



*What's Next in Your Life?*



*Fall 2011 Calendar*



**Division of Continuing and Global Education**

*California State University, Fresno*



*"I love these lectures — it is great to be retired and keep going to classes.  
Learning never ends!"*



In a few short weeks, we will begin our seventh year. What is the saying? "Time flies when you're having fun..."

Welcome back to those continuing their enrollment and greetings to our new or prospective members. As you turn the pages of this brochure, you will see that some of your favorites will be returning (they love teaching OLLI members), and we will enjoy some new subjects and lecturers as well.

I am excited to introduce our new Program Developer, Dwayne Berrett. She brings years of experience scheduling speakers and events. I am looking forward to working with Dwayne as we continue to expand and diversify our offerings.

Please make note of the following changes:

1. Yes, we've moved again. Our new location is in the Lab School building, just west of the Kremen Education building and the main office of Continuing and Global Education. Please see map on page 14. Our mailing address is 5005 N. Maple Avenue, M/S ED76, Fresno, 93740-8025. The phone number remains 559.278.0008 and the fax number is 559.278.1587.
2. Most of our afternoon sessions are now scheduled from **2:30 – 4:00 pm**. This will allow you to leave campus before the onslaught of after-work traffic and before dusk when the autumn days grow shorter.
3. Take a look at the Taste of OLLI lectures and evening courses on pages 10 – 11. Perhaps you, or someone you know, would enjoy them. Although scheduled to accommodate those still working, they are open to our General and Associate members as well as Taste of OLLI members. If the evening events are convenient for you, please join us!

On behalf of Dwayne, Connie, and myself, we look forward to seeing you soon. As always, we appreciate your input and support.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Shirley A. Bruegman".

Shirley A. Bruegman, Ed.D.



# What's Next in Your Life?

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at California State University, Fresno, is designed for adults age 50+ who wish to continue learning and exploring for the sheer joy of it. Renew your enthusiasm for learning in a relaxed atmosphere, without entrance requirements, grades or exams.

## Membership Information

Fresno State's OLLI has a variety of choices for member participation, including General, Associate, and Taste of OLLI memberships, as well as Short Courses and Field Trips. You choose how involved you wish to be, depending on your availability and interests.

General Sessions and Short Courses (day and evening) are open ONLY to OLLI members. Seating is limited for some events **so be sure to send your registration in as soon as possible**. We cannot accommodate guests at individual sessions; however, anyone may attend a General Session by becoming an Associate Member (\$25 per person fee for the Fall semester), which allows them to attend two General Sessions of their choice. Non-members may attend Field Trips by paying the non-member registration fees for those individual trips (see details under Field Trip listings in this brochure).

Membership fees are non-refundable and non-transferable. Members who must cancel their Field Trips or Short Courses will be refunded only if their space can be filled.

### GENERAL MEMBERSHIP – Fee \$65 single, \$110 couple

- Admission to all seven (7) General Sessions scheduled during the Fall 2011 semester
- Opportunity to sign up for Short Courses (day and evening) and Field Trips. See schedule for details.
- Free parking on campus during all General Session events and Short Courses
- Madden Library privileges
- OLLI-Mail announcements of Fresno State events via email

### ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP – Fee \$25 per person

- Admission to TWO (2) General Session events (your choice) during the Fall 2011 semester
- Opportunity to sign up for Short Courses (day and evening) and Field Trips. See schedule for details.
- Free parking on campus during two (2) General Session events and all Short Courses
- Madden Library privileges
- OLLI-Mail announcements of Fresno State events via email

### A TASTE OF OLLI MEMBERSHIP – Fee \$15 per person, two evening lectures; see descriptions on page 10.

Designed for those who are still working during our daytime events, this package of two (2) lectures is scheduled from 5:30 – 7:00 pm. Come after work and enjoy listening and learning—just for the fun of it!

- Opportunity to sign up for Short Courses (day and evening) and Field Trips. See schedule for details.
- Free parking on campus during two evening lectures
- OLLI-Mail announcements of Fresno State events via email

### SHORT COURSES – Fee varies depending on number of class meetings.

- Open only to OLLI members (General, Associate and Taste of OLLI)
- Short Courses are self-supporting; a minimum enrollment is required or courses may be cancelled
- Registration for all Short Courses is first come, first served

### FIELD TRIPS – Fee varies depending on destination.

- Open to members and non-members
- Field Trips are self-supporting; a minimum enrollment is required or trips may be cancelled
- Registration for all Field Trips is first come, first served

# Fall 2011 Schedule of Activities

## General Sessions

### Yosemite's Buffalo Soldiers: Restoring a Forgotten History

Tuesday, September 6 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm  
Satellite Student Union

Originally a national park interpretive program, the forgotten history of Yosemite's Buffalo Soldiers was featured in Ken Burns' documentary film, *The National Parks, America's Best Idea*. Shelton Johnson



has worked for the National Park Service since 1987 in Yellowstone, National Capitol Parks, Great Basin, and for the last 18 years, in Yosemite. His work on Buffalo Soldier history has led to features in numerous newspapers (including the *Los Angeles Times*, *New York Times*, and *USA Today*) and broadcasts on National Public Radio, ABC

World News, and CBS Sunday Morning. He appeared in Burns' documentary and on the Oprah Winfrey show during her visit to Yosemite.

### Fresno's Future

Wednesday, September 28 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm  
Satellite Student Union

Fresno's City Manager will share the current state of our city with both its challenges and opportunities. Accountable to the Mayor for the performance of 14 departments including police, fire, transportation, water, solid waste, airports, parks and recreation, public works, finance, facilities and various administrative functions, Mark Scott is in a unique



position to forecast the future of our city. He was appointed City Manager by Mayor Ashley Swearengin and began his work with the city in April, 2010. Born and raised in Fresno, Mark graduated from Fresno High and Fresno State, and earned his M.B.A. from the Stanford University Graduate School of Business.

### Challenges with the Probation System

Monday, October 17 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm  
Satellite Student Union

Learn what happens on a daily basis in the probation system from Linda Penner, who was appointed Chief Probation Officer of Fresno County in 2005 and who spearheaded the construction of the new Juvenile Justice Campus, a \$146 million project that opened in July, 2006. What percentage of those on probation are adults? What is the magnitude of prescription drug abuse? Hear the answers to these questions and enjoy a visit with Bear, the drug-sniffing dog, and Deputy Police Officer Ryan Sanders, his partner. You will be amazed at what this dog can detect!



### Back in the Day: A Critical Look at Traditional Families

Thursday, October 20 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm  
Satellite Student Union



The state of contemporary families is typically assessed by comparison to the way families used to be. However, our conceptions of the "traditional family" often lack historical validity. Hear about the history of families in the U.S. as we deconstruct the notion of "the traditional



family.” Kathleen Dyer, Ph.D., is an associate professor at California State University, Fresno, where she does family science research and teaching. In addition to her academic work, she also provides parent training in her capacity as a Certified Family Life Educator.

## Western Artists and Their Influence on the National Parks

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**Wednesday, November 2 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm**  
**Satellite Student Union**

Early western exploration of the lands east of the Rocky Mountains revealed a stunning array of ragged mountain ranges, solitary glaciated peaks, incised canyons, enormous trees, and solitary landscapes. Artists were encouraged and employed to depict the new and exciting scenery in watercolor and oil landscapes, alerting the American public to the wonders of western lands. Many well-known artists and their great paintings became the catalyst for the establishment of the national parks in America. Educator Shirley Spencer has lived and worked in the Sierra Nevada since 1979 and earned her B.A. in life science and her master’s degree in environmental studies.



## Liquid Gold: California’s Water

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**Wednesday, November 9 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm**  
**Satellite Student Union**

Water in California is both a complicated and contentious issue, while being fundamental to our economic and societal needs. Supplies have not increased in the last 50 years, but demands have grown and shifted with changing populations and environmental demands. Join us for a discus-



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sion of this complex issue including the economic impact and potential solutions for California’s liquid gold. Gary Sawyers, JD, is the founder of Sawyers & Holland, LLP, a practice devoted principally to water law and related matters. He represents public and private agencies engaged in the administration and delivery

of water to over two million acres in the San Joaquin Valley as well as private farming interests and developers throughout the state. Ronald D. Jacobsma is the general manager of the Friant Water Authority and is active with the Central Valley Project Water Association, the Association of California Water Agencies, San Joaquin River Task Force, San Joaquin River Group Authority and the Family Farm Alliance.

## Bioethics and Solid Organ Transplantation: Who Gets the Kidney?

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**Wednesday, November 30 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm**  
**Satellite Student Union**

Join us for an illuminating presentation on the principles guiding bioethics in Western medicine, including the role of organ transplantation and the system in place to match recipients and donors, and the interface between bioethics and organ transplantation. Michael W. Peterson, M.D., F.A.C.P., F.C.C.P., has been Valley Medical Foundation professor of medicine and chief of medicine at UCSF Fresno since 2002. Board certified in internal medicine, pulmonary medicine and critical care medicine, he established a clinical research program in the department with activities in acute lung injury, asthma, pulmonary hypertension, cardiac disease, ALS, and hepatitis C.



## Short Courses

Short courses are designed for smaller groups, providing the opportunity for more interaction with the instructors. These courses are self-supporting and require a minimum enrollment.

### Exploring Geographical Boundaries with Sean Boyd

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Do we need a new globe? How do boundaries between sovereign states emerge? What has changed in name identification of countries? Our world is constantly changing.



This course will explore Europe, Russia, Asia, Africa, and the Americas. Sean Boyd is a lecturer in the Department of Geography at Fresno State, and is an adjunct instructor at Fresno City College and Reedley College, special-

izing in physical geography, weather and climate, and world regional geography.

**Two Mondays, August 22 & 29 • 2:30 – 4:00 pm**

**Fee: \$25 per person • Minimum 20/maximum 45 students**

**Location: Peters Business Building, Room 192**

### Be Prepared, Get Organized, and Stop Procrastinating with Laurie Long

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In case of a home fire or disaster, can you leave your home in five minutes with everything you need to rebuild your life? In case of an emergency, can family or friends locate your personal, legal, and financial documents? Can you shelter in your home for seven days with enough food, water, and supplies if the power goes off in your community? At the end of this class, you will have built your own personal emergency tool box. Laurie Long is the author of *My Life in a Box* and a nationwide lecturer on the topic of being prepared



for any emergency. There is a \$6 materials fee for the handbook, which is payable (by cash or check) to the instructor at the first class session.

**2 Thursdays, August 25 & September 1 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm**

**Fee: \$25 per person • Minimum 15/maximum 45 students**

**Location: Peters Business Building, Room 192**

### Ronald Reagan: A Life and a Legacy with Allen Carden, Ph.D.

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The life and times of Ronald Reagan will be explored, from his early days in Illinois, to his broadcasting days, to Hollywood, to state politics, and ultimately to the presidency with First Lady Nancy. Learn more about this unlikely leader of the free world and how his political legacy, both praised and criticized, continues to impact our nation and our world. Dr. Allen Carden teaches history at Fresno State, Fresno Pacific University, and Fresno City College, and is the author of several history books. See *related field trip to the Reagan Library on page 9*. *Separate fee applies.*

**4 Wednesdays, September 7, 14, 21 and October 5 • 2:30 – 4:00 pm**

**Fee: \$35 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students**

**Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center**

### Sketching Just for the Fun of It with John Wiens, M.A.

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This course will tackle the big three: shape, value, and composition. Interested

in flowers, people, buildings?

We'll introduce you to all of

them. All levels of experience

are welcome! If you're ready

to move your drawing to a

new level, join this class.

John Wiens, M.A., has been

an architect in Fresno for

25 years. He is a former

watercolor instructor at Fresno

City College and has been a

featured artist in several art

exhibits locally. His paintings hang at Kaiser Hospital in

Fresno and in numerous private collections. There is a

\$15 materials fee for supplies, which is payable (by cash or check) to the instructor at the first class session.



**3 Thursdays, September 8, 15 & 22 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm**  
**Fee: \$30 per person • Minimum 12/maximum 20 students**  
**Location: Peters Business Building, Room 194**

**Gentle Restorative Yoga, Part I and Part II** with Katie Flinn and Diane Engeln

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Discover stillness in the deeply rejuvenating practice of Restorative Yoga. Experience postures that will hold and support your body as it restores the body's natural balance needed. No previous yoga experience is required. Wear fitted comfortable clothing, avoid



wearing colognes or perfumes, and bring a yoga mat to class. Katie Flinn, RYT, is owner of COIL Yoga (recently named Best Small Yoga Studio in

the U.S. by *Fitness Magazine*) and a certified teacher of a wide variety of yoga styles. Diane Engeln is pursuing a degree in dietetics at Fresno State and integrates her expertise in this area with her yoga practice to help students find balance, strength and ease in their lives. You may enroll in either or both sessions; no previous yoga experience is required.

**Part I: 4 Mondays, September 12, 19, 26, October 3 • 10:00 am – 11:30 am**

**Fee: \$35 per person • Minimum 15/maximum 20 students**  
**Location: Lab School, Room 2**

**Part II: 4 Mondays, October 10, 17, 24 & 31 • 10:00 am – 11:30 am**

**Fee: \$35 per person • Minimum 15/maximum 20 students**  
**Location: Lab School, Room 2**

**Rock & Roll Satisfaction 1964 – 1979** with Matthew Darling, D.M.A.

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Join us on a journey through the most exciting time in rock & roll music! From the Beatles and Stevie Wonder, to the Bee Gees and the Ramones, this class will be an in-depth discussion of rock & roll during its most creative and prolific time period. Once the Beatles changed our world by appearing



on the Ed Sullivan Show in 1964, record companies began encouraging unprecedented experimentation from their artists. Matthew Darling is a professor of music at Fresno State and a popular OLLI instructor.

**5 Tuesdays, September 13, 20, 27, October 4 & 11 • 3:30 pm – 5:30 pm (note time)**

**Fee: \$40 per person • Minimum 20/maximum 125 students**  
**Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center**

**From Memories to Memoirs** with Tanya Nichols, M.F.A.

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No matter who you are, where you live or have lived, your life is rich with stories to be shared. Turn those memories into memoirs as you make those moments live again

on the page. Learn to write with greater purpose and literary craft, developing plot, description, dialogue, setting, pacing and significance. Open to anyone who wants to try to put their memories on paper (including past Memoirs students). Tanya Nichols is a lecturer in the English department at Fresno State whose work has appeared in *Sycamore Review*, *In the Grove*, and *San Joaquin Review*.

**5 Thursdays, September 29, October 6, 13, 20 & 27 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm**

**Fee: \$40 per person • Minimum 17/maximum 25 students**  
**Location: Lab School, Room 2**

**Social Media for Your Generation** with Katie Johnson, M.P.A.

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Do you want to know more about Facebook and Twitter? Learn about the history of online social networking and its rise in popularity. You will discover the anatomy of Facebook and learn how to develop your personal profile, privacy settings, mobile applications, and become familiar with the lingo. Find out how to create fun and engaging content for your profile and learn simple ways to create photo albums and





videos to share with your friends and family members. Katie Johnson is Fresno State's director of social media relations in the office of University Communications. A computer is **NOT** needed to take this class. Detailed handouts will be provided. NOTE: This class is also offered in the evening; see details on page 11.

**3 Mondays, October 10, 24 & 31 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm**  
**Fee: \$25 per person • Minimum 20/maximum 125 students**  
**Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center**

**Governor Brown's First Year and His Handling of the California Budget Crisis** with David Schechter, Ph.D.

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**D**r. Schechter will review the history of the California budget crisis and the attempts that were made in 2011 to deal with the structural deficit. He will also examine budget deficits in other states, with an



emphasis on higher education funding in the Golden State and elsewhere. All governors are judged by how they perform on budget matters,

and at the end of the sessions we will "score" Governor Brown on a number of measures. David Schechter is a professor in the Political Science department at Fresno State and one of OLLI's most popular lecturers.

**2 Thursdays, November 3 & 17 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm**  
**Fee: \$25 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students**  
**Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center**

**Africa's Hidden Gem: Your Discovery** with Ralph Waterhouse

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**D**iscover why Zambia is known as Africa's hidden gem through the eyes and fascinating stories of Ralph Waterhouse, an experienced tour guide, naturalist, and retired director of Fresno's Chaffee Zoo.

Meet the animals and the people that make this country special, learn about the realities of wildlife conservation and the villages close to the national parks. See



the impact of tourism on a village school over a 15-year period, and join in the excitement of close encounters with wild animals.

**3 Mondays, November 7, 14 & 28 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm**  
**Fee: \$25 per person • Minimum 18/maximum 45 students**  
**Location: Peters Business Building, Room 192**

**Around the World in 80 Films** with Paul Kaser

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**J**oin us for a cinematic journey through world cultures via scenes from some of the classic film works of the greatest international directors. You will engage in discussions about widely-acclaimed films as we



consider the unique values and world views they illustrate. Paul Kaser, recently retired from Reedley College, will share his knowledge and skills about the art and science of film making. He currently teaches for the State Center Community

College District, North Centers.

**4 Tuesdays, November 8, 15, 22 & 29 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm**  
**Fee: \$35 per person • Minimum 30/maximum 125 students**  
**Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center**

**Shakespeare's *The Tempest*** with Gregg Dion

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**T**his short course will examine the basic structure and some prominent features of *The Tempest*, possibly the last play written by Shakespeare. We will focus on the play's critical and stage history, including notable modern interpretations. After the performance of *The Tempest* (directed by Kathleen McKinley) on December 4, we will reconvene for a critique and commentary session. Along the way, you will meet some of the creators of stage magic. See related field trip: *The Tempest* performance on page 10. Separate fee applies.



You may take this short course without attending the matinee performance.



3 Wednesdays, November 9, 16 & December 7 •  
10:30 am – 12:00 pm

Fee: \$30 per person • Minimum 20/maximum 45 students

Location: Peters Business Building, Room 192

## Field Trips

### Ronald Reagan Library and Museum – bus trip

The Reagan Library has informed and inspired more than five million visitors from its perch on a mountaintop with sweeping views of the surrounding mountains, valleys and the Pacific Ocean. Dr. Allen Carden will accompany our group, provide a lecture en route, and answer questions on the return trip. While at the Library, docents will guide you through 24 different galleries comprising more than 100,000 square feet. You will see a full-size replica of the Oval Office, visit the actual Air Force One, and tour magnificently manicured grounds. A hot lunch will be



served in a private dining room located under the wing of Air Force One. See related Short Course on page 6. Separate fee applies. **Activity Level 2:** average physical activity; some walking and standing as well as climbing stairs and boarding the motorcoach.

Friday, October 21 • 7:30 am – 8:30 pm

Location: Meet at Fresno State. Instructions will be mailed shortly before the trip

Fee: Members – \$85 per person; Non-members – \$95; includes transportation, admission, and lunch • Minimum 45/maximum 55 participants

### The World's Breadbasket – Valley Westside Tour

On this narrated Westside tour, you will learn about the history of farming in this area, including its joys and challenges. Visit the cotton harvest in full swing, a cotton gin in operation, a lettuce harvest, garlic planting, and ripening almond orchards. You'll enjoy a delicious lunch at Harris Ranch Restaurant followed by a video and presentation by Cowboy Henley of the Harris Ranches. On the return trip we'll stop at Campos Bros. almond processing plant for a sample of one

of the Valley's top domestic and export crops. A free cotton golf shirt is included for those who register by September 1. Your tour guide is Mark Borba, a fourth-



generation family farmer, graduate of UC Davis and alumnus of the California Ag Leadership Program. Borba Farms is a diversified Valley Westside ranch

producing almonds, tomatoes, garlic, melons, wheat, lettuce, and cotton on approximately 8,600 acres in the Five Points-Huron area. **Activity Level 2:** average physical activity; some walking and standing as well as boarding the motorcoach.

Tuesday, October 25 • 7:30 am – 4:30 pm

Location: Meet at Fresno State. Instructions will be mailed prior to the field trip.

Fee: Members – \$50 per person; Non-members – \$60; includes transportation and lunch; free cotton golf shirt for those registering by September 1 • Minimum 35/maximum 52 participants

### An Evening with Marvin Hamlisch – San Joaquin Valley Town Hall's 75th Anniversary Salute

Best known as a composer, Marvin Hamlisch has written major musical works for film, stage, recordings and concert hall. He is a pianist, entertainer, and conductor of great orchestras around the world. His Oscar, Grammy, Emmy, Tony, and Golden Globe awards are a testament to his musical genius, including the music for *A Chorus Line*, *The Way We Were*, and *The Sting*. A block of tickets in a specially-designated area of the Saroyan Theatre has been reserved for OLLI members for this evening with Hamlisch, who will be center stage sharing his experiences through stories and song. **Activity Level 1:** minimal physical activity; some stairs. Related activity: *Selected Films of Marvin Hamlisch*; see information under "Additional Activities" on page 11.



Tuesday, October 25 • 7:30 pm

Location: Saroyan Theatre, Fresno Convention Center

Fee: Members – \$25 per person; Non-members – \$35

### Third Annual Paso Robles Winery Tour

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Once again, our guide Larry Howey has sought out some of the best wineries for us to visit and enjoy. Among our stops will be Giornata Winery, featured in the June issue of *Wine & Spirits* magazine; Cass Winery, where we'll enjoy a sit down lunch and complimentary wine pairings; and some new destinations like Pear Valley. Larry Howey has been perfecting his skills and knowledge as a connoisseur of Paso Robles wines for many years, and for the past two years has arranged for



our members to enjoy some unique boutique wineries in the area. Early registration is recommended as this field trip always sells out. **Activity Level**

**2:** average physical

activity; some walking and standing as well as climbing stairs and boarding the motorcoach.

Friday, November 4 • 8:00 am – 6:00 pm

Location: Meet at Fresno State. Instructions will be mailed prior to the field trip.

Fee: Members – \$85 per person; Non-members – \$95; includes transportation, lunch, and tasting fees • Minimum 20/maximum 35 students

### The Tempest Matinee Performance

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“brave new world, that has such people in’t!” In many ways, Shakespeare’s *The Tempest* stands “as both a summary of his skill and of his thoughts on love, justice and power. The settings for the play are a ship at sea and an unnamed, uninhabited island. This drama is a comedy with themes of freedom, friendship, repentance, and forgiveness. See related short course on page 8. Separate fee applies. You do not need to take the Short Course to attend the matinee performance. Please note: no handicapped seating is available for this performance. **Activity Level 1:** minimal physical activity; some stairs.

Sunday, December 4 • 2:00 pm

Location: John Wright Theatre, Fresno State campus

Fee: Members – \$12 per person; Non-members – \$22 • Minimum 20/maximum 35 participants

### Kliszewski Glass Tour

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Kliszewski Glass welcomes 35 Osher members for a unique tour of their glass-blowing studio. Participants will have the opportunity to see Bob Kliss produce some of his award-winning works of art. This field trip is scheduled for early December as they will have on display many of their holiday ornaments as well as the works of other artists. Those participating are asked to dress warmly. Note: the blown glass art work will be for sale but Osher members should feel no obligation to purchase.



Thursday, December 8 • 10:00 am – 11:30 am

Location: Meet at Kliszewski Glass. Instructions will be mailed prior to the field trip.

Fee: Members – \$15 per person; Non-members – \$25 • Minimum 20/maximum 35 students

### A Taste of OLLI Membership

Designed for those who are still working and can't attend daytime OLLI sessions, these two lectures are scheduled from 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm and are included in the \$15 Taste of OLLI membership.

### An Introduction to Tai Chi

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This lecture will acquaint you with the history and theory of Tai Chi to help you decide if this method of tension/stress reduction is something you will want to pursue on a regular basis. Tai Chi can help you relax, increase mobility of your joints, and reduce blood pressure. Wear comfortable clothing as the instructor will demonstrate a few beginning Tai Chi movements. Michael Giberson has been teaching Tai Chi for more than five years.

Wednesday, August 24 • 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

Location: Lab School, Room 2

Minimum 20/maximum 25 students



## Your Life in a Box

Unfortunately, you and each of your family members will encounter a natural disaster, tragedy, terminal illness, or death of a close friend or family member at some time in your life. After attending this 90-minute session, you will leave with the tools to return home and begin building your own emergency



pick-up-and-run tool box of paperwork and information. There is a \$6 materials fee for the workbook (containing check-off lists), which is payable (by cash or

check) to the instructor at the first class session. **NOTE:** An extended version of this lecture is offered during the day; see details on page 6.

**Thursday, November 10 • 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm**

**Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center**

**Minimum 20/maximum 125 students**

## OLLI Evening Short Courses

These Short Courses are scheduled from 5:30 – 7:00 pm. They are open to all General, Associate, and Taste of OLLI members.

**Getting Ready for Retirement** with Dwayne Berrett, M.A.

Retirement is an important life transition that holds great potential for vitality, joy, and meaning. It is a life stage being redefined in today's world. This hands-on course introduces strategies to help you explore options to reinvent yourself. Through simple assessments and interactive discussion, you will begin to craft your new future. Dwayne Berrett, M.A., is a career management consultant who provides career development and life management strategies to advance personal renewal during periods of transition.

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**Social Media for Your Generation** with Katie Johnson, M.P.A.

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**3 Mondays, October 10, 24 & 31 • 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm**

**Location: Alice Peters Auditorium, University Business Center**

**Fee: \$30 • Minimum 15/maximum 125 students**

## Additional Activities

### Selected Films of Marvin Hamlisch

As a prelude to *An Evening with Marvin Hamlisch* (see description on page 9), come to the movies for a sampling of some of his many award-winning movie scores. Screenings will be moderated by Paul Kaser (instructor for *Around the World in 80 Films*), and George Warren, Ph.D., music instructor at Fresno State and Hallmark Charter School, composer, and former music critic for *The Fresno Bee*. Movie screenings will be held at the Fresno Art Museum, 2366 North First Street in Fresno. There is a \$5 donation at the door for each screening. For dates and films, visit: [www.fresnoartmuseum.org/](http://www.fresnoartmuseum.org/)

### Central Valley Café Scientifique

Similar to Fresno's monthly Art-Hop and other artistic events, Café Scientifique offers the opportunity to savor some science. Come explore the latest ideas in science and technology, hear from local scientists (from Fresno State and other local institutions), connect with other science enthusiasts, and participate in making the Central Valley a place where science thrives. Café Scientifique meets the first Monday evening of each month.

**Details: [www.valleycafesci.org/](http://www.valleycafesci.org/)**

# *Fall 2011 Calendar at a Glance*

<b>Date and Time</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Event/Activity</b>	<b>Featuring</b>
<b>General Sessions – see Schedule of Activities for details.</b>			
September 6 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Satellite Student Union	Yosemite’s Buffalo Soldiers: Restoring a Forgotten History	Shelton Johnson
September 28 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Satellite Student Union	Fresno’s Future	Mark Scott, M.B.A.
October 17 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Satellite Student Union	Challenges with the Probation System	Linda Penner
October 20 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Satellite Student Union	Back in the Day: A Critical Look at Traditional Families	Kathleen Dyer, Ph.D.
November 2 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Satellite Student Union	Western Artists and Their Influence on the National Parks	Shirley Spencer, M.S.
November 9 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Satellite Student Union	Liquid Gold: California’s Water	Gary Sawyers, J.D. and Ron Jacobsma
November 30 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Satellite Student Union	Bioethics and Solid Organ Transplant: Who Gets the Kidney?	Michael W. Peterson, M.D., F.A.C.P., F.C.C.P.
<b>Short Courses – see Schedule of Activities for details. Additional fees apply.</b>			
August 22 & 29 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Peters Building, Room 192	Exploring Geographical Boundaries	Sean Boyd
August 25 & September 1 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Peters Building, Room 192	Be Prepared, Get Organized, and Stop Procrastinating	Laurie Long
September 7, 14, 21 & October 5 • 2:30 – 4:00 pm	Alice Peters Auditorium	Ronald Reagan: A Life and a Legacy	Allen Carden, Ph.D.
September 8, 15 & 22 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Peters Building, Room 194	Sketching Just for the Fun of It	John Wiens, M.A.
September 12, 19, 26 & October 3 • 10:00 – 11:30 am	Lab School, Room 2	Gentle Restorative Yoga (Part I)	Katie Flinn and Diane Engeln
September 13, 20, 27, October 4 & 11 • <b>3:30 pm – 5:00 pm</b>	Alice Peters Auditorium	Rock & Roll Satisfaction 1964 – 1979	Matthew Darling, D.M.A.
September 29, October 6, 13, 20 & 27 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Lab School, Room 2	From Memories to Memoirs	Tanya Nichols, M.F.A.
October 10, 24 & 31 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Alice Peters Auditorium	Social Media for Your Generation	Katie Johnson, M.P.A.
October 10, 17, 24 & 31 • 10:00 am – 11:30 am	Lab School, Room 2	Gentle Restorative Yoga (Part II)	Katie Flinn & Diane Engeln



November 3 & 17 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Alice Peters Auditorium	Governor Brown's First Year and His Handling of the California Budget Crisis	David Schechter, Ph.D.
November 7, 14 & 28 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Peters Building, Room 192	Africa's Hidden Gem: Your Discovery	Ralph Waterhouse
November 8, 15, 22 & 29 • 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Alice Peters Auditorium	Around the World in 80 Films	Paul Kaser
November 9, 16 & Decem- ber 7 • 10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Peters Building, Room 192	Shakespeare's <i>The Tempest</i>	Gregg Dion

**Field Trips – see Schedule of Activities for details. Additional fees apply.**

October 21 • 7:30 am – 8:30 pm	Simi Valley	Ronald Reagan Library and Museum	Allen Carden, Ph.D.
October 25 • 7:30 am – 4:30 pm	Westside	The World's Breadbasket – Valley Westside Tour	Mark Borba
October 25 • 7:30 pm	Saroyan Theatre, Fresno Convention Center	An Evening with Marvin Hamlisch	Marvin Hamlisch
November 4 • 8:00 am – 6:00 pm	Paso Robles	Third Annual Paso Robles Winery Tour	Larry Howey
December 4 • 2:00 pm	John Wright Theatre, Fresno State campus	<i>The Tempest</i> matinee performance	
December 8 • 10:00 am – 11:30 am	Kliszewski Glass Tour	Glass-blowing demonstration	Bob Kliss

**A Taste of OLLI package – evening lectures only. \$15 membership fee includes both lectures.**

August 24 • 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Lab School, Room 2	An Introduction to Tai Chi	Michael Giberson
November 10 • 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Alice Peters Auditorium	Your Life in a Box	Laurie Long

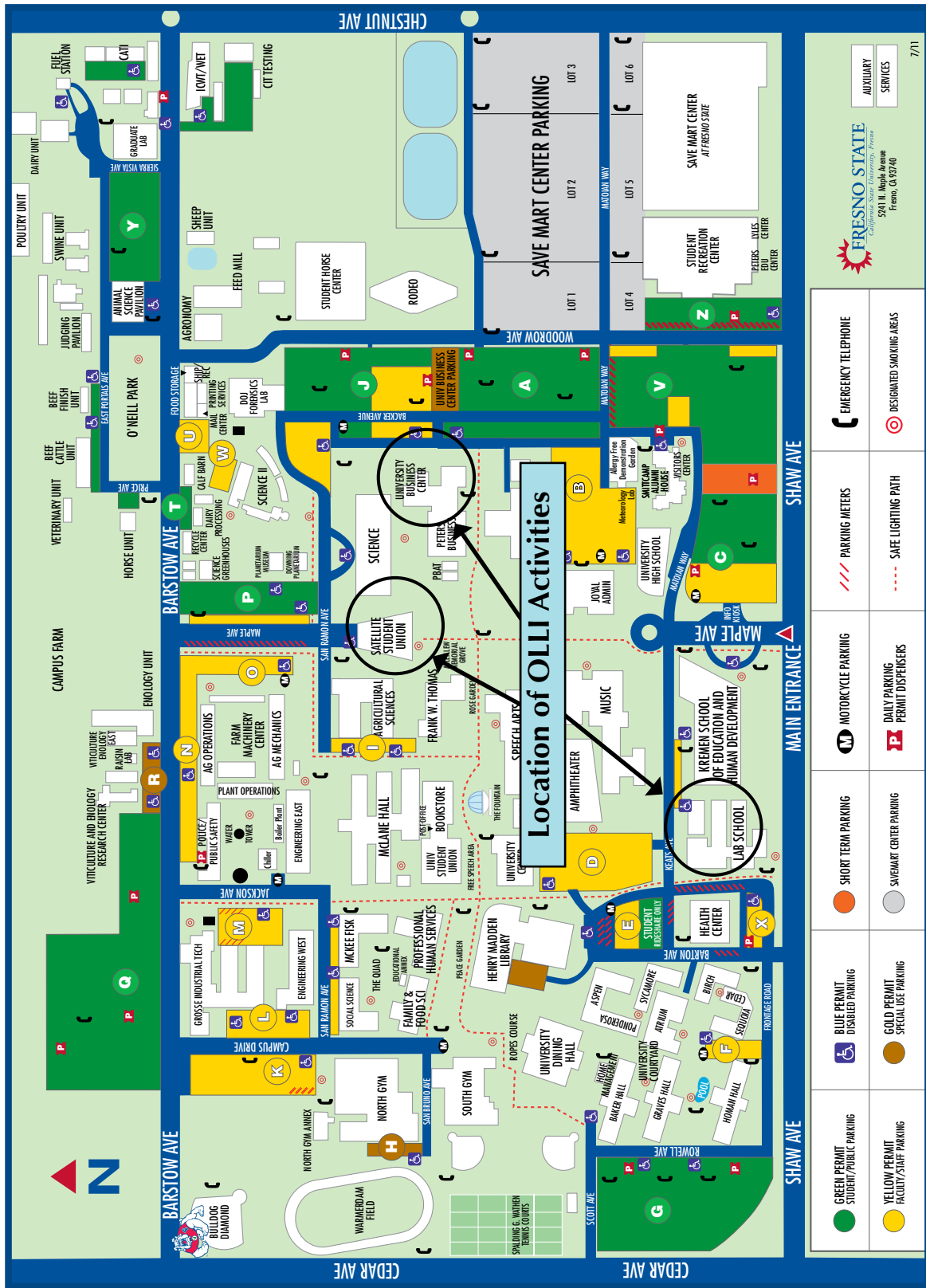
**Evening Short Courses – see Schedule of Activities for details. Additional fees apply.**

September 20 & 27 • 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Lab School, Room 2	Getting Ready for Retirement	Dwayne Berrett, M.A.
October 10, 24 & 31 • 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Alice Peters Auditorium	Social Media for Your Generation	Katie Johnson, M.P.A.

- You will receive a confirmation letter upon receipt of your registration and payment. Please note that we cannot hold space without a paid registration.
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- **General Membership:** \$65 single, \$110 couple. All General Sessions included; register below..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- **Associate Membership:** \$25 per person. Register for **TWO** General Sessions below. .... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - Number attending \_\_\_\_\_ Yosemite’s Buffalo Soldiers • Tuesday, September 6 • 2:30 pm
  - Number attending \_\_\_\_\_ Fresno’s Future • Wednesday, September 28 • 2:30 pm
  - Number attending \_\_\_\_\_ Challenges with the Probation System • Monday, October 17 • 2:30 pm
  - Number attending \_\_\_\_\_ Back in the Day: Traditional Families • Thursday, October 20 • 2:30 pm
  - Number attending \_\_\_\_\_ Western Artists and ... the National Parks • Wednesday, November 2 • 2:30 pm
  - Number attending \_\_\_\_\_ Liquid Gold: California’s Water • Wednesday, November 9 • 2:30 pm
  - Number attending \_\_\_\_\_ Bioethics...Who Gets the Kidney? • Wednesday, November 30 • 2:30 pm
- **A Taste of OLLI Membership:** \$15, two evening lectures included  
 Wednesday, August 24 and Thursday, November 10 • 5:30 – 7:00 pm..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**SHORT COURSES** – available only with a paid General, Associate, or Taste of OLLI membership

- Exploring Geographical Boundaries (two Mondays) ..... **\$25** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Be Prepared, Get Organized, and Stop Procrastinating (two Thursdays) ..... **\$25** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Ronald Reagan: A Life and a Legacy (four Wednesdays) ..... **\$35** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Sketching Just for the Fun of It (three Thursdays) ..... **\$30** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Gentle Restorative Yoga, **Part I** (four Mondays, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3) ..... **\$35** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Gentle Restorative Yoga, **Part II** (four Mondays, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, 10/31) ..... **\$35** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Rock & Roll Satisfaction 1964 – 1979 (five Tuesdays) ..... **\$40** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- From Memories to Memoirs (five Thursdays)..... **\$40** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Social Media for Your Generation (three Monday MORNINGS)..... **\$30** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Governor Brown’s First Year...California Budget Crisis (two Thursdays)..... **\$25** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Africa’s Hidden Gem: Your Discovery (three Mondays)..... **\$30** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Around the World in 80 Films (four Tuesdays) ..... **\$35** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Shakespeare’s *The Tempest* (three Wednesdays)..... **\$30** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Getting Ready for Retirement (two Tuesday EVENINGS) ..... **\$25** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Social Media for Your Generation (three Monday EVENINGS) ..... **\$30** per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**FIELD TRIPS** – available to members and non-members

- Ronald Reagan Library and Museum • Friday, October 21 .....Member: \$85, Non-member: \$95 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- The World’s Breadbasket: Valley Westside Tour • Tuesday, October 25 .....Member: \$50, Non-member: \$60 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- An Evening with Marvin Hamlisch • Tuesday, October 25 .....Member: \$25, Non-member: \$35 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Third Annual Paso Robles Winery Tour • Friday, November 4.....Member: \$85, Non-member: \$95 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- The Tempest* Matinee Performance • Sunday, December 4.....Member: \$12, Non-member: \$22 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Kliszewski Glass • Thursday, December 8.....Member: \$15, Non-member: \$25 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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