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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Save the Date! On April 22 we will have our **25th Anniversary Gala**, featuring food, fun, and entertainment!

In 1997, a small group of mature learners, under the leadership of Rose Moldave, Joan Schwartz, Sally Schwartz, and Rayna Zeidenberg, collaborated with the Division of Continuing Education to form the Academy of Lifelong Learning. Six years later, with a grant from the Osher Foundation, the Academy became part of the growing OLLI network and

OLLI at UCI became official.

Our introductory Morning Mingles were very successful. As a result, we will be setting up tables at the back of the classroom to encourage casual conversations and impromptu gatherings before and after class. Come early, stay late, and share your ideas.

The classroom misses you. So do your OLLI friends. I encourage you to attend class in person as it makes it a more rewarding experience for both you and the Presenter. Let's fill those seats with smiling faces and curious minds.

Lonnie Horn
President, OLLI at UCI

OLLI President, Lonnie Horn, recently invited our OLLI at UCI members to participate in the



2022 Osher Institutes
Membership Study
Questionnaire -
University of
California Irvine

2022 Osher National Resource Center survey.

This periodic survey takes a demographic snapshot of the OLLI community and programs across the country. OLLI at the University of California, Irvine has been

selected to participate. Information gathered in this survey will help the administration locally and nationally understand who attends our programs and will also help with future planning. Participation is entirely voluntary.

To read Lonnie's message, click [here](#). To complete the survey, click [here](#), and thank you for sharing your voice! Survey closes October 13th.

BOARD'S CORNER OFFICIAL INFORMATION

Board Meeting Minutes

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

OLLI at UCI INFORMATION

OLLI FALL SEMESTER 2022

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

We are a member-driven organization of enthusiastic lifelong learners. With vibrant minds and unbounded curiosity, we discover, share, and build social connections with like-minded individuals in a rich learning culture.

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*
help **VOLUNTEER at OLLI** *New Friendships*
connect **Purpose** Make a difference *DONATE* Service
community OSHER LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE
at University of California, Irvine

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

Board of Director Open Positions:

- Secretary
- 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

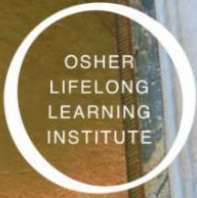
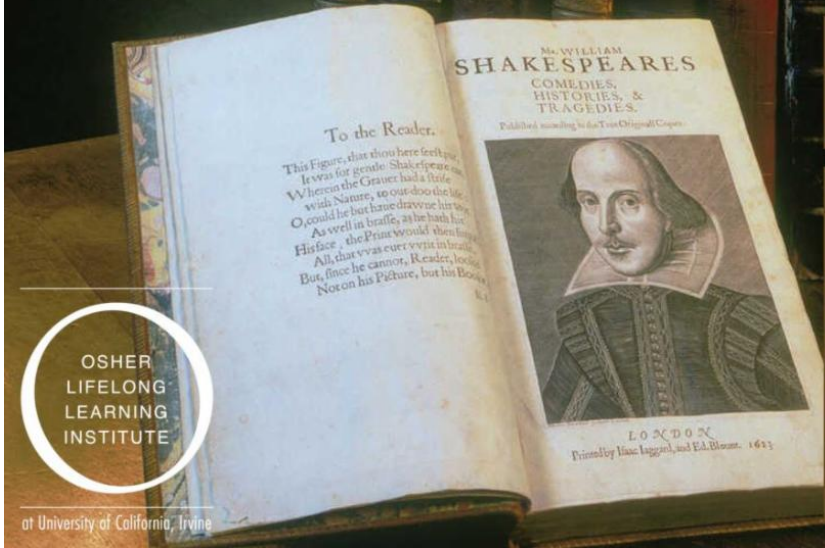
OLLI FALL UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

Special Events are open to both members and non-members!

If you are not a current OLLI member but would like to enroll in a Special Event, please call Student Services at (949) 824-5414, Monday through Thursday, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM.

Click on the images for more information about each Special Event.

UCI RARE BOOK COLLECTION: A TREASURE TROVE OF WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE



at University of California, Irvine

SE 405
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
COST \$25

Love, life, murder, revenge, death (usually untimely). Widely known as the greatest writer in the English language, Shakespeare wrote about it all in words that still live today. This is a rare opportunity to see the first compilation of his plays. Printed in 1623, First Folio is considered one of the most valuable books in the world. Learn about writings that inspired him and handle other displayed material under guidance of UCI Research Librarians. This Special Event has been created to complement the AH 104 Shakespeare's First Folio course.

CELEBRATE OCTOBER

At the Bratwurst and Wine Dinner: Great Food, Fine Wine, and Fun!

SE 414
Friday, October 21
4:30 PM – 6:30 PM
Cost \$55 (includes food and wine)



at University of California, Irvine

It all is the perfect time to enjoy a delightful evening of food, fun and wine. Savor gourmet veal bratwurst made by an artisan ethnic butcher and grilled to perfection. Four specially selected wines for tasting will be paired with dinner. Dessert will feature Apple Strudel and a fifth wine tasting. Add to this an education about fine wines by our OLLI expert, Al Glasky, who has broad experience in the field and makes the subject both fun and easy to understand.



Museum of Making Music



at University of California, Irvine

SE 408

Wednesday, November 9th

9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Cost \$80 (includes bus, gratuity, and admission)

Jazz, Folk, Rock & Roll, Marches and more. This unique venue takes you to a whole new level of music appreciation by celebrating the people who make the instruments that make the music and the artists who use them. Sounds of familiar tunes stir memories as you explore galleries that tell stories of how and why instruments of multiple eras came about and how they sound in the hands of masters. Hold them in your own hands and imagine...

DIRECTOR'S VOICE I

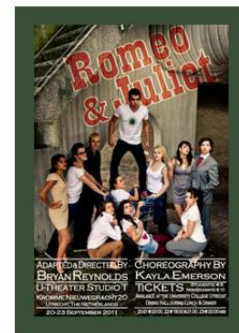
Romeo & Juliet

SE 412

Sunday, Nov. 13th

1:00 – 4:30 PM

Cost \$22 (Includes Matinee ticket)



UCI Drama presents Shakespeare's most remarkable love story of all time, Romeo and Juliet. Set amidst two feuding families in the modern city of Verona, young Romeo (a Montague) and Juliet (a Capulet) are both searching for something more meaningful in their lives. In finding each other, they discover a love that has the power to heal their entire world.

Presenter: Director, Andrew Borba. Andrew is Associate Professor and Co-Head of Acting at UCI. He is cum laude graduate of Brown University, holds an MFA from NYU and is Artistic Director of the prestigious Chautauqua Theatre Company.



at University of California, Irvine



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, October 24 (12:00 PM)

Location: OLLI Classroom

Marketing Committee

Email OLLI at:

olli@uci.edu

No October meeting scheduled

Special Events Team

Email Linda Vine at:

vines1219@gmail.com

No October meeting scheduled

Arts & Humanities Team

Email Yasmin Vali at:

yivali@uci.edu

Tuesday, October 18 (4:00 PM)

Location: Zoom

Social Science Team

Email OLLI at:

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Tuesday, October 25 (4:00 PM)

Location: Zoom

STEM Team

Email Marj Besemer at:

mlbesemer@cox.net

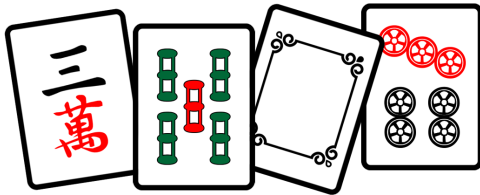
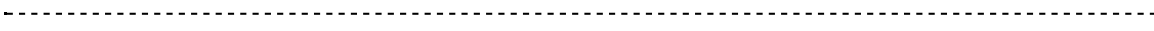
No October meeting scheduled



OLLI Extras are for the mind and for the fun!

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

For more information, contact the corresponding team lead below.



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:



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

Carolyn Brothers at:
cbdancer@aol.com

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

MOVIE TALK: CRITICAL EYE
By: Jessie Tromberg



(Streaming on Amazon Prime)

Talk about twists and turns in a plot line...this satisfying British thriller never disappoints. Mark Rylance stars in a Zac Posen, 50's costumed, Chicago mob/murder story.

Yes, it has a beginning, a middle and an end but wow, how it does get there. Pacing is steady, music is original and the only explosions are gun shots that don't send you diving under your seat. This is a talented team, watch for them, they seem to know how to craft a movie!

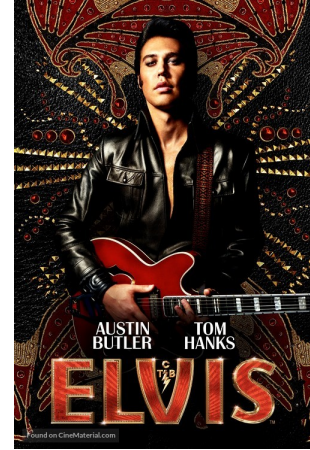
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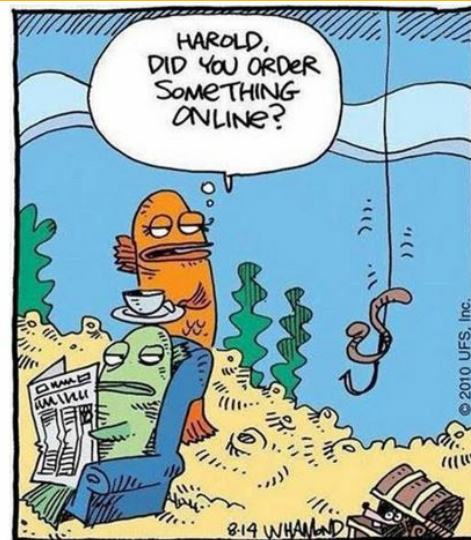
(Streaming on Hulu)

Talented performers come in all shapes sizes, colors and yes, talents. One of the most outstanding, to my eye, this season, is AUSTIN BUTLER, the latest performer to bring to life Elvis, in Baz Luhrman's splashy, wacky film.

It is a performance that is poignant and musically powerful. Butler holds the screen through sheer force of his own talents. You can find him next in DUNE Part 2.



A BIT OF HUMOR From Leah Jordan





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 24: Fall 2022

To view click [here](#).

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



UCI LIBRARIES: CURRENT EXHIBITS



SNAPSHOTS OF ORANGE COUNTY

The UCI Libraries [*Snapshots of Orange County in the 1940s: Spaces, Places and Faces*](#) exhibit explores the cultural, economic, and political landscape of Orange County from its inception through World War II. The exhibit is currently on display during regular library hours through mid-October 2022.

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.

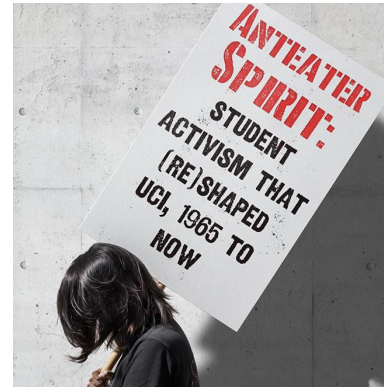


Exhibit curated by Elvia Arroyo-Ramirez, Digital Archivist for University Archives; Carolyn Downey, Education & Outreach Library Assistant; Jenna Dufour, Research Librarian for Visual Arts; and Faith Lam (BA in History and Film and Media Studies '22), Special Collections & Archives Student Curator.

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 LAW



FREE Upcoming Virtual Events:

- [IEFV: Reclaiming Structural Causes of Battering in Power and](#)

Control Wheel, by Professor Tamara Keunnen

- Friday, October 14; 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM PDT
- Register [here](#).

- [How Minneapolis Women Confront Interpersonal Violence, Neighborhood Crime, and State Criminalization in the Age of Policing Reform](#), by Professor Amber Powell

- Monday, October 24; 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM PDT
- Register [here](#).

UCI NEW SWAN SHAKESPEARE CENTER



OLLI members are welcome to register for First Folio Fridays with the UCI New Swan Shakespeare Center and UCI Libraries.

If you missed the August 19 lecture by author of *The Millionaire and the Bard* Andrea Mays, and a performance by UCI theater students, you can view a recording of the lecture and performance on the [UCI Libraries YouTube Channel](#). Photos from the event are also available on the [UCI Libraries Flickr](#) page.

For members that would like to hear Andrea Mays speak in person, OLLI is proud to welcome her to our classroom on Friday, October 7th from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM for ***AH105: Shakespeare's First Folio: Putting it together, taking it apart***. For more information, or to register for this class, click [here](#).

And if that wasn't enough! OLLI at UCI has an additional special event this semester, ***SE405: UCI Rare Book Collection: A treasure Trove of William Shakespeare***, which will be on Friday, October 14th from 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM. For more information, or to register, click [here](#). (Non-OLLI Members are welcome to attend SE405).

CLAIRE TREVOR SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

We recommend 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.

The UCI Claire Trevor School of the Arts invites you to save the dates and join them for a myriad of exhibitions, plays, dances, concerts – and more!

- [UCI Jack and Shanaz Langson Institute and Museum of California Art Dissolve](#); Sept. 24 - Dec. 10, 2022
- [Dept. of Art / UAG Leaves for Burning: Cog-nate Collective, Bassem Saad and Artur Zmijewski](#); Oct. 1 - Dec. 10, 2022
- [Beall Center for Art + Technology Computational Poetics](#); Oct. 1, 2022 - Jan. 14 2023
- [Dept. of Music 25th Anniversary African American Art Song Alliance Conference](#); Oct. 13 - 16, 2022



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.

A Few Upcoming October Events:

- [Carla Hernandez Garavito, "Imperial Landscapes Made Local in Huarochiri \(Peru\)"](#)
 - Friday, October 7; 11:00 AM
 - Register [here](#).

- [25th Anniversary African American Art Song Alliance](#)
 - Thursday, October 13; 4:00 PM
 - Register [here](#).
- [Three Authors from the Programs at UCI](#)
 - Friday, October 28; 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
 - Register [here](#).
- [International Film Club: Night of the Hunter \(1955\)](#)
 - Friday, October 28; 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
 - Register [here](#).



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

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