Fall 2019 Course List

AGING SUCCESSFULLY
Communication Breakdown: Avoiding Miscommunication in Healthcare
How to Live Forever: Connecting the Generations (Book Discussion)
Intimacy and Pleasure Over the Life Span
Living While Dying: Film and Discussion
Medicare 101: Navigating the Medicare Maze
Men in Transition: Redefining Retirement for a Better Quality of Life
Sexuality and Aging: Navigating the Sexual Challenges of Aging Bodies
Role of Elders in Reversing the Boy Crisis and Dad-Deprivation
The Couple’s Retirement Puzzle: 10 Must-Have Conversations
The Third Age: Exploring Meaning and Creativity in Retirement
Unequal Opportunities, Unequal Outcomes? Averting the Worst For Health and Health Care in America
Who Will Take Care of Me When I’m Old? Discussion with the Author

ANIMAL KINGDOM
A Day at Work With a Veterinary Pharmacist
Art of Birding: Practical Steps to Learning about Birds
Bugs in Your Trees!
Bugs, Guts, and Glory
Exotic Animals: An Exotic Animal Veterinarian’s Routine
Learning Bird Songs
One Sojourner’s Perspectives on a Wormy World
Scenes from the Savannas: The Great Wildlife Migrations
The Ecology and Evolution of Red Wolves

AROUND ATHENS AND GEORGIA
A Brief Intro Into the World of Aerials: A Visit to Canopy Studio
A Visit to Athens Land Trust’s Williams Farm
A Visit to the Beloved Land
ACCPD Police Chief Shares his Vision
Across the River: The People, Places, and Culture of East Athens
Athens Music History Tour with Paul Butchart
Beech Haven: A Walking Tour
Behind the Scenes Tour of the Museum of Natural History
First Date with History at UGA’s Hargrett Library
Get to Know UGA’s Ramsey Center for Physical Activities
Hike the Memorial Park Birchmore Trail to the Great Wall of Happy Hollow
Historic UGA North Campus: A Walking Tour
Lecture/Tour of Historic Taylor-Grady House
Mock Jury Trial at UGA Law School
Oconee Rivers Greenway and the Firefly Trail
Take Down: Inside the Jan Kemp Affair
Tallassee Forest: A Wilderness Experience in Athens
The Classic Center: Learn & Lunch
Tour of the Latin American Ethnobotanical Garden
Tour of UGA Veterinary Teaching Hospital
UGA Equestrian Facility Tour
UGA Main Library: Tour and Introduction
UGA Observatory: View the Night Skies
UGA Student Veterans
Water World: Be in the H2knOw
Welcome to Sandy Creek Nature Center
Why Dooley Field at Sanford Stadium?
Wondrous Strange! Exploring Georgia’s Natural Wonders
WUGA Radio Studio Tour

BEYOND OUR BORDERS
Band of Brothers Trip to Normandy
China: Politics, Culture and History
Britain, Brexit and the European Union
Croatia: A Destination Not to be Missed
Discover Educational Travel with Road Scholar
Portugal from Its Founding to its Role as an International Empire
Russia: St. Petersburg and a Love for Robert Burns
The World Awaits, So Where Do You Want To Go?

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of Evolution
FDR and the Evolution of an American Ideal
From the Great Migration to the
Harlem Renaissance
Hands That Can Do: African American Quilters
- Their Work and Their Stories
Lust, Gluttony, and Greed in the American
Civil War
Make the Confederacy Great Again!
March to Victory: The Liberation of France
and Western Europe– the Major Battles
of 1944
Meet John Adams
New Directions in Civil War Studies:
- The Uncivil War Series at UGA Press
Ted Turner and Your TV
The American Field Service in World War II
The Fall of the Roman Republic
The Life and Legacy of Ramsey Clark
Training for Combat in WW2
UGA Through the Centuries
Virginia and Georgia in the American Civil War
War and Remembrance: How the US
Commemorates the Fallen

HOBBIES AND SPORTS
Beginning Bridge I: Bidding
Cameo Collection: Caring for and Collecting
- Cameo Jewelry
Color Tipped Scarf Knit-a-Long
Draw Cartoons for Fun with Your
Grandchildren
I Have a Stamp Collection: What is it Worth?
Joy of Metalsmithing for Beginners
Letterboxing: A Mixture of Hiking,
Puzzle Solving, and Rubber Stamping
Petanque: The Greatest Game You
Never Heard Of
Photobooks: How to Capture Your Memories
What It’s Like to be a Sportswriter and
Cover Georgia Football

LITERATURE AND WRITING
American Voices of Nature: Emily Dickinson,
Robert Frost, Mary Oliver, and
Wendell Berry
Critical Reading: Short Stories for Fun
Dramatic Monologues in English by Browning
and Others
Great Books’ Great Conversations
Obituaries: Capsules of Lives
Pat Conroy’s Reverence for Teaching
Reading Hurston’s “Their Eyes Were
Watching God”
Tales from the “Body Farm,” from a Writer
Who Lived to Tell Them
The Third Man: Appearance and Reality
Thomas Wolfe’s “Look Homeward, Angel”:
A Reexamination
Trouble in God’s Country

PERFORMING ARTS
10 Beatles Songs and the Stories Behind Them
Chamber Music in History and in Athens
Spring 2019
One Woman Play: Waltzing the Reaper
Exploring a Piano Sonata
History and Characteristics of
Reed Instruments (Clarinet, Oboe)
History of the Violin and Other Bowed
Instruments: Uses in Various Forms
of Music
More Stories From Georgia’s Golden
Music Era (60s–70s)
Sex, Drugs, Rock and Roll: The
Making of Layla
The Flute: History and Uses in Music Around
the World
The Guitar: History and Uses in Music Around
the World
UGA Performing Arts Center: Behind the Scenes

PERSONAL ENRICHMENT
Accessorizing Your Home: The Finishing Touches
All about OLLI@UGA
Can’t Start Can’t Finish: The Cause & Treatment of
Frustration in Intelligent Learning
Creating Spaces
Creative?: Not Me, but I Want to Be
Embodied Spirituality
Genealogy: Getting Started and Finding Resources
Google Your Family Genealogy
Grandpa, Please Tell Me a Story
Helping “At-Risk” Children Succeed Academically
Mastering the OLLI@UGA Communications site
(powered by Mighty Networks)
OLLI@UGA: Our Early Years
Policy to Update Homes for Modern Longevity
Psychological Wealth Management:
A Book Discussion and Workshop
Retired Men: Intersecting Roles as Spouse,
Father, Friend, Brother

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Selecting Your Perfect Paint Colors
Sigh...I Don’t Like What’s Going On, but
What Can I Do?: The Power of One
So You Want to Go Back to School?
Spanish: Beyond the Basics
Telling Real Stories From Your Life
The International Phonetic Alphabet
Using The Internet as a Home Design Tool
Want to Volunteer in Athens? Go Online
Where Did They Come From?: Maps, Gazetteers, Google Earth and More
Where Were They?: Using Census Records to Find Folks
Who Has an Accent?

PERSONAL FINANCE
Estate Planning and Probate Matters
Investment Basics

PLANT KINGDOM
Container Gardening for the Seasons & Curb Appeal
Glyphosate: Ideal Herbicide or Global Menace?
Growing Blueberries and Figs in Your Backyard
Invasive/Non-Native Plants: Identification and Control
Latin American Plants for Southern Landscapes
The American Chestnut (In a Nutshell)

RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY
Spiritual Metaphysics: Death and the Soul
The First Christmas Stories
Understanding American Muslims, Islam, & Islamophobia
Understanding the Bible: Ancient Texts in a Modern Light
Your Spiritual Metaphysical Self

SCIENCE AND MATH
Astronomy for the Layperson
Before Galileo: The Aristotelian View of Nature (was super cool!)
Bringing Empathy to the Center of STEM Education
Building the Appalachians: Plate Tectonics and the Geology of Georgia
CSI: How Fingerprints Are Used As Identification
Engineering Microbial Cell Factories
Frozen and Liquid: Reflecting and Protecting Alaskan Waters
Geological Hazards: Living With a Restless Planet
Human Reasoning, Machine Reasoning, and Logic
Mining the Sea Floor: Glomar Challenger and Glomar Explorer
More Stories from the Mud Engineer
Natural and Cultural History of the Okefenokee Swamp
The Earth Transformed by Human Activities
The Origin of the Solar System
The World of Textile Fibers, both Natural and Manufactured

SOCIETY AND PSYCHOLOGY
Researching Your Past Lives: Figuring Out Who You Were in History

VISUAL ARTS
Architecture in Athens: The Greek Revival Style
Architecture in Athens: Then and Now
Athens African American History in Words and Portraits
Building Paradise: The Life and Times of Howard Finster
Drawing: Fundamentals for OLLIs
Georgia Museum of Art: A Treasure with Treasures
Louis Comfort Tiffany from the Gilded Age to Art Nouveau
O Brother, Where Art Thou?: History, Race, and Myth
Silk Painting Demonstration: You Can Help Paint
Watercolor Painting: How Did They Do That?

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