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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Our Spring 2023 Session wraps up this month with our Annual Meeting on June 14th.

This is your opportunity to review the triumphs and challenges we have had in our 25th year. We will begin at 11:00 AM and a light lunch will be served following the meeting. We hope to see you in the classroom but it will also be available on Zoom via the OLLI Remote Learning Center.



June also means that Summer

Session is here! Summer Session is a great way to introduce your friends to OLLI. This year we have 8 courses and an exciting Special Event. The classes are free for members and \$25 for non-members. The Special Event is a trip to the newly expanded [Hammer Museum](#) and the largest presentation of the Hammer Contemporary Collection in the museum's history.

Check out the offerings and invite your friends from around the country or around the world to join a Zoom class. Schedule a Zoom meeting following the class and talk about what you learned. See our summer catalog online [here](#) or download the pdf version [here](#). To register online, click [here](#).

Have a wonderful summer!

Lonnie Horn
President, OLLI at UCI

BOARDS CORNER

OFFICIAL INFORMATION

Board Meeting Minutes

The minutes of the May 2023 Board Meeting will be approved at the June Board Meeting and will be posted on the [OLLI Blog](#) along with past Board Meeting minutes.

OLLI at UCI INFORMATION

OLLI SPRING SEMESTER 2023

HELP WANTED

If you don't know what your retirement would be like without OLLI – WE NEED YOU to become active in the ongoing success of OLLI at UCI.

We appreciate our OLLI Volunteers!



AT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE

This is a volunteer-driven organization – if everyone does *something* extra beyond attending courses we will continue to thrive. So, please – step-up, help out and get to know other OLLI members along the way.

Email olli@uci.edu

Board of Directors Open Positions:

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

Member Volunteer Open Positions:

- Social Science Chair
- Social Science Co-Chair
- STEM Co-Chair
- Committee Members
- Class VIP Facilitators



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



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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, June 26 (12:00 PM)
Location: OLLI Classroom

Marketing Committee

Email OLLI at:
olli@uci.edu
No June meeting scheduled.

Special Events Team

Email Linda Vine at:
vines1219@gmail.com
Monday, June 26 (1:00 PM)

Arts & Humanities Team

Email Yasmin Vali at:
yivali@uci.edu
Monday, June 19 (4:00 PM)

Social Science Team

Email OLLI at:
olli@uci.edu
Wednesday, June 21 (3:00 PM)

STEM Team

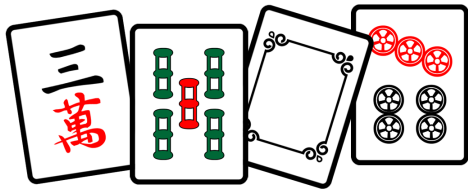
Email Marj Besemer at:
mlbesemer@cox.net
No June meeting scheduled.



OLLI EXTRAS

OLLI Extras are for the mind and for the fun!

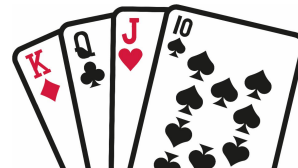
Members and Non-Members are welcome to join OLLI Extras!!!
For more information, contact the corresponding team lead below.



Mah Jongg mä'(d)ZHôNG mä'(d)ZHÄNG

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

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 at:
jmatlaf@gmail.com



¿Hablas español?

Join other OLLI members for conversational Spanish!

For more information contact Deborah Silverstein at:
sjstdns7@gmail.com



OLLI Gastronomers Club

This month, OLLI Gastronomers met at [Chaak Kitchen](#) in Tustin for Yucatan Cuisine.

Chef Gabbi Patrick's offerings at [Chaak](#) feature Mayan staples of pibil, recados, seafood, smoke, and exotic spices combined with her signature modern flare.

Located in Southeastern Mexico, the Yucatán peninsula differs from other regional Mexican cuisine with Spanish, Caribbean, and Mediterranean influences, dense tropical climate, and deep roots of the native Mayan culture.

If you'd like to join other OLLI

Travel Talk



Travel Talk

With OLLI President,
Lonnie Horn!

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



MOVIE TALK

YES, THERE'S A STRIKE but I'm sure you search your home screens for something to talk about.

Let's meet, as we said, Saturday, June 24, 10:00 AM in the classroom at OLLI. Invite others who might be interested, the more the merrier...

RSVP with Jessie Tromberg at:
jessietromberg@icloud.com

members for monthly
Gastonomers events, visit their
website at:
olligastronomers.com



We are looking to find all of those men and women who love the game and the camaraderie which the game facilitates.

FORE!

OLLI has an exciting new opportunity to gather together GOLFERS who are interested in forming new friendships and playing local courses on a regular basis.

All skill levels are welcome!

If you are interested please contact Harry Field by email at:
hbf214@yahoo.com



A BIT OF HUMOR

From: Leah Jordan

THE MOST REAL 10-YEAR
CHALLENGE I'VE SEEN



2012

2022

DID A CARTWHEEL
THE OTHER DAY,
THINKING
IT WAS LIKE RIDING A
BIKE. IT'S NOT.

HOW SOON AFTER
WAKING UP IS IT
OK TO TAKE A NAP?

Baby Mop Onesie
They Clean while they Crawl



A Critical Eye

From: Jessie Tromberg

Reign of the Superwomen Le Règne des super-héroïnes 2021, HBO Max

Documentaries are better than better.

Were you a comic book fan? Did you revel in the exploits and accomplishments of Superman and Batman and all those good guys?

Well the French have put it in perspective and produced a worthy product illustrating all the SUPER Women of our generation (remember the guys went off to fight in WW2).

Comic book readership has widely expanded its female audience and so have the illustrators/story tellers changed. This is a fascinating look (it has English subtitles) at how the pen creates a mood, a character, a costume.

Generally covering the 1960's to the present we are introduced to today's



players. The women who draw the comics and create the stories are featured.

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 2023

To view click [here](#).

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

UCI Division of Continuing Education
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UCI LIBRARIES: CURRENT EXHIBITS

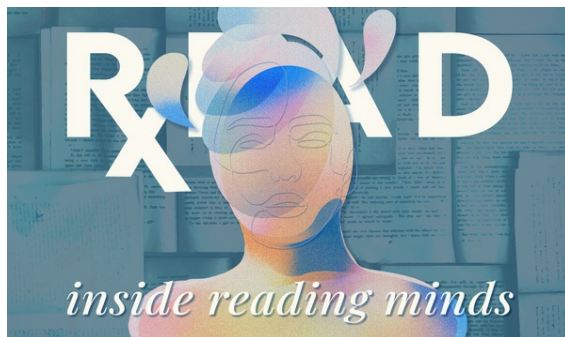


Exhibit | Inside Reading Minds: Grunigen Medical Library RxEAD Posters, 2006–2020

The American Library Association's Celebrity READ Campaign helps promote reading by featuring high-profile celebrities with their favorite books. Since 1980, more than 150 celebrities including actors, musicians, athletes, and innovators have participated in the campaign to spread the joy of reading.

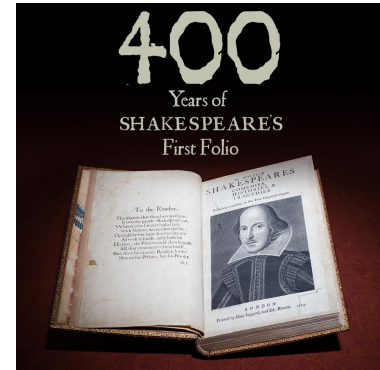
Curated by Anna Arrieta, GML Library Assistant, Interlibrary Loan; Cynthia Johnson, Head, Reference and GML; and Sakhile Sithole, GML Library Assistant, IT Liaison; Edited by Christina Acevedo and Cheryl Baltes;

Visitor Information:

[Inside Reading Minds: Grunigen Medical Library RxEAD Posters, 2006–2020](#) will be on display on the 2nd floor of the Science Library beginning March 2023 during regular [library hours](#).

UPCOMING Exhibit | 400 Years of Shakespeare's First Folio

Published in 1623, Shakespeare's First Folio was a landmark of printing at the time and, as of 2020, is the most expensive piece of literature ever auctioned. Printed seven years after Shakespeare's death, the First Folio was the first compilation of his plays, 18 of which had never been published before.



Curated by Derek Quezada, Rare Books Librarian at USC
Edited by Christina Acevedo and Cheryl Baltes
Designed by Allan Helmick, Sylvia Irving, and Luisa Lee

Visitor Information:

[400 Years of Shakespeare's First Folio](#) will be on display in the [Langson Library](#) May through December 2023 during regular [library hours](#).

CLAIRE TREVOR SCHOOL OF THE ARTS



UCI Claire Trevor School of the Arts

Emerging Brighter!

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.



THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS!



Your donations are making a difference! Click [here](#) to view the donations made from **July 1, 2021** through **March 31, 2023**.

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
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- **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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