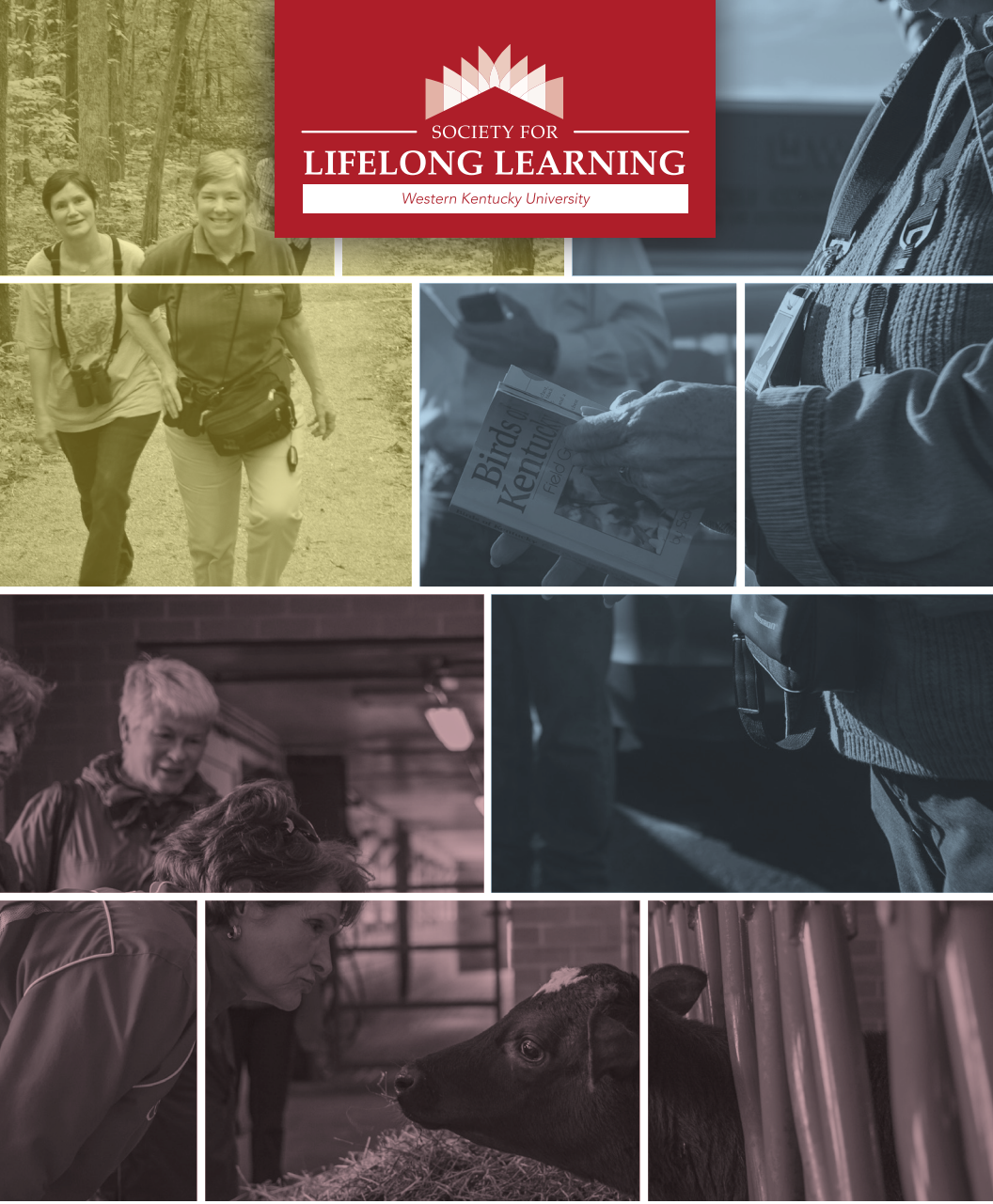




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GENERAL INFORMATION

ABOUT THE SOCIETY FOR LIFELONG LEARNING AT WKU

In 2014 the WKU Division of Extended Learning and Outreach (DELO) formed an exploratory committee of interested community and University members to explore the possibility of creating a lifelong learning program for area residents over 50. The group convened in April of 2014 and spent several months reviewing similar programs from around the country, the demographics of the region, and the viability of creating a program at WKU.

Members of the group gathered positive feedback from members of a variety of area clubs and organizations. Based on this input, the group recommended the formation of the Society for Lifelong Learning (SLL) at WKU and agreed to continue as its founding Advisory Board. After hosting a successful open house for the community in November of 2014, the Board approved dates for an inaugural term in Spring

2015 and charged the Curriculum Committee and the Membership Relations Committee with preparing for the upcoming launch. In December 2014, the Board approved the first set of by-laws which included this mission statement:

The Society for Lifelong Learning (SLL) at WKU is a University-supported membership organization whose mission is to provide opportunities for adults age 50 and over, living in South-central Kentucky, to further their knowledge in both academic and recreational pursuits and to share their experiences and interests with other members.

The Society welcomes anyone with an active interest in learning, regardless of level of formal education. We look forward to your active participation as we build and grow this community of active adult learners.

MEMBERSHIP & VOTING RIGHTS

Membership is open to adults 50 and over upon payment of membership dues. The dues are reviewed annually and set by the Advisory Board. Dues entitle all members to enroll in curricular offerings upon payment of the appropriate fees, to vote at the annual meeting and at any special meetings of the membership, and to participate in special program events. The annual meeting shall be held in the fall of each year on a date set by the Board.

MEMBER BENEFITS

- Register for unlimited courses each term for one membership fee (*first-come, first-served*)
- Participate in travel and social events
- Participate in **Food For Thought** programs

OPPORTUNITIES

We encourage you to suggest new courses or other programming for an upcoming term. New and existing committees will be asking for your help. Volunteers are needed for a wide range of

activities. Your participation is a great way to develop new friendships and be a part of The Society.

COURSE REGISTRATION

Members are eligible to register online for as many courses as they wish (*first-come, first-served*). Please only sign up for those you will attend.

Prioritize your selections using the Course Schedule Planning form found on the last page of this catalog. Please notice that some courses have limited capacity. The online registration system will give you the opportunity to join a waitlist for classes that are already full.



HOW TO REGISTER:

You may register and pay online at wku.edu/sll/reg. You may also call (270) 745-1912 for assistance.

WHEN TO REGISTER:

Registration for this term opens on August 30, 2015. The term begins September 15 and ends on November 5, 2015.

FEES

- **Annual Membership** - \$200
Members may attend unlimited SLL classes/ courses and social events. Additional fees may apply for travel programs and some course materials.
- **One Term Membership** - \$125 per spring or fall term

REFUNDS

Membership refunds must be requested within two weeks of the term start. Request for refund should be submitted in writing to the SLL office. A \$25 charge will be deducted for processing.

GIFTS

The Society for Lifelong Learning at WKU offers opportunities for:

- Intellectual Development
- Personal Growth
- Cultural Stimulation
- Social Interaction

Founding Membership - \$500 for the 1st year. The donation covers your first year's tuition and standing as a Founding Member. The entire fee contributes to the SLL Foundation account and helps provide scholarships for others. (*Available through 12/31/15 only*)

We would be pleased to accept your donation to the SLL Foundation account. These funds will be used solely in support of the Society for Lifelong Learning and are tax deductible. Additional information about giving to the SLL at WKU is available at wku.edu/sll/giving.

LUNCH

A lunch break is scheduled every day because our community values social interaction. We encourage you to continue class discussion or simply become

better acquainted with your fellow learners by sharing lunch at one of our fine local restaurants.

There will be three **Food for Thought** midday events and one evening event during the Fall Term. Registration for each event is required, and cost will include the presentation and a light meal. See website for more details and to guarantee your spot. Also see page 15 for topics and dates.

TEXTBOOKS, SUPPLIES, HANDOUTS

The course descriptions will list any books or supplies that are required for that course. You are responsible for these costs if you register for the class.

LOCATION & PARKING

Unless otherwise stated, courses will be held at the WKU Knicely Center located at 2355 Nashville Road, Bowling Green, KY. Handicapped parking is available. If you have a WKU parking pass, please remove it while parked at the Knicely Conference Center so the Parking Department will not ticket your vehicle. *Additional information on page 21.*

MEMBERSHIP NAME BADGES

Membership badges will be available at the SLL Coffee Table located in the hallway to the left of the main lobby entrance. Members are encouraged to wear name badges to build community and designate membership in the public conference center.

GUESTS

Visitors and prospective members are welcome to visit and participate for one day - if space and programming allow. Please visit the SLL office to obtain a temporary SLL visitor badge.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

The SLL will follow the WKU Inclement Weather policy and procedures. Notification of delays and cancellations can be found on local media and the WKU website (wku.edu).

WKU POLICIES

Our members must comply with WKU policies on solicitation, sexual harassment, and disruptive behavior.

FALL 2015 COURSES

ART/LANGUAGE/ LITERATURE/MUSIC

LIBA006: Digging Deeper: The Challenging, Complex, and Thought Provoking Stories of Flannery O'Connor

Literature? Psychology? Philosophy? It isn't easy but the short stories of Southern writer Flannery O'Connor present us with puzzles that challenge our thinking in all these areas. Our text, her *Complete Stories*, published posthumously in 1972, won the National Book Award that year, and in a 2009 online poll it was voted as the best book to win the award in the contest's 60-year history.

- Sue Wilson, Retired Teacher of Language Arts, AP Honors, and Gifted Programs
ksuewilson@yahoo.com
- Thursday 1:30-3:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, and Nov. 5
(8 week course)
- Additional Cost: The *Complete Stories of Flannery O'Connor (FSG Classics)* (Available at book sellers for approximately \$15)

LIBA007: Making Memories Into Memoirs: Writing Your Story

We know our stories and the stories of our families are valuable, but how do we share them? Take a look at memoir models, participate in "mini-lessons," and gain the confidence to create!

Students may bring laptops or other devices to class or use a writer's notebook and pencil or pen.

- Mollie Appling Wade, Co-Director, WKU Writing Project
mwade1984@aol.com
- Thursday 3:30-5:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept 17, 24, Oct.1, 15, 22, 29, and Nov. 5
(8 week course)
- Additional Cost: Writer's notebook if not using laptop

LIBA008: The Story of the World's "Go-To" Means of Communication: The English Language!

Did you ever wonder why English is so difficult for non-native speakers to master or why we often do not spell words the way they are pronounced? Join us as we explore the unique history

of the English language and how it became the world's "go-to" means of communication.

- Katherine Pennavaria, Professor, Visual and Performing Arts Library Coordinator
k.pennavaria@wku.edu
- Tuesday & Thursday 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
- Dates: Oct. 13, 15, 20, 22, 27, 29, Nov. 3, and 5
(4 week course)

LIBA009: Celebrating Local Authors: A Most Unusual Book Club

Participants will read two books by Bowling Green authors: "You Belong to Us" by Molly McCaffrey (non-fiction) and "Somebody I Used to Know" by David Bell (fiction). Read each book prior to attending the book discussion. The week after the discussion, the author will be on hand for a presentation and Q & A about his/her work. We will begin with the discussion of "You Belong to Us" on Sept. 22 followed by the author presentation on Sept. 29. On Oct. 20, we will discuss "Somebody I Used to Know" followed by the author presentation on Oct. 27.

- Libby Davies, Kentucky Literary Award Selection Committee Chair
davies42@bellsouth.net
- Tuesday 9:00-10:30 a.m.
- Dates: Sept. 22, 29, Oct. 20, and 27
- Additional Cost: "You Belong to Us" by Molly McCaffrey; "Somebody I Used to Know" by David Bell (Available at book sellers for approximately \$15)

LIBA010: Drawing Basics: Learning to See!

To quote Mark Twain, "Be a Noticer" ... see what is around you! If you can write your name, you can learn to draw! Those who may be fearful or embarrassed about their artistic abilities will find themselves relaxed, having fun, and pleased with their accomplishments. Grab an HB pencil (*provided*) and join the fun!



- Joey Powell, Adjunct Faculty, WKU Art Department
joanne.powell@twc.com
- Tuesday 1:30-3:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 15, 22, 29, Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27, and Nov. 3
(8 week course)
- Maximum: 15 participants

LIBA011: Unraveling the Mysteries of the Symphony Orchestra

Join Bowling Green’s own Music Man, Jeff Reed, Conductor of Orchestra Kentucky as he introduces the instruments of the orchestra, what the conductor does, and the composer’s art. Included in the class is a ticket to Orchestra Kentucky’s concert on October 19 “SCI-FI Spectacular” which includes scores from Star Wars, E.T., A Space Odyssey, and more.



- Jeff Reed, Conductor, Orchestra Kentucky
jreed@orchestrakentucky.com
- Tuesday 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 22, 29, and Oct. 6
(3 class sessions)
- Additional Cost: Ticket to Orchestra Kentucky at SKyPAC, “Sci-Fi Spectacular” Oct. 19, 7:30 p.m.; \$32.50

HEALTH/MISC

HWFM006/007: Everybody Needs One! The Red Cross Course on Building an Emergency Disaster Kit

Snow storms, tornadoes, and straight winds can bring times when we should follow the Scout motto and “Be Prepared!” Learn how to determine what you need to keep you and your family (and your pets) safe when disaster strikes.

- Sharon Durie, Red Cross Board Member, Emergency Response Vehicle Crew Member
sharon.durie@redcross.org
- Wednesday 9:00-11:00 a.m.
(1 class session offered at two times)
- Dates: Sept. 16 or Sept. 30
(Choose one)
- Maximum: 20 Participants

HWFM008: Maintain Independence! A Red Cross Course on Steps to Take to Make Your Home a “Safe Space”

Seniors and others with functional and/or access needs as well as families and caregivers can take steps to improve their environment to avoid accidents and help maintain independence.

- Sharon Durie, Red Cross Board Member, Emergency Response Vehicle Crew Member
sharon.durie@redcross.org
- Wednesday 9:00-11:00 a.m.
- Date: Sept. 23
(1 class session)
- Maximum: 20 Participants

HWFM009: Natural Gardening: Using Items From Your Pantry to Banish Bugs and Boost Blooms!

Based on the books of Jerry Baker, the uncrowned king of natural gardening, this session will feature recipes and techniques that bypass high-cost commercial fertilizers and pesticides.

- Lisa Miller, WKU Library, Master Gardener
lisa.miller@wku.edu
- Wednesday 9:00-11:00 a.m.

- Date: Oct. 7 (1 class session)
- Maximum: 20 participants

HWFM010: Preservation and Care of Family Documents and Treasures

Photos fade and paper ages... what steps can you take to care for family Bibles, diaries, photographs, and scrapbooks? Learn how to properly care for, handle, display, and preserve family treasures.

- Nancy Richey, Associate Professor / Visual Resources Librarian
nancy.richey@wku.edu
- Monday 5:00-8:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 21, 28, Oct. 5, and 12 (4 weeks)
- Maximum: 15 participants
- Class will meet at the Kentucky Building (1444 Kentucky Street - parking available next to building and across from building)

CURRENT ISSUES/ BUSINESS/ECONOMICS

CIBE004: America's Great Decisions: Explore World Affairs and Global Issues

During his thirty-year career in the Foreign Service, WKU Diplomat-In-Residence Michael McClellan served in Yemen, Egypt, Russia, Serbia, Germany, Kosovo, Ireland, Iraq (twice), Ethiopia, and South Sudan. Join the conversation as we discuss world affairs and the most critical global issues facing America today.

- Michael McClellan, WKU Diplomat-In-Residence
michael.mcclellan@wku.edu
- Wednesday 3:30-5:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28, and Nov. 4
(8 week course)
- Maximum: 15 participants
- Additional Cost: Booklet \$15

CIBE005: The Crash of 2008 - Inside the Doomsday Machine

Something went very wrong back in 2008 and the world has not completely recovered. Join WKU Professor and Head of the WKU BB&T Center for the Study

of Capitalism in exploring the causes and the consequences of the "Great Recession."

- Dr. Brian Strow, WKU BB&T Center for the Study of Capitalism
brian.strow@wku.edu
- Wednesday 5:30-7:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 16, 23, 30, and Oct. 7 (4 week course)
- Maximum: 20 participants
- Additional cost: "The Big Short: Inside the Doomsday Machine" by Michael Lewis (Available at book sellers for approximately \$15)

CIBE006: Join Us on A Random Walk Down Wall Street and Learn to Manage Your Investments Wisely!

Calling all those who just "nod and smile" in that annual meeting with their investment advisor! It is time for YOU to master the basics and really understand what makes a successful investment strategy for reaching (and maintaining) your investment goals.

- Dr. Ed Wolfe, Finance Professor Emeritus, WKU
edward.wolfe@wku.edu
- Thursday 5:30-7:00 p.m.

- Dates: Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, and Nov. 5
(8 week course)
- Maximum: 15 participants
- Additional Cost: A Random Walk Down Wall Street (11th Edition) by Burton Malkiel; (Available at book sellers for approximately \$15)

HISTORY

HIST004: The Middle East - Religion and Politics From the 19th Century to the Present

The Middle East: revolutionary movements, religious conflicts, nationalism, and the impact of Western policies.....a complex list of issues that have led to a world in which "terrorism" makes the headlines daily. Understand a bit of the history, the religion and the politics that have led to the current problems facing those who live in the Middle East and those who must learn to live with the Middle East.

- Dr. Juan Romero, Assistant Professor, WKU History Department
- Wednesday 1:30-3:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28, and Nov. 4
(8 week course)
- Maximum: 30 participants

HIST005: Ancient Rome in Film

Relax – if you can – while watching those less than peaceful ancient Romans in films like "Gladiator" and "I Claudius!" A bit on the "real history" of ancient Rome and lively discussions will follow each film.

- Dr. Richard Weigel, Professor, WKU Department of History
richard.weigel@wku.edu
- Tuesday 3:30-5:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 15, 22, 29, Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27, and Nov. 3
(8 week course)
- Maximum: 20 participants

HIST006: Christianity: The First Three Thousand Years

Using Oxford historian and scholar Diarmaid MacCulloch's six part BBC TV series, this course will trace the development and evolution of Christianity from its 1st century Jewish roots through its spread across Europe and Asia.

- John Parker, Professor, WKU Political Science Department, retired
john.parker@wku.edu

- Ed Tivol, M.S Government and Politics, M.A. International Relations, University of Maryland edtivol@gmail.com
- Tuesday 5:30-7:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 22, 29; Oct. 6, 13, 20, and Nov. 3 (6 week course) (Note: class does not meet on Oct. 27))
- Maximum: 20 participants
- Additional Cost: Text not required but available. Christianity: The First Threee Thousand Years by Diarmaid MacCulloch (Available at book sellers for approximately \$15)

SOCIAL SCIENCE

SOSC002: Human Rights Heroes: How They Helped Make Our World a Better Place

Sometimes “regular folks” find it in themselves to do something quite extraordinary. In this class you will have the opportunity to hear the stories of some of these little-known human rights heroes. Who was the man who began the campaign that ended slavery? Who was the woman who organized the mothers in Argentina to end the policy of “disappearing?” Join us as we learn more about these heroes

and the changes they brought to our world.

- Dr. Sam McFarland, WKU Professor Emeritus, Social Psychology sam.mcfarland@wku.edu
- Thursday 9:00-10:30 a.m.
- Dates: Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, and Nov. 5 (8 week course)
- Maximum: 30 participants

SOSC003: All About China: From Tai Chi to Brush Painting and More!

The WKU Confucius Institute offers you the opportunity to learn a bit about Chinese history, Chinese culture, Chinese language, and Chinese crafts in this wide ranging course “All About China!” Participants will create their own calligraphy samples, paper-cut shades, and brush paintings, and, of course, do a bit of Tai Chi!

- Betty Yu, WKU Confucius Institute, Associate Director of Educational Outreach betty.yu@wku.edu
- Tuesday 9:00-10:30 a.m.
- Dates: Sept. 15, 22, 29, Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27, and Nov. 3

(8 week course)

SCIENCE/MATH/ TECHNOLOGY

SCTH010: The Geology of Kentucky: A Look Down and ... Around!

Here is your chance to learn the origin of the beautiful landscapes and rich mineral heritage of our state as we examine the natural regions of Kentucky and the geologic conditions that created them. No prior knowledge of geology is required as we travel on a virtual field trip from west to east across the Commonwealth!

- Dr. Kenneth Kuehn, University Distinguished Professor kenneth.kuehn@wku.edu
- Thursday 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, and Nov. 5 (8 week course)

SCTH011: Our Cosmic Connections - A Journey to the Stars

Join us in the Hardin Planetarium’s star chamber for a mind expanding exploration of

how our lives are connected to the stars in our galaxy. The birth, life, and death of stars recycle elements that make up our bodies and our planet. The Planetarium’s digital full dome projector allows us to simulate visits through our galaxy to better understand our connection to the universe!

- Dr. Richard Gelderman, Director, Hardin Planetarium and Professor of Physics and Astronomy richard.gelderman@wku.edu
- Thursday 1:30-3:00 p.m.
- Dates: Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, and Nov. 5 (8 week course)
- Maximum: 50 participants
- Minimum required: 18 participants
- Participants should park at Knicely Conference Center and take to WKU Shuttle to the Planetarium.
- Additional Cost: \$45

FOOD for THOUGHT

Food for Thought events are an amazing opportunity to gather with SLL members, Instructors, friends, and community members. Participants enjoy a light meal and pleasant conversation as they get ready to listen to extraordinary presenters share a wealth of knowledge and life experiences on a variety of topics. Sit back, relax and enjoy hearing about something new that always provides...“food for thought!”

For Fall 2015, we proudly present four Food for Thought programs. Three events will be on Wednesdays from 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. and one event will be on a Tuesday evening from 5:30-7:00 p.m. Please see below for additional information on programs, dates and times. These events are an important part of our SLL activities and are open to the entire community. We hope that you will invite your friends, family members and neighbors to join us and discover for themselves just why SLL is such a rewarding program.

We do ask that you register in advance for these programs. The cost is \$10 per person, which includes the presentations and a light meal. Fill a table of eight (*you along with seven guests*), and your fee will be waived! What an exciting way to share the good news about the Society for Lifelong Learning and what it has to offer!

Join In As WKU Celebrates the International Year of South Africa!

Wednesday, September 23
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Knically Conference Center

Each year, the WKU Office of International Programs selects a country to celebrate. For 2015-2016, there will be films, speakers, coffee-house conversations, and cultural displays featuring South Africa and you are invited to join in the adventure! Come for lunch and bring your calendar along so you can pencil in some of the fascinating events planned for The International Year of South Africa.

Presenter: The WKU Office of International Programs

The Office of International Programs strives to complement Western Kentucky University's vision to be A Leading American University with International Reach through the strategic development, implementation, and management of campus-wide internationalization initiatives. The Office of International Programs, in partnership with the Office of Study Abroad and Global Learning, serves to enhance WKU's international profile by working closely with students, faculty, and staff, both domestic and foreign.

Southern Reconstructing: Sport and the Future of Religion in the American South

Wednesday, October 14
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Knically Conference Center

Religions and sports maintain a complex relationship. Sport often serves as a diversion that draws people away from institutional religion. Commitments to athletic practices or attending sporting events often provide alternatives

over and against religious participation. On the other hand, sport also functions sociologically and psychologically like religion, thus becoming a conduit for religious experience and expression. In this talk, WKU Professor Bain-Selbo explores the ways in which sport in the American South serves as a site for religious expression and as a mechanism to preserve a distinct Southern identity – an identity strongly shaped by Southern history and religion.

Presenter: Dr. Eric Bain-Selbo

Dr. Bain-Selbo is Department Head of Philosophy and Religion at WKU and Co-Founder of the WKU Institute for Citizenship and Social Responsibility. He is also the Executive Director of the Society for Values in Higher Education.

What's "Brewing" at the WKU Center for Research and Development? Craft Beer!

Tuesday, October 27

5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

Knically Conference Center

Did you know that beer is indeed brewing here at WKU? Because craft brewing is one of the fastest-growing industries in Kentucky, WKU Professors McMichael and Webb are developing a curriculum for a brewing and distilling program for Western students. In support of this program, the largest brewing system to be located at a university, and the first in Kentucky, has been delivered to the Center for Research and Development at WKU. Alltech, Inc. of Lexington is leasing space in the Center to start a craft beer brewing operation using the 15-barrel micro brewing production system and has built a lab for WKU students to gain hands-on experience and conduct experiments. Join us for a history lesson on the art and science of craft brewing and a preview of this new WKU program!

Presenter: Dr. Andrew McMichael

Dr. Andrew McMichael is the Assistant Dean of the Potter College of Arts & Letters. He writes that "the job of the Dean's office staff is to put out brush fires" and "fostering research and creative activity within the college." As part of that creative activity, Dr. McMichael has been a leader in bringing the new craft brewing program to WKU.

You Never Take All the Makeup Off

Wednesday, November 4

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Knically Conference Center

The Hilltoppers Quartet began with three Western Kentucky University students, Jimmy Saca, Seymore Spiegelman, and Don McGuire, and grew to a foursome when a pianist, Billy Vaughn, was added. They signed with Dot Records in Nashville and recorded "Tryin," written by Vaughn, which was the beginning of a great career for the group. They appeared on Ed Sullivan's Toast of the Town and The Perry Como Show. The dynamics of the foursome changed over the years but their popularity remained.

They enjoyed a series of hits including "PS I Love You, "I'd Rather Die Young," and "Love Walked In."

Presenter: Don McGuire, Original member of the WKU Hilltoppers quartet

Don McGuire, one of the original Hilltoppers, will be the guest presenter for the November 4th Food for Thought event sponsored by the Society for Lifelong Learning. He will bring a wealth of knowledge and stories about his years as a Hilltopper.

Make your reservation now to guarantee your spot for this rare appearance and program by Don McGuire.



"This experience was everything I 'thought' it would be and much more. Imagine being able to 'pick the brain' of WKU's best and brightest in a no-pressure atmosphere where everyone is there because he or she wants to be! The staff were so accommodating and made everything so easy and inviting. Can't wait for fall classes to start!"

- Linda O'Brien

TESTIMONIAL

COURSE SCHEDULE GRID

TIME	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
9:00 - 10:30 a.m.	<p>All About China (8 weeks: Sept. 15 - Nov. 3)</p> <p>Celebrating Local Authors: A Most Unusual Book Club (Sept. 22, 29, Oct. 20, and 27)</p>	<p>Everybody Needs One: Building an Emergency Disaster Kit Time Exception: 9:00-11:00 a.m. (Choose one session: Sept. 16 or 30)</p> <p>Maintain Independence Time Exception: 9:00-11:00 a.m. (One session: Sept. 23)</p> <p>Natural Gardening Time Exception: 9:00-11:00 a.m. (One session: Oct. 7)</p>	<p>Human Rights Heroes (8 weeks: Sept. 17 - Nov. 5)</p>
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	<p>Unraveling the Mysteries of the Symphony Orchestra (3 weeks: Sept. 22, 29, and Oct. 6) - Evening performance Oct. 19</p> <p>The Story of the World's "Go-To" Means of Communication: The English Language (Meets Tues. & Thurs.: Oct. 13 - Nov. 5)</p>	<p>Time Exception: 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.</p> <p>Food for Thought Events: Sept 23: The International Year of South Africa</p> <p>Oct. 14: Southern Reconstructing - Sport and the Future of Religion in the American South</p> <p>Oct. 27: (See 5:30-7:00 Time Slot)</p> <p>Nov. 4: You Never Take All the Makeup Off</p>	<p>The Geology of Kentucky (8 weeks: Sept. 17 - Nov. 5)</p> <p>The Story of the World's "Go-To" Means of Communication: The English Language (Meets Tues. & Thurs.: Oct. 13 - Nov. 5)</p>
12:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.	<p>Lunch Break</p>	<p>Lunch Break</p>	<p>Lunch Break</p>

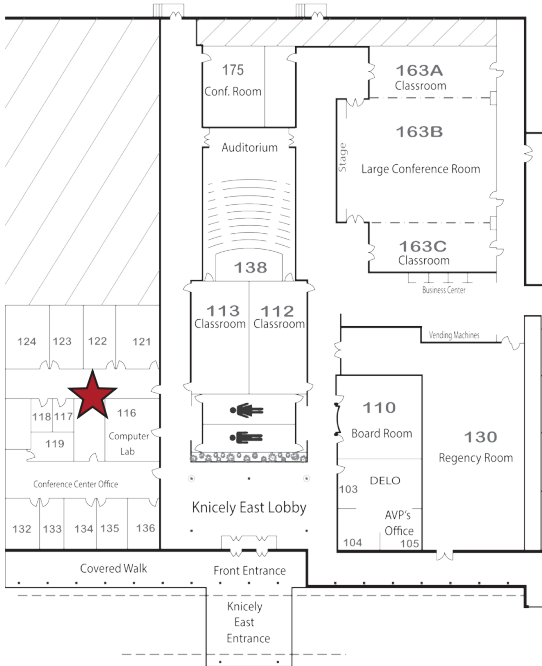
COURSE SCHEDULE GRID

TIME	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
1:30 - 3:00 p.m.	Drawing Basics: Learning to See <i>(8 weeks: Sept. 15 - Nov. 3)</i>	The Middle East: Religion and Politics <i>(8 weeks: Sept. 16 - Nov. 4)</i>	Our Cosmic Connections <i>(8 weeks: Sept. 17 - Nov. 5)</i> Digging Deeper ... Flannery O'Connor <i>(8 weeks: Sept. 17 - Nov. 5)</i>
3:30 - 5:00 p.m.	Ancient Rome in Film <i>(8 weeks: Sept. 15 - Nov. 3)</i>	America's Great Decisions <i>(8 weeks: Sept. 16 - Nov. 4)</i>	Making Memories Into Memoirs <i>(8 weeks: Sept. 17 - Nov. 5)</i>
5:30 - 7:00 p.m.	Christianity: The First Three Thousand Years <i>(6 weeks: Sept. 22 - Nov. 3; class does not meet on Oct. 27)</i> Food for Thought Event: What's "Brewing" at the WKU Center for Research and Development? Craft Beer! <i>(Oct. 27)</i>	The Crash of 2008: Inside the Doomsday Machine <i>(4 weeks: Sept. 16 - Oct. 7)</i>	Join Us for A Random Walk Down Wall Street <i>(8 weeks: Sept. 17 - Nov. 5)</i>

TIME	MONDAY
5:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Preservation and Care of Family Documents and Treasures <i>(4 weeks: Sept. 21 - Oct. 12)</i>

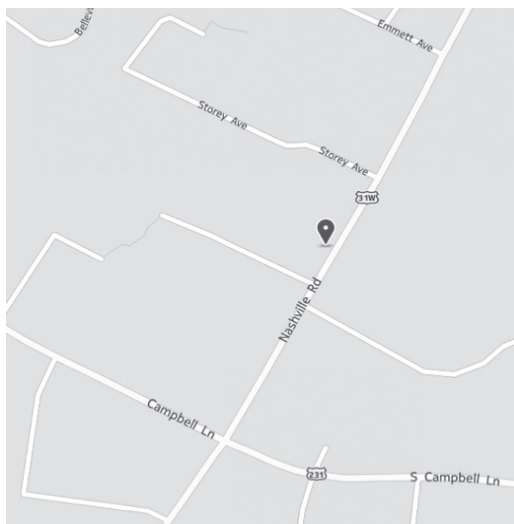
FALL SEMESTER DATES & LOCATION/PARKING INFO

SEPTEMBER 15 - NOVEMBER 5, 2015



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Because the Society for Lifelong Learning is a cooperative educational community, members have the opportunity and obligation to support its objectives through participation on committees, planning groups, or serving as class leaders and instructors.

I WOULD LIKE TO BE ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN:

Teaching or organizing a course on _____

Serving on the following committee:
 _____ Curriculum _____ Volunteer _____ Membership Relations _____ Special Events/Travel

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MEMBERSHIP DUES: _____ New Member _____ Returning Member

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FALL 2015 COURSE SELECTION PLANNING FORM

Please plan and choose your courses in order of priority. Registration for courses is done online at wku.edu/sll/reg and fill on a first-come, first-served basis. Registration for Fall 2015 begins on August 30.

COURSE TITLE	DAY/TIME	ADDITIONAL FEE
1) _____	_____	_____
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11) _____	_____	_____
12) _____	_____	_____

Membership entitles you to register for as many courses as you like, but please only sign up for those you intend to take. A waitlist system is available, and we encourage you to drop any class you cannot attend to make room for another member.

FOUNDING MEMBERS

Please Join Us as Founding Members of the Society for Lifelong Learning at WKU!

Founding memberships are available until December 31, 2015. Please visit wku.edu/sll/giving or call (270) 745-1910 to get more information about how your contribution and participation will support this important educational program.

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