

Yes, it has been 25 years since the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at the University of Georgia (UGA) first began serving the intellectual, social, and cultural needs of adults older than 50 in the Athens area. Please help us celebrate this milestone and pave the way for more lifelong learning.

Why is lifelong learning so important? Research shows that loneliness and isolation can lead to physical and mental deterioration and depression. Athens is recognized as one of the best cities in which to retire, and OLLI@UGA contributes to this by providing a community for meeting new friends and engaging. We work hard to provide affordable and accessible opportunities for those who want to participate, including hundreds of classes, trips with friends, social outings, and volunteer activities.

As you can see below, OLLI@UGA's programs are funded by a number of sources, including membership and class fees, interest from the Osher Endowment Fund, and amazing support from UGA's College of Education. However, in order to keep the organization strong and growing, we need additional funds from supporters like you to help cover the remainder of our annual expenses.

44%

**CLASS FEES** 

LUNCHES

25%

**OSHER ENDOWMENT** 

10%

TRAVEL Remember, when you donate to the OLLI@UGA Annual Fund, you are helping to keep the costs of membership, classes, and events as low as possible for everyone, including members of more limited means. Please consider showing what OLLI@UGA has meant to you by making a tax-deductible gift online at **bit.ly/supportolli** or by mail using the form below.

With gratitude,

Chris Jones President of OLLI@UGA

21%

MEMBERSHIP DUES