OLLI
OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

SPRING 2020 COURSE CATALOG

Stillwater • Tulsa • Oklahoma City • Bartlesville
WHAT IS OLLI?

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at Oklahoma State University is a member-driven program developed for adults age 50 and better who are interested in enriching their lives by expanding their intellectual experiences. Opportunities include courses, lectures, workshops, travel opportunities and special events. Instructors are qualified individuals from careers in academia, business, the arts and government. There are no tests and no grades; members pursue learning for pure pleasure.

Each of the four OLLI @ OSU locations have a local leadership committee governed by a board of directors elected by the OLLI membership.

All operating costs are funded by membership fees, the Bernard Osher Foundation and Oklahoma State University, with special thanks to the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute and the OSU College of Education, Health and Aviation.

OLLI Membership

You must be an OLLI member to enroll for fall, spring or summer courses. The membership year runs from July 1 to June 30 and includes three sessions: summer (three weeks), fall and spring (6–10 weeks each). Membership dues are paid annually and entitle the holder to participate in courses as well as social, travel and special events, voting, elected committees and course evaluations in all four cities — Stillwater, Tulsa, Oklahoma City and Bartlesville. Membership dues do not include textbooks, supplies, meals or other fees.

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WANT TO HELP?

Donate to OLLI @ OSU

1. Go to: education.okstate.edu/olli
2. Click Give Now on the bottom right-hand side of the page.
3. Follow further instructions as the OSU Foundation website walks you through what you can do to help the OLLI @ OSU community.

Pay by credit or debit card online at education.okstate.edu/olli or by check made payable to OSU sent to 139 Human Sciences, Stillwater, OK 74078.

All donations and contributions to OLLI are tax deductible. We gratefully accept donations in any amount. If you wish to make a donation that exceeds the online maximum of $50,000 or a donation that does not meet the online minimum of $10, contact the OSU Foundation at 800.622.4678. We also accept cash, check, non-cash items and estate gifts.

Premium Annual Membership $200
This membership enables you to enroll in an unlimited number of courses during fall, spring and summer sessions.

À La Carte Annual Membership $40
This reduced-cost membership allows you to select individual courses by paying $25 for each course enrollment during the fall, spring and summer sessions.

Annual Membership is July 1 through June 30 and must be renewed each year.
How to Enroll

To enroll in courses, you may complete a printed registration form, located at the back of the catalog, and mail it with payment to the OLLI office. You can enroll online using your annual membership information and email address. A unique email address is required for each member. To enroll online:

If you do not have an annual membership:
1. Visit education.okstate.edu/olli
2. Click Register Online Here
3. Click Select Membership located on the left at the top of the page and follow the steps provided
4. Use the tools to search for courses by semester and location

If you already have an annual membership:
1. Visit education.okstate.edu/olli
2. Click Register Online
3. Use the tools to search for courses by semester and location
4. Log in using your email address once you’ve made your course selection

After you’ve logged in, select a location to view all the course offerings. You’ll be able to enroll, pay course and material fees and order optional texts and lunches. Please contact the OLLI office during regular business hours if you need assistance.

General Information

Textbooks and Supplies

You must pre-pay for texts and material fees (as noted in the course descriptions) at the time of enrollment, and pick up purchases on the first day of class. Course materials are not guaranteed if you submit payment within 10 days of a course’s scheduled start date. While course texts are not required, they are highly recommended.
Class Size Limits
Courses that are limited in size are noted in the course descriptions. If you are interested in one of these courses, you should enroll early.

Inclement Weather
If public schools in the location where you take courses are closed due to inclement weather, OLLI courses will be canceled as well.

Parking
Every location has handicap parking for those who display the required permit. Parking is first-come, first-served at every location.

NO TESTS.
NO GRADES.
JUST THE JOY OF LEARNING.
The Joys of Watercolor

Mondays, 10a-noon | 2/3 - 3/9

**INSTRUCTOR**
Tandi Memmott
Professional artist, art educator

**CLASSES HELD AT**
Art on 6th
2007 W 6th St

**IMPORTANT INFO**
$30 supply fee

Experiment with watercolor paints as you learn beginning skills and techniques such as creating washes, using masking fluid and creating interesting effects with everyday items such as salt and plastic wrap. Drawing skills are not required to enjoy this relaxing, satisfying medium.

What in the World

International Affairs

Tuesdays, 10a-noon | 2/4 – 3/10

**INSTRUCTOR**
Meredith Woodruff Garner
CIA Directorate of Operations (retired)

**CLASSES HELD AT**
Stillwater Public Library
1107 S Duck St

With today’s news focusing so much on Washington, we too often feel out of touch with what’s happening outside the U.S. We’ll look at the week’s top one or two stories in international news and delve into the stories’ backgrounds and the players involved and consider how the events impact our country.

Enroll at education.okstate.edu/olli or complete and mail the form on page 28.
Writing Your Story
The Richness of Everyday Life
Tuesdays, 10a-noon | 2/4 – 3/10

INSTRUCTOR
Margaret Potter
Professor, writer

CLASSES HELD AT
Stillwater Public Library
1107 S Duck

Recognizing the richness in your daily existence is the beginning of this unique approach to the writing process. Whether your literary goal is to write an account of your experiences or to incorporate them into fiction, this interactive workshop will help you find the story within and give it a life of its own. Some materials will be provided. Students are encouraged to bring their own.

Mahjong
Tuesdays, 10a-noon | 2/4 – 3/10

INSTRUCTOR
Carol Outhier
Stillwater Newcomers Club Mahjong group leader

CLASSES HELD AT
Stillwater Public Library
1107 S Duck St

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The Art of Mindful Living
Tuesdays, 1-3p | 2/4 – 3/10

INSTRUCTOR
Dr. Marty H. Heitz
OSU Associate Professor of Philosophy

CLASSES HELD AT
First Christian Church
411 W Mathews Ave

Examine how meditation and contemplation can help you find peace of mind and contentment of heart, even while living in a world that places little emphasis on the present moment. Readings from various contemplative traditions will be paired with extensive meditative techniques that will be practiced both in and outside class.
Painting with Soft Pastels
Wednesdays, 10a-noon | 2/5 – 3/11

INSTRUCTOR
Tandi Memmott
Professional artist, art educator

CLASSES HELD AT
Art on 6th
2007 W 6th St

IMPORTANT INFO
$30 supply fee

Working on sanded paper, explore the wonderful world of soft pastels. Develop your drawing skills and experiment with painting, blending and mark making techniques. Subject matter may include still life and photo reference. If you have photos you want to use, please bring them. No previous experience is necessary to enjoy this class.

Movies
Comedy around the Globe
Wednesdays, 1:30-4p | 2/5 – 3/11

INSTRUCTOR
Dr. Vickie Sturgeon
Educator, broadcasting & motion picture history

CLASSES HELD AT
Legacy Village
5601
N Washington St

International cinema has its humorous side, even in the most serious situations. We’ll view The Firemen’s Ball (Czech, 1967); Heartburn (U.S., 1986); To Be or Not to Be (U.S., 1942); The Great Dictator (U.S., 1940); The Women on the 6th Floor (French, 2010); and Potiche (French-Belgian, 2010).

National Poetry Month
Celebrate!
Wednesdays, 1:30-3p | 4/1 – 4/29

INSTRUCTOR
Shanley Wells Rau
Poet

CLASSES HELD AT
Legacy Village
5601
N Washington St

Celebrate National Poetry Month and spring with nature through poetry. William Carlos Williams wrote, “It is difficult to get the news from poems, yet men die miserably every day for lack of what is found there.” Enjoy eco-poetry from Walt Whitman’s “yellow half-moon late-risen and swollen” to Marianne Moore’s “imaginary gardens with real toads in them.”
Civil Discourse
National Issues Forums

Thursdays, 10a-noon | 2/6 – 3/12

MODERATOR
TBA

CLASSES HELD AT
Stillwater Public Library
1107 S Duck St

IMPORTANT INFO
All reading materials provided.

Join a public dialog to work toward creating reasoned, public judgment on issues such as health care, immigration, social security and racial tensions. A trained, neutral moderator will help frame the problem, present various approaches and facilitate discussion as participants with diverse views seek a shared understanding and common ground. All reading materials provided.

The Blue Zone Lifestyle

Thursdays, 10a-noon | 2/6 – 3/12

INSTRUCTOR
Dr. Aditya Jayadas
Assistant Professor of Industrial Engineering, OSU

CLASSES HELD AT
Stillwater Public Library
1107 S Duck St

Blue Zones are the five regions of the world with a high rate of centenarians. Learn about the nine lifestyles of individuals living in the blue zones, including physical activity, life purpose, stress reduction, moderate caloric intake, plant-based diet, moderate alcohol intake and spiritual, family and social engagement. Create your own plan for leading a blue zone lifestyle.
OSU Museum of Art
The Private & Public Faces of a Permanent Collection
Thursdays, 10a-noon | 2/6 – 3/12

INSTRUCTOR
OSU Museum of Art Staff

CLASSES HELD AT
OSU Museum of Art
720 S Husband

IMPORTANT INFO
Space is limited to 20 participants.

The George R. Kravis II Collection of fine art and design, numbering 700+ pieces, recently became part of the museum’s permanent collection. The exhibition, *In the Mind of a Collector*, is the culmination of this gift. Experience the entire journey from the hands of the collector to acquisition, collection management and exhibition design.

Reading Comedy
Thursdays, 1-3p | 2/6 – 3/12

INSTRUCTOR
Dr. Jeffrey Walker
OSU Professor of English

CLASSES HELD AT
Stillwater Public Library
1107 S Duck St

IMPORTANT INFO
$30 text fee

For Horace Walpole, the “world is a comedy to those who think, a tragedy to those who feel.” Even if some take comedy less seriously than its generic twin, tragedy, explore comedy with an eye as to how storytellers view life through the comic lens and use it as a mode of representing human experience. The concern will be with comedy as a mode of vision and with the agents of comedy (wit, satire, irony, parody, farce) that implement that vision.

Great Decisions
2020 Edition

Thursdays, 1-3p | 2/6 – 3/12

MODERATOR
Dr. David Lewis
OSU Emeritus
Associate Professor

CLASSES HELD AT
Stillwater Public Library
1107 S Duck St

IMPORTANT INFO
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Feb. 4 | Oklahoma State University

President Burns and Mrs. Ann Hargis

Burns and Ann Hargis are in their 12th year as president and first lady of Oklahoma State University. President Hargis has guided OSU during a time of unprecedented momentum and record enrollment, fundraising and construction. First Cowgirl Ann Hargis has taken a leadership role in OSU’s wellness efforts and was instrumental in the establishment of Pete’s Pet Posse, OSU’s Pet Therapy Program.

Feb. 11 | Highways

Matthew Mitchell, PE

Highways are a vital part of your state and community infrastructure. They are the result of years of planning and, once constructed, they must be properly maintained. Matthew Mitchell will discuss ODOT’s procedures for building and maintaining highways in Stillwater and the surrounding communities.

Feb. 18 | Putting First Responders First

Dr. Jill Joyce and Dr. Jay Dawes

Someone breaks into your house, it’s on fire or we’re under attack. Who do we call? We call police officers, firefighters and the military. They selflessly put their lives on the line for us every day, but they could use our help too. Prevalence of overweight and obesity is as high, if not higher, amongst first responders as the general population. Almost half of deaths in the line of duty, for firefighters, are due to heart attack. Researchers at OSU are working to improve not only performance in these populations, but also their health.
Feb. 25 | OSU Center for Sovereign Nations  
Elizabeth Mee Payne, Sky Rogers, James Jump  
OSU Center for Sovereign Nations  
Launched in August 2015, the center promotes understanding, respect and exercise of tribal sovereignty. It also promotes American Indian student success and graduation while increasing partnerships between OSU and the 39 federally recognized tribal nations of Oklahoma. Learn about this collaborative approach connecting tribal nation partners to the students they send to OSU’s campus.

March 3 | Our Children/Our Future  
Joe Dorman  
CEO, Oklahoma Institute for Child Advocacy  
The mission of the Oklahoma Institute for Child Advocacy is to create awareness, take action and support policy to improve the health, safety and well-being of Oklahoma’s children. Joe Dorman addresses the needs of children in the state’s care and those growing up amid poverty, violence, abuse and other situations that put their lives and futures at risk.

March 10 | Redistricting 2021  
Andy Moore  
Executive Director, Let’s Fix This  
*People Not Politicians*, a nonpartisan organization, wants to take redistricting out of the power of incumbent politicians and put it in the control of a citizen-led, independent redistricting commission, thus ending partisan gerrymandering in Oklahoma. Learn about the commission and the grassroots movement to get this initiative on the ballot.
Movies
Artificial Intelligence
Mondays, 10a-1p | 2/10 – 3/16

INSTRUCTOR
Pepper Hume
Artist, theatre professional

CLASSES HELD AT
Montereau Retirement Community
6800 S Granite Ave

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Culture of India
Tuesdays, 10a-noon | 2/11 – 3/17

INSTRUCTOR
Priya Raju
Director, Kripalaya Dance Academy

CLASSES HELD AT
Central Center
1028 E 6th St

The culture of India is diverse and rich in ancient traditions, yet regional differences find unity in its heritage of classical dance and music. An important part of everyday life in India, dance shares ideas and stories using expressive gestures set to music. Journey through history, listen to music, enjoy performances and learn basic classical dance movements.
The Dangerous Edge
Literature’s Complex Characters
Tuesdays, 10a-noon | 2/11 – 3/17

INSTRUCTOR
Frank Jones
Professor of English (retired)

CLASSES HELD AT
Central Center
1028 E 6th St

Robert Browning wrote, “Our interest’s on the dangerous edge of things,” which means we are intrigued by characters who exhibit conflicting traits. Realistic characters reveal themselves as neither entirely good nor entirely evil, but as people who struggle with moral dilemmas in resolving conflicts. Examine works by Tennyson, Browning, Eliot, Shakespeare and Bolt.

Colorful Card Art
Tuesdays, 10a-noon | 2/11 – 3/17

INSTRUCTOR
Susan Humphrey
Artist and teacher

CLASSES HELD AT
Central Center
1028 E 6th St

Friends and family will love the personalized cards they receive after you learn creative, yet simple, card making skills. Using techniques such as quilling, pop-ups, paper casting, tissue paper painting, collage and a variety of fonts, you’ll create a dozen all-occasion cards and take home templates for making envelopes and folded box cards.

Living in Tornado Alley
Surviving Oklahoma’s Severe Weather
Tuesdays, 1-3p | 2/11 – 3/17

INSTRUCTOR
Frank Mitchell
Meteorologist (retired)

CLASSES HELD AT
Central Center
1028 E 6th St

Learn why Oklahoma’s spring weather is so unique. What is myth and what is fact? More importantly, learn how to survive living in Tornado Alley from a veteran television meteorologist. This class will keep you safe from the storm!
Tulsa Area United Way
Tuesdays, 1-3p | 2/11 – 3/17

INSTRUCTOR
Heidi Braver
Tulsa Area United Way Director of Donor Experience

CLASSES HELD AT
Central Center
1028 E 6th St

For 95 years the Tulsa Area United Way has provided nearly $800 million in funding for nonprofits across six counties in the Tulsa Area. The spectrum of services available to you, and all Green Country residents, is cradle to grave and crosses all socio-economic levels. Join us to learn how United Way serves our communities. This class is for informational purposes only and is not a solicitation for funds.

Chinese Mahjong
Tuesdays, 1-3p | 2/11 – 3/17

INSTRUCTOR
Carol Bebak
Educator, Mahjong enthusiast

CLASSES HELD AT
Central Center
1028 E 6th St

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The Jefferson Highway in Oklahoma
Wednesdays, 1-3p | 2/19 – 3/25

INSTRUCTOR
Jonita Mullins
Historian, educator

CLASSES HELD AT
Zarrow Pointe
2025 E 71st St

With its roots in one of the oldest trails in Oklahoma, this road plays a major role in the development of the state. Originally an Osage hunting trail, today a major trucking route called by a dozen different names, Highway 69 has more history than any other road in the state.
Stories behind the Songs

Wednesdays, 1-3p | 2/19 – 3/25

INSTRUCTOR
John Hamill
Musician, historian, educator

CLASSES HELD AT
Zarrow Pointe
2025 E 71st St

Enjoy live performances of jazz and pop standards along with the stories about their origins during the first hour of class. The second hour will be a continuation of the series, “The History of Jazz” covering The Jazz Guitar: From Strumming to Soloist. Renowned local musicians will receive particular attention.

What in the World
International Affairs

Thursdays, 10a-noon | 2/13 – 3/19

INSTRUCTOR
Meredith Woodruff Garner
CIA Directorate of Operations (retired)

CLASSES HELD AT
Church of the Madalene
3188 E 22nd St

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A Place of Greater Safety

Thursdays, 10a-noon | 2/13 – 3/19

INSTRUCTOR
Diane Burton
Educator, editor

CLASSES HELD AT
Church of the Madalene
3188 E 22nd St

Hilary Mantel’s Booker Prize-winning historical novel takes readers into the thick of the French Revolution following three leaders from boyhood through their entry into the political arena and their precipitous descent into the Terror. To paraphrase the author, the aim of the class is to think and live inside the French Revolution.

IMPORTANT INFO
Text available for pre-order – $20
Great Decisions
2020 Edition
Thursdays, 1-3p | 2/13 – 3/19

INSTRUCTOR
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IMPORTANT INFO
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The European Union
Thursdays, 1-3p | 2/13 – 3/19

INSTRUCTOR
Jerry Croft
OSU Professor Emeritus, Geography

CLASSES HELD AT
Church of the Madalene
3188 E 22nd St

This unique political organization has developed wide-ranging cooperation in markets and laws, yet it faces an uncertain future. Survey selected member countries, the issues they face and how certain elements such as religion, climate, gross national product and topography determine future progress and viability of the Union.

Cribbage for All
Thursdays, 1-3p | 2/13 – 3/19

INSTRUCTOR
George Welliver
Cribbage enthusiast

CLASSES HELD AT
Church of the Madalene
3188 E 22nd St

Cribbage is a fast-paced card game that’s full of strategy and tactics. Try to score points or keep your opponent from scoring, and keep score using the iconic little board with pegs. If you can count to 31 or add up to 15, you’ll find the game fun and fairly easy to learn. Beginners and experienced players are welcome.
Pebble Puppies
The Forgotten Women of the Oil Patch
Tuesdays, 10a-Noon | 2/18 – 3/24

INSTRUCTOR
Elizabeth M.B. Bass
Oklahoma Historical Society

CLASSES HELD AT
Oklahoma History Center
800 Nazih Zuhdi Dr

In the early 20th century oil and gas industry, women created boom town communities, were gatekeepers to oil company executives and sometimes became executives themselves. Learn how women broke the mold and asserted themselves in a male-dominated field and gain a broader understanding of the history of women’s employment in the industry.
Indian Territory Post Civil War
1865 to 1906
Tuesdays, 1-3p | 2/18 – 3/24

INSTRUCTOR
William D. Welge
Director, American
Indian Culture &
Preservation Office
Oklahoma
Historical Society

CLASSES HELD AT
Oklahoma History Center
800 Nazih Zuhdi Dr

In the aftermath of the American Civil War, dramatic change was forced upon the Five Civilized Tribes. Their struggle to maintain sovereignty against threats that included loss of land by treaties, forced removals and land runs ultimately destroyed their nationhood in 1906 when the federal government prevailed.

INSTRUCTOR
Muhammet Ali Sezer
Executive Director,
Raindrop Turkish House

CLASSES HELD AT
Raindrop Turkish House
4444 N Classen Blvd

IMPORTANT INFO
$60 supply fee

Italian Cooking
Wednesdays, 10a-noon | 2/19 – 3/25

The country of Turkey is one of the world’s cultural powerhouses, and Turkish cuisine is no exception. Join us at Raindrop Turkish House where we’ll dive into the complexities of flavors and influences. In each class, we’ll take on two new recipes and learn how to transform locally sourced ingredients into tasty authentic Turkish dishes. Students will cook and eat together in this interactive class.
**Story Circle**

**Wednesdays, 1-3p | 2/19 – 3/25**

**INSTRUCTOR**  
Stephen Kovash  
Writer, storyteller, visual artist

**CLASSES HELD AT**  
Raindrop Turkish House  
4444 N Classen Blvd

Using facilitated exercises you’ll learn to use tone, voice and other storytelling craft elements to interpret the theme of your own story. Through practice and interaction with other participants, you’ll gain a better understanding of your story, have insights into the stories of others and sharpen your skills in both writing and live storytelling.

**City Forum**

**The Creative Boom**

**Thursdays, 9:30-11:30a | 2/20 – 3/26**

**MODERATOR**  
Ruth Charnay  
Theatre professional, educator

**CLASSES HELD AT**  
National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum  
1700 NE 63rd St

Oklahoma City, a flashpoint for vibrant and exciting growth in the arts and culture industry, leverages local talent and a growing national reputation. Hear from an array of experts addressing how this important factor in strategic planning encompasses economic development, job growth, community pride, artistic inspiration and creative development.

**The Cold War**

**A Short History**

**Thursdays, 1:30-3:30p | 2/20 – 3/26**

**INSTRUCTOR**  
Dr. David Prentice  
Historian (U.S. foreign relations), author, educator

**CLASSES HELD AT**  
National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum  
1700 NE 63rd St

What created, continued and then concluded the Cold War between the U.S. and the Soviet Union? Examine the ideological, strategic and political motivations that influenced the events. We’ll also pay attention to how the Cold War helped form institutions and an international framework that survived the Cold War, along with mutual suspicions, fears and hopes.
ENRICH
YOUR LIFE,
LEARN
A LITTLE.
Acrylic & Mixed Media Workshop
Mondays, 10a-noon | 2/10 – 3/16

INSTRUCTOR
Debbie Finch
Studio artist, art educator

CLASSES HELD AT
Bartlesville Art Association
500 S Dewey Ave

IMPORTANT INFO
$30 supply fee

Designed especially for beginners, this workshop explores composition, underpainting, color and glazing to develop luminosity in your painting. You’ll also combine acrylics and art papers to create a mixed media piece. For the final two classes, decide on a project, landscape, floral or still life, or explore the sub-conscious mind and create an abstract.

Living History
Mondays, 1-3p | 2/10 – 3/16

INSTRUCTOR
Betty Keim
Bartlesville Area History Museum
Kay Little, Little History Adventures

CLASSES HELD AT
Bartlesville Public Library
600 S Johnstone Ave

To recreate a slice-of-life for a historical period, reenactors dedicate hours of research and practice to the characters they portray. Share the lives and everyday experiences of people from historical eras that include colonial America, the Civil War, World War II, the Dust Bowl, westward expansion and ancient Rome. Join us and watch history live!
Great Decisions
2020 Edition
Tuesdays, 10a-noon | 2/11 – 3/17

MODERATOR
Allen Bretz
Phillips 66
(retired), history buff, aviation enthusiast

CLASSES HELD AT
Arvest Bank
4225 SE Adams Blvd

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Space Exploration & the Birth of NASA
Tuesdays, 1-3p | 2/11 – 3/17

INSTRUCTOR
Gary Nealis
NASA engineer
(retired)

CLASSES HELD AT
Arvest Bank
4225 SE Adams Blvd

Beginning with a basic overview of space, explore the origins of NASA, follow the trajectories of rockets, satellites and planets and examine the Mercury, Gemini, Apollo, Shuttle and International Space Station programs. Look behind the scenes at testing and training facilities with an eye on future space travel, like SpaceX and private flights to outer space.
**This I Believe**

**INSTRUCTOR**
Rev. Kelley Becker  
Sr. Minister, Disciples Christian Church

**CLASSES HELD AT**
Disciples Christian Church  
5800 Douglas Ln

**IMPORTANT INFO**
Text available for pre-order – $15

Your life experience is the raw material of your beliefs, insight and values. This curriculum, designed especially for lifelong learners, is an open door to the exploration of your lifetime! Read and discuss short pieces, and write your own personal philosophy using a step-by-step process from NPR’s take on Edward R. Murrow’s 1950s radio program.

**Diseases of Aging**

**INSTRUCTOR**
Dr. Martin Banschbach  
Professor of Biochemistry, OSU Center for Health Sciences

**CLASSES HELD AT**
Disciples Christian Church  
5800 Douglas Ln

Seven out of 10 Americans die prematurely from chronic inflammation, which causes heart disease, cancer, Alzheimer’s and other diseases. Diet is partly responsible for putting us into this chronic inflammatory state. Researchers are just discovering the role of inflammation in disease, how diet affects your health and what you can do to make your diet healthy.
Let’s Study the Constitution
Thursdays, 10a-noon | 2/13 – 3/19

INSTRUCTOR
Jan Dreiling
District judge (retired), attorney

CLASSES HELD AT
Bartlesville Public Library
600 S Johnstone Ave

What do you really know about the U.S. Constitution? Have you read it? What is the Bill of Rights? What philosophy controls the interpretation of the Constitution? In this timely subject for a presidential election year, participants will join an open-minded, civil discussion on the primary law of the U.S, its Constitution and Amendments.

Everyone Has a Story
Thursdays, 1-3p | 2/13 – 3/19

INSTRUCTOR
Joe Williams
Journalist, businessman, educator

CLASSES HELD AT
Bartlesville Public Library
600 S Johnstone Ave

In a lively interview format, you’ll meet fascinating people who have amazing stories. Each session offers a fresh, in-depth look at an individual’s background and experiences and the path their lives have taken. Guests include Jan Dreiling, former district judge; John Hatchett, a hospice physician; Michael Wallis, journalist; Heather Kohn Boyle, school teacher/activist; and others.
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Artificial Intelligence

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INSTRUCTOR
Pepper Hume
Artist, theatre professional

CLASSES HELD AT
Unitarian Universalist Church
428 S Seneca Ave
STILLWATER

Please include your check or credit card information for payment. A confirmation of receipt will be sent to you. Payment must be received to be enrolled for classes.

Mail your registration form & payment to OLLI @ OSU.

If you have questions, contact the OLLI office.

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☐ The Joys of Watercolor $30

☐ What in the World
  International Affairs

☐ Writing Your Story $12*
  The Richness of Everyday Life

☐ Mahjong

☐ The Art of Mindful Living

☐ Painting with Soft Pastels $30

☐ Movies
  Comedy around the Globe

☐ National Poetry Month
  Celebrate!

☐ Civil Discourse
  National Issues Forums

☐ The Blue Zone Lifestyle

☐ OSU Museum of Art
  The Private & Public Faces of a Permanent Collection

☐ Reading Comedy $30*

☐ Great Decisions $30*
  2020 Edition

☐ Townhall Meetings

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☐ Movies
    Artifical Intelligence

☐ Culture of India

☐ The Dangerous Edge
    Literature’s Complex Characters

☐ Colorful Card Art $30

☐ Living in Tornado Alley
    Surviving Oklahoma’s Severe Weather

☐ Tulsa Area United Way

☐ Chinese Mahjong

☐ The Jefferson Highway in Oklahoma

☐ Stories behind the Songs

☐ What in the World
    International Affairs

☐ A Place of Greater Safety $20*

☐ Great Decisions $30*
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☐ The European Union

☐ Cribbage for All

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☐ Acrylic & Mixed Media Workshop $30
☐ Living History
☐ Great Decisions $30*
   2020 Edition
☐ Space Exploration & the Birth of NASA
☐ This I Believe $15*
☐ Diseases of Aging
☐ Let’s Study the Constitution
☐ Everyone Has a Story
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