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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to 2023!

I hope your holidays were warm, wonderful, and healthy.

I have been giving it some thought and here are a few challenges for the year ahead:

- More smiling faces and curious minds in the classroom
- Fulfilling our commitment of 500 members to the Osher Foundation in order to retain our funding endowment
- A high level of donor response
- A full Board of Directors
- A full complement of Committee Chairs and all the other various positions that make our OLLI run



Remember to schedule the 25th Anniversary Gala for April 22. The committee has been hard at work planning an evening of food, fun, and wine.

Let us all make a New Year's resolution to enroll a friend, or two, this Spring. For each new enrollee, you will receive a \$25 gift certificate.

Respectfully,
Lonnie Horn
President, OLLI at UCI

25th Anniversary Gala

- April 22 we will have our 25th Anniversary Gala, featuring food, fun, and entertainment.

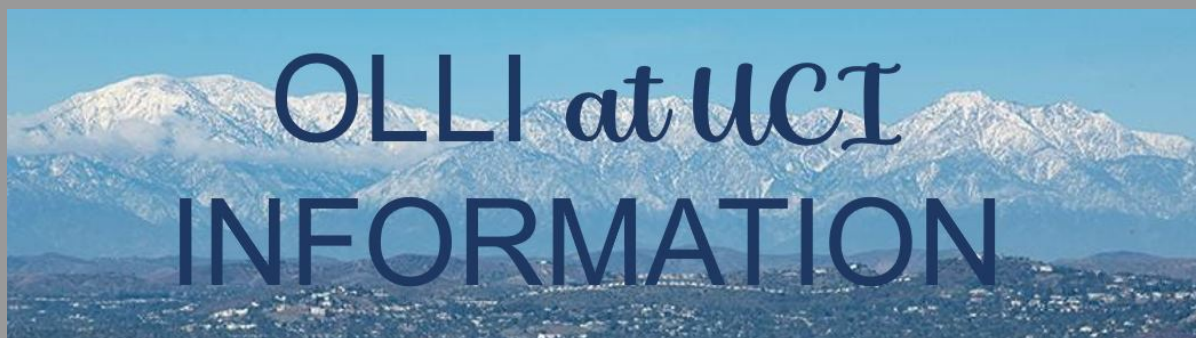


Details will be announced in KIT Mail and the February Outlook!



Board Meeting Minutes

The minutes of the November 2022 Board Meeting will be approved at the January Board Meeting and will be posted on the [OLLI Blog](#) along with past Board Meeting minutes.



OLLI FALL SEMESTER 2022

OLLI at UCI members have many opportunities to volunteer within our OLLI community!

Volunteers are the lifeblood of our OLLI and a primary reason we are so successful. Please consider volunteering. You will benefit by developing lasting bonds with other members and know that your time and talent are appreciated and making a positive impact on your OLLI.

If you are interested in learning more, email: olli@uci.edu



Get Involved *contribute* Give Inspire *Teamwork*
New Friendships
help **VOLUNTEER at OLLI**
connect
community Purpose Make a difference DONATE Service



at University of California, Irvine

Volunteer on the **OLLI Board**
to keep OLLI Curious!

Board of Director Open Positions:

- VP, Operations
- VP, Programs
- VP, Member Services
- VP, Marketing

Current **OLLI member**
volunteer needs:

- Social Science Chair
- Social Science Co-Chair
- STEM Co-Chair
- STEM Co-Editor
- Committee Members
- Class Facilitators
- Library Coordinator

UPCOMING FACILITATOR TRAINING

CALLING ALL FACILITATORS AND DEVELOPERS!

ALL Facilitator's and Developers must attend a mandatory training session for our spring classes. If you were unable to make the December training date, please plan to attend on:



- **Monday, January 9th, 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM**

If you have not yet attended a training, now is the time! We are seeking additional volunteers for classroom set up, Zoom support, and just a friendly OLLI welcome to new members. To RSVP for one of two training sessions, please email Carolyn Brothers at: cbdancer@aol.com.

OLLI at UCI MONTHLY MEETING SCHEDULE



OLLI members are invited to attend any meeting and share your ideas for making our OLLI the best it can be! Email your RSVP to the Team Chairperson of the meeting you are interested in attending.

Have an idea for a new class or Special Event/Experience Trip?
Email olli@uci.edu

Finance Committee

Email Sherri Nussbaum at:

sherrilynn@audiblerush.com

Monday, January 23 (12:00 PM)

Location: OLLI Classroom

Marketing Committee

Email OLLI at:

olli@uci.edu

No January meeting scheduled.

Special Events Team

Email Linda Vine at:

vines1219@gmail.com

Monday, January 23 (1:00 PM)

Arts & Humanities Team

Email Yasmin Vali at:

yivali@uci.edu

Monday, January 16 (4:00 PM)

Social Science Team

Email OLLI at:

olli@uci.edu

Tuesday, January 10 (12:00 PM)

STEM Team

Email Marj Besemer at:

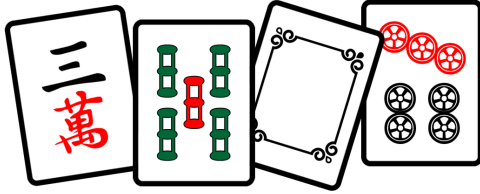
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OLLI Extras are for the mind and for the fun!

Members and Non-Members are welcome to join OLLI Extras!!!



Mah Jongg

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Mah Jongg is a popular Chinese game played, usually by four people, with 136 or 144 rectangular pieces called tiles. The object is to collect winning sets of these tiles, as in card games such as gin rummy.

For more information, contact:
Carolyn Brothers at:
cbdancer@aol.com



Bridge Lessons for new and returning players!

- *Always wanted to learn?*
- *Played decades ago?*
- *Want to relearn?*
- *Curious?*

Now is your chance!

Challenge your brain, meet great fun-loving people!

Enjoy the **BEST HOBBY EVER!**

Location:

S. Orange County Bridge Center
31451 Rancho Viejo Rd., #205
San Juan Capistrano

For more information, contact:
Janie Matlaf
jmatlaf@gmail.com



¿Hablas español?

Join other OLLI members for conversational Spanish!

For more information, contact:
Deborah Silverstein
sjsdns7@gmail.com

Travel Talk



Travel Talk is back!

Travel this Fall 2022 with OLLI President, Lonnie Horn.

For more information, contact:
Lonnie Horn
mail4lonnie@aol.com



OLLI Gastronomers Club

For more information, please visit OLLI Gastronomers at: olligastronomers.com



Breaking News! Movie Talk

is back!
For more information, contact Jessie Tromberg jessietromberg@icloud.com

UCI CAMPUS EVENTS



UCI TODAY

Click [here](#) to view ALL upcoming UCI events

UCI-DCE (Division of Continuing Education)

OLLI Members can view FREE upcoming events as well as on demand past events, through UCI-DCE. Click [here](#) to view current and prerecorded webinar's on a variety of subjects for the lifelong learner!

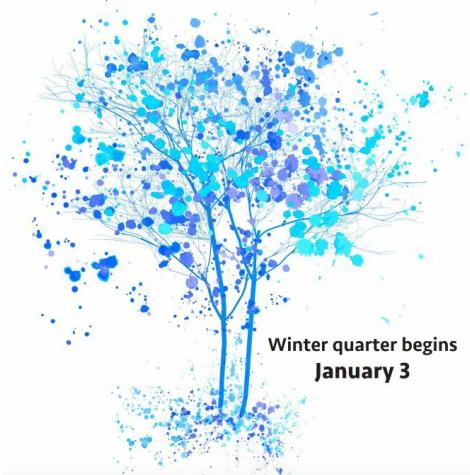
UCI-DCE Magazine

Issue 25: Winter 2022

To view click [here](#).

To view past magazine issues click [here](#).

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Winter quarter begins
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UCI LIBRARIES: CURRENT EXHIBITS

Anteater Spirit: Student Activism That (Re)shaped UCI, 1965 to Now

Anteater Spirit: Student Activism That (Re)shaped UCI, 1965 to Now is an exploration of six decades of campus activism at UC Irvine. Ranging from anti-war protests in the 1960s to the COVID-19 pandemic, the exhibit illustrates student-led efforts that helped shape campus spaces, curriculum, and culture.

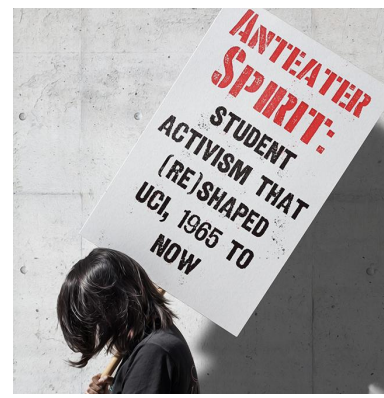


Exhibit curated by Elvia Arroyo-Ramirez, Digital Archivist for University Archives; Carolyn Downey, Education & Outreach Library Assistant; Jenna Dufour, Research Librarian for Visual Arts; and Faith Lam (BA in History and Film and Media Studies '22), Special Collections & Archives Student Curator.

Visitor Information:

[Anteater Spirit: Student Activism that \(Re\)shaped UCI, 1965 to Now](#) will be on display in the [Langson Library](#) from November 2022 through April 2023 during regular [library hours](#).

UCI SCHOOL OF SOCIAL ECOLOGY

OLLI at UCI has been formally invited to attend the the UCI School of Social Ecology's monthly events!

For more information visit: www.socialecology.uci.edu

CLAIRE TREVOR SCHOOL OF THE ARTS



UCI Claire Trevor School of the Arts

Emerging Brighter!

We recommended that you register in advance for the event(s) you wish to attend. Click [here](#) to view all events.

Drama Events - Click [here](#) to view and register for upcoming events.

Art Events - Click [here](#) to view and register for upcoming events.

Dance Events - Click [here](#) to view and register for upcoming events.

Music Events - Click [here](#) to view and register for upcoming events.

ILLUMINATIONS

The Illuminations Series is open to OLLI members !

Community members can sign up for events that Illuminations offers throughout the year. Click [here](#) for more information about fascinating activities and events at UCI.



THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS!



Your donations are making a difference! Click [here](#) to view the donations made from **July 1, 2021** through **October 31, 2022**.

We recognize all our donors!

Donor names are listed in our Fall and Spring catalogs and also on our [OLLI at UCI](#) website - unless you choose to be anonymous. **Butterfly Level Pledge Donors** are also recognized with either a Gold, Silver, or Bronze butterfly plaque in

your name on our *Butterfly Wall of Recognition*.

Donate to match your financial needs

Include OLLI at UCI in your *estate planning* or *transfer stock* on behalf of OLLI to the UCI Foundation.



- **Become a Butterfly Level Pledge Donor:**
 - **Gold Pledge Level** (\$2,500+)/year for 3 years
 - **Silver Pledge Level** (\$1,000 - \$2,499)/year for 3 years
 - **Bronze Pledge Level** (\$500 - \$999)/year for 3 years
- **Make a One-Time Annual Gift:**
 - **Angel Donor Level** (\$300+)
 - **Friend Donor Level** (\$15 - \$299)

Methods to Donate

- **Online:** Donate online with your credit card using the secure UCI website. Click to open and complete this [form](#) on-line.
- **By Mail:** Print and complete this [form](#).

LEGACY GIVING - OLLI at UCI



Spread the joy!

Individuals 70 1/2 or older can now fulfill their required distributions through charitable rollovers.

For more information on how to reduce your taxable income while supporting OLLI at UCI click [here](#).



OLLI at UCI

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