



For more than 30 years, OLLI Mason has provided its members with top-notch cultural and educational lectures, as well as engaging social and trip opportunities. Our programming rewards curious individuals with fun experiences and deeper knowledge." – Executive Director Jennifer Disano

## STAY CURIOUS LEARN EVERY DAY

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at George Mason University is a 50+ community where you can enjoy new experiences, informative lectures and seminars, fun-filled activities, and social gatherings—online and in-person.

### MEMBERSHIP AND COURSE OFFERINGS

- ◆ Over 600 courses and activities in four terms each year, many of which are accessible online.
- ◆ Try us out by attending one or more free class sessions over a two week period.
- ◆ Introductory membership: one term for \$150
- ◆ Introductory annual membership discount for George Mason or Northern Virginia Public School retirees: first year \$150
- ◆ Annual membership fee of \$450 for unlimited courses and special events. Payment plans and financial assistance available.

**Special  
Promotion**

**\$300 Annual  
Membership Fee  
for  
New Members!**

**Winter 2024 Term: January 22—February 16**



Stay connected and engaged through our lectures, seminars, clubs, and events! **Registration begins on November 28th.**

See sample offerings on reverse.

Join today at: [oli.gmu.edu](http://oli.gmu.edu)

Questions? Contact us at 703-503-3384 or [oli@gmu.edu](mailto:oli@gmu.edu)

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Below is a sampling of the courses offered this term

To see our full schedule of offerings, clubs, and social events, visit us at [olli.gmu.edu](http://olli.gmu.edu)

### Art and Music

- Lunar New Year at the National Museum of Asian Art
- The Roots of Rock & Roll
- Virginia Opera Presents "Understanding Opera"

### Current Events

- Supreme Decision Banning Affirmative Action for College Admission
- Local is Everything with Tommy McFly

### Economics and Finance

- Current Economic Events and Their Effect on You
- Protecting Your Next Egg: Investing and Avoiding Scams
- Tax Preparation and Strategies



### History

- Considering a Second Civil War
- Four Heroes of the Civil Rights Movement
- WWII and the Rise of American Intelligence

### Humanities and Social Sciences

- Anthropology of Culture Wars, Part 1
- TED Talk Discussion Group

### Languages

- Intermediate Spanish Grammar and Conversation
- Latin: Level 4

### Literature/Theater/ Writing

- Madeline Miller's *The Song of Achilles*
- Sherlock Holmes and Arthur Conan Doyle and Science
- Women Detective Mystery Stories

### Other Topics

- Iditarod 2024: The Last Great Race
- We're From the Highway Department and We're Here to Help

### Religious Studies

- A Taste of Buddhism
- Christian Theology: Revelation or Philosophy?
- The Historical Jesus

### Science/Technology/ Health

- Can We Stop Climate Change?
- Chair Yoga and Meditation
- Understanding the Cybersecurity Landscape

Activities, Excursions & Clubs

Enjoy camaraderie and fun with other OLLI members!