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UT OLLI SAGE

Fall 2022 Catalog

Mondays & Thursdays
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SCHOLARS: Mon. Sept. 19, 2022
SAGE: Mon. Sept. 19, 2022

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OVERVIEW

Welcome to UT OLLI!

On-campus curriculum will be provided by 4 different programs on their respective day throughout the week.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SAGE	DISCOVER	NOVA	ON-LINE	FORUM

In addition to on-campus exclusive seminars and lectures for each program, this 2022-2023 program year also introduces a Thursday online class for each program. It can be attended by UT OLLI members remotely online. Links to online classes will be emailed to members each week and will be available on the website.

09:30 AM - 10:40 AM

Live from New York, It's (almost) 50 Years of Saturday Night Live

Saturday Night Live has been the highlight of weekend late night broadcasting for almost 50 years, with eras of great humor and others less spectacular. We will chart the evolution of SNL from the 1975 debut to current days with behind the scenes info.

Director(s)



Rose Ann Roth - *Speaker at all Events*

Rose Ann Roth retired from IBM in 2004 and was a charter member of UT Forum. She's served as Forum Seminar Comm. and past chair of the Executive Comm. She has taught for all OLLI groups. She is a new member of SAGE.

Event(s)

10/03/2022	50 Years (Almost) of SNL-Golden Era, Decline, Rebuilding (1975-1985)
10/10/2022	50 Years (Almost) of SNL- Lorne returns, Ferrell and women reign (1985-1995)
10/17/2022	50 Years (Almost) of SNL- 2nd Golden Era, Women and Politics (2005-present)
10/24/2022	50 Years (Almost) of SNL-Writers/Controversies/Politics/Weekend Update
10/31/2022	50 Years (Almost) of SNL-Film Shorts/Musicians/Tragedies/Successes
11/07/2022	50 Years (Almost) of SNL-Anniversary Show 2015/Holiday Shows

09:30 AM - 10:40 AM

Winston Churchill - A Life Well Lived

Sir Winston Churchill, politician, military officer, and writer, served twice as prime minister of Great Britain. His magnificent oratory and staunch opposition to appeasement gave British citizens the courage to defend their country against near over-whelming Nazi aggression.

Director(s)



Richard Brook - *Speaker at all Events*

Richard Brook has taught seminars for Nova and Quest on the history of World War II.

Event(s)

10/03/2022	Winston Churchill- A Life Well Lived
10/10/2022	Winston Churchill- A Life Well Lived
10/17/2022	Winston Churchill- A Life Well Lived
10/24/2022	Winston Churchill- A Life Well Lived
10/31/2022	Winston Churchill- A Life Well Lived
11/07/2022	Winston Churchill- A Life Well Lived

11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

Movers and Shakers

This series will take a look at six successful locally owned companies and the movers and shakers who make them work. Many are entrepreneurs who created their businesses and have worked hard to make them the pride of Austin. And many are visionaries who have used their instinct for good business methods to help shape the contemporary image that Austin is a burgeoning center of artistic, high tech and entertainment entrepreneurship.

Director(s)



Eva Gayle Gibbs

Eva Gayle and George have been active members of UT SAGE since 2003. Eva Gayle is a native of Austin. She and George have 3 children and 6 grandchildren.

Event(s)

10/03/2022	Lammes Candies	Pam Teich
10/10/2022	The Garden Room	Patty Patterson Hoffpaur
10/17/2022	Terra Toys	Charles Edwards Remalda Allsup
10/24/2022	Tarrytown Pharmacy	Blair Newberry Mark Newberry Rannon Ching
10/31/2022	Roya Johnson of West End Properties/Keller Williams Realty	Roya Johnson
11/07/2022	Louis Shanks Furniture	Mike Forwood

11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

Zach does Drama. Again!

Another interesting and entertaining seminar by Zach Ezer, featuring entirely new material. Each class will focus on one particular aspect of drama through in-class reading and discussion of plays. Oh, and by the way, you get to participate - a thrill for SAGE "thespians"!

Director(s)



Zachariah Ezer - *Speaker at all Events*

Zachariah Ezer is a Third-Year MFA Playwriting Candidate and James A. Michener Fellow at the University of Texas at Austin.

Event(s)

10/03/2022	Zach does Drama. Again!--Focus on Plot
10/10/2022	Zach does Drama. Again!--Focus on Character
10/17/2022	Zach does Drama. Again!--Focus on Theme
10/24/2022	Zach does Drama. Again!--Focus on Language
10/31/2022	Zach does Drama. Again!--Focus on Rhythm
11/07/2022	Zach does Drama. Again!--Focus on Spectacle

01:00 PM - 02:15 PM

My Life: An American Jewish Life; And Your Life - In A Changing World

Harvey Burg will relate his personal story as a person of the Jewish faith and his experiences and impressions of subsequent Civil Rights movements. Breakout discussion groups will further explore their own experiences.

Director(s)



Harvey Burg - *Speaker at all Events*

Harvey Burg is a lawyer and member of the Austin-Travis County Hate Crimes Task Force and recipient of the Austin Regional Anti-Defamation League's 2020 Lifetime Achievement Award. He has dedicated a large portion of his life to civil rights, social justice, and fair treatment for all.

Event(s)

10/03/2022	Growing Up in the 1940's and '50's - Harvey's Story and Your Personal Story
10/10/2022	The 1950's and '60s: Growing Up Black and White in Alabama, Texas, and Elsewhere
10/17/2022	The 1960's": How Harvey Became Engaged in the Civil Rights Movement
10/24/2022	How Vietnam Impacted the Civil Rights Movement; Why Harvey Left the South in 1969
10/31/2022	1970's - 1990's: Community Involvement and Transmission of Values and Beliefs
11/07/2022	Civil Rights Today: Harvey's View - Then Yours!

01:00 PM - 02:15 PM

Let's Make Music! The History and Evolution of Music Technology

This seminar explores the history of the music industry and its technologies with topics such as the Rise of the Piano, the Golden Age of Radio, and Home Broadcasting. This industry has influenced human culture, created fortunes, incited wars, and soothed and energized us with its commercialization.

Director(s)



James Kerkhoff - *Speaker at all Events*

From his decades long experience in technology and the Arts, Jim has created an entertaining and interesting journey through the history of today's most innovative discoveries.

Event(s)

10/03/2022	The History/Evolution of Music Technology--Making Music at Home: Rise of the Piano
10/10/2022	The History/Evolution of Music Technology-Rise of Recording (1900-1925)
10/17/2022	The History/Evolution of Music Technology-- The Golden Age of Radio (1925-1950)
10/24/2022	The History/Evolution of Music Technology--Modern Recording Industry (1950-1980)
10/31/2022	The History/Evolution of Music Technology--Electronic Home Studio/The Web(1980-2000)
11/07/2022	The History/Evolution of Music Technology--Home Broadcasting (2000-present)

02:30 PM - 03:40 PM

SAGE Speaker Series

Speaker Series presents six noteworthy speakers addressing their areas of expertise on timely and important topics.

Director(s)



Margaret DuMont

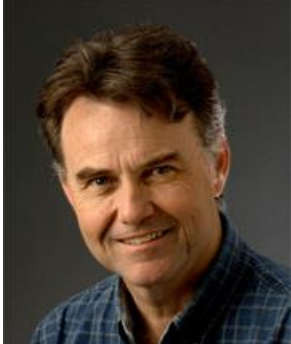

Margaret DuMont is a graduate of the University of Texas (BA and M.Ed,) a former rehabilitation counselor and teacher, and a current English and writing tutor.




Event(s)

10/03/2022	The Psychological and Emotional Impacts of Covid on Children and Adolescents	Roshni Koli
10/10/2022	Tour of Harry Ransom Center	Anne Terrill
10/17/2022	Are Old Environmental Laws Obstructing Green Energy and Infrastructure?	David E. Adelman
10/24/2022	The Impact of World War II on the Study of Natural History and Zoology	Christopher Bell
10/31/2022	The Biologic Origins of Alzheimer's Disease	Jacob Grohman
11/07/2022	Austin Classical Guitar: Changing Lives with Music in Austin & the World	Matthew G. Hinsley

UT OLLI-WIDE Fall 2022 — Online Classes Thursdays

09:30 AM - 10:40 AM Lecture Series

<p>10/06/2022</p>	<p>One Political Cartoonist’s Sketchy Perspective</p> <p>Are you “drawn” to political editorial cartoons? Dave Fitzsimmons lecture at UT OLLI, on October 6th, is one cartoonist’s “sketchy” perspective you don’t want to miss.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">---</p> <p>David Fitzsimmons is a cartoonist, humor columnist and blogger for the Arizona Daily Star. Fitz is syndicated to more than 700 news publications. A Pulitzer finalist in 1988, his award-winning cartoons have drawn both fire and praise.</p>	 <p>David Fitzsimmons</p>
<p>10/13/2022</p>	<p>Preserving the Night Sky</p> <p>Entire generations are growing up unable to appreciate the wonder of a dark, starry sky. Light pollution is more than just an eyesore; it has serious consequences for our health, safety, environment, and scientific research.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">---</p> <p>Stephen Hummel is the Dark Skies Initiative Coordinator for UT Austin's McDonald Observatory. Stephen's educational background is in international relations and astronomy.</p>	 <p>Stephen Hummel</p>

<p>10/20/2022</p>	<p>Ukraine: how did we get here and where are we going?</p> <p>This presentation will offer a short history of Ukraine, focusing on key moments and junctures. It will also explain the historical relationship of Ukraine to Russia and venture to predict, depending on circumstances, where this crisis is headed.</p> <p>---</p> <p>Simanovskyy is a native Ukrainian, studying for a master's degree in Global Policy Studies at the LBJ School; Master of Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies (CREES); graduate research assistant/Global (Dis)Information Lab.</p>	 <p>Mykhaylo Simanovskyy</p>
<p>10/27/2022</p>	<p>COUSINS: A Black Woman and a White Woman Connected Through Slavery</p> <p>What happens when a White woman, Phoebe, contacts a Black woman, Betty, saying she suspects they are connected through slavery? A surprise. Betty responds, "Hello cousin." They share their difficult exploration of the truth and search for reconciliation.</p> <p>---</p> <p>Phoebe Kilby grew up in Baltimore, Maryland, where she lived with her physician father, mother, and sister. Phoebe had a long career as an urban and environmental planner, working on contracts with local, state, and federal governments.</p> <p>Dr. Betty Kilby Fisher Baldwin grew up in rural Culpeper and Warren counties, VA, one of five children. Thanks to her father's determination, she entered and graduated from Warren County High School after suing the school board, based on the landmark Supreme Court Brown vs. Board of Education 1954.</p>	 <p>Phoebe Kilby</p>  <p>Betty Kilby Baldwin</p>

<p>11/03/2022</p>	<p>Covid Brain</p> <p>An update from Dell Medical Interdisciplinary team members - neurologist, internist and social worker – on what’s been learned and the mission of their team.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">---</p> <p>Dr. Esther Melamed, MD PhD is a physician scientist in neuroimmunology. She is currently an Assistant Professor in the Neurology Department and Director of Research of the Post-COVID Program at Dell Medical School.</p> <p>W. Michael Brode, MD, is a board-certified internal medicine specialist and the Medical Director of UT Health Austin’s Post-COVID-19 Program.</p> <p>Aaron Braverman, LCSW-S, is a licensed clinical social worker in the post Covid-19 program in the Department of Internal Medicine at Dell Medical School. Braverman provides psychotherapy, case management and assistance with community resources for those who continue to have long-term symptoms of Covid-19.</p>	 <p>Esther Melamed</p>  <p>William Michael Brode</p>  <p>Aaron Braverman</p>
<p>11/10/2022</p>	<p>Repression under the Chinese Communist Party</p> <p>"We can dig a pit and bury you alive in half an hour and no one on earth would know . . ." Human rights repression in China over the last decade including the crackdown on human rights lawyers and detention of ethnic Uyghurs, touching on the threat this poses beyond China's borders.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">---</p> <p>Rana Siu Inboden is a Visiting Scholar and Adjunct Asst Professor with UT's LBJ School of Public Policy and its Robert S. Strauss Center for International Security and Law. She is working on a PhD at Oxford University.</p>	 <p>Rana Siu Inboden</p>

11:00 AM - 12:10 PM Seminar

The History of Baseball

This seminar will explore the origins, history, and significance of baseball in American life, focusing on the professional game, although there will be discussion of the amateur sport as well. It will also include topics of race, ethnicity, class and gender in this rich history.

Director(s)



Roger Launius - *Speaker at all Events*

Roger D. Launius is an historian and author, and former chief historian of NASA. He retired in 2016 as Associate Director for Collections and Curatorial Affairs for the Smithsonian National Air and Space Museum. Launius has written two books on the history of major league baseball.

Events

10/06/2022	The History of Baseball- Origins
10/13/2022	The History of Baseball- The Professional Game in the 19th Century
10/20/2022	The History of Baseball-The Creation of the Modern Game
10/27/2022	The History of Baseball-Baseball as a Microcosm of American Society
11/03/2022	The History of Baseball-The Problem of New York MLB Dominance
11/10/2022	The History of Baseball-Baseball in the Twenty-First Century

01:00 PM - 02:10 PM Seminar

Smartphone Photography

Get great shots using your smartphone and learn how to edit them on that phone or a desktop computer. We will explore resources and strategies for sharing and keeping them safe. Both seasoned & beginning photographers will learn useful tips & information using the supercomputer in your pocket.

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James Kerkhoff - *Speaker at all Events*

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10/06/2022	Digital photography basics and how they apply to smartphones.
10/13/2022	Using your Smartphone's camera app.
10/20/2022	Editing photos on your phone and desktop computer
10/27/2022	Finding photography resources and sharing photos on the Web.
11/03/2022	Storing Images on your computer and on the Web. Keeping your photos safe.
11/10/2022	Applying these skills to shoot, edit and share video.

02:40 PM - 03:50 PM Seminar

The United States and the Vietnam War

This course surveys the history of U.S. involvement in Vietnam, with particular attention to the origins, course, and legacies of the war.

Directors(s)



Mark Atwood Lawrence

UT Austin History Professor Mark Atwood Lawrence is author of two books on Vietnam, most recently, *The Vietnam War: A Concise International History* (2008).

Events

10/06/2022	Vietnam War: The Vietnamese Context	Mark Atwood Lawrence
10/13/2022	Vietnam War: U.S. Motives for Intervention	Mark Atwood Lawrence
10/20/2022	Vietnam War: The Literature of the War	Brian C McNerney
10/27/2022	Vietnam War: Veterans Panel Roundtable	Mark Atwood Lawrence Greg Snodgrass Chris Mabley John Theiss Kenneth Cauthern Lynne Hudson
11/03/2022	Vietnam War: Ending the War: Why did the United States fail?	Mark Atwood Lawrence
11/10/2022	Vietnam War: Legacies of the War	Mark Atwood Lawrence