Elementary School
Kattia Chaves Herrera, Alumni Coaching and Support Coordinator, USCB

MODERATOR:

Bruce Marlowe Chair, Department of Education, USCB

COI207: ACTIVE SHOOTER PREPAREDNESS

1 Session | Friday | March 28 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

This course will provide details on what we've learned about the long history of active shooter incidents, offenders, and their behaviors here in the United States. We will explore what clues or indicators shooters have displayed before their attack. This class will also discuss the Oxford, Michigan school shooting in detail and what was on the mind of the mass murderer and his parents. We will see the actual writings of the killer which are disturbing. This program will include safety protocols already in place nationally as well as ways that you and your loved ones can be prepared and gain skills needed to help you survive a shooting event.



SERGEANT BRUCE OLIVER has over 40 years of law enforcement experience and has worked for the USCB, Department of Public Safety for the past 12 years. Sgt. Oliver is a retired police detective from the Bethlehem Police Department in New York State. Sgt. Oliver is a former FBI-certified sniper, former FBI-certified firearms instructor, former undercover FBI task force officer, and former Deputy U.S. Marshal.

COI208: DIRECTOR'S WALK AT THE COASTAL DISCOVERY MUSEUM - THEIR MISSION!

1 Session | Tuesday | April 1 | 1:00-3:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Hilton Head)

Limited Enrollment - 20 *First Served Registration*

Tour Fee \$10

Walk the grounds of the Coastal Discovery Museum at Honey Horn and discover some of the property's hidden secrets. Rex Garniewicz will trace the history of the property and the museum with a focus on its mission and why this organization is so important for this island. Some of the museum's major initiatives, construction projects, and the expanding exhibition program will be discussed.

NOTE: This 60-minute outing will cover approximately 1.5 miles of uneven terrain.



REX GARNIEWICZ is President of the Coastal Discovery Museum. He previously served as deputy director at the San Diego Museum of Man, and Vice President of the Indiana State Museum. He has degrees from Indiana University and Wesleyan University. His research background includes environmental science, archaeology, and paleontology.



BY THE NUMBERS 2024

1,784

USCB OLLI
active members

120+

OLLIs in
the USA

333

offerings
(2024)

294

OLLI volunteers
(Including instructors)

55%

Cancellation rate for
offsite/tours
(Goal 25%)

14%

No show and
cancellation rate for
classroom lectures
(Goal 10%)

COI209: HUMAN TRAFFICKING

1 Session | Wednesday | April 2 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Human trafficking is a form of modern-day slavery that involves the exploitation of individuals through force, fraud, or coercion. Victims can be forced into various forms of exploitation:

- Sex Trafficking: Involves coercing individuals into commercial sex acts.
- Labor Trafficking: Involves forced labor in industries like agriculture, hospitality, and construction.
- Domestic Servitude: Where individuals are forced to work in private homes without pay.

This panel discussion will look at the scope of the issue in South Carolina and the Lowcountry. The state's tourism, agriculture, and transient population make it vulnerable to traffickers. According to recent reports, human trafficking incidents have been on the rise, affecting both adults and children.

Panelists include:

KRISTIN DUBROWSKI Chief Executive Officer of Hopeful Horizons
SHIELA ROEMLING Executive Director of Fresh Start, Healing Heart
RACHEL MCBRIDE Founder, Executive Director of The Helianthus Project

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Creative Learning Workshops



CRE204: UNLEASH YOUR CERAMIC CREATIVITY #1

1 Session | Monday | Feb 24 | 1:00-3:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Hilton Head)

NEW

CRE205: UNLEASH YOUR CERAMIC CREATIVITY #2

1 Session | Thursday | Feb 27 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Offsite (Hilton Head)

NEW

Limited Enrollment - 12

Random draw selected on February 3, 2025

Supply Fee \$49 if selected

Join us in our instructional pottery studio to construct a one-of-a-kind, hand-built ceramic birdhouse. No experience is needed - our creative and talented instructors will guide you through every step. Join us for fun and get hands-on with your artistic spirit. This course is designed to inspire and empower individuals to discover the joy of working with clay, while also providing a supportive and encouraging environment for artistic expression. Explore a variety of textures - such as stamps, roller, or lace to create your unique masterpiece.



JOSEPH TAYLOR is an island native and passionate local potter who shares his expertise as a pottery instructor. Dedicated to his craft and sharing his passion, he also displays his art at La Petite Gallery, showcasing the beauty of handmade ceramics.

"...I continue to be impressed with the organizational level of this program."

member evaluation feedback

CRE200: CLAY MASK WORKSHOP #1

1 Session | Monday | Feb 17 | 10:00-11:30AM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

CRE201: CLAY MASK WORKSHOP #2

1 Session | Monday | Feb 17 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Limited Enrollment - 12

First Served Registration

Supply Fee \$25

Create a customized clay mask, formulated especially for your skin type. Choose from effective skincare ingredients including natural clays, oils, and extracts to create the perfect mask for your face or body. Our selection of oils, from nuts and fruits, helps your skin maintain a balanced water level which translates into less itchy, healthy-looking, glowing skin. Other oil options quickly absorb into the skin to reduce the size of pores! Mix and match - and add plant-based extracts and the perfect blend of essential oils just for your skin type and needs.

NOTE: You will walk away with a 7oz. handmade clay mask in a beautiful glass vessel.



CARI PHELPS, an award-winning designer and branding expert, dreamed she would design a package of bath salts for a client with an emphasis on environmental sustainability. She started doing research and decided to make her dream a reality. She soon learned Tybee is the Euche Indian word for salt. This history inspired Cari to develop this natural bath and body care line using the scents of regional botanicals and natural ingredients, including Atlantic sea salt, to create a unique line of bath and body care products.

CRE202: MOISTURIZING BAR #1

1 Session | Friday | Feb 21
11:00AM-12:30PM | In-Person | Beaufort campus

NEW

CRE203 MOISTURIZING BAR #2

1 Session | Friday | Feb 21
1:30-3:00PM | In-Person | Beaufort campus

NEW

Limited Enrollment - 8

First Served Registration

Supply Fee \$25

Formulate a moisturizing bar tailored to your specific needs. This class offers endless opportunities for creativity. What is a moisturizing bar? It's a solid lotion that contains oil and butter from plants, which melt on your body. This product has numerous benefits: it's package-free, made without water, easy to travel with, and can be used for skin, hair, and as a cleanser.

CRE206: PAINT PARTY GALLERY CANVAS

1 Session | Monday | March 10 | 1:00-3:00PM

In-Person | Beaufort campus



Limited Enrollment - 20

First Served Registration

Supply Fee \$35

Join us for a fun painting party where we will create two 6x6 darling gallery canvases that will add pizzazz to any bookshelf or windowsill. We will be guided by local artist Camilla Pagliaroli, owner of *Create with Camilla*. Come ready to have fun and make new friends!

CRE208: CRUSHED GLASS SUNCATCHERS: BUTTERFLIES AND SPRING FLOWERS

1 Session | Tuesday | April 29 | 10:00AM-Noon

In-Person | Beaufort campus



Limited Enrollment - 24

First Served Registration

Supply Fee \$55

Come create a beautiful crushed glass butterfly or spring flower. We will be using different types of crushed glass, sea glass, and resin to create a beautiful 12-inch faux stained glass project. You will be able to take your creation home with you the same day.



CAMILLA PAGLIAROLI owns "Create with Camilla" and teaches paint parties, art camps, and workshops for adults and children in the Lowcountry and online. She has exhibited in the United States and Italy and paints commissions on request.

CRE207: INDIGO WORKSHOP: BEAUTIFUL BLUE BOOKMARKS AND BANDANAS

1 Session | Thursday | April 10 | 2:00-4:00PM

In-Person | Beaufort campus



Limited Enrollment - 22

Random draw selected on February 3, 2025

Supply Fee \$22 (if selected)

Join Lydia, of Island Indigo, for a three-part adventure in Indigo. We will start with a concise history of indigo, its uses, and its economic impact throughout the ages. Part two will explain the extraction of indigo plant dye and demonstrate Shibori-resistant dye techniques. The participants will enjoy a hands-on experience during indigo bookmarks and bandanas in part three. "Blue gold" creations will be taken home.

NOTE: Wear something you are not afraid to get splashed with beautiful blue indigo dye.



LYDIA BEASON is an award-winning artist specializing in Shibori indigo designs. Her small business, Island Indigo has been featured on TV, webcasts, podcasts, and magazines. Proceeds are donated to brain cancer research. She holds degrees in English, Education, and Art History. Her Masters are in Gifted Education and Library Media Science.



2025 Student Research and Scholarship Day



MONDAY
April
21

USCB Recreation Center
Bluffton Campus

10am-12pm Oral presentations
1pm-3pm Poster Session w Students
3:30-4:40pm KeyNote Speaker

No Registration Required

Culinary Arts



CUL200: GUIDED TEA TASTING - THE CHINESE LANTERN FESTIVAL

1 Session | Wednesday | Feb 12
1:30-4:00PM | In-Person | Beaufort campus

Limited Enrollment - 30 *First Served Registration*
Supply Fee \$18

Experience a guided tea tasting intertwined with a journey into the Chinese Lantern Festival which marks the end of the Chinese New Year on the 15th day of the first lunar month. We will celebrate with three esteemed Chinese loose-leaf teas steeped in history and legend. Learn the art of tea preparation and brewing using traditional Chinese tea ware. Join in for a 2½ hour unique experience, delving into the essence of ancient Chinese tea culture, where each sip reveals layers of tradition and craftsmanship.



RICHARD KLIGLER is the founder of "For All the Tea in Charleston" and specializes in guided tea tastings of the world's most prized teas. Before moving to Isle of Palms in 2017, Richard lived in Hong Kong for 12 years where he studied fine teas. He has visited heritage tea farms throughout the historic tea regions in China.

CUL201: CLASSIC FRENCH TRUFFLES

1 Session | Tuesday | March 4 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Limited Enrollment - 20

Random draw selected on February 3, 2025

Supply Fee \$18 (if selected)

Truffles are the ultimate chocolate indulgence. Truffles are rich in taste, creamy, melt-in-the-mouth in texture, lopsided-rounded in shape, and much desired by chocolate lovers. In this hands-on class, we will create classic French truffles with premium chocolate. We will discuss ingredients, techniques, finishing, and storing (for the rare occasion if all the truffles are not eaten immediately). The class concludes with the tasting of several premier chocolates and truffles to take home (or to eat along the way).



MARY GRACE SELL discovered real chocolate on a visit to a cacao plantation in Costa Rica. She returned from that trip with the mission to become a chocolatier. She has studied chocolate making in Belgium, France, Italy, Switzerland, and Canada.

CUL203: MEXICAN MAYHEM

1 Session | Monday | March 24 | 11:00AM-1:00PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Limited Enrollment - 20

Random draw selected on February 3, 2025

Supply Fee \$18 (if selected)

Join us for a vibrant and interactive cooking class where the sizzle of fajitas and the savory tastes of guac and salsa will bring Dr. Barth's experience, USCB Hospitality students, and OLLI members together in a unique culinary experience. Celebrate the authentic Mexican foods loved by all generations by making your creations with your team in a collaborative, culinary effort. At the end of the session, everyone will gather together to enjoy their delicious creations. *Come hungry and ready to cook!*



SEAN BARTH Ph.D., is a USCB Assistant Professor in the Hospitality Management program who has 18 years of experience in hotels, restaurants, private clubs, hospitals, and much more. He is certified as a TIPS instructor in an alcohol awareness program.

CUL202: AND NOW FOR SOMETHING COMPLETELY DIFFERENT

1 Session | Tuesday | March 25 | 1-3:00PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Limited Enrollment - 24

Random draw selected on February 3, 2025

Supply Fee \$18 (if selected)

Well, not completely different - it is a shrimp and pasta dish, just not in a typical red sauce. This course is a cooking demonstration and tasting of a dish inspired by Rich's interpretation of a written recipe. It is unlike his other cooking course recipes which were inspired by his family and Brooklyn heritage. This pink sauce recipe is most likely an American invention, with some Italian inspiration. The ingredients include shrimp, mushrooms, tarragon, and pasta. This is one of Rich's particular favorites, which he claims he doesn't make often enough. This dish will be a welcomed addition to your cooking recipe arsenal.



RICHARD BUFFA has a lifelong love for good food and enjoys cooking. His mother was a very talented Italian cook whose cooking skills rubbed off on him. Rich has also attended cooking classes, including several multi-session courses.

Registration opens
January 7, 2025

online system automatically opens at midnight

Questions?

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Ecology



ECO200: CREATING A BIRD-FRIENDLY BACKYARD

1 Session | Thursday | Jan 30 | 1:30-3:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus



Find out how best to provide shelter, nesting, water, and food for wild birds of the Lowcountry. Learn easy ways of attracting birds to your yard. The instructor will also explain how to provide native plants and attract pollinators so your backyard can be an oasis and certified as a National Wildlife habitat.

MARK BOTTINI is from New York City and spent his career in the military and later in business, most notably as Director of Stores for Barnes and Noble. Having vacationed at Hilton Head, SC he chose to live here after retirement and is a partner in the Hilton Head Island Wild Birds Unlimited store.

ECO201: PORT ROYAL SOUND AND VICTORIA BLUFF - THE BASF STORY

1 Session | Monday | Feb 10 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus



ECO201B: LIVESTREAM TO BEAUFORT CAMPUS

ECO201H: LIVESTREAM TO HILTON HEAD CAMPUS

Learn a brief history of the family that sold their Victoria Bluff property to the state of South Carolina to locate the BASF chemical company. The development of a large industrial chemical plant on Victoria Bluff would have changed Bluffton, Hilton Head Island, and surrounding communities forever. A battle ensued from unlikely citizen groups who banded together to defeat the political force behind the push for an industrial site on the Colleton River between Bluffton and Hilton Head Island. BASF's defeat was a victory for the environment and changed the way the state courted future industry.



Al D. Stokes is a retired South Carolina Department of Natural Resources Biologist and former manager of the Waddell Mariculture Center in Bluffton for 40 years. He is a current SCDNR volunteer and marine shrimp production consultant. Al is an Open Land Trust Board Member.

ECO202: HUMAN IMPACTS ON OUR COASTAL WILDLIFE

1 Session | Wednesday | Feb 12 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

How we live, work, and play have a major impact on our native and transient wildlife populations. Explore the positive and negative impacts our lives have on our coastal wildlife and what are often the "unintended consequences" we didn't anticipate or understand. Learn to maximize the positive and minimize negative impacts.



AL SEGARS is a retired veterinarian whose career included 18 years with the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources. He is a native of South Carolina with a special interest in the role we play as individuals in protecting these amazing resources.

ECO203: HORSESHOE CRABS: A LIVING FOSSIL

1 Session | Thursday | Feb 13 | 1:30-3:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Hilton Head)

Limited Enrollment - 30 *First Served Registration*
Tour Fee \$10

With its tough, helmet-like body and long, pointed tail, the horseshoe crab is one of the most intriguing and misunderstood marine invertebrates found in our marine waters. Dive in with us as we explore the horseshoe crab and investigate the life cycle, adaptations, and challenges that face this living fossil.



DAWN BRUT is the Director of Education at the Coastal Discovery Museum. She has a Secondary Biology Teacher Certification and a degree in Biology and Art from Thiel College. She joined the museum staff in 2013 and coordinates educational experiences focused on the Lowcountry's natural history and cultural heritage.

ECO204: LOWCOUNTRY 101

1 Session | Thursday | Feb 27 | 10:00-11:30AM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

An engaging presentation that explores a wide range of general knowledge through the perspective of a master naturalist. What sets the Lowcountry apart? We will delve into topics from tidal patterns to local wildlife, covering everything in between, along with recommendations for places to explore from Georgia to South Carolina. This session is ideal for newcomers to the area as well as long-time residents!



JILL MOORE, a Master Naturalist, has a background in education and is the owner of "Moore To Life." Her love of the outdoors began in her youth while spending summers in Montana. Sharing what she has learned and experienced in this area "like no other place on earth" is what she shares with others through education.

ECO205: GUIDED NATURE TOUR OF SKIDAWAY STATE PARK

1 Session | Friday | March 14 | 8:30AM-1:30PM
In-Person | Offsite (Savannah)

Limited Enrollment - 40

First Served Registration

Tour Fee \$47

Join us for a guided walk through the stunning maritime forest and salt marsh, featuring interpretive stops and breathtaking views. You'll also have time to explore the nature center.

NOTE: Participants can expect to walk 2-3 miles on flat, varied terrain. Facilities, including restrooms and a picnic area, are available on-site. **The tour includes transportation from the USCB Bluffton campus as well as a guided experience.**



JILL MOORE, a Master Naturalist. See her complete bio on page 10.

ECO206: MAY RIVER EXPEDITION - MORNING

1 Session | Tuesday | March 18 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Offsite (Bluffton)



ECO207: MAY RIVER EXPEDITION - AFTERNOON

1 Session | Tuesday | March 18 | Noon-1:30PM
In-Person | Offsite (Bluffton)



Limited Enrollment - 20

First Served Registration

Tour Fee \$35

Come aboard Captain Amber's floating classroom, *Spartina*, to explore Bluffton's May River. On this biology expedition, you will explore the interesting and unique life of the Lowcountry's salt marsh estuary. Amber will provide scientific explanations as you take a trip through this scenic river and salt marsh. Dolphins, wading birds, and fiddler crabs are among other visitors commonly seen on the tour.

ECO214: SOUTH CAROLINA SEA TURTLES: NESTING AND HILTON HEAD CONSERVATION EFFORTS

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Discover the challenges and successes in the conservation efforts for South Carolina's endangered sea turtles. Explore their nesting behaviors and review the data gathered during the current nesting season by the Sea Turtle Patrol on Hilton Head Island.



AMBER KUEHN is a local marine biologist who grew up in Bluffton. Her master's degree and her captain's license bring this salt marsh ecology tour to life.

ECO208: DIAMONDS IN THE MARSH: NATURAL HISTORY OF THE DIAMONDBACK TERRAPIN

1 Session | Monday | March 31 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus



ECO208B: [LIVESTREAM TO BEAUFORT CAMPUS](#)

ECO208H: [LIVESTREAM TO HILTON HEAD CAMPUS](#)

One of the most unique and beautiful turtles in North America, the diamondback terrapin tends to shy away from the limelight. Most have never seen clear glimpses of these small aquatic turtles as they dip and dive at the first signs of movement. Come and learn the natural history of these shy Chelonians and the uphill battle they have faced since the 1900s and what we are doing today to preserve and shed light on this cryptic species.



CHRIS KEHRER was raised in the Lowcountry surrounded by salt marshes. He attended the University of South Carolina in Beaufort, pursuing a B.S. in Biology. While at USCB, he was a research assistant in Dr. Eric Montie's marine toxicology and acoustic lab and an intern at Waddell Mariculture Center. Chris has been with the Port Royal Sound Foundation for the past 9 years.

ECO209: EXPLORE HONEY HORN

1 Session | Tuesday | April 15 | 10:30AM-Noon
In-Person | Offsite (Hilton Head)



Limited Enrollment - 15

First Served Registration

Tour Fee \$10

The Coastal Discovery Museum is located on the beautiful 68-acre historic Honey Horn property. Begin your Museum experience with this guided tour around the picturesque and historic grounds. Visit the salt marsh, see historic buildings, and learn about the gardens, plants, and trees that adorn this sprawling historic site. Your museum guide will share stories about Honey Horn's past and its natural history.



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ECO210: GUIDED NATURE TOUR OF CAW CAW

1 Session | Friday | April 18
8:00AM-1:30PM | In-Person | Offsite (Charleston)



Limited Enrollment - 40

[First Served Registration](#)

Tour Fee \$47

Explore diverse habitats from fields of former rice plantations and tea farms to woodlands and wetlands with an amazing variety of bird and wildlife viewing opportunities. This wildlife preserve on the way to Charleston has so much to offer! Jill Moore, Master Naturalist, will guide the group through the various habitats sharing information and answering questions about all we're sure to find! Following the tour, there will be time to explore the nature center as well.

NOTE: The guided walk covers approximately 2 miles on flat and varied terrain. Facilities, including restrooms and a picnic area, are available on site. Please bring your lunch and snacks. **The tour includes transportation from the USCB campus in Bluffton and Beaufort, along with the guided experience.**



JILL MOORE, Master Naturalist. See her complete bio on page 10.

ECO211: PINCKNEY ISLAND NATIONAL REFUGE CART TOUR

1 Session | Tuesday | April 29 | 10:30AM-Noon
In-Person | Offsite (Hilton Head)

Limited Enrollment - 20

[Random draw selected on February 3, 2025](#)

Tour Fee \$18 (if selected)



This unique opportunity is the only motorized tour permitted in the Wildlife Refuge. It is typically aimed at people with mobility issues making it difficult to walk the 2-mile round trip to Ibis Pond, however, it is for anyone. This is hosted by The Friends Of Savannah Coastal Wildlife Refuges, with assistance from The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. A Master Naturalist will discuss the history, flora (maritime forest, salt marsh), and fauna (birds, reptiles) in this 4,054-acre wildlife refuge.



GEORGE WORTLEY is a retired physician and Board of Directors Member for the Friends of the Savannah Coastal Wildlife Refuges. He is the coordinator for the Friends' weekly tours in the Pinckney Island National Wildlife Refuge.

ECO215: ACE BASIN ONE OF THE LAST GREAT PLACES

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



The ACE Basin consists of approximately 350,000 acres in the watershed of the Ashepoo, Combahee, and Edisto Rivers in South Carolina's Lowcountry and is listed by the Nature Conservancy as one of earth's "last great places." Learn about its history, wildlife, and properties with attention devoted to those areas that are accessible to the public.

Instructor: **AL SEGARS**

ECO212: PROTECT ST. HELENA AND RURAL FARMING

1 Session | Wednesday | April 30 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Every hour 85 acres of working farms are lost to development or other uses. Beaufort and Jasper counties are home to 296 farms that we depend on for supplying our fresh produce, animal products, and other goods like sod.

The Open Land Trust and Gullah Farmers Cooperative Association have partnered on a four-year project with the American Farmland Trust aimed at dramatically increasing the transfer of farmlands to the next generation of producers to ensure that we have healthy working farms far into our future.

Together the two organizations will provide resources that may help navigate the transition and succession of land from one generation to the next while also creating new opportunities that wouldn't otherwise exist for new growers and land stewards. The end goal is a sustainable future in agricultural production and preservation and eliminating barriers to access and information is the first step.

Enjoy a presentation from the two organizations and hear more about our rural heritage.

<https://www.gullahfarmers.org/>

<https://openlandtrust.org/>



KRISTIN WILLIAMS assumed the role of Executive Director of the Open Land Trust in January 2018. Kristin brings with her 10 years of experience as the Executive Director of a conservation organization, Friends of the Environment, located in Abaco, Bahamas.

I have attended many of your fantastic courses and always come out feeling happy, knowledgeable about the subject, and very privileged to be part of OLLI.
member evaluation feedback

Events



EVENT5: OLLI SUNSET CRUISE

1 Session | Wednesday | April 23 | 6:30-8PM
In-Person | Offsite (Okatie)

Limited Enrollment - 70 *First Served Registration*
Tour Fee \$40 (includes one free drink ticket)

**OLLI
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Party**

Join us for an unforgettable night aboard the Salty Dog Catamaran. Bar and galley will be open for purchases one hour before sail time.

Wednesday, April 23, 2024
6:30pm – 8:00pm
Boarding starts @ 5:30pm.

The Port Royal Sound, Bluffton SC
Base of the Lemon Island Bridge

Admission: \$40 per person
1 free drink ticket is included

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EVENT1: LUNCH, LAUGH AND LEARN

1 Session | Wednesday | Jan 15 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Limited Enrollment - 75 *First Served Registration*
Lunch Fee \$14

Join fellow OLLI members and guests as we enjoy lunch together and inspired conversation all in a social, relaxed, and fun setting.

EVENT2: TRIVIA FUN

1 Session | Wednesday | Feb 19 | 3:30-5:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Limited Enrollment - 85 *First Served Registration*
Free to members and guests

Join OLLI for an afternoon of trivia competition and fun. The professionally run trivia contest is a great way to gather your OLLI friends, guests, and neighbors to test your knowledge on all sorts of topics.

NOTE: The USCB dining hall will have food options available for purchase to satisfy your trivia hunger.

EVENT3: COMEDY MAGIC CABARET

1 Session | Friday | April 25 | 7-10:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Hilton Head)

Limited Enrollment - 30 *First Served Registration*

Ticket \$55

(\$25 cancellation fee, full forfeiture if within 5 business days)

The Comedy Magic Cabaret Club on Hilton Head Island offers our community high-quality entertainment. Whether you're a first-time visitor or have attended before, come and enjoy a night of laughter with us! The club has consistently earned a 5-star rating on TripAdvisor for several years and features regular headliners. **Menu and full bar available for purchase.** Sign up with OLLI to attend and the club will provide you with an appetizer or dessert at no charge during the show.

A fun evening of entertainment and intrigue

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5:00 - 8:00 P.M.

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NON OLLI MEMBER: \$65.00

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DRESS LIKE THE CAT'S MEOW FOR THIS MAFIA WEDDING! FLAPPER DRESSES, ZOOT
SUITS, FEATHER BOAS, HEADBANDS, PINSTRIPED SUITS, AND FEDORAS ARE ALL
APPROPRIATE. TRADITIONAL WEDDING ATTIRE IS NIFTY TOO!

SIGN UP NOW - EVENT4



FILM200: ALFRED HITCHCOCK—THE MASTER OF SUSPENSE

3 Sessions | Fridays | Feb 7, March 7, April 4
1-4:00PM | In-Person | Bluffton campus

Sir Alfred Hitchcock is considered one of the most influential figures in cinema history. Over a career spanning six decades, he directed more than 50 feature films, many of which are still widely viewed and studied today. Each of the three sessions will offer participants an in-depth understanding of this master filmmaker through discussions of Hitchcock's directorial style and the viewing of three of his films, including *Rear Window* and *Psycho*.



JOE PEROTA is a 40-year veteran of the film and television industry. He started directing at the age of 26 and is a member of the Directors Guild of America. Joe has won or been nominated for numerous awards including the Peabody and the Emmy.

FILM201: FOREIGN FILM: TWO WOMEN

1 Session | Monday | Feb 10 | 1-4PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Adapted from a 1957 novel by Alberto Moravia and based on actual events of 1944 in Rome and rural Lazio during World War II, *Two Women* tells the story of a woman trying to protect her young daughter from the horrors of war. The film stars Sophia Loren, Jean-Paul Belmondo, Eleonora Brown and Raf Vallone. It garnered for Loren the Academy Award for Best Actress, as well as widespread critical acclaim. Please join us for the film viewing followed by a discussion.



DEBORAH BARNUM is a snowbird (VT / CO / SC); best friends with Jane Austen; compiles annual Frances Burney bibliographies; OLLI member and instructor; leads classic literature book groups; used bookstore owner; law librarian; gardener; hiker; and traveler.



GAR200: NEW AND UNDERUSED PLANTS OF THE LOWCOUNTRY

1 Session | Tuesday | Feb 4 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Using live plant materials, this course will discuss those that are newer, underused, and most suited to the Lowcountry, especially from the perspective of a landscape designer. Discussions will include small trees, shrubs, and perennials that are new to the market or plant materials that are underused, focusing on cultural needs and plant characteristics, deer tolerance, and hardiness in our climate. Live plants, and a printed listing of the plant materials, will be provided for presentation and discussion.



TIM DRAKE is the Business Developer and Landscape Designer at the Greenery, Inc. on Hilton Head. He has lived and designed landscapes on Hilton Head for many years and is passionate about the plants that are available to beautify our landscapes.

GAR201: HERBS AND ALL THEIR POSSIBILITIES

1 Session | Tuesday | Feb 18 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Learn about all the possibilities of easy-to-grow herbs and their uses. Herbs have great value as food sources for pollinators, medicinal uses, tasty and soothing teas, and craft and decorating opportunities. We'll discuss perennial herbs and their versatility, whether grown in a container garden, sunny window, or raised bed. See how to dry and preserve herbs for cooking and soothing teas during the cold winters. Learn which cooking herbs grow well in the Lowcountry and get introduced to herbs that make healthy, tasty teas.

DIANE MOREY-STEWART is a certified beekeeper in SC and GA, Lowcountry Master Naturalist, Jasper County Master Gardener, member of the South Coast Chapter of the SC Native Plant Society, and Certified Permaculture consultant. She was featured in "Local Life" magazine in April 2022. Her farm, established in 1998, is a combination of permaculture and traditional farming.

GAR202: LOWCOUNTRY LAWN - DISEASE AND WEED MANAGEMENT

1 Session | Monday | March 3 | 10-11:30 AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

This program builds your basic understanding of lawn fertilization and irrigation in the Lowcountry by focusing on lawn disease management including cultural controls and management of fungicides and weeds, and pre-emergent and post-emergent herbicides. The lecture will conclude with a suggested annual lawn care calendar. See demonstrations, displays, handouts, and sharing important websites for lawn information. There will be time for Q&A, so bring your lawn concerns.



BILL CAMP holds bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Georgia in Agricultural Education and a Ph.D. in Educational Leadership from Georgia State. He was a Professor of Agricultural Education and is currently an active member of the Lowcountry Master Gardener Association.

GAR203: LOWCOUNTRY GARDENING 101

1 Session | Wednesday | March 5 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Come listen to one of OLLI's respected master gardeners. This program is geared for newcomers to our unique coastal area however even the most experienced gardeners learn new information along the way. This class is an overview of all the unique conditions that gardeners are faced with in the Lowcountry - climate, weather, soil, drainage, and plant growth.



WENDY WILSON HILTY, B.A. in history at Wells College, Master of Letters in History at the University of Aberdeen, UK. Senior lecturer in history at Northeastern University. Author of 11 history textbooks for high school and college students.

GAR204: TREES OF THE LOWCOUNTRY DIVERSITY, LONGEVITY, AND HUMAN INTERVENTIONS

1 Session | Monday | March 17 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Trees native to the Lowcountry are unique. Their growth patterns, maintenance procedures, stability issues, longevity, and ranges are mostly exclusive to their planting zone. Too many trees are being removed from our landscapes and too few are retained because of an irrational perception of the risks that they pose. Trees are multi-generational and mature trees are maintained in a different manner than their siblings. Pruning methods based on Conservation Arboriculture can keep them alive and stable for generations. This course will make educated arboricultural consumers out of its attendees.



MICHAEL MURPHY began arboriculture in 1972 and started Preservation Tree Care, Beaufort in 1993. He is a Board-Certified Master Arborist, one of eight in the State of SC and spends his free time repurposing wood into turned-bowls on a lathe.

GAR205: BUTTERFLIES AND THEIR GARDENS

1 Session | Tuesday | March 25 | 1:30-3:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

NEW

Learn about butterfly gardens, the butterfly life cycle, butterfly behaviors, and native butterfly-friendly plants to include in your gardens. Each species of butterfly requires a different host and nectar plant. We'll review which plants are best for common butterflies found in the Lowcountry. You'll be given a copy of the presentation with plant lists and helpful links. This is a very basic class about native butterflies and plants.



LORI KELLY, master gardener, became involved with many of the local butterfly gardens in the Beaufort County area. Through volunteering at the Coastal Discovery Museum, Lori took care of various butterflies through all life stages. Lori's approach to gardening focuses on native and pollinator-friendly plants.

GAR206: BEAUFORT COUNTY VEGETABLE GARDENING 101

1 Session | Thursday | April 3 | 1:30-3:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

NEW



GAR206B: [LIVESTREAM TO BEAUFORT CAMPUS](#)

GAR206BL: [LIVESTREAM TO BLUFFTON CAMPUS](#)

Vegetable gardening in Beaufort County is quite different from gardening in other places, even in SC. Locally we have two growing seasons, and some "annual" vegetables will last for a full year or more. Learn techniques for growing vegetables locally including site and crop selection, planting, cultural practices, and methods for season extension.



VICTORIA BERGESEN belongs to The Beaufort Garden Club, Lowcountry Master Gardeners, and the South Carolina Native Plant Society. She is a National Garden Clubs Master Environmental Consultant, Master Flower Show Judge, Master Gardening Consultant, and Master Landscape Design Consultant.

GAR209: NATIVE POLLINATORS OF THE LOWCOUNTRY

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
JULIANA SMITH

Join Juliana and meet the native pollinators living alongside us in the Lowcountry. Learn about the things that make these fascinating animals tick - their motivations, needs, and relationships. By the end you'll recognize who is visiting your native plant garden, why we should welcome them with open arms, and what you can do to support them!

GAR207: PLANT THIS NOT THAT

1 Session | Tuesday | April 8 | 1:00-2:30PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

NEW



GAR207BL: LIVESTREAM TO BLUFFTON CAMPUS

Learn what an invasive species is and why they are a threat to our environment. Find out which plants are the top offenders locally and what native plants are alternatives that will grow well in our region.



WENDY DICKES, a retired Horticulture Manager from the Coastal Discovery Museum, a Master Gardener, a Master Naturalist, and active with the Audubon Society. She is passionate about preserving the environment of the Lowcountry and encouraging the growth of native plants.

GAR208: DESIGNER SECRETS REVEALED

1 Session | Thursday | April 24
10:30AM-12:30PM | In-Person | Hilton Head campus

NEW

Have you wondered how landscape designers add the 'WOW' factor to their design? Do you need help with a new garden or an 'upgrade' to an existing one? Need to know where to start? After 4 years of study, Jacqueline Emery received her certificate as a 'Nationally Accredited Landscape Designer' from the NGC. Join her as she discusses the 'elements of design', reveals 'PRO' tricks, and gives specific advice for the coastal SC gardener.



JACQUELINE EMERY is a passionate and experienced gardener, has gardened in such diverse locations as Holland, Germany, the greater Boston area, and Cape Cod. She loves 'pushing the envelope' to see what can be grown on Hilton Head Island (zone 9) and is known to 'scout' for new additions as far north as Massachusetts, and as far south as Florida.



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Pat Washnock

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My husband and I moved to Bluffton in 2017, after raising our three children and living in Greenville, South Carolina for twenty-three years. I am a retired high school counselor, having worked in Kentucky for ten years, then in the Upstate of South Carolina for twenty-three years.

Being an educator, OLLI is a perfect fit for me. The Lowcountry has so much to offer with its rich history, cuisine, and beautiful natural surroundings. The OLLI program at USCB is amazing, for it offers the most diverse curriculum that enables anyone to find topics of interest.

I have learned so much about a wide variety of topics, including history, religion, nature, politics, literature, film, and economics, just to name a few. The various field trips, along with gardening and culinary classes, are my favorites as I enjoy hands-on learning experiences.

The OLLI staff members work diligently to provide a diverse curriculum to the Lowcountry. For these reasons, I decided to volunteer as an OLLI Ambassador. I enjoy meeting the members, as I assist with class check-in, along with "spreading the word" about this wonderful program. "Never stop learning!"

Member Spotlight



Government



GOV202: COFFEE & CONVERSATION WITH BEAUFORT MAYOR PHIL CROMER

1 Session | Tuesday | Jan 21 | 10:00-11:30AM
In-Person | Beaufort campus



Join us for a chance to connect with Mayor Cromer, who has recently been reelected for another term. Phil, a Charleston native, grew up as the son of a physician and a nurse. Before becoming Mayor through a special election in 2023, he gained considerable experience in managing small-town governments, actively participating in community development, and holding degrees in political science and public administration. With strong ties to the Lowcountry and a dedication to preservation, he is passionate about public service. What does the future hold for Beaufort in 2025 and beyond through his perspective? This will be a moderated discussion presentation.

GOV200: COFFEE & CONVERSATION WITH BLUFFTON MAYOR TOOMER

1 Session | Wednesday | Jan 29 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus



Join us as we explore the journey of Bluffton Mayor Toomer, a local who took office in 2024. Larry served on the Town Council since 2012 and won the mayoral election with 73% of the vote. As a fourth-generation commercial fisherman, he owns both the Bluffton Oyster Company and Toomer's Seafood Restaurant. His great-grandfather arrived in Hilton Head in 1913 to fish for oysters and shrimp. Mayor Toomer proudly runs the last oyster shucking factory in South Carolina.

"This was my first class as an OLLI member, and it was definitely a WOW!"

member evaluation feedback

GOV201: THE U.S. SECRET SERVICE AND PRESIDENTIAL PROTECTION

1 Session | Tuesday | Feb 25 | 10:30AM-Noon
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Discover how the U.S. Secret Service safeguards the President of the United States, both at home and abroad. Mike, a former Secret Service agent who served on the presidential details for Carter and Reagan, will share fascinating insights into the challenges the agency faces in protecting the President across a variety of dynamic situations. Additionally, there will be a summary of the agency's evolution since its establishment in 1865.



MIKE MADDALONI, a native of Philadelphia, is a Marine Corps veteran and graduate of La Salle University. In addition to his career in the Secret Service, he was also the Vice President of Global Security for a large pharmaceutical firm.

GOV203: COFFEE & CONVERSATION WITH HARDEEVILLE MAYOR HARRY WILLIAMS

1 Session | Wednesday | March 12 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus



Join us in getting to know Mayor Williams, who has served three terms as the mayor of South Carolina's fastest-growing county. Harry has held various leadership positions while living in Mahwah, New Jersey, including five years as a city councilman, two years as council vice-president, and one year as council president. He was elected to the Hardeeville City Council in 2015 and became mayor in 2016. In addition, Mayor Harry is an active member of the Southern Lowcountry (SoLoCo) Advisory Board, the Southern Carolina Alliance, and Habitat for Humanity. What does the future hold for Hardeeville in 2025 and beyond from his perspective? This will be a moderated discussion presentation.

GOV204: THE UNITED STATES AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL SYSTEM

2 Sessions | Wednesday, Friday | March 26, March 28
10-11:30AM | In-Person, Zoom | Bluffton campus

This course examines the National Airspace System (NAS), the Air Traffic Control System (ATC), and how the FAA strives to meet the needs of its expanding stakeholders. The term "stakeholders" refers to every entity that operates in the National Airspace System - foreign and domestic commercial air carriers, box haulers (FedEx), corporate aviation, general aviation (privately owned), the military, glider operations, skydivers, and as of the past few years - drones. This class will discuss the methods used to move the nation's air commerce in a safe, orderly, and expeditious manner, along with why flights get delayed, and the tools used to mitigate those.



PETER PASQUALE spent 33 years in the FAA as an air traffic controller, supervisor, and manager. Post-retirement he was an instructor for the University of Oklahoma teaching air traffic control at the FAA Academy in Oklahoma City.

History: Local



HIS200: BEAUFORT HISTORY WALKING TOUR

1 Session | Wednesday | Jan 22 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Limited Enrollment - 20

First Served Registration Tour Fee \$10



Take a walking history tour of Beaufort with Janet Matlock, a celebrated walking tour guide of Beaufort. Learn how the great pageant of America played out in Beaufort as the Spanish, English, and Indians battled for her. Hear about the people who created the town: Conquistadores, Huguenots, Colonialists, Confederate and Union soldiers, Clara Barton, and Robert Smalls. See photos of the distinctive architecture of the town's gracious homes, many listed in the National Register.

NOTE: The first half of this class will be in the classroom followed by a walking tour.



JANET MATLOCK studied the history and architecture of Beaufort and became a docent at the oldest church in Beaufort. In 2014, she took over the Beaufort tours of retiring icon, Jon Sharp and the rest is history.

HIS201: CROSSING THE COMBAHEE SETTLING THE SOUTHERN PARISHES

1 Session | Wednesday | Jan 22
10:30AM-12:30PM | In-Person, Zoom
Hilton Head campus



The lands south of the Charles Town colony lay unsettled and undeveloped for nearly 50 years after the colony's establishment. Discover the forces, policies, and tensions that eventually opened the lands south of the Edisto River to settlement and how infrastructure developed to accelerate and sustain the communities on the Southern frontier of the Thirteen Colonies. The role of the Beaufort District in early revolutionary undertakings is also examined.



RICHARD THOMAS, Co-Chair of the South Carolina American Revolution Sestercentennial Commission's Committee for Beaufort District. He is the owner of Legacy Leadership and Legacy History Tours of the Lowcountry. Rich serves on the Lowcountry Civil War Roundtable and Board of the Friends of Honey Hill.

HIS202: "PAYNE-FUL" BUSINESS: CHARLESTON'S JOURNEY OF TRUTH



1 Session | Wednesday | Feb 5 | 1:00-3:00PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

A Charleston native discusses the history of its slave trade through her ancestors' involvement. She shares her genealogical past through research and personal experience while highlighting historians, journalists, and community members who work to reconcile these truths. She reveals authentic, historic slave advertisements, brought to life by African American artist John W. Jones. He uncovers the humanity hidden beneath the detached descriptions as Seidler's family sold them. Her mission is to acknowledge a more complete truth about our past and motivate us to act now in bridging the racial divide.



MARGARET SEIDLER is a retired organization development consultant. Her leadership book, "Power Surge," was published by HRD Press, in 2008. Her work in response to the Mother Emanuel AME Church tragedy was published in "The Oxford Handbook of Organizational Paradox," Oxford University Press, 2017.

HIS203: PRESERVING BLACK HISTORY IN SAVANNAH'S COMMUNITIES



1 Session | Sunday | Feb 9 | 2-4:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Savannah)

Limited Enrollment - 35 First Served Registration
Tour Fee \$10



Travel across time on a bus tour of Savannah that illuminates SCAD's commitment to preserving local Black history and the university's enduring fellowship with community leaders. From significant civil rights sites to major contemporary restoration initiatives, each stop on the tour centers visionary voices from Savannah's African American past, present, and future.

NOTE: Members to supply their own transportation to Savannah.

HIS204: BLUFFTON, A HISTORICAL STATE OF MIND

1 Session | Monday | Feb 17 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Bluffton, A Historical State of Mind is a presentation made by a Bluffton native who grew up in Bluffton when it was a 1-square mile town with very little traffic and when everyone knew each other. Michael can trace his family history back 325 years in Beaufort County to a 1695 cattle brand stamp. The presentation will cover Bluffton's history starting with the Native Americans who lived here for centuries before the Europeans came. Next, it will include a recount of the details of colonial times, the post-civil war era, and right up to modern-day Bluffton. You will be amazed by all that has happened in Bluffton!



MICHAEL REYNOLDS is Bluffton born and raised. Michael founded the "Bluffton History" Facebook group, formerly known as "You Know You're from Bluffton When" and has since done countless hours of historical research and recorded interviews with some of Bluffton's older residents all to preserve Bluffton history.

HIS227: CIVIL WAR PRISON: ANDERSONVILLE

1 Session | Thursday | Feb 27 | 3-4:30PM | Zoom only

From February 1864 until the end of the American Civil War in April 1865, Andersonville, Georgia served as the site of a notorious Confederate military prison. The prison at Andersonville, officially called Camp Sumter, was the South's largest prison for captured Union soldiers. Learn about this infamous military prison from Park Ranger Teri Surber.



TERI SURBER is one of the park rangers who conduct a variety of interpretive programs to encourage the development of a deeper understanding of American history and to broaden public support for preserving park resources. Interpretive rangers at Andersonville present the story of American prisoners of war to visitors.

HIS205: SCHEMES, WHIMS, AND PROJECTS OF ELIZA PINCKNEY

1 Session | Friday | March 14 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Bluffton campus

In 1740, 17-year-old Eliza Lucas began her experiments with indigo which resulted in a profitable industry for the colony of South Carolina. However, indigo was not the only project Eliza undertook. Step back in time to the year 1787 and meet Eliza Lucas Pinckney. She will tell you about her many "schemes, whims, and projects."

NOTE: Presented as a reenactment. Eliza Pinckney will appear to tell her story in accurate historical clothing.



MARGARET (PEGGY) PICKETT is a graduate of the University of Maryland, a living history interpreter, and the author of two non-fiction biographies of 18th-century South Carolina women: Eliza Lucas Pinckney and Rebecca Brewton Motte.

HIS206: BEAUFORT BORN, BRED, OR BLESSED: A FORUM

1 Session | Thursday | March 20 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Join Beaufort locals of different generations for a popular and updated forum where they will speak from the heart and share stories and vintage photographs of our Beaufort "back in the day." You need not have been "born or bred" in Beaufort, but you will certainly leave feeling "blessed" upon having moved here when you learn of their experiences. In Gullah terms, come join our Beaufort "Bin'yas" who will share their experiences with our more recent Beaufort "Com'yas" for a fun forum on our Beaufort "then and now."

BEAUFORTONIAN FOLKS of different generations will share their history and will engage all in conversation within this forum about our Beaufort then and now.



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HIS207: BUT WHO WERE THE ESCAMACU AND THE YAMASEE?



1 Session | Thursday | April 3 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

This course will discuss what the Indigenous world during Hilton Head's colonial history looked like. After the Spanish invasion of the Port Royal Sound between 1521 and 1587, Native people from here to the Caribbean experienced what archaeologists called societal shattering. This talk will explain what happened to the people who lived here first, who and why the Yamasee moved here at the end of the 1600s, and how their time ended in one of the bloodiest conflicts in American history nobody knows about.



DR. KATHERINE SEEBER is an archaeologist who has worked in the Lowcountry for a decade on projects at the Sea Pines Shell Ring and Historic Mitchelville among others. She has a BS in Archaeological Science from the State University of New York at Potsdam and an MA and Ph.D. from Binghamton University.

HIS208: BLUFFTON HISTORICAL WALKING TOUR #1

1 Session | Tuesday | April 22 | 10AM-Noon
In-Person | Offsite (Bluffton)



HIS209: BLUFFTON HISTORICAL WALKING TOUR #2

1 Session | Thursday | April 24 | 10AM-Noon
In-Person | Offsite (Bluffton)



Limited Enrollment - 24

Random draw selected on February 3, 2025

Tour Fee \$25 (if selected)

Enjoy a one-mile stroll with a trained docent through Historic Old Town Bluffton, South Carolina during which you will learn about the Town's Antebellum homes and churches, all of which are on the Historic Registry.

NOTE: The walking tour is 1.5 - 2 hours in length.

HIS210: THE HEYWARD FAMILY OF SOUTH CAROLINA



1 Session | Wednesday | April 23 | 10:00AM-Noon | In-Person | Bluffton campus

The Heyward family's history dates back to around 1670 when Daniel Heyward, an immigrant, settled in the Charles Towne colony. Two of his great-grandsons, Daniel and Thomas Heyward, established rice plantations in the Old House area (now Ridgeland, Jasper County) in the South Carolina Lowcountry. Thomas Heyward, Jr, signer of the Declaration of Independence, contributed heavily to American history during the Revolutionary War, serving in several key battles in the South.



TOM MIKELL, Attorney at Law, Citadel graduate with BA in history, University of South Carolina School of Law, Juris Doctorate, has extensive experience handling all aspects of quiet title and heirs' property litigation. He is a featured history and law presenter to Beaufort organizations.

HIS211: HISTORY OF THE GULLAH GEECHEE PEOPLE NEW

1 Session | Thursday | April 24 | 1:00-3:00PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

This class will explore the immigration of the Gullah-Geechee people from the Ivory Coast of Western Africa. The newly enslaved traveled along the Middle Passage with British slave traders in cramped slave ships to Gadsden Wharf in Charleston. The Gullah were highly skilled in growing rice, a complicated and labor-intensive crop, and developed Lowcountry plantations. Wayward bondsmen were punished under the Black Code and brought to Charleston from Barbados by the founders of Charles Town. Fearing slave uprisings, the "Sugar House" meted out brutal beatings and torture to maintain order. Meanwhile, planters and those who fulfilled their needs lived in luxury, mimicking European gentry. Their wealth reached new heights when Sea Island cotton became the principal cash crop worth 5 to 7 times more than other varieties of cotton. The timing was just right for England's industrial revolution and the soaring textile industry.



JOSIE OLSVIG is a new Southern author who has written extensively about the Gullah culture and the Civil War. She has researched the Gullah/Geechee culture extensively for nearly 12 years. She has interviewed local Gullahs and historians and performed archival research at plantations, libraries, museums, archives, and historic sites from Charleston to Washington, DC.

HIS212: LIGHTHOUSES AND THE HUNTING ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE NEW

2 Sessions | Mondays | April 28, May 5 | 1-3:00PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

This course has a twofold focus - an introduction to lighthouses and the history of our local Hunting Island Lighthouse. In the first session, we will cover lighthouse history, lighthouse administration in the U.S., why lighthouses were important and still are, and a description of lighthouse structures and equipment. Most importantly, we will discuss the lighthouse keepers, their families, and their lives at a light station. In the second session, we will cover the Hunting Island Lighthouse history, including the first lighthouse (1855-1861) and the second lighthouse (1873-1933) and its current role at the State Park.



THEODORE (TED) PANAYOTOFF is a retired naval officer and armament research and development engineer for the United States Army. He has been a lighthouse enthusiast, researcher, author, and preservationist for more than 30 years. Ted is a member of several national, regional, and state lighthouse organizations.

History: U.S.



HIS213: YEARS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION - 1774 NEW

1 Session | Wednesday | Jan 29 | 10:30AM-Noon
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

This presentation will discuss the impact of The Intolerable Acts and the First Continental Congress, featuring some of the incidents leading to the Revolutionary War including the Gaspee Burning and the Boston Tea Party as background to the Intolerable Acts.



LEE WILWERDING graduated with a B.A. in History and a commission as a Lieutenant in the U.S. Army. He served four years of active duty with tours in Germany and Vietnam. Lee continued his military career in the Army Reserve and retired after 24 years as a Lieutenant Colonel.

HIS214: THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION A WORLD WAR NO ONE KNOWS NEW

1 Session | Wednesday | Feb 5 | 10:00AM-Noon | In-Person, Zoom
Beaufort campus

The belief in American Exceptionalism is grounded in the interpretation of history that holds that American colonists of Great Britain were the first of their kind to win independence from a European empire in a war fought on their soil, and it maintains they did so virtually on their own. Discover how America was only one relatively compact and insignificant theater of war in what was, in reality, a World War for England, fought on four fronts with dozens of countries involved, and that American independence was won only due to military aid from two main European powers and the distractions provided by four other major nations.



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HIS215: 1968: A TUMULTUOUS YEAR

2 Sessions | Wednesdays | Feb 19, 26

10:00AM-Noon | In-Person, Zoom | Bluffton campus

Rapidly changing cultural, political, and racial trends caused 1968 to be the most tumultuous year of the 60's. A timeline for the year will include the assassinations of MLK and RFK and the violent and political acts that followed them. The Presidential election and the Democratic National Convention, the Beatles and Rolling Stones, the movies and TV are all highlighted in the timeline.



MIKE MACDONALD is a retired businessman from South Dakota now living in Minneapolis, MN, and Beaufort, SC. He has presented eight different classes for the South Dakota OLLI and four different classes at UCB OLLI. Mike is currently an OLLI member in SD, MN, and SC.

HIS216: TEA AND TORTURE

1 Session | Wednesday | Feb 19

10:30AM-Noon | In-Person

Hilton Head campus

Boston was not the only Tea Partier, nor was it the first. Those in Charleston, Philadelphia, Annapolis, and Edenton NC were also contenders. Edenton was probably the smallest, but it caused a loud reaction in the UK because it was conducted by the women of the city. Various forms of torture exacted by the British on the American rebels are examined. John Malcolm of Boston is the most notable and celebrated victim of Tarring and Feathering but certainly not the only one.



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HIS217: THE DAY THAT GOD CRIED: A COMMEMORATION OF THE WEEPING TIME

1 Session | Monday | March 10 | 10AM-Noon

In-Person, Zoom | Bluffton campus

On March 2 and 3, 1859, one of the largest sales of human beings occurred in Savannah, Georgia. During that two-day time span, there was such torrential rainfall that it was believed that heaven opened, and God himself cried. Lillian will explain and expound upon the events that led up to this tragic moment in America's history. Ms. Grant-Baptiste will use the power of the spoken word and storytelling to transport the audience back to that tragic day. She will lamentingly and skillfully use the power of story to commemorate the event and pay homage to those four hundred and twenty-nine souls that sold that sad day.



LILLIAN GRANT-BAPTISTE is an informed cultural artist who has 30+ years as a motivational speaker and an uplifting professional storyteller. Ms. Grant-Baptiste has presented and performed at venues throughout the United States. She skillfully gathers and retells stories from the Gullah/Geechee traditions.

HIS218: IMMIGRATION: MYTHS AND REALITIES THROUGHOUT OUR HISTORY

1 Session | Thursday | March 13 | 10:30AM-12:30PM In-Person, Zoom | Hilton Head campus

This course offers a brief history of immigration to the United States from its colonial beginnings to the present day. Topics to be covered: reasons for immigration, largest immigrant groups, immigration patterns, and restrictions imposed upon immigration.



WENDY WILSON HILTY, B.A. in History at Wells College, Master of Letters in History at the University of Aberdeen, UK. Senior Lecturer in History at Northeastern University. Author of 11 history textbooks for high school and college students.

HIS219: WASP OF THE FERRY COMMAND: WOMEN PILOTS, UNCOMMON DEEDS

1 Session | Wednesday | April 9 | 1-3:00PM

In-Person | Bluffton campus

This program will provide knowledge and insight regarding a small select group of women who flew military aircraft during WWII. These missions filled a vital role in the United States, alongside male pilots. Their work advanced the war effort by freeing experienced male pilots to move to the front.



AMY GRAY is retired from the United States Army, where she served 25 years including two combat tours in Afghanistan with a Bronze Star. She is a military historian with expertise in areas that include women in the military, the Homefront, female pilots, and medical history. Amy earned a clinical doctorate at Virginia Commonwealth University, and she earned a Ph.D. from Military College.

HIS220: GETTYSBURG: SIDE STORIES TO THE MAIN EVENT

2 Sessions | Mondays | April 14 & 21

10:00AM-Noon | In-Person | Bluffton campus

The epic 3-day clash in July 1863 provides the context for several human-interest stories and fascinating sidebars that bring the impact of Gettysburg down to a grassroots level. This course examines some of those stories and offers a fresh look at the great battle that cost a staggering 51,000 casualties in and around the crossroads Pennsylvania farming town of 2400 people.



JACK RABBITT's lifelong fascination with the American Civil War began at age 10. He has nurtured his understanding and insights into this defining period in our history through extensive research and battlefield visits. He has presented on business and history topics at OLLI for 15 years.

History: World

HIS223: FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT, GAMBIA, AND THE FORMATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS NEW

1 Session | Thursday | Jan 30 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus

In January 1943, U.S. President Franklin Roosevelt, on his way to Casablanca to meet with British Prime Minister Winston Churchill, stopped in Britain's West African colony of Gambia. The poverty and ill health he witnessed in "that hell-hole of yours" prompted Roosevelt to consider "an organization of United Nations" that would push to bring education, raise standards of living, and improve health conditions of the depressed colonial areas of the world." Explore the impact of this trip on Roosevelt's vision and its role in creating the United Nations.



DONALD WRIGHT, Distinguished Teaching Professor of History, Emeritus, SUNY-Cortland, has written books on African, African American, and Atlantic history. He has held Fulbright, NEH, and Rockefeller Foundation Fellowships and lectured at universities on four continents.



HIS221: FORGOTTEN BATTLES OF WORLD WAR II NEW

2 Sessions | Wednesdays | Jan 22, 29 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

"Operation Nordwind" in the Alsace Lorraine area was a follow-on offensive in January 1945 following the Battle of the Bulge. This battle included several veteran Infantry Divisions that fought in Sicily and Italy as well as two "green" Armored Divisions which did not fare well against German SS Panzer Divisions. This American victory paved the way for the entry into southern Germany.

The program is based on interviews with combat veterans, several visits to the battlefields by the presenter, after-action reports, and period topo maps. Some "then and now" photo series of small unit actions are also featured during the series.



BILL COSGROVE is a graduate of both the University of Georgia and Clemson University. He retired from the U.S. EPA following a 35-year career in Athens, GA. He also served as an adjunct instructor at UGA for 32 years and has taught with OLLI programs at UGA, North Florida, and UNC Asheville since 2013.

HIS222: EYEWITNESS TO HISTORY: WORLD WAR ONE THROUGH 1968 NEW

2 Sessions | Monday, Thursday | Jan 27, 30
10:30AM-12:30PM | In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Join the author as she travels back in time to Poland from WWI to WWII and beyond. You will hear about Jewish life in Poland, the Holocaust, Soviet Russia, the Ukrainian famine, Uzbekistan, and forced labor camps. One purpose of the memoir is to give survivors of human cruelty and injustice a voice so that successive generations understand what happened to their families and can seek justice. It also deals with the emotional burden and sense of isolation inherited by the children of Holocaust survivors.



SUZANNA EIBUSZYC, born in Poland and completed her BA at City College of NY and her MA at UCLA. Her classes with Elie Wiesel at CCNY convinced her of the importance of Holocaust survivors memoirs. Suzanna's book "Memory Is Our Home" is based on her mother's memoirs which were published in 2015.

HIS224: MARCH TO VICTORY: ALLIED ACTIONS AFTER D-DAY NEW

5 Sessions | Fridays | Feb 7, 14, 21, 28, March 7
9:30AM-12:30PM | In-Person | Bluffton campus

Following the success of D-Day, the Allies needed to liberate France before focusing on the Low Countries. This course examines key actions during this critical period in WWII, including the failed "Operation Market-Garden," the Battles of Aachen, the Huertgen Forest, and the Bulge, as well as the strategic importance of seizing bridges over the Rhine, particularly the Bridge at Remagen.

HIS228: GO FOR BROKE! THE 442ND REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM NEW

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



The 442nd fought in some of the fiercest battles of WW II and became the highest decorated unit in the war. More than 12,000 Nisei (second-generation Japanese American) volunteers answered the call. Ultimately 2,686 from Hawaii and 1,500 from mainland U.S. internment camps assembled at Camp Shelby, Mississippi in April 1943 for a year of infantry training. The unit's motto was "Go for Broke"



COL (Ret) LAWRENCE SAUL served for 37 years in the U.S. Army. He was one of the last veterans of the Vietnam War still serving on active duty when he retired in 2008. Larry has taught more than 75 military history courses. He has extensive experience as a battlefield tour guide and has a B.A. in History from Georgia State University, as well as two master's degrees.

HIS225: DAY TRIP TO THE NATIONAL MUSEUM OF THE MIGHTY EIGHTH AIR FORCE

1 Session | Thursday | April 10 | 9:30AM-4:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Savannah)

Limited Enrollment - 50 *First Served Registration*

Tour Fee \$45 (Guests \$55)

Spend a day touring the National Mighty Eight Museum to enhance your experience from OLLI's summer program, "Masters of the Air" (MOTA) TV Miniseries Viewing and Corresponding Analysis", or simply learn more about the heroes of the Mighty Eighth Air Force.

First, we will visit the Museum Archives with Museum Archivist, Vivian Rogers Price - Ph.D. This will include actual artifacts that are shown as props in the MOTA series.

Then, explore the museum on your own or with a guided tour that showcases exhibits featured in the MOTA TV series. The museum's mission is to preserve for all Americans the stories of courage, character, and patriotism displayed by the men and women of the Eighth Air Force from World War II to the present.

NOTE: The program cost **includes transportation** via coach bus, museum entry, hot lunch, and an OLLI exclusive educational program.



HIS226: NOT A REAL ENEMY: THE TRUE STORY OF A HUNGARIAN JEWISH MAN'S FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

NEW

1 Session | Monday | May 5 | 10:00AM-12:00PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Almost half a million Jewish Hungarians are deported to Auschwitz. Among the few surviving Hungarian Jews from this era were young men who, like Ervin Wolf, were forced into the brutal Labor Service where they were cut off from the outside world and forced to endure inhumane brutalities and servitude. Once freed, a new oppression took hold as communist rule under Stalin turned friends into foes, enveloped the nation in fear and suspicion, and tested everyone's character and strength.

This is the true story of Ervin Wolf and his family as the fascist tide of Eastern Europe takes hold of Hungary. From the Wolfs' comfortable upper-class life to imprisonment, daring escapes, tragic deaths, cloak-and-dagger adventures, and Ervin's final escape to freedom in the dead of night, Robert Wolf will talk about his family's tale of suspense, tragedy, comedy, and ultimately, triumph.



ROBERT WOLF, M.D., grew up in a suburb of Detroit as the only child of Ervin and Judit Wolf. Their stories of their escape from communist Hungary, and his father's tragic history of escaping the Nazis twice but losing his parents at Auschwitz, inspired Robert to document his parents' tales and share those stories with Jewish groups and others throughout the United States.

HIS229: 1676: BACON'S REBELLION

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
**MARK
SUMMERS**

In December of 1675, a minor dispute between English colonists and Doeg Native Americans over some hogs would spiral into a major civil war between different factions of English Virginians and several Native American nations. It would ultimately pit the long-serving governor Sir William Berkeley with a young rebel named Nathaniel Bacon. From 1676-1677, Bacon's Rebellion would set Native American nations against each other, determine the fate of European servants and enslaved Africans, destroy the capital, damage trade, and benefit a few rogues who played both sides. The consequences would shape the American Revolution to come.

HIS230: FORGOTTEN BATTLES OF WORLD WAR II - BATTLE OF THE BULGE

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
Bill Cosgrove

"The Battle for the German Westwall and the Hurtgen Forest" will cover the entry into Germany by the US Army in September 1944 and the costly fight in the Hurtgen Forest from September to December 1944. This battle combat exhausted four infantry divisions and only came to a standstill with the start of the Battle of the Bulge. The series is based on interviews with combat veterans, several visits to the battlefields by the presenter, after-action reports, and period topo maps. Several "then and now" photo series of small unit actions are also featured during the series.

HIS231: ORIGINS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
**JOHN
MCCARDELL**

The American Revolution had many causes, which originated during the colonial period and took many forms. This course will examine the development of colonial politics, the impact of colonial wars, and the effects of the Great Awakening in creating a nascent sense of American distinctiveness that led finally to the Revolution.

NOTE: A three-series class all rolled into one.

HIS232: HELL IN THE PACIFIC

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
**LAWRENCE
SAUL**

Hell in The Pacific provides a brief history of the U.S. and Allied efforts to defeat the Japanese in the Pacific Theater of Operations during WWII, with an emphasis on the strategic goals, the strategies, the personalities, and the various battles and campaigns that brought about ultimate victory.

HIS233: AMELIA EARHART: VIRTUAL TOUR OF HER BIRTHPLACE TO DISCOVER HER MANY FACETS!

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
**MIKA
SCHRADER**

Amelia Earhart was one the most courageous women of the 20th Century. Most people learn about Amelia in grade school; there is so much more to know about Amelia Earhart than just from a textbook! What Amelia accomplished in 39 years is astonishing. She was so much more than an aviator. She was a photographer, a wife, a stepmom, a sister, a daughter, a friend, an airline owner, a clothes designer, a college advisor, and an author - and that isn't all! Join us for a virtual tour of Amelia's birthplace and childhood home and gain a deeper understanding of this remarkable woman.

DID YOU KNOW?

USCB started a lifelong learning program in 1991, called the Creative Retirement Center (CRC).

USCB CRC became part of the OLLI network in 2005.

Bernard Osher is the "O" in OLLI. His foundation supports lifelong learning, medical education, and the arts.

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HME200: UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING ANXIETY AND DEPRESSION

1 Session | Tuesday | Jan 28 | 1:30-3:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Have you or your loved ones ever been diagnosed with anxiety or depression? Depression and anxiety are two mental health concerns that plague 4 out of 10 people in the U.S. This class will help you define and explore mental health issues related to depression and anxiety and learn how to manage their symptoms. We will discuss diagnosis, causation, and treatment applications. The goal is to walk away with a better understanding, navigate the symptoms and treatment possibilities, and learn simple practical applications. This is not therapeutic, nor does it replace mental health counseling for those currently struggling.



DR. MARY LACEY has a master's degree in Marriage and Family Therapy from East Carolina University and a doctorate from Arizona State University. She is a board-certified counselor in N.C. and S.C. and has been in private practice for 25 years.

HME201: PEES, LOVE, & CONSTIPATION: WHY YOU SHOULD CARE ABOUT YOUR PELVIC FLOOR

1 Session | Wednesday | Jan 29 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Your pelvic floor comprises muscles and tissue between the bony parts of your pelvis that support the bladder, bowel, and uterus. Besides keeping everything in place down there, the pelvic floor muscles support the functions of urination, bowel movements, and sex. Issues can arise when the muscles are weakened as well as if they are overactive. Learn about common problems, how they can be treated, and what you can do to help keep your pelvic floor healthy.



JAIME PATILLO, MS, OTR/L is a pelvic floor occupational therapist at Beaufort Memorial with experience treating a wide variety of conditions that impact pelvic floor health and function. She believes that certain conditions are not simply inevitable due to age.

HME202: CHRONIC PAIN - A JOURNEY, NOT AN EVENT

1 Session | Friday | Jan 31 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Explore methods that can improve the quality of life for those living with chronic pain. Learn how self-advocacy and a positive attitude can foster enhanced well-being. Discuss how to promote open conversation with your physician to promote a collaborative relationship. The class will explore new 'out of the box' thinking and research which will become mainstream, including pain-free clusters and reverse engineering of genetic code. Chronic pain is a journey that is ever-changing and not a series of unconnected events.



BOB FORTIER has an undergraduate degree in engineering and an MBA. He has worked in the pharmaceutical industry for 20 years and as an Engineer Manager for GE.

HME203: TO REPLACE OR NOT TO REPLACE: THAT IS THE QUESTION

1 Session | Monday | Feb 3 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

As we age, we all deal with the development of arthritis. You will learn about the progression of changes in the joints. We'll discuss conservative and surgical treatment options and the rehabilitation/exercise programs critical to great outcomes. Gain insight from the perspective of a physical therapist and orthopedic surgeon to guide decision-making in the treatment of joint pain to improve both function and quality of life. This will be an interactive discussion course.



DR. CHARLES LoPRESTI is a retired Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon who practiced in the Cleveland Clinic and University Hospitals of Cleveland's medical system for 37 years. His focus was the treatment of hip/knee and total joint replacement surgery.



JOHN LIPPITT physical therapist with CORA Physical Therapy. He received his Doctorate of Physical Therapy from the University of Vermont and has completed a residency program specializing in orthopedic injuries. John has worked with hundreds of patients with joint replacements.

HME204: HEALTHCARE EDUCATION SIM LAB TOUR

1 Session | Tuesday | Feb 4 | 11:00AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Offsite (Beaufort)

Limited Enrollment - 25 *First Served Registration*
Tour Fee \$10

Get a glimpse into the future of healthcare education! Meet Hal, Victoria, Suzie, Tory, and Lincoln: the most current simulation technologies used by healthcare students and staff. Enjoy a presentation by Beaufort Memorial's Education staff, followed by a guided tour of the PATH Career Development Center and simulation lab. A great opportunity to be introduced to the technology behind tomorrow's progressive treatment nursing skills.

HME205: HOSPICE IS ABOUT LIVING, NOT DYING

1 Session | Monday | Feb 17 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

NEW

With end-of-life care and patient wishes becoming all the buzz in the medical spotlight, it is important to understand the myths and realities of these “uncomfortable” words. What is hospice and palliative care? Do you know what questions you should be asking? We will bring in LaNelle Fabian, Director of Community Engagement at Friends of Caroline for discussion and for you to meet. This course presentation will be upbeat and focus on living while learning about palliative care, hospice care, and grief support.



SUZI C. OLIVER, RN, has over 30 years of hospice nursing experience and 8 years as a hospice volunteer. As a compassionate professional nurse, she is experienced in many aspects of hospice care. Suzi is a past recipient of the distinguished SC Hospice Founders Award for exceptional hospice nursing care.

HME206: EXPLORING GOOD NEIGHBOR MEDICAL CLINIC

1 Session | Monday | March 3 | 3:30-5:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Beaufort)

Join OLLI members on-site at the Good Neighbor Medical clinic for an introduction to this community resource which provides medical services to clients without medical insurance. The Director will explain the populations served, the partnership with Beaufort Memorial Hospital, Volunteer opportunities, and how services are delivered.



GLORIA DURYEA has nearly two decades of not-for-profit experience, working in grassroots and larger institutions. Originally from Anderson, she attended the University of South Carolina, Columbia where she earned her B.A. in Psychology and then her Master of Business Administration.

HME207: THE SCIENCE BEHIND DOPING: USE OF PERFORMANCE-ENHANCING DRUGS IN SPORTS AND BEYOND

1 Session | Tuesday | March 4 | 10:00AM-Noon | In-Person | Beaufort campus

NEW

Doping traces its origins back to the ancient Olympic Games and continues to pervade various athletic disciplines to this day. A diverse array of performance-enhancing substances operates through multiple physiological mechanisms. The regulatory landscape varies significantly between Olympic and U.S. professional sports. The phenomenon of doping extends beyond the realm of elite human athletes, it also encompasses animal sports.



Dr. PETER HOFFMANN was born, raised, and educated in Germany. After several years as a professional athlete and an academic career as a professor of medicine in Germany, he worked for several pharmaceutical companies in France, Switzerland, and the USA. As an M.D. and Ph.D., he was particularly interested in medical research

HME208: SUCCESSFUL AGING

1 Session | Thursday | March 20
10:30AM-12:30PM | In-Person | Hilton Head campus

NEW

Learn about ageism and its negative influences on American culture, economy, health care delivery, and health outcomes. Identify important aspects of biological aging as well as gender differences that have implications for drug prescribing. Discuss strategies for navigating a fragmenting and disorganized healthcare enterprise to better advocate for yourself and your loved ones and have your needs addressed in a reasonable way. Discuss challenges and limitations in studying aging and interpreting study results or applying the results of studies performed in younger populations to older adults.



Dr. JONATHAN EVANS is a geriatrician and a patient advocate in Charlottesville, Virginia. He is a graduate of the Mayo Clinic School of Medicine and former president of the American Medical Director's Association and the Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine.

HME209: GETTING STARTED WITH MINDFULNESS

1 Session | Friday | March 21 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

The topic of mindfulness gets tossed around a lot but what is really entailed? Can it improve mental clarity, sleep, and stress levels? Learn about this mind-body practice that focuses your awareness and attention on the present. You'll also leave with practical techniques and simple exercises you can use in your daily life.



KATHY BINGHAM, is a Licensed Master Social Worker and has an extensive mental health background. She has a master's degree in physical education and 12 years of experience as a Certified Personal Trainer.

HME210: BENEFITS OF FASTING

1 Session | Friday | April 4 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person, Zoom | Bluffton campus

NEW

Come and learn how fasting can positively impact the body. We will take a look at how fasting is different for men and women and how to incorporate different strategies to maximize health.

HME214: KNOW YOUR GUT MICROBES

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



The trillions of bacteria in our gut microbiome are key to all facets of health. Come learn how imbalances can lead to chronic disease, autoimmunity, and a host of other illnesses.



KERRI DODSON graduated with a master's in Nutrition Therapy. She is a Level 4 Restorative Wellness Practitioner and a Certified Master Health and Wellness Coach. As a functional nutritionist, her goal is to get to the root cause of any health issue by digging deep into her client's issues. Kerri specializes in digestive dysfunction, autoimmune disease, reversal of Type 2 diabetes, and hormone health.

HME211: CULINARY HERBALISM - MEET YOUR MEDICINE

NEW

1 Session | Wednesday | April 9 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person, Zoom | Bluffton campus

Did you know that there is a medicine chest living in your kitchen? Everyday spices not only add fabulous flavor to your food, but they also provide nourishment to the body for daily maintenance and support for those times when ailments arise. Colds, flu, gut issues, and more can be relieved with culinary herbs. This workshop provides a simple and practical approach to self-care utilizing herbs from the kitchen for yourself, family, and friends. Empower your knowledge and begin to meet your medicine.



AMY SPADAFORA provides a sacred space for those seeking personalized guidance to begin their healing transformation by helping them to understand their unique inner ecology through iridology, align themselves with nature's healing rhythms, and empower self-healing with herbs, nutrition, and sound.

HME212: FROM VOLUME OF CARE TO ADDING VALUE TO PATIENT HEALTHCARE SERVICES

1 Session | Thursday | April 10 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

NEW

Overview of Medicare Value-Based Care Program from a patient perspective. The Value-Based Care initiative is designed to improve quality, equity, access to care and reduce cost to deliver healthcare services to the community. The goal of Value-Based Care is to transform care delivery from a payment system based on the number of services provided (Fee-for-Service) to a focus on "Value" to the patient that helps improve health status while keeping costs down. The idea is to deliver the "Right Care at the Right Time at the Right Location."



KEN TURNER is an experienced Healthcare Performance Improvement Consultant who has over forty-five years of working in the healthcare industry. Skilled in Healthcare Consulting, Disease Management, Performance Improvement, and Operational Excellence. He has a Master's Degree in Healthcare Administration.

HME213: STROKE - WHAT EVERYONE NEEDS TO KNOW

1 Session | Monday | April 14 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

During a stroke, also known as a brain attack, blood flow to part of your brain stops. Stroke is a time-sensitive emergency but one that is preventable, treatable, and beatable. Learn what causes a stroke, how it affects the brain and then impairs the body, what puts you at risk and how you can prevent one. Signs of stroke, diagnosis, and necessary treatment will also be discussed.



ANDREA ZEMAN, MSN, RN, a nurse for more than 30 years, has extensive experience in the Emergency Room and the Operating Room. Currently, she is the Stroke Program Coordinator at Beaufort Memorial Hospital as part of the Quality Department.

Interest Groups



ING200: WELCOME TO TRAVEL PHOTOGRAPHY

1 Session | Thursday | March 13 | 1:00-3:00PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

NEW

Join Bill on his last two travel photography adventures: a self-directed trip to Tokyo, Japan, and a professionally led trip to Rajasthan, India. Review the steps in putting the trips together, then discuss what worked and what didn't. You'll develop the tools to organize your photography travel. In the second hour of the course, learn the best (and worst) of his photographs from the trips to highlight important elements of the creative and technical travel photography process.



BILL GINN was born in Hampton County, South Carolina, and spent 42 years as an international banker followed by 5 as a finance professor. He has visited over 80 countries accompanied by cameras ranging from his father's Voigtlander to his current iPhone and mirrorless Canon.

ING201: GETTING STARTED IN GENEALOGY

1 Session | Thursday | March 20 | 1:30-3:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

NEW

Whether you have begun to look for records or don't have a clue how to begin, there are easy steps you can take to start growing your family tree. This class will help you get moving in the right direction. We will discuss what information to look for, how to evaluate what you find, strategies for staying organized, and why public family trees are not as useful as people think.



JANE THEISSEN is a retired university librarian. Born and raised in St. Louis, Missouri, she is currently co-editor of the St. Louis Genealogical Society's Quarterly magazine and volunteers at the Heritage Library on Hilton Head. She began doing genealogy in 1990 and has written two books about her ancestors.

ING202: CREATIVE PHOTOGRAPHY AT THE POINT
2 Sessions | Fridays | March 21, 28 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus



Limited Enrollment - 15 *First Served Registration*

This two-session course features classroom instruction and a hands-on field trip walking the historic lanes of The Point. The first session begins with a short presentation on learning to be more creative with your photography (versus a snapshot/documentary photo) followed by a one-hour photo shoot at The Point adjacent to the USCB Beaufort campus. You will learn the importance of composition, technical quality, and impact when creating a photo. The second session will be a group critique and learning session on the photos taken in the first session.

NOTE: Please bring your camera with the battery charged and a memory card installed.



SANDY DIMKE is a fine art photographer who shares her love of the art of photography through lectures, presentations, judging, and workshops throughout the southeast. Published books include "Hands Across the Lowcountry" and "The Cats of Beaufort."

ING203: EXPLORE THE PORT OF SAVANNAH!
1 Session | Tuesday | March 25 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Offsite (Savannah)



Limited Enrollment - 48 *First Served Registration*

Tour Fee \$57

\$25 Cancellation Fee (full forfeiture within 5 business days)

The Port of Savannah, the nation's largest port in volume, contains over 50 piers, wharves, and docks. This informational 90-minute tour begins with a scenic view of Savannah's Historic Riverfront and then ventures upriver to the Georgia Port Authority. Your captain will give you insight into how a port works as you take in the enormity of the cargo ships.

NOTE: Member to provide their own transportation to a downtown Savannah location.

ING204: SCAD EQUESTRIAN CENTER TOUR
1 Session | Friday | April 11 | 11:00AM-1:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Savannah)



Limited Enrollment - 30 *First Served Registration*

Tour Fee \$10

Following a brief presentation, the group will take a walking tour through the 100-acre equestrian center with its paddocks, grazing fields, training arena, competition arena, and barns. Participants will learn about SCAD's nationally known equestrian degrees, and they are also invited to bring cameras and sketching material if desired.

NOTE: This is a walking tour on uneven terrain. Members to provide their own transportation to Savannah.

MICHELLE PHELPS received her business degree from St. Andrews University in Laurinburg, NC with a focus on equestrian studies. She has seven years of experience at the SCAD Equestrian Center.

**ING205: UNEARTHING THE BARNWELL TABBY:
REWRITING THE HISTORICAL NARRATIVE**
1 Session | Thursday | Feb 20
11:00AM-12:30PM | In-Person | Offsite (Hilton Head)



NEW

Limited Enrollment - 25 *First Served Registration*

Tour Fee \$10

Explore the challenges of rewriting popular historical narratives through the lens of the project's success and challenges to date. Tour the property where the Barnwell Archaeological Research Project is taking place! A multi-disciplinary endeavor incorporating archaeological excavations, historical and archival research, and geological dating analysis, we will explore an original tabby structure on Hilton Head Island. Learn when this building was constructed, the building's purpose, and the role of enslaved African people within it.



Dr. KIMBERLY CAVANAGH is an Associate Professor of Anthropology at USCB. She holds a Ph.D. and an M.A. in Culture from the University of South Carolina and is the recipient of two Fulbright Awards (2008 and 2019).

**ING206: I FOUND AN ARTIFACT IN MY YARD!
TIPS FROM AN ARCHAEOLOGIST**
2 Sessions | Mondays | Feb 24, Mar 3 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus and Offsite (Okatie)

NEW

Limited Enrollment - 25 *First Served Registration*

This course will give students a "how-to" for ethically engaging with the region's archaeological past. It will include a background lecture on the Indigenous history of the Lowcountry and hands-on instruction in artifact identification. Students will also learn how archaeologists comply with state and federal regulations and their role as community members in preserving cultural heritage.

NOTE: Day 1 is in the classroom and Day 2 on-site at the Altamaha Town Heritage Preserve. Members supply their own transportation to the Heritage Preserve in Okatie.

HANNAH HOOVER is an archaeologist and Ph.D. Candidate at the University of Michigan. She has lived in Beaufort, South Carolina for three years while working on her dissertation. Her research explores questions about daily life in early 18th-century Indigenous towns in the Port Royal Sound.

**ING207: INTRODUCTION TO ARCHAEOLOGY
AT PALMETTO BLUFF**

NEW

1 Session | Monday | March 24 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Join Palmetto Bluff's Archaeologist, Katie Epps, for an overview of the property's archaeological research and vast history. The talk will include a show-and-tell of some of the most exciting artifacts on the property.



KATIE EPPS earned her undergraduate degree in Anthropology and has a master's degree from the University of South Carolina. She worked at Palmetto Bluff as a contract archaeologist from 2004-2008 and returned in 2021. She is now the Director of Cultural Resources at Palmetto Bluff.

International Studies



IST200: WHAT DO YOU MEAN THERE WERE NO TRIBES IN AFRICA?

1 Session | Thursday | Jan 23 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Don Wright will discuss the difficulties he, as a person from a Western culture, faced when initially studying the history of pre-colonial Africa, and then teaching it to students who carried the same Western notions about such things as borders, boundaries, and personal identity. He will include, as he puts it, "some related stuff that I find interesting."



DONALD WRIGHT, Distinguished Teaching Professor of History, Emeritus, SUNY-Cortland, has written books on African, African-American, and Atlantic history. He has held Fulbright, NEH, and Rockefeller Foundation Fellowships and has lectured at universities on four continents.

IST201: RISE OF THE BRICS THREAT TO POST WW2 RULES

1 Session | Monday | Jan 27 | 1:00-3:00PM
In-Person, Zoom | Bluffton campus

BRICS+ nations - Brazil, Russia, India, China, and South Africa - and 14 other 3rd World nations applying to join - seek to build new financial, trade, and cooperative relationships that depend less upon the US and dollar domination. Russia and China want complete separation from the West and their economic sanctions. BRIC+ nations have natural resources, growing populations, and expanding economies already enabling them to exceed U.S. and G7 total GDP. Is conflict inevitable? Is the West doomed to fall behind? Must the Rules-Based System fail? Is cooperation possible?



GREG BLACKBURN was a career Naval Intelligence Officer serving in technical and command billets; SecDef Director of Information Operations. Led pioneering studies, wargames in cybersecurity, critical infrastructure protection, defining policy, and organizations activated post-911. Past OLLI presenter on North Korea, Exoplanets, Geopolitics-Globalization, Healthcare Economics, ENIGMA Secret, Man Named INTREPID, and RU-UKR War.

IST202: TROUBLED WORLD AND HOW TO RESPOND

1 Session | Friday | April 11 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus



IST202B: [LIVESTREAM TO BEAUFORT CAMPUS](#)

IST202H: [LIVESTREAM TO HILTON HEAD CAMPUS](#)

China threatens Taiwan; Russia invades Ukraine; Hamas terrorizes Israel; Iran stokes proxies; North Korea waits for their opportunity; and terrorists (both foreign and domestic) threaten everywhere. What are we to do? This presentation touches on the "compounding effect" of each of these threats and sets the stage for a group discussion on how we might avoid World War III - particularly when we Americans are more divided than at any other time of our lives.

IST203: IMPLICATIONS OF A RISING CHINA

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Explore what is happening on the other side of the world: geopolitically, militarily, and economically as China expands its sphere of influence. Learn about the strategic importance of the Malacca Strait, the South China Sea, the exploding growth of the Peoples Liberation Army, and China's encroachment on the "second island chain," where the U.S. begins its day - in Guam.



CRAIG WHELDEN spent 30 years in the U.S. Army and another nine as a member of the Senior Executive Service (SES) with the U.S. Marine Corps. Along the way, he led thousands of soldiers, sailors, and marines at each level from Lieutenant to General Officer to Senior Executive - with 10 years in Europe and another 12 in the Pacific.

Language



LAN200: SPANISH FOR TRAVELERS

NEW

2 Sessions | Mondays | Feb 24, March 3
10:30AM-12:30PM | In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Limited Enrollment - 25 *First Served Registration*

Although most people in hospitality around the Hispanic world speak English, they always appreciate it when visitors attempt to use Spanish when they can, even if it is to say "Gracias." Join Barry Weingarten to learn the sounds of Spanish and some key phrases that most travelers need (such as "Where's the bathroom?") as well as the names of many foods. Be prepared to bring a list of phrases you would like to learn for the second session of the class. Be aware that two classes will not teach you how to speak Spanish fluently, but you definitely will learn how to say My name is..., etc.



BARRY WEINGARTEN is a semi-retired Spanish professor who has been teaching college-level Spanish classes since 1972. He currently teaches online for the University of Maryland Global Campus. He has a B.A. in Spanish Language and Literature from the George Washington University, an M.A., and a Ph.D. in Spanish Language and Literature from the University of Pennsylvania.

Legal



LEG200: SOUTH CAROLINA PROBATE: PROCESS, PERILS AND PITFALLS

1 Session | Friday | Jan 31 | 1:00-3:00PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Beaufort-based estate planning attorney Alex Dorobantu offers guidance on the South Carolina probate process. The class will cover common probate forms, costs associated with probates, and explanations of common mistakes with steps to potentially avoid them. Probate avoidance planning will also be covered.



VICTOR "ALEX" DOROBANTU, Esq. is a licensed attorney with his own firm, Lowcountry Legacy Law, located in Beaufort which focuses on estate planning and asset protection. He graduated from the University of Tennessee with a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and received his Juris Doctor degree from the University of South Carolina School of Law.

LEG201: U.S. CONSTITUTION: OVERVIEW FROM OUR FOUNDING FATHERS TO THE PRESENT

1 Session | Monday | March 17 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Bluffton campus

We will explore the beginnings of the Constitution and the fundamentals that form the basis of our Republic and the individual rights that it protects. The course will also focus on how the Constitution has been amended over the years and the role it plays in our everyday lives.



DAVID MANZI, Juris Doctor, University San Diego School of Law, is a trial lawyer with over 35 years of experience in prosecuting civil litigation cases. Licensed in SC/NC/CA, he handles personal injury, medical malpractice, employment, and business litigation.

LEG202: THE U.S. SUPREME COURT: RECENT DECISIONS AND THE CURRENT TERM

NEW

3 Sessions | Mondays | March 24, March 31, April 7
3-5:00PM | In-Person | Bluffton campus

This course returns to OLLI for another installment of lively discussion and debate. It will focus on United States Supreme Court decisions from the most recent term and cover a wide variety of topics, with a particular emphasis on civil rights and liberties. Students will receive excerpts from Court decisions to read in advance of class.



STEPHEN MEYER is a Bluffton attorney who earned his Juris Doctor, magna cum laude, from the University of South Carolina. While engaged in the full-time private practice of law, Steve devotes his scholarly interests to the analysis of U.S. Supreme Court decisions and the impact of these decisions on the daily life of the American public.

Literature



LIT200: POETRY IN RESPONSE TO ART

1 Session | Friday | Jan 31 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

Poetry written in response to visual art, called ekphrastic poetry, conveys a poet's reaction to paintings and sculpture. Come join in an examination of paintings from the Old Masters such as Brueghel and Vermeer to the more contemporary works of Edward Hopper, Picasso, and Grant Wood as interpreted in the writings of poets such as Sylvia Plath, W.H. Auden, Allen Ginsberg, and William Carlos Williams. No prior experience with art or poetry is necessary; just bring your aesthetic sensibility.



MARY FILAK has an M.A. in English and has taught for 30 years in high school and college, most recently at The Technical College of the Lowcountry. She also consults for The College Board, giving workshops to teachers around the country.

LIT201: A QUILL OF THEIR OWN: TEN EARLY WOMEN WRITERS

1 Session | Friday | Jan 24 | 1-3:00PM
In-Person, Zoom | Bluffton campus

This course will introduce you to ten early women writers who wrote in the time of Jane Austen - from Frances Burney and Maria Edgeworth to Ann Radcliffe and Mary Wollstonecraft - women who were very popular with their reading public and have been too long forgotten. Join us for a descriptive and visual journey through the lives and works of these women and come away with a new appreciation of our female literary heritage, as well as a whole new reading list!



DEBORAH BARNUM is a snowbird (VT/CO/SC); best friends with Jane Austen; compiles annual Frances Burney bibliographies; OLLI member and instructor; leads classic literature book groups; used bookstore owner; law librarian; gardener; hiker; and traveler.

LIT202: TRUE CRIME WITH APHRODITE JONES - BEST SELLING AUTHOR

1 Session | Tuesday | Feb 11 | 10-11:30AM
Zoom only

NEW

Listen to the personal insights of Aphrodite Jones, the *New York Times* best-selling true crime author, and journalist who investigates high-profile crimes and murder cases. Through her eyes, Jones discusses the motives and truths behind the headlines. Over the past two decades, she has provided TV news commentary and courtroom trial coverage for cases that include Casey Anthony, Jon Benet Ramsey, O.J. Simpson, and many more.

NOTE: To prepare for this class, participants are encouraged to read "Levi's Eyes," a new true crime book by Aphrodite Jones. Review her website - Aphroditejones.com. Study the cases of Jon Benet Ramsey and Casey Anthony.



APHRODITE JONES is a *New York Times* best-selling author who researches and dissects bizarre murder cases. Ms. Jones is also the host of the hit TV show, "True Crime with Aphrodite Jones" on Investigation Discovery. She has appeared as a crime expert on ABC's 20/20, Dateline NBC, CBS, MSNBC, FOX News and CNN.

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on all three campus locations



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Music



MUS200: INSIDE THE MUSIC: USCB CHAMBER MUSIC WINTER & SPRING CONCERTS

4 Sessions | Fridays | Jan 10, Feb 14, March 7, April 4
10:00AM-Noon | In-Person | Beaufort campus

Program note writer Michael Johns presents a pre-concert conversation on the composers and music to be heard for each USCB Chamber Music concert. Multiple recorded excerpts and commentary will acclimate listeners as to what they can expect to hear at the upcoming concerts on Sunday, January 12, February 16, March 9, and April 6. **These classes are free and open to the public.** Registration is strongly suggested. Please visit the Chamber Music website for more concert information. <https://www.uscbchambermusic.com/>



MICHAEL JOHNS, DMA received music degrees from the New England Conservatory and Temple University. He has performed on French horn with symphony, ballet, and opera orchestras, in recital and chamber music. Music is his lifelong vocation and avocation.

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MUS201: WORLD-CLASS CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS AT USCB

1 Session | Sunday | Jan 12 | 5-7PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

NEW

Join USCB Chamber Music and Artistic Director/pianist Andrew Armstrong, trumpeter/vocalist Jeroen Berwaerts, guitarist Mak Grgić, and violinist Abigél Králik for a stimulating concert of solos, duos, trios, and quartets across continents, centuries, and genres by J.S Bach, Villa Lobos, Beethoven, Hummel, Rodgers, Enescu, Tadić, Duarte, and Brel.

MUS202: WORLD-CLASS CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS AT USCB

1 Session | Sunday | Feb 16 | 5-7PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

NEW

Artistic Director/pianist Andrew Armstrong invites cellist/former Artistic Director and frequent guest pianist Jeewon Park to return for a celebratory concert of piano/cello and piano four-hand duos. Childlike, hypnotic, warm, and saucy works by Fauré, Cassadó, Pärt, Mendelssohn, and Gershwin (*American in Paris*) will be performed.

MUS203: WORLD-CLASS CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS AT USCB

1 Session | Sunday | March 9 | 5-7PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

NEW

Violinist Amy Schwartz Moretti and students from the Robert McDuffie Center for Strings at Mercer University join Andrew Armstrong in a spectacular program of powerful and fiery music by Chausson, J.S. Bach's magnificent Brandenburg Concerto No. 3, and Vivaldi's iconic Four Seasons ("Winter" and "Spring" movements).

MUS204: WORLD-CLASS CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS AT USCB

1 Session | Sunday | April 6 | 5-7PM
In-Person | Beaufort campus

NEW

Soprano Indra Thomas, marimba virtuoso Eriko Daimo, composer/saxophonist Alison Shearer, and Andrew Armstrong create a gala season-ending celebration featuring music for recital halls, opera stages, campgrounds, and jazz clubs by Bach, Puccini, Verdi, Shearer (world premiere), Strauss, Séjourné, African-American spirituals, and Garner.

NOTE FOR ALL CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS

OLLI members receive \$10 off their ticket.

No PAYGO fee is applied.

Register with OLLI and Chamber Music staff will contact you to discuss your choice of viewing platform and ticket assignment.

For more information, visit www.uscbchambermusic.com.

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MUS205: BIRD SONG AND HUMAN MUSICAL INSPIRATION

1 Session | Monday | April 7 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Bluffton campus

This course begins by looking at bird song and how and why it is produced. There are many similarities between human and bird music, and the historical record is filled with examples of humans imitating or otherwise being inspired by their songs. Hear excerpts from 800 years of notated human music, music that seeks to literally reproduce the acoustic sound of birdsong or recreate the emotional aura generated by it. The presentation is accompanied by dozens of slides and musical examples.



MICHAEL JOHNS, DMA received music degrees from the New England Conservatory and Temple University. He has performed on French horn with symphony, ballet, and opera orchestras, in recital and chamber music. Music is his lifelong vocation and avocation.

MUS206: WOMEN OF ROCK AND ROLL

1 Session | Monday | April 28 | 10:00-11:30AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus



MUS206B: LIVESTREAM TO BEAUFORT CAMPUS

MUS206H: LIVESTREAM TO HILTON HEAD CAMPUS

This presentation will talk about the women who helped to create and advance Rock & Roll music. With roots in blues, jazz, and gospel music, women played an integral part in the development of this uniquely American style. We'll cover women's contributions, musical style, individual biographies, and stories, and listen to a lot of great music!



DR. ERIC J. LAPIN is a Principal Lecturer of Music in the Department of Performing Arts and the former Artistic Director for the Brooks Center for the Performing Arts at Clemson University. He is the author of *The Artist Entrepreneur: Finding Success in a New Arts Economy*.

"The presenter and presentation were excellent! Always appreciate learning."

member evaluation feedback

MUS208: USCB OLLI COMMUNITY CONCERT BAND

18 Sessions | Tuesdays | Jan 14-May 13
7-9:00PM | In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

Did you play an instrument in high school or participate in marching band in college? Do you love playing an instrument, but maybe it's been a while and you're rusty? This program provides an opportunity for musicians of all ages and abilities to play instrumental music together for enjoyment, furthering one's musical ability, and education as well as perform concerts throughout the year for the community. Practices are each Tuesday evening on campus. Members, students, and adults of any age can also join the band. For more specific information contact the OLLI office.



DEBORAH HAMNER was a Marine Corps Enlisted Conductor and conducted for thousands of people at Recruit Graduation Ceremonies at Parris Island and throughout the world. In 2005, she received the Staff Non-Commissioned Officer Musician of the Year Award, based on her performance as a clarinet player, conductor, and leader throughout her time in the Marine Corps.

MUS209: FLUTES OF THE LOWCOUNTRY

6 Sessions | Thursdays
Feb 13, 27, Mar 27, Apr 10, May 8, 22
7-8:30PM | In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

Flutes of the Lowcountry is a flute choir open to anyone who wants to improve their flute playing. Rehearsals are in an ensemble setting, and flutists work on intonation, blending, conducting, and new techniques such as beatboxing. The repertoire includes classical, jazz, pop, Broadway, and contemporary. A recital open to the public is given once a year to demonstrate the sounds produced by the standard flute, piccolo, alto flute, and bass flute.

MUS210: FLUTES OF THE LOWCOUNTRY CONCERT

1 Session | Friday | Feb 7 | 6-7:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

Did you know that flutes come in different shapes and sizes? Come hear the sweet sounds of OLLI's very own flute choir -- Flutes of the Lowcountry. Choir members will demonstrate the sounds of the standard, alto, and bass flutes along with the piccolo. Then they will blend these sounds to create both classical and pop music for all to enjoy.

NOTE: The recital is free and open to the public.



JAKI FESQ is a retired Professor of Mathematics who studied flute at Rutgers University. While in NJ, she was a member of the Central Jersey Symphony Orchestra and the Rutgers Alumni Wind Symphony. She is currently a member of the Savannah Winds and the USCB/OLLi Community Concert Band.

Philosophy



PHI200: MONTHLY PHILOSOPHY DISCUSSION GROUP #1

1 Session | Wednesday | Jan 22 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

PHI201: MONTHLY PHILOSOPHY DISCUSSION GROUP #2

1 Session | Wednesday | Feb 26 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

PHI202: MONTHLY PHILOSOPHY DISCUSSION GROUP #3

1 Session | Wednesday | March 26 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

PHI203: MONTHLY PHILOSOPHY DISCUSSION GROUP #4

1 Session | Wednesday | April 23 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

This group discusses the intellectual and moral positions that underlie various current issues. By seeking to present the philosophical bases of different sides to relevant topics, we hope that we may all be able to develop a deeper understanding of the questions that confront us. If you are interested in discussing various topics through a philosophical framework, please join this thought-provoking, interactive group. The specific topic will be shared with participants a week before.

NOTE: Each class is a separate registration and is free to OLLI members.



PETER McALLISTER holds a Ph.D. in economics and education from Columbia University. He spent 27 years as an executive with Citigroup where he managed an analytical group responsible for guiding the use of artificial intelligence and statistical analysis. He has had a lifelong interest in philosophical issues, having lived them in both professions and read extensively in philosophy.

PHI204: UNDERSTANDING WESTERN PHILOSOPHY: THE MEDIEVAL MIND

4 Sessions | Tuesdays, Thursdays | In-Person
Feb 25, 27, Mar 4, 6 | 1-3:00PM | Beaufort campus

The tug of war between the philosophical ideas of Plato and Aristotle has exerted a profound effect on Western Civilization. This course describes how the positions of these thinkers regarding the nature of the universe, how to know the truth, and what constitutes a good life influenced the development of Western thought from the second century B.C. to the Renaissance.

NOTE: No formal philosophy training is required.

INSTRUCTOR: PETER McALLISTER

Religion



REL200: JOURNEY THROUGH THE PARTED WATERS

1 Session | Monday | Feb 24 | 10:00-11:30AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

It's the greatest story ever told, worthy of three millennia of debate. God parted the waters, and the Israelites passed through unharmed escaping the tyranny of Egypt. Despite its familiarity, this story remains one of mankind's greatest mysteries. Who was the Pharaoh? His relationship with Moses? When did the event occur and where is the mountain where the Ten Commandments were given? Why is there so little evidence of the event? Join and attempt to solve these mysteries. The discussion in this class will range from the archeological to the theological.



RABBI ROBERT HAAS, a native of McAllen, TX, became the 14th spiritual leader of Congregation Mickve Israel in Savannah, Georgia in 2012. He is a sought-after comedian, lecturer, preacher, and interfaith leader who regularly speaks and performs for organizations, radio shows, colleges, theaters, houses of worship, and institutions.

Science



SCI200: UNDERSTANDING GENES - HOW THEY WORK, MODIFICATION AND IMPROVING LIVES

2 Sessions | Monday, Wednesday | Feb 3, 5 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus



This two part course explores advances in genetics, focusing on gene editing technology (CRISPR) and its implications. Science knew almost nothing about genetics until the discovery of DNA about 80 years ago. Part II examines practical applications, including gene technology in treating genetic diseases, the role of mRNA in vaccine development, and how genetics influence behavior and personality.



Dr. COLIN MOSELEY did his medical training at McGill University and joined the orthopedics department at the University of Toronto. He later moved to Los Angeles to become the Chief Surgeon at the Shriners Hospital for Children and a Clinical Professor at UCLA.

SCI201: THE STORIES IN OUR SOLAR SYSTEM AND STARS

1 Session | Tuesday | Feb 11 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person, Zoom | Hilton Head campus

This class will begin with a look at our Solar System and the names behind the planets. (Who was Uranus?) We will construct a "Pocket Solar System" to see the relationships between planets. We'll explore some of the Greek and Roman myths associated with the stars and planets. We'll also take a deeper look into the story of Andromeda - who has the only family represented in the sky. (It includes Medusa, Perseus, Pegasus.) Come learn or relearn some of the great myths and stories in the sky.



MARIE McCLUNE has worked as a geologist, environmental educator, and high school science teacher, teaching Earth Science and AP Environmental Science. She is presently a docent at the Coastal Discovery Museum, a Lowcountry Master Naturalist, and a Lowcountry Master Gardener.

SCI202: THE PROS AND CONS OF ELECTRIC VEHICLES



1 Session | Monday | Feb 24 | 3:00-5:00PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

This presentation takes a wide perspective on the pros and cons of owning an electric vehicle. Two opposing views look at the environmental benefits, cost savings, energy independence, performance, and technological advancements of this fast-growing industry. What about their limited range, performance in cold temperatures, refueling requirements, and concerns about battery disposal? Do the benefits outweigh these concerns? What about costs, are EV's less expensive over the long run? There will be time for questions and discussion after the various perspectives are presented by the instructors.



HENRIK DE GYOR is a consultant, podcaster, speaker, and writer. Henrik has written nine books and created nine podcast series. Henrik enjoys connecting the dots to bring awareness and clarity to niche technical topics.



DICK STORM, registered professional engineer and Williamson graduate, worked in electrical power generation for five decades. His specialty was large electric utility plants fueled by coal.

SCI203: INVESTIGATIVE GENETIC GENEALOGY (IGG)



1 Session | Tuesday | April 1 | 3-4:00PM | Zoom only

Have you ever wondered how DNA, genealogy, and law enforcement connect? Have you heard about the Golden State Killer's identification? If so, this program is for you. Tracie Boyle will overview the Investigative Genetic Genealogy (IGG) process, from case intake to lead generation. This technique has been used in various investigations, including overturning wrongful convictions, identifying Jane and John Doe, and assisting law enforcement with suspect leads in violent crimes. Tracie will also discuss how lifelong learners can take classes through Ramapo College's IGG Center.



TRACIE BOYLE, Case Manager at Ramapo College's IGG Center, has practiced as an investigative genetic genealogist since 2018, working to identify human remains and suspects in violent crimes. Her mission to help others understand IGG's powerful impact is part of her dedication to helping families find answers and aiding in the pursuit of justice.

SCI204: OUR ASTRONOMY DISCOVERIES

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
**MARIE
McCLUNE**

Explore how "computers" at Harvard University (1900's) discerned what stars were made of, divided the stars into meaningful categories for research, and found a way to measure distances in space. Learn about spectroscopy and reenact the discovery of stellar classification using stellar bar codes.

Sports



SPO200: HOW MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL CAME TO BE

2 Sessions | Wednesdays | March 12, 19
10-11:30AM | In-Person | Beaufort campus



SPO200BL: LIVESTREAM TO BLUFFTON CAMPUS

Beginning with the founding myths of the game of baseball in the United States, Galvan will take a look at how the professional game developed into the big business of Major League Baseball. We'll explore the creation of the National Association, the National and American Leagues, the infamous "reserve clause" which allowed owners to sign a player and retain his rights forever and the establishment of the color line, which kept black players out of professional baseball. The Negro Leagues were born as a result, allowing black players a space to play and shine. We'll meet Babe Ruth, Ty Cobb, Josh Gibson and many of the other stars of the first 30 years of baseball.

In 1947, Jackie Robinson stepped on the field to play his first game for the Brooklyn Dodgers, breaking the color barrier and opening the doors for black athletes to play professional baseball. The reserve clause saw its demise in the 1970s, opening the door for baseball's mega-contracts. The course will conclude with a look at how the game has become the big business it is today and its evolution into an international spectacle, fueled by Latin American and Asian stars.



RAUL GALVAN, Ph.D. has been a baseball fan since the 1950s when his father took him to his first Winter League baseball game in Havana, Cuba. He has taught Sports and Society in Latin America and the United States at the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee and has worked hundreds of Major League baseball television broadcasts.

SPO201: LEARN TO GOLF: DRIVING PERFORMANCE

1 Session | Saturday | March 29 | Noon-1:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Jasper County)

SPO202: LEARN TO GOLF: PUTTING

1 Session | Saturday | April 5 | Noon-1:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Jasper County)

SPO203: LEARN TO GOLF: PAR 3 COURSE PLAY AND ETIQUETTE

1 Session | Saturday | April 12 | Noon-1:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Jasper County)

Limited Enrollment - 14

First Served Registration

Clinic Fee \$18 (each clinic)

LEARN TO GOLF!

Participate in golf sessions at a local facility to introduce select aspects of the game in a friendly and encouraging atmosphere.

Separate registration and fee is required for each program



DAN JACKSON is a friendly, genuine, and encouraging English PGA Golf Coach. He has worked for David Leadbetter in England, Austria, Germany, and the USA. The English PGA regards Dan as "Best of the Best" with 20+ years of coaching experience. He holds a Master's in Sport Coaching and is an expert in development.

OLLI DAY

on The Court

NCAA DIV II

Join OLLI for an exciting day of basketball featuring USCB vs Clayton State!

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USCB BLUFFTON
CAMPUS REC CTR

TIME
1:30 WOMEN
3:30 MEN

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\$5 OLLI MEMBER
\$10 OLLI GUEST



First served registration
Log into your OLLI account and register under 'events'



Division II

WOMEN'S & MEN'S

BASKETBALL



HOME GAMES Bluffton Campus Rec Center

Jan. 4 vs Clayton State

Women's 1:30 p.m., Men's 3:30 p.m. (OLLI Day)

Jan. 15 vs Georgia College

Women's 5:30 p.m., Men's 7:30 p.m.

Jan. 18 vs North Georgia

Women's 1:30 p.m., Men's 3:30 p.m.

Jan. 25 vs Flagler

Women's 1:30 p.m., Men's 3:30 p.m.

Feb. 5 vs Lander

Women's 5:30 p.m., Men's 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 8 vs Ga. Southwestern

Women's 5:30 p.m., Men's 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 19 vs USC Aiken

Women's 5:30 p.m., Men's 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 26 vs Columbus State

Women's 5:30 p.m., Men's 7:30 pm

March 1 vs Augusta

Women's 1:30 p.m., Men's 3:30 p.m.



PURCHASE TICKETS:

<https://uscbathletics.universitytickets.com/w/>

General Seating Bleachers **\$10** (plus \$2 admin fee)

Reserved seating (seat back chairs) **\$15** (plus \$2 admin fee)

* Price includes both games

Technology



TECH200: WHAT IS ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

1 Session | Tuesday | Jan 21 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Artificial Intelligence (AI) has been a hot topic for quite some time, and now it's integrated into your new PC or MAC. The instructor will provide a comprehensive overview to answer the question, "What is Artificial Intelligence?" Additionally, you will learn about ChatGPT and its significance. He will showcase various AI tools to illustrate how AI functions. With the recent surge of AI news, Bruce will share the most up-to-date developments!



BRUCE CAIN has a career spanning 47 years in the information technology field doing everything from computer operations to computer programming to field technical support to computer security auditing. He has worked on IBM mainframes, UNIX systems, LINUX systems, and Windows systems.

TECH202: APPLE IPHONE TIPS

1 Session | Thursday | Feb 20 | 1:30-3:30PM
In-Person | Hilton Head campus

Limited Enrollment - 30 First Served Registration

Overview of some of the many Apple iPhone functions and features. Geared to help you get more out of using your iPhone. Learn about things such as advanced texting tips, sharing and managing photos, and more of our favorite less-known features.

NOTE: Class participants must have an Apple iPhone updated to the latest IOS operating system.



LINDA ARMSTRONG is a volunteer at the HHI Computer Club. She and Linda Jackson conduct Apple-related classes for the Computer Club and The Women's Association of Hilton Head Island (WAHHI).

LINDA JACKSON was in technology including sales and software development with the Federal Government. Linda is the Volunteer Coordinator at the HHI Computer Club.

TECH203: HOW IS YOUR CYBER HYGIENE?

1 Session | Thursday | March 6 | 10:30AM-12:30PM
In-Person, Zoom | Hilton Head campus

Protect your devices, networks, data, and systems from cyber threats. It's real. We will focus on common cyber threat types, the anatomy of a cyber attack, hacker types and motives, cybersecurity perimeter, and 10 ways you can improve your defenses and what to do if "I'm compromised?"



SCOTT CRABB, with over 25 years leading government IT innovation, combines his BBA and MS in Cybersecurity to fortify federal operations and enhance mission productivity. Originating from northern Virginia and now residing in Hilton Head, Scott's trusted expertise safeguards assets worth over \$200M.

TECH204: UNDERSTANDING OUR WORLD THROUGH GEOGRAPHIC TECHNOLOGIES

1 Session | Friday | March 21 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person, Zoom | Bluffton campus

Participants in this course may remember Geography classes in which they learned nothing more than U.S. states, capitals, and maybe world regions by memorizing places on paper maps. Today's geography is a part of our daily lives through the maps and mapping applications on our phones, in our cars, and on desktop computers. This course introduces participants to various geospatial technologies used by individuals, communities, governments, and businesses.

NOTE: The program will conclude with an optional hands-on activity in which participants will be able to experience some of these technologies on their handheld phones or iPads. Participants will be given information to download a free app before class. Those without the app can be grouped with a member who has downloaded the app, or opt out of exercise.



JULIE PARKER promotes geographic literacy and education through developing and teaching courses focused on geographic technologies, namely geographic information systems (GIS). GIS is a powerful tool for gathering, managing, analyzing, and depicting location-based data about our world.

TECH206: AN INTRODUCTION TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

OLLI Digital Library recording available until May 31, 2025



Instructor:
**JACK
HANSEN**

Review the first 50 years of AI, focusing on human reasoning simulations like means-end analysis and model-based reasoning. Contrast these with newer neural network approaches, such as autopilot systems for self-driving cars and generative systems like ChatGPT. Additionally, discuss the moral, social, and existential implications of AI.

TECH207: MULTI-FACTOR AUTHENTICATION

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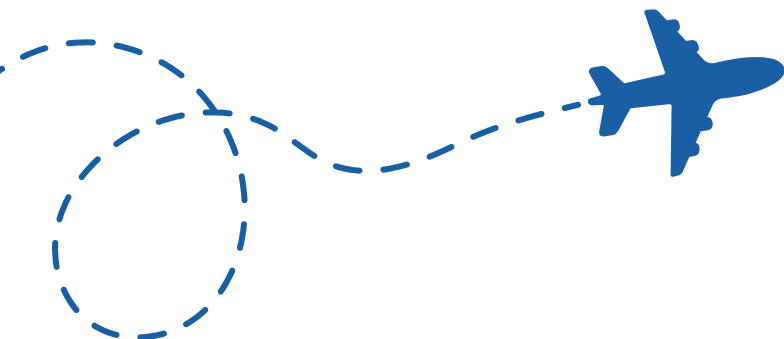
Instructor:
**JOSEPH
CHAPPELL**

Most of our online accounts are now requiring stronger ways to protect them from being hacked. The new ways make it harder than ever to "just get signed in". Learn the various ways that are now being used to protect our accounts and new methods that use an "Authenticator" app.



Parking Decals don't expire

Travel



TRA200: HIDDEN GEMS OF AMERICA'S NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM

2 Sessions | Tuesdays | Feb 4, 11 | 1-3:00PM
In-Person, Zoom | Beaufort campus

This class will explore our national park system's stunning hidden gems, places largely unfamiliar to the public, and all but serious park enthusiasts and rangers. Fifty-one NPS locations including sites from across the continent and into the Pacific and Caribbean will be covered, exploring lesser-known but spectacular natural and historical parks that remain some of our National Park Service's best-kept secrets.



DAVID KROESE is one of about fifty people known to have visited all 400+ National Park Service units. He has spent thousands of hours exploring our park system, logging over 1,500 NPS site visits. David shares his enthusiasm for our park system in speaking engagements across the country, lectures on park-related themes in programs at over a dozen colleges and universities.

Writing



WRI200: THE ULTIMATE LEGACY PIECE: HOW TO WRITE YOUR MEMOIR

1 Session | Monday | Jan 27 | 10:00AM-Noon
In-Person | Beaufort campus

You have lived a storied life rich with experience and lessons learned. Future generations could benefit from the expertise you've acquired in your field, as well as the personal insights you have gained on this human journey. It has crossed your mind many times to write a memoir but you have no idea how to get started. This course is for you! We will cover several approaches from subscribing to a story-prompt service to hiring a full-service ghostwriter. You will come away empowered and inspired!



MICHELE ROLDAN-SHAW has been a full-time professional writer for over 20 years. After cutting her teeth as a journalist, she wrote two memoirs about her travels and then transitioned to ghostwriting. She now helps clients realize their nonfiction dreams.

WRI201: TELLING TRAILS TOUR WITH AUTHOR IRIS JACKSON

1 Session | Tuesday | Jan 28 | 4-6:00PM
In-Person | Offsite (Beaufort)

NEW



Join the growing group of Telling Trails communities who enjoy the benefits of physical and mental health gained from walking workshops with Iris Jackson. Gather in Port Royal Cypress Wetlands amphitheater for an introduction to Iris' book *Telling Trails*. We'll then journey through the wetlands taking creative time for writing, drawing, and photographic moments. After the walk, there will be a recap for reflection. Experience the interactions at the cypress wetlands, from its plentiful vegetation to the diverse wildlife, intertwined with a Telling Trails workshop experience.



IRIS JACKSON has over three decades of experience in the classroom, on stage, consulting, writing, and the administrative realm. Students, businesses, and communities alike enjoy participating in Telling Trails workshops as they are developed to be inspiring while meeting the needs of all involved.

WRI202: WRITING A 'LEGACY LETTER'

1 Session | Wednesday | Feb 5 | 10-11:30AM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

NEW

Limited Enrollment - 20 *First Served Registration*

A legacy letter (also called an "ethical will") is a written document that allows you to share your life lessons, express your values, and transmit your blessings to future generations. A legacy letter is shorter than a memoir, typically just a few pages. Writing one is a rewarding experience that creates an enduring gift for family, friends, and other loved ones. This introductory workshop includes discussion and brief writing exercises; it offers advice, encouragement, and a model structure to help you complete your own legacy letter.

NOTE: This program is a workshop. Please bring paper and a pen to participate in writing exercises.



JAY SHERWIN has practiced law, given away money for five charitable foundations, and served as a hospital chaplain. He created the "Life Reflections Project" to educate people about legacy letters and ethical wills. Jay has extensive teaching experience and has offered this workshop for more than 40 OLLI programs nationwide.

WRI203: YOU WROTE A BOOK...NOW TELL YOUR STORY

1 Session | Friday | Feb 28 | 1-2:30PM
In-Person | Bluffton campus

Have you already written a manuscript? Is there a story you are thinking about writing? Does everyone say that you should write a book? Well, what happens next? How do you find your audience and share your work? How do you know what type of publisher is right for you? How do all the pieces come together? Join author Laura Elizabeth for a lively discussion about industry trends, publishing options, finding what works for you and how to spread the word about your story.



LAURA ELIZABETH SMITH has enjoyed a long business career and rich family life that took her to Daufuskie Island. Together, the family embraced the wonder they only found there. From her years of family experiences on the island, Laura imagined Mongin Island as the home for her cozy series "The Island Mysteries."

"The instructor's breadth of knowledge and enthusiasm was infectious!"

member evaluation feedback

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Live on Zoom only

No recordings

Six session classes

Not included in the Unlimited term fee

\$60 per course (6 sessions each course)

*No refunds within 5 business days of class start

WINTER 2025 OSHER ONLINE OFFERINGS REGISTER AND PAY WITH USCB OLLI BY JANUARY 2, 2025

Highly recommended to attend the Osher Online Member Orientation on Tuesday, January 7, 2025 at 2 p.m.

NRC200: TRANSPARENT EYEBALLS: THE TRANSCENDENTALISTS AND THEIR WORLDS (1803-PRESENT

TUESDAYS | JAN 14 THROUGH FEB 18 | 1:00-2:30PM

NRC201: FIRST CLASS: A HISTORY OF THE POST OFFICE IN THE UNITED STATES

TUESDAYS | JAN 14 THROUGH FEB 18 | 7:00-8:30PM

NRC202: BUDDHIST PHILOSOPHY, MEDITATION, AND RITUAL

TUESDAYS | JAN 21 THROUGH FEB 25 | 3:00-4:30PM

NRC203: RECLAIMING NATIVE GROUND: NATIVE AMERICA SINCE 1900

WEDNESDAYS | JAN 22 THROUGH FEB 26 | 5:00-6:30PM

NRC204: WISDOM

THURSDAYS | JAN 23 THROUGH FEB 27 | 1:00-2:30PM

NRC205: THE NEXT GENERATION'S LEGACY OF THE HOLOCAUST

THURSDAYS | JAN 23 THROUGH FEB 27 | 5:00-6:30PM

NRC206: STORYTELLING AND SELF

THURSDAYS | JAN 23 THROUGH FEB 27 | 7:00-8:30PM

NRC207: MY NATIVE LAND IN MEMORY: STORIES OF A CUBAN CHILDHOOD

FRIDAYS | JAN 24 THROUGH FEB 28 | 1:00-2:30PM

NRC208: HUCK FINN'S AMERICA

MONDAYS | JAN 27 THROUGH MAR 3 | 1:00-2:30PM

NRC209: IMMIGRANTSW IN AMERICA: STORIES OF JAZZ, BLUES, ROCK, AND POPULAR CULTURE

MONDAYS | JAN 27 THROUGH MARCH 3 | 5:00-6:30PM

NRC210: COLOR AND SYMBOLISM IN ART HISTORY

MONDAYS | JAN 27 THROUGH MAR 3 | 7:00-8:30PM

NRC211: MODERN WAR: WHAT IS IT GOOD FOR?

TUESDAYS | JAN 28 THROUGH MAR 4 | 11:00AM-12:30PM

NRC212: A TOURISTS TOUR OF THE WIDER UNIVERSE

TUESDAYS | JAN 28 THROUGH MAR 4 | 5:00-6:30PM

NRC213: THE SECRET LIVES OF FAMILIAR BIRDS

WEDNESDAYS | JAN 29 THROUGH MARCH 5 | 11:00AM-12:30PM

NRC214: THE WORLD OF MUSICAL SATIRE

WEDNESDAYS | JAN 29 THROUGH MAR 5 | 7:00-8:30PM

NRC215: SCIENCE EVERYONE NEEDS TO KNOW

THURSDAYS | JAN 30 THROUGH MAR 6 | 3:00-4:30PM

NRC216: INNOVATIONS IN HEALTH AND WELLNESS: FROM INTEGRATIVE HEALTH EXPERTS

FRIDAYS | JAN 31 THROUGH MAR 7 | 3:00-4:30PM

Osher Online

SPRING 2025 OSHER ONLINE OFFERINGS **REGISTER AND PAY WITH USCB OLLI BY MARCH 14, 2025**

Highly recommended to attend the Osher Online Member Orientation on Tuesday, March 25, 2025 at 2 p.m.

NRC220: WOMEN: THE FORGOTTEN "MEN" IN HISTORY

MONDAYS | MARCH 31 THROUGH MAY 5 | 3:00-4:30PM

NRC221: BONSAI, AN ANCIENT ART IN MODERN TIMES

MONDAYS | MARCH 31 THROUGH MAY 5 | 7:00-8:30PM

NRC222: MAINSTREAMING THE MARGINS: A HISTORY OF LGBTQ+ AMERICA

TUESDAYS | APRIL 1 THROUGH MAY 6 | 11:00AM-12:30PM

NRC223: JINAS, JIVAS, & THE THREE JEWELS: THE JAIN TRADITION AND ITS LEGACY OF NON-VIOLENCE

TUESDAYS | APRIL 1 THROUGH MAY 6 | 3:00-4:30PM

NRC224: FUTURE PROOFING YOUR HEALTHSPAN AND LONGEVITY

WEDNESDAYS | APRIL 2 THROUGH MAY 7 | 1:00-2:30PM

NRC225: CROSSWORD PUZZLE CREATION

WEDNESDAYS | APRIL 2 THROUGH MAY 7 | 3:00-4:30PM

NRC226: RUSSIA BEYOND RUSSIANS

THURSDAYS | APRIL 3 THROUGH MAY 8 | 1:00-2:30PM

NRC227: SCIENCE CHARCUTERIE

THURSDAYS | APRIL 3 THROUGH MAY 8 | 5:00-6:30PM

NRC228: CINEMA IN TRANSITION: EXPLORING CHANGE THROUGH CLASSIC FILMS

TUESDAYS | APRIL 8 THROUGH MAY 13 | 1:00-2:30PM

NRC229: CAR CRAZY: 1950s ONWARD

WEDNESDAYS | APRIL 9 THROUGH MAY 14 | 7:00-8:30PM

NRC230: NEUROLOGY IN A NUTSHELL: THE BRAIN EXPLAINED

THURSDAYS | APRIL 10 THROUGH MAY 15 | 3:00-4:30PM

NRC231: BELLA NAPOLI: ITALY'S (OTHER) "ETERNAL CITY"

FRIDAYS | APRIL 11 THROUGH MAY 16 | 1:00-2:30PM

NRC232: VIRTUOSOS IN CLASSICAL MUSIC

WEDNESDAYS | APRIL 16 THROUGH MAY 21 | 5:00-6:30PM

Log into your USCB OLLI account to register online under the "NRC Osher Online" category or call the OLLI office at (843) 208-8247 to make payment over the phone



ONLINE ONLY

- Live on Zoom only
 - No recordings
 - Six session classes
 - Not included in the Unlimited term fee
- \$60 per course (6 sessions each course)
*No refunds within 3 busn days of class start

Osher Online

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OLLI *Photo Gallery*



OLLI Membership and Registration Form

Winter/Spring Term 2024

Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Yes, please text me class reminders/cancellations/emergency alerts

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Home Phone: _____

Development/Community: _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact Name, Relationship, and Phone: _____

How did you hear about OLLI? Friend/Neighbor OLLI Mailing Social Media/Newspaper OLLI Event
 Other: _____

OLLI Annual Membership Required ~ \$45

Renew my OLLI membership (adds 365 days to current expiration date)

New OLLI membership

Winter/Spring 2025 Term Fee Options

Paygo

(pay as you go)

\$15

per class

\$8 per OLLI Digital Library

Unlimited*

Includes OLLI Digital Library through May 31, 2025

\$125

pre-payment required before registration of classes

* Additional fee classes/tours do not apply to the unlimited term fee

OLLI membership: \$45 (if applicable)..... \$ _____

OLLI Donation..... \$ _____

Unlimited term fee: **\$125** or ____ # of Paygo classes x \$15 = \$ _____

____ # of Paygo OLLI Digital Library x \$8 = \$ _____

Additional fee(s), if applicable (supply, tour, ticket fees)..... \$ _____

Only remit payment for first-served registrations (Do not remit payment for any Random draw options)

Total amount authorized to be charged to credit card..... \$ _____

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(as it appears on your credit card)

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2025 Winter/Spring Enrollment Sheet

Name:

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<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	COI203B  Sustainability BFT	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	CRE206 Paint Party Canvas Supply Fee 35.00	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	ECO205 Skidaway Eco Tour Tour Fee 47.00
<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	COI203BL  Sustainability BLUFF	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	CRE207** Indigo Workshop Supply Fee 22.00	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	ECO206 May River - A.M. Tour Fee 35.00
<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person <input type="checkbox"/> Zoom	COI204 Growth Mgmt	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	CRE208 Glass Suncatcher Supply Fee 55.00	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	ECO207 May River - P.M. Tour Fee 35.00
<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	COI205** BJWSA Tour Tour Fee 10.00	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	CUL200 Chinese New Year Supply Fee 18.00	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	ECO208 Diamondback BLUFF
<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	COI206 Education	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	CUL201** Truffles Supply Fee 18.00	<input type="checkbox"/> In-Person	ECO208B Diamondback BFT 

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<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> ECO208H  Diamondback HHI	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> EVENT6G Ticket Fee 10.00 Basketball - Guest	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR208 Garden Secrets
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> ECO209 Tour Fee 10.00 Honey Horn	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> FILM200 Hitchcock	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library GAR209 Pollinators
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> ECO210 Tour Fee 47.00 Caw Caw Eco Tour	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> FILM201 Foreign Film	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GOV200 Bluffton Mayor
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> ECO211** Tour Fee 18.00 Pinckney Isl Tour	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR200 Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GOV201 Secret Service
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> ECO212 Rural Farming	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR201 Herbs	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GOV202 Beaufort Mayor
Thank you for being an OLLI member	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR202 Lawn Management	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GOV203 Hardeeville Mayor
<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library ECO214 Sea Turtles	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR203 Gardening 101	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GOV204 Air Traffic
<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library ECO215 Ace Basin	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR204 Trees	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> HIS200 Tour Fee 10.00 Beaufort Tour
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> EVENT1 Lunch Fee 14.00 Lunch, Laugh & Learn	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR205 Butterflies	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> HIS201 Combahee
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> EVENT2 Free Event Trivia	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR206 Veg. Gardening HHI	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> HIS202 Family Slave Trade
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> EVENT3 Ticket Fee 55.00 Comedy Club	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR206B  Veg. Gardening BFT	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> HIS203 Tour Fee 10.00 Black History Tour
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> EVENT4 Ticket Fee 55.00 Murder Mystery Dinne	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR206BL  Veg. Garden BLUFF	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> HIS204 Bluffton State of Mind
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> EVENT5 Tour Fee 40.00 Salty Dog Cruise (Okatie)	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR207 Plant This BFT	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> HIS205 Eliza Lucas Pinckney
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> EVENT6 Ticket Fee 5.00 Basketball - Member	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> GAR207BL  Plant This BLUFF	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> HIS206 Beaufort Born

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<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS208** Tour Fee 25.00 Walking Tour #1	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS222 History: WWI to 1968	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME202 Chronic Pain
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS209** Tour Fee 25.00 Walking Tour #2	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS223 Formation of the UN	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME203 Joint Replacement
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS210 Heywood Family	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS224 March to Victory	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME204 Tour Fee 10.00 Healthcare Tour
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS211 Gullah Geechee	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS225 Tour Fee 45.00 Mighty 8th Museum	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME205 Hospice
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS212 Lighthouses	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS226 Holocaust Story	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME206 Tour of GNMC
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS213 1774 Am. Rev.	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	HIS227 Andersonville	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME207 Science of Doping
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	HIS214 Am. Revolution	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	HIS228 442nd Regiment	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME208 Successful Aging
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	HIS215 1968	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	HIS229 Bacon's Rebellion	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME209 Mindfulness
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS216 Tea and Torture	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	HIS230 Forgotten Battles	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	HME210 Fasting
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	HIS217 Weeping Time	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	HIS231 Origins Am. Revolution	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	HME211 Culinary Herbalism
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	HIS218 Immigration Myths	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	HIS232 Hell in the Pacific	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME212 Healthcare Services
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS219 WASP Ferry Command	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	HIS233 Earhart Birthplace	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME213 Stroke
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HIS220 Gettysburg Stories	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	HME200 Anxiety & Depression	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	HME214 Gut Microbes

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<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	ING200 Travel Photography	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	MUS206 Women of Rock
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	ING201 Genealogy	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	MUS206B Women of Rock BFT 
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	ING202 Photography @ Point	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	MUS206H Women of Rock HHI 
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	ING203 Port of Savannah <i>Tour Fee 57.00</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	MUS208 OLLI band
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	ING204 Equestrian <i>Tour Fee 10.00</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	MUS209 Flutes
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	ING205 Barnwell Tabby <i>Tour Fee 10.00</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	MUS210 Flute Concert
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	ING206 Artifacts	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	PHI200 Philosophy Group #1
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	ING207 Palmetto Bluff	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	PHI201 Philosophy Group #2
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<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	IST203 Rising China	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	SCI201 Solar System

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<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	SCI202 Elec. Vehicles		
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	SCI203 Genetic Genealogy		
<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	SCI204 Astronomy	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	TECH206 AI Introduction
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	SPO200 Baseball BFT	<input type="checkbox"/> OLLI Digital Library	TECH207 Multi-Factor Verification
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	SPO200BL Baseball BLUFF 	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	TOUR Campus Tour
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	SPO201 Golf - Driving Tour Fee 18.00	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	TRA200 Hidden Gems
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	SPO202 Golf - Putting Tour Fee 18.00	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	SPO203 Golf - Par 3 Tour Fee 18.00	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	WRI200 Write Your Memoir
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	TECH200 Artificial Intelligence	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	WRI201 Telling Trails
		<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	WRI202 Legacy Letter
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<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	TECH203 Cyber Hygiene		
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>			
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>In-Person</i>	TECH204 Geographic Technolog		
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Zoom</i>			

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1  OLLI Digital Library Registration Opens	2	3	4 
5	6	7 Registration Opens!	8	9	10 10:00 AM-12:00 PM MUS200 Chamber Music <u>Beaufort</u>	11
12	13	14 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice <u>Bluffton</u>	15 1:00 - 2:30 PM EVENT1 Lunch, Laugh, Learn <u>Bluffton</u>	16	17	18
19	20	21 10:00 AM-11:30 AM GOV202 Beaufort Mayor <u>Beaufort</u> 10:30 AM-12:30 PM TECH200 Artificial Intelligence <u>HHI</u> 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice <u>Bluffton</u>	22 10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS200 Beaufort Tour <u>Beaufort</u> 10:30 AM-12:30 PM HIS201 Combahee <u>HHI</u> 1:00 PM-2:30 PM HIS221 Operation Nordwind <u>Beaufort</u> 1:00 PM-2:30 PM PHI200 Philosophy Group #1 <u>Bluffton</u>	23 10:00 AM-12:00 PM IST200 Africa <u>Beaufort</u> 10:30 AM-12:30 PM COI200 Cultural Affairs <u>HHI</u> <i>Livestream</i> COI200BL Cultural Affairs <u>Bluffton</u>	24 10:00 AM-12:00 PM COI201 Korean Wave <u>Bluffton</u> 1:00 PM-3:00 PM LIT201 Women Writers <u>Bluffton</u>	25
26	27	28 10:00 AM-12:00 PM WRI200 Write Your Memoir <u>Beaufort</u> 1:30 PM-3:30 PM HME200 Anxiety & Depression <u>HHI</u> 4:00 PM-6:00 PM WRI201 Telling Trails <u>Bluffton</u> 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice <u>Bluffton</u>	29 10:00 AM-11:30 AM HME201 Pelvic Floor <u>Beaufort</u> 10:00 AM-11:30 AM GOV200 Bluffton Mayor <u>Bluffton</u> 10:30 AM-12:00 PM HIS213 1774 <u>HHI</u> 1:00 PM-2:30 PM HIS221 Operation Nordwind <u>Beaufort</u>	30 10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS223 Formation of UN <u>Beaufort</u> 10:30 AM-12:30 PM HIS222 History: WWI to 1968 <u>Session 2</u> <u>HHI</u> 1:30 PM-3:30 PM ECO200 Bird Friendly Yard <u>HHI</u>	31 10:00 AM-11:30 AM HME202 Chronic Pain <u>Bluffton</u> 1:00 PM-2:30 PM LIT200 Poetry <u>Beaufort</u> 1:00 PM-3:00 PM LEG200 SC Probate <u>Bluffton</u>	

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Call the OLLI office to check availability and reserve a seat for your guest

February 2025

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	<p>10:30 AM-12:30 PM HME203 Joint Replacement HHI</p> <p>1:00 PM-2:30 PM SCI200 Genome <i>Session 1</i> Bluffton</p> <p>Random Draw Pulled</p>	<p>10:30 AM-12:30 PM GAR200 Plants HHI</p> <p>11:00 AM-12:30 PM HME204 Healthcare Tour Offsite</p> <p>1:00 PM-3:00 PM TRA200 Hidden Gems <i>In Person/Zoom</i> Beaufort</p> <p>7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLU Band Practice Bluffton</p>	<p>10:00 AM-11:30 AM WRI202 Legacy Letter Bluffton</p> <p>10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS214 Am. Revolution <i>In Person/Zoom</i> Beaufort</p> <p>1:00 PM-2:30 PM SCI200 Genome <i>Session 2</i> Bluffton</p> <p>1:00 PM-3:00 PM HIS202 Family Slave Trade Beaufort</p>	<p>10:30 AM-12:30 PM COI202 HHI Ambassador HHI</p>	<p>9:30 AM-12:30 PM HIS224 March to Victory <i>Session 1</i> Bluffton</p> <p>1:00 PM-4:00 PM FILM200 Hitchcock <i>Session 1</i> Bluffton</p> <p>6:00 PM-7:30 PM MUS210 Flute Concert Bluffton</p> <p>Random Draw Payments Due</p>	<p>9:30 AM-12:30 PM HIS224 March to Victory <i>Session 2</i> Bluffton</p> <p>10:00 AM-12:00 PM MUS200 Chamber Music Beaufort</p>	<p>8</p>
9	<p>10:00 AM-11:30 AM ECO201 Victoria Bluff <i>OLLU</i> Bluffton</p> <p><i>Livestream</i> ECO201B Victoria Bluff Beaufort</p> <p>ECO201H Victoria Bluff HHI</p> <p>1:00 PM-4:00 PM FILM201 Foreign Film Bluffton</p>	<p>10:00 AM-11:30 AM LIT202 True Crime Zoom</p> <p>10:30 AM-12:30 PM SCI201 Solar System <i>In Person/Zoom</i> HHI</p> <p>1:00 PM-3:00 PM TRA200 Hidden Gems <i>In Person/Zoom</i> Beaufort</p> <p>7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLU Band Practice Bluffton</p>	<p>1:00 PM-2:30 PM ECO202 Impacts on Wildlife Bluffton</p> <p>1:30 PM-4:00 PM CUL200 Chinese New Year Beaufort</p>	<p>10:30 AM-12:30 PM COI203 Sustainability <i>OLLU</i> HHI</p> <p><i>Livestream</i> COI203BL Sustainability Beaufort</p> <p>1:30 PM-3:00 PM ECO203 Horseshoe Crabs Offsite</p> <p>7:00 PM-8:30 PM MUS209 Flutes <i>Session 1</i> Bluffton</p>	<p>9:30 AM-12:30 PM HIS224 March to Victory <i>Session 2</i> Bluffton</p> <p>10:00 AM-12:00 PM MUS200 Chamber Music Beaufort</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p>
16	<p>10:00 AM-11:30 AM CRE200 Clay Mask Wksh #1 Beaufort</p> <p>10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS204 Bluffton Bluffton</p> <p>10:30 AM-12:30 PM HME205 Hospice HHI</p> <p>1:00 PM-2:30 PM CRE201 Clay Mask Wksh #2 Beaufort</p>	<p>10:00 AM-12:00 PM GAR201 Herbs Beaufort</p> <p>7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLU Band Practice Bluffton</p>	<p>10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS215 1968 <i>Session 1</i> Bluffton</p> <p>10:30 AM-12:00 PM HIS216 Tea and Torture HHI</p> <p>3:30 PM-5:30 PM EVENT2 Trivia Bluffton</p>	<p>11:00 AM-12:30 PM ING205 Barnwell Tabby Offsite</p> <p>1:30 PM-3:30 PM TECH202 iPhone Tips HHI</p>	<p>9:30 AM-12:30 PM HIS224 March to Victory <i>Session 3</i> Bluffton</p> <p>11:00 AM-12:30 PM CRE202 Moisturizer #1 Beaufort</p> <p>1:30 PM-3:00 PM CRE203 Moisturizer #2 Beaufort</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22</p>
23	<p>10:00 AM-11:30 AM REL200 Parted Waters Bluffton</p> <p>10:00 AM-12:00 PM ING206 Archaeologist <i>Session 1</i> Beaufort</p> <p>10:30 AM-12:30 PM LAN200 Spanish for Travelers <i>Session 1</i> HHI</p> <p>1:00 PM-3:00 PM CRE204 Pottery #1 Offsite</p> <p>3:00 PM-5:00 PM SCI202 Electric Vehicles Bluffton</p>	<p>10:30 AM-12:00 PM GOV201 Secret Service HHI</p> <p>1:00 PM-3:00 PM PHI204 Medieval Mind <i>Session 1</i> Beaufort</p> <p>7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLU Band Practice Bluffton</p>	<p>10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS215 1968 <i>Session 2</i> Bluffton</p> <p>1:00 PM-2:30 PM PHI201 Philosophy Group #2 Bluffton</p>	<p>10:00 AM-11:30 AM ECO204 Lowcountry 101 Beaufort</p> <p>10:00 AM-12:00 PM CRE205 Pottery #2 Offsite</p> <p>1:00 PM-3:00 PM PHI204 Medieval Mind <i>Session 2</i> Beaufort</p> <p>3:00 PM-4:30 PM HIS227 Andersonville Zoom</p> <p>7:00 PM-8:30 PM MUS209 Flutes <i>Session 2</i> Bluffton</p>	<p>9:30 AM-12:30 PM HIS224 March to Victory <i>Session 4</i> Bluffton</p> <p>1:00 PM-2:30 PM WRI203 Tell Your Story Bluffton</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>
5-7 PM	<p>MUS202 Concert Beaufort</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22</p>	

April 2025

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 1:00 PM-3:00 PM COI208 Coastal Disc Museum <u>Offsite</u> 3:00 PM-4:00 PM SCI203 Genetic Genealogy <u>Zoom</u> 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice <u>Bluffton</u>	2 10:00 AM-12:00 PM COI209 Human Trafficking <u>Bluffton</u>	3 10:30 AM-12:30 PM HIS207 Escamaco Yamasee <u>HHI</u> 1:30 PM-3:30 PM GAR206 Veg. Gardening <u>OLLI</u> <u>Livestream</u> GAR206B Veg. Gardening <u>Beaufort</u> GAR206BL Veg. Gardening <u>Bluffton</u>	4 10:00 AM-11:30 AM HME210 Fasting <u>In Person/Zoom</u> Bluffton 10:00 AM-12:00 PM MUS200 Chamber Music <u>Beaufort</u> 1:00 PM-4:00 PM FILM200 Hitchcock <u>Session 3</u> Bluffton	5 12-1 PM SPO202 Golf <u>Offsite</u>
6	5-7 PM MUS204 Concert <u>Beaufort</u>	7 10:00 AM-12:00 PM MUS205 Birdsong <u>Bluffton</u> 3:00 PM-5:00 PM LEG202 Supreme Court <u>Session 3</u> Bluffton	8 1:00 PM-2:30 PM GAR207 Plant This <u>OLLI</u> <u>Livestream</u> GAR207BL Plant This <u>Bluffton</u> 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice <u>Bluffton</u>	9 10:00 AM-11:30 AM HME211 Culinary Herbalism <u>In Person/Zoom</u> Bluffton 1:00 PM-3:00 PM HIS219 WASP Ferry Command <u>Bluffton</u>	10 9:30 AM-4:00 PM HIS225 Mighty 8th Museum <u>Offsite</u> 10:30 AM-12:30 PM HME212 Healthcare <u>HHI</u> 2:00 PM-4:00 PM CRE207 Indigo Wksp <u>Beaufort</u> 7:00 PM-8:30 PM MUS209 Flutes <u>Session 4</u> Bluffton	11 10:00 AM-11:30 AM IST202 Troubled World <u>OLLI</u> Bluffton <u>Livestream</u> IST202B Troubled World <u>Beaufort</u> IST202H Troubled World <u>HHI</u> 11:00 AM-1:00 PM ING204 Equestrian <u>Offsite</u>	12 12-1 PM SPO203 Golf <u>Offsite</u>
13	14 10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS220 Gettysburg Stories <u>Session 1</u> Bluffton 1:00 PM-2:30 PM HME213 Stroke <u>Bluffton</u>	15 10:30 AM-12:00 PM ECO209 Honey Horn <u>Offsite</u> 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice <u>Bluffton</u>	16	17 9:00 AM-11:00 AM COI205 BUWSA Tour <u>Offsite</u>	18 8:00 AM-1:30 PM ECO210 Cow Caw Eco Tour <u>Offsite</u>	19	
20	21 10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS220 Gettysburg Stories <u>Session 2</u> Bluffton	22 10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS208 Walking Tour #1 <u>Offsite</u> 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice <u>Bluffton</u>	23 10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS210 Heyward Family <u>Bluffton</u> 1:00 PM-2:30 PM PHI203 Philosophy Group #4 <u>Bluffton</u> <u>Salty Dog Cruise 6:30-8 PM</u>	24 10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS209 Walking Tour #2 <u>Offsite</u> 10:30 AM-12:30 PM GAR208 Garden Secrets <u>HHI</u> 1:00 PM-3:00 PM HIS211 Gullah Geechee <u>Beaufort</u>	25 7:00 PM-10:00 PM EVENT3 Comedy Club <u>Offsite</u>	26	
	28 10:00 AM-11:30 AM MUS206 Women of Rock <u>OLLI</u> <u>Livestream</u> MUS206H Women of Rock <u>Beaufort</u> MUS206HH Women of Rock <u>HHI</u> 1:00 PM-3:00 PM HIS212 Lighthouses <u>Session 1</u> Bluffton	29 10:00 AM-12:00 PM CRE208 Glass Suncatcher <u>Beaufort</u> 10:30 AM-12:00 PM ECO211 Pinckney Isl Tour <u>Offsite</u> 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice <u>Bluffton</u>	30 10:00 AM-11:30 AM ECO212 Rural Farming <u>Beaufort</u>				

May 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5 10:00 AM-12:00 PM HIS226 Holocaust Story 1:00 PM-3:00 PM HIS212 Lighthouses	6 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice Beaufort Session 2 Bluffton	7	8 7:00 PM-8:30 PM MUS209 Flutes Session 5 Bluffton	9	10
11	12	13 7:00 PM-9:00 PM MUS208 OLLI Band Practice Bluffton	14	15	16	17
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