



# OLLI

at GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY

# Living Well and Learning Every Day

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at George Mason University is a rich and rewarding membership program where active adults enjoy stimulating intellectual, social and cultural experiences including college-level courses and special events.



“Education is one of our most important allies in keeping America strong and vital in today’s complex world. This means educating not only our children and young adults, but also providing older members of our community with educational opportunities that widen their perspectives and foster deeper understandings of the world they live in. OLLI provides an opportunity to accomplish this, and give Americans of all ages the ability to engage with others in informed and meaningful ways.” –Nick Timreck, OLLI Instructor

## MEMBERSHIP AND COURSE OFFERINGS

- Over 600 courses and activities each year.
- Try us out by attending one or more free class sessions over a 2 week period.
- Introductory membership: one term for \$150.
- Annual membership fee of \$450 for unlimited courses and special events. Payment plans and financial assistance available.

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## Winter 2022 Term

January 24—February 18, 2022

**Stay connected and engaged through our online classes and social events! Join Today!**

**Priority Registration Begins 9am on November 29**

# Osher Lifelong Learning Institute

## *George Mason University*

Winter 2022 Term Online: January 24—February 18  
Priority Registration: November 29 at 9am through December 7 at noon

**Below is Just a Sampling of OLLI Mason's Fabulous Winter Term Courses**  
(To view a full listing of offerings, visit our online catalog at [olli.gmu.edu](http://olli.gmu.edu))

### Art and Music

Beethoven's Life and Music: An Overview of his Life and Connections with Mozart & Haydn  
Blues, Classical, and all that Jazz  
Classical Music and Dance of Asia  
Shepherds and Wise Men  
The Princes (and Princesses) of Renaissance Art

### Economics and Finance

Investing Potpourri  
Retired with Questions  
Tax Preparation Simplified  
The Economics of the Civil Rights Movement  
Understanding Estate Planning, Probate, and Trusts

### History

An Irish Emigrant's Guide  
From Ancient to Modern Pueblo: the Great Archeological Mystery  
The Creation of the L'Oreal Empire  
The First Ladies: Every Eye is Upon Me  
The Frontiersman: Part One  
Thomas Jefferson and John Adams: A Friendship that Helped Form, then Divide, our Nation  
Tudor Reigning Queens  
Why Isn't There a Fort George C. Marshall?

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### Humanities/Current Events

Copyright, Trademark and Patents Oh My!  
Should the President be Elected by National Popular Vote? A Discussion of Electoral College Reform  
We Need to Talk About Friendships: The Social Construction of our Friendships  
Politics in the 2022 Midterm Elections  
Teaching Students in Virginia About Black History  
Why Press Freedom Matters  
Christmas and the American Civil War

### Language

Basic Spanish Words & Phrases  
Latin: Level 3

### Literature/Theater/ Writing

Elements of Australia: Earth, Fire, Air & Water in Prose, Poetry, and Painting  
*Guys and Dolls* (and More): The Genius of Frank Loesser  
Keep the Home Fires Burning: The British Home Front in World War II  
Post-War American Writer: Bernard Malamud  
Retelling Traditional Tales from an Alternative Point of View  
Sherlock Holmes: Books and Beyond

### Socials

Enjoy camaraderie and fun at our socials!

The Extraordinary Value of Short, Light-Hearted Poetry  
The Poetry of Gwendolyn Brooks: A Close Reading  
*The Forsyte Saga*

### Miscellaneous

Going on a Plastic Diet: How to Reduce Your Use  
Inexplicable India

### Religion

Peace is More than an End to War  
Powerful Women of the Bible—Role Models for Today's Struggles?  
Survey of Mormon History, Theology, Ecclesiology, and Future Prospects  
The God of Monotheism...The Same God?

### Science/Technology/Health

Do Algorithms Run the World?  
Pandemic Madness: COVID-19 Through the Eyes of an Infectious Diseases Doctor  
Psychology Potpourri  
Public Health and Policy  
Sorting Fact from Fiction Online  
The Great Acceleration: Earth Since 1950  
The Maturing or Aging Voice: Use It or Lose It?  
Why Do Humans Behave the Way They Do?

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