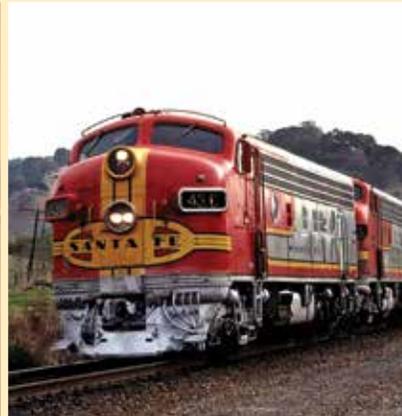


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DEAR LIFELONG LEARNERS,



Back-to-school time is not just for kids! Come ignite your passion for learning; join Osher and enrich your mind as you enjoy

intellectually stimulating courses and engage in pleasurable social interaction with fellow lifelong learners.

Our fall lineup looks great. As you venture through the catalog, you'll discover 31 brand new courses and six special events. We're proud to welcome seven new instructors and engage with 15 community partners.

I invite you to browse our catalog of over 60 offerings. We're sure you will find something that interests you. Join fellow seniors just like you who want to learn – just for the joy of it! Osher members come for the courses and stay for the people.

Sincerely,

Linda Kehres
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SPECIAL REQUEST

The world is emerging from the global pandemic and facing a brighter tomorrow. However, for many, the impact will continue to be felt for some time. While the Osher Institute has adapted well to meet the evolving needs of our seniors, we have faced several financial challenges along the way. Today we're asking for your help.

Has Osher enriched your life? If the answer is yes, please consider a financial gift. Every gift matters; every gift helps.

How to support the Osher Institute:

1. Make a special financial gift to help the Osher Institute recover from COVID-19. Your gift is tax deductible. Call 888-653-6111, or give online at kuendowment.org/osher.
2. Enroll in several fall Osher courses.
3. Refer your friends! See details to the right about our new referral program.



DO YOU WANT TO TEACH AN OSHER COURSE?

If you have an idea for an Osher course or would like to teach a course yourself, please contact Linda at linda.k@ku.edu or call 785-864-1373.

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\$ IT PAYS TO HAVE FRIENDS

Refer a friend and save money! We're looking for lifelong learners who see the value in intellectual engagement and social connection. Encourage a friend or family member to enroll in their first three-week Osher course for an introductory price of \$15. Once they enroll, you will receive 50% off one Osher course (does not include special events). The person you refer must be new to Osher or must not have taken classes since June 1, 2019. All discounts must be used by December 31, 2022. To refer a friend or family member email Linda at linda.k@ku.edu.

WHAT PARTICIPANTS ARE SAYING

"These classes are worth every penny – just wish they were longer."

"I am very happy to make this donation. Osher is a true gift to me at this stage of my life!"

"The instructor's diligent preparation and caring attitude illustrate a deepfelt commitment."

"The courses are wonderfully rich and engagingly presented."

"The instructor is terrific. All the young people in our country should hear her."

COURSE LISTINGS BY LOCATION *Hybrid courses marked with asterisk. All classes meet in-person with the option to join remotely except the classes listed under "Online Only" below.*

Clay County, Missouri

- Burns, Bagpipes, & Barleycorn
- Eugenics: Building the Perfect Race
- George Washington Carver: Scientist & Inventor Born into Slavery

Eudora

- Woodstock at 50

Gardner

- Exploring Reality Beyond Physics: Great Western Philosophers

Lawrence

- A Melody of Voices
- Athletic Footwear from Converse All-Stars to Freestyles to Air Jordans*
- Birds of a Feather: A History of American Birding*
- Going for Baroque: Getting a Handle on Handel & Traveling Back to Bach*
- Grant, the General: The Civil War Campaigns of Ulysses S. Grant*
- Harmony Around the Universe
- History of the World from the Hadean to the Holocene*
- How Hitler Came to Power*
- "King" Coal in Kansas
- Living a Narrative Life
- Making Tracks: American Railroads Then & Now
- Significant United States First Ladies of the Modern Era*
- Small Spaces in High Places: The Geography of Andorra, Liechtenstein, & San Marino*
- Texas: A Revolution & A Republic?*
- The History & Tradition of KU Jayhawk Athletics
- The Medical History of the American Presidency*
- The Roaring Twenties*
- Three Ship Disasters of the 20th Century: The Titanic, Lusitania, & Andrea Doria*

- Trust the Science: Francis H. Snow & His Faculty Colleagues*
- Sharing Poetry from Incarcerated Individuals: A Look Inside the Douglas County Jail*

Lenexa

- The 1950s: A Decade of Prosperity & Change *

Manhattan

- From Spurs to Silver Screen: Kan. Cowboy History & Poetry

Olathe

- German Settlements & Culture in Kansas

Overland Park

- George Washington Carver: Scientist & Inventor Born into Slavery
- Great Ballet Music*
- Mother Teresa: A Powerful Presence in the World*
- Poetry Appreciation, Memorization, & Movement*
- Stargazing with John C. Tibbetts
- The Art & Culture of the Dutch Golden Age*
- The Critical Self-Talk Solution: How to Manage Unwanted Negative Self-talk*
- The Experiences of Six African American U.S. Army Officers in the Trenches of World War I*
- The History of Photojournalism*
- World Politics Today: What's Going On?

Prairie Village

- A Personal Journey Down the Arkansas River & Its Impact on America's Heartland (1803 to present day)
- World Politics Today: What's Going On?

Roeland Park

- Travels To Europe

Topeka

- Ghosts in the White House: The Men & Women Behind the President's Words
- Kansas City: The Adoption Hub of America & the Willows Maternity Sanitarium
- Thanksgiving & Indigenous Foods: A Celebration
- The Federalist Papers: a Blueprint for the American Government
- The Politics of Public Health*

Online Only

- Auschwitz Protocol
- Mobile Storytelling
- Oodles of Noodles
- The Contested Plains: The Making of a Docudrama
- The Land Between the Mountains: Palouse, Great Basin, & Colorado Plateau
- The Literary Resistance to Nazism
- Three Powerful Women of the Populist Movement

COURSE FORMAT

In-person courses take place in-person at the facility with the instructor present. All members are in the same room.

Online courses take place online via Zoom. All members and instructors are attending from their home or other remote location.

Hybrid courses include some members in-person at the facility with the instructor, and some members joining remotely from their home. All members can see and hear the instructor, view the PowerPoint presentation, and ask questions.

Class and event times vary including 1 hour, 90 minutes, 2 hours, etc. Please make note of the class times for your selection.

SPECIAL EVENT DESCRIPTIONS



Bird Banding: The Experience

Bird banding is the scientific practice used to monitor and study wild bird populations. Songbirds are captured in a mist net, aged, sexed, and a small band is placed on the leg before its release. Join Janeen Walters, a federal and state licensed bird bander for over 25 years, as she provides a hands-on experience. We'll meet on Washburn University's environmental site outside of Topeka, first established by Karl Menninger in the early 1930's. A tour of Karl's home and science lab will also take place. While we enjoy a catered lunch, Tom Luellen will provide a sneak peek into his Osher course, "Birds of a Feather: A History of American Birding." We'll be joined by special guest Karl Menninger, grandson to Karl, who will provide family history and discuss his grandfather's longtime interest in nature and conservation. Join us for this unique experience.

Friday, September 30

9:30 a.m. – Arrive at 3440 NW Button Road, Topeka

1 p.m. – Depart

\$45 fee includes demonstration, presentations, guided tours, and lunch.

Refunds will be honored on or before September 15 minus a \$15 administrative fee.



Opportunities Await in Oklahoma

Steeped in western influence and infused with warm Southern hospitality, Oklahoma City (OKC) is a growing cosmopolitan center with plenty to do! The history, cowboy culture, art, parks, high adventure, and unique districts make it a fantastic place to visit. On our way to OKC we'll stop by Guthrie, known for its large historic downtown district and enjoy a catered lunch at The Guthrie Depot in the old Santa Fe Depot, a former "Harvey House." We'll be treated to a presentation from the Guthrie tourism department before heading on to the Oklahoma City National Memorial, to see its recent \$10 million renovation with state-of-the-art technology, hands-on exhibits, new artifacts, and detailed information on the investigation. We'll hear from a National Park Service Guide before our self-guided visit, followed by an exclusive first-person Stories of Hope discussion where a survivor, family member, or first responder will share their story with our group. After checking into the hotel, we'll take a playful boat ride and cruise along the Bricktown Canal with a tour guide providing historical insight. We'll enjoy dinner at Old Spaghetti Factory before returning to the hotel.

Friday, we begin the day with a guided tour at the National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum. Then we'll move on to the Oklahoma City Museum of Arts, which boasts one of the most comprehensive collections of Dale Chihuly glass in the world, including the 55-foot Eleanor Blake Kirkpatrick Memorial Tower in the atrium. We'll spend time in the galleries before enjoying tasty modern indigenous cuisine at Thirty-Nine Restaurant inside the First Americans Museum which just opened a year ago. Next, we'll be treated to a guided tour of the museum which showcases state-of-the-art exhibitions in First American history, culture, and art.

Thursday, October 6 and Friday, October 7

7:30 a.m. – Coach departs the Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Rd., Overland Park, Thursday and returns Friday 8:45 p.m.

8:30 a.m. – Coach departs the Osher Institute, 1515 Saint Andrews Drive, Lawrence, Thursday and returns Friday 7:45 p.m.

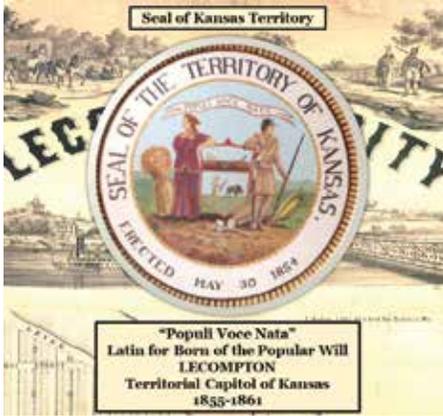
\$440 per person for single occupancy

\$370 per person for double occupancy

Fee includes coach transportation, lodging, museum and gallery fees, guided tours, presentations, one breakfast, two lunches, two dinners, and snacks.

Refunds will be honored on or before September 21 minus an \$80 administrative fee.

SPECIAL EVENT DESCRIPTIONS



History of Lecompton: Birthplace of the Civil War

We'll start the day in Lecompton with a reenactment of the 1850s Town Hall meeting while watching the "Bleeding Kansas" play, featuring unique characters who shaped Territorial Kansas. Next, we'll tour the 1882 Territorial Capital Museum, housed in Lane University, where President Eisenhower's parents were married. Lunch will be served at the 1884 Methodist Church (Windsor Hotel), home to the famous 1885 Chickering Grand Piano. We'll then enjoy a short walk past downtown shops to 1856 Constitution Hall, a National Historic Landmark and Kansas's oldest wood frame building. We'll end the day with a presentation from historian T. Kevin Griffin (retired Major) and discuss the impact the Lecompton constitution, written in the most famous unknown room in America, had on Lincoln, Douglas, and pre-Civil War USA.

Friday, October 21

9:15 a.m. – Arrive at 640 E. Woodson Ave., Lecompton

2 p.m. – Depart

\$50 fee includes "Bleeding Kansas" play, museum fees, guided tours, presentations, and lunch.

Refunds will be honored on or before October 6 minus a \$15 administrative fee.

Historic Fort Riley Tour and Visit to Lindsborg, known as Little Sweden U.S.A.

Fort Riley, established in 1853, is one of the Army's oldest posts. Our visit will consist of a guided tour of the U.S. Cavalry Museum, which chronicles the history of the horse-mounted branch of the service from 1775 to 1950; a guided tour of the newly renovated 1st Infantry Division Museum, the army's oldest and most storied Division; and a tour of the historic Custer House restored to its original 1870s look. We'll see St. Mary's Chapel, the historic Calvary Parade Field, and the gravesite of "Chief," the last calvary horse of the army, and eat lunch on post.

We'll spend the night in Salina and enjoy dinner at Martinelli's Little Italy before departing for Lindsborg on Friday. We'll start the day with a Community Tour as our step-on guide shares facts about Bethany College, the Old Mill and Swedish Heritage Museum, and the 1904 World's Fair Swedish Pavilion. Next, we'll be treated to a docent-guided tour at Birger Sandzen Memorial Art Gallery. Weather permitting, a traditional Swedish buffet will be served at Coronado Heights, the southern-most bluff in the Smoky Hills. We'll visit Small World Gallery, home of National Geographic photographer, Jim Richardson. Then we'll enjoy a guided tour of the Red Barn Studio of folk artist Lester Raymer. We'll end at 350 Degrees to learn more about Swedish holiday foods and purchase tasty treats for the trip home!

Thursday, November 3 and Friday, November 4

7:30 a.m. – Coach departs the Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Rd., Overland Park, on Thursday and returns Friday by 7:45 p.m.

8:30 a.m. – Coach departs the Osher Institute, 1515 Saint Andrews Drive, Lawrence, on Thursday and returns Friday by 6:45 p.m.

9:35 a.m. – Arrive Manhattan Junction (I-70 & KS-177) on Thursday and return Friday by 5:35 p.m.

\$310 per person for single occupancy

\$245 per person for double occupancy

Fee includes coach transportation, lodging, museum and gallery fees, guided tours, presentations, one breakfast, two lunches, and one dinner.

Refunds will be honored on or before October 20 minus an \$80 administrative fee. All participants must present a government-issued ID.

SPECIAL EVENT DESCRIPTIONS



Historic Kansas City Bus Tour

This guided tour takes us by scores of Historic Sites with photo stops. You'll be treated to a first-person account by Octave Chanute, the engineer who designed and built the 1869 Hannibal Railroad Bridge. Learn about the man who mentored the Wright Brothers and has a town named in his honor. Explore sites like the Santa Fe Trail Ruts, Satchel Paige's Grave, Case Overlook Park, the Missouri River Boardwalk, Lewis and Clark campsite, and others. Learn the stories behind KC's 8th Street cable car tunnel, Quantrill, Union Station Massacre, KC's first skyscraper, Thomas Swope and his murder, Nell Donnelly Reed's company and her kidnapping, the Battle of Westport, political boss Tom Pendergast, the NFL's longest game, and KC as the BBQ Capital of the World. We'll enjoy lunch at Minsky's Pizza located in the historic downtown City Market.

Wednesday, November 16

8 a.m. – Coach departs the Osher Institute, 1515 Saint Andrews Drive, Lawrence, and returns by 4 p.m.

9 a.m. – Coach arrives Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Rd., Overland Park, and returns by 3 p.m.

\$95 fee includes coach transportation, tour guide, and lunch.

Refunds will be honored on or before November 1 minus a \$20 administrative fee.



The History and Meaning of Veterans Day

Join us as we explore the founding of Veterans Day and learn how it evolved from Armistice Day at the end of World War I on November 11, 1918. Colonel Bernie Kish, a veteran of the U.S. Army for over 29 years, will share personal reflections of many who gave their lives for our country. Kish will describe the role he played in terms of informing next of kin regarding the death of a loved one. Kish will also recount the death of his own personal family member during World War II, and three of his friends who perished in the Vietnam War. This fascinating lecture will be coupled with a discussion from a panel comprised of veterans who represent World War II, the Korean War, Vietnam, and most recently, the wars in Afghanistan and Iraq.

Thursday, November 10

6:30-8 p.m.

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

\$25 fee includes talk and reception.

Refunds will be honored on or before November 3 minus a \$5 administrative fee.

THREE EASY WAYS TO REGISTER

Register Online

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Call our registration team at 913-897-8530.

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Complete the enclosed registration form and mail with a check or money order to:

KU Lifelong & Professional Education
12600 Quivira Road
Overland Park, KS 66213.

Or visit osher.ku.edu to download and print the registration form.

You are not registered until the registration form is received and processed and there is still room available in the selected course.

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2. Go to the Friends of Osher: Kansas page at facebook.com/osherkansas.
3. Click on the "Like" button under the cover photo, to the right of the name "Friends of Osher: Kansas."
4. The button will change from a thumbs-up icon to a checkmark and say, "Liked."

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

A Medley of Voices



Osher in partnership with Kansas Authors Club presents this author

series featuring various books to encourage seniors to share their own stories. Travel to Illinois and witness murders committed in the '70s, take a walk in nature, learn the joys of hunting and fishing, then cook your prize in delicious recipes. Travel to Vietnam with a monkey named Jo, then make your way into Douglas County Jail to hear voices filled with timeless wisdom and experiences. Get to know teenagers, an Egyptian mummy, and a fundamentalist preacher. Step inside the mind of a gumshoe detective in Wichita, grow up in the 50s and bottle-feed a calf. These are just a few of the adventures that await you. Maybe you too have a story to write! Come join the fun.

Featured guests include: Ann Anderson, *Posts of a Mid-Century Kid*; Brian Daldorph, *Words Is a Powerful Thing*, a 2022 Kansas Notable Book; Hazel Hart, *Cordelia's Journey*; Maryfrances Wagner, *Solving for X*; Mike Graves, *Shadows and Sorrows*, Books 1 and 3 of his series are Kansas Notable Award Winners; Pete Stone, *Private Investigator – Vol. 4*; Mike Hartnett, *And I Cried, Too: Confronting Evil In A Small Town*; Michael Pearce, *Taste of the Kansas Outdoors*, Notable Book of Kansas, 2015; Perry Shepard, *The Hero versus Me and Monkey Jo*; Ronda Miller, *I Love the Child*.

**Thursdays, Oct. 13, 20, 27
10 a.m.-noon**

In Person

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

A Personal Journey Down the Arkansas River and Its Impact on America's Heartland (1803 to present day)

We will explore this heavily regulated river from beginning



to end. From raging rapids to diversion dams for irrigation ditches, to dry streambeds, and finally barge traffic, we will examine the impact this wild, elusive, and embattled river has had on cities, towns, and adjacent farmland, starting with the Louisiana Purchase in 1803 through to the present day.

Hannes Zacharias

**Thursdays, Sept. 22, 29 &
Oct. 6, 2-4 p.m.**

In Person

Meadowbrook Park Clubhouse
9101 Nall Ave., Prairie Village

Athletic Footwear from Converse All-Stars to Freestyles to Air Jordans



Jesse Owens won 4 gold medals in the 1936 Olympics with shoes by the Dassler brothers. We'll explore the design, technology, and materials needed

to manufacture active lifestyle footwear and how to market high-end shoes. Finally, factors like forced labor sweatshops needed to keep Air Jordan costs at \$25 (retailing at \$200) will be examined.

Rich Hughes

**Thursdays, Oct. 13, 20 & 27
2-4 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Auschwitz Protocol



Learn how two Jewish prisoners escaped Auschwitz with detailed information on how the death camps were methodically run like a factory 24 hours a day. We'll explore how the information was disclosed to the world and discuss the heroism of the people who reported it and the drama that ensued.

Russ Hutchins

**Wednesdays, Sept. 21, 28 &
Oct. 5, 1-2:30 p.m.**

Online

Birds of a Feather: A History of American Birding



We'll cover John James Audubon and the frontier ornithologists he inspired. Then we'll examine the development of ornithology as a profession and the beginnings of conservation efforts, such as the Audubon Society. Finally, we'll review the popularity of modern birding, which started in 1934 with *A Field Guide to the Birds*.

Tom Luellen

**Mondays, Oct. 10, 17 & 24
6:30-8:30 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

Burns, Bagpipes, & Barleycorn



Three strands of Scottish culture braid themselves together in a class that

celebrates the essentials of Scotland. Learn to appreciate the life and poetry of Robert Burns. Learn about the kilt and enjoy a demonstration of bagpipe tunes and different pipes. Get a taste of Scotland itself with a lesson on single malt whisky—regions, flavors, and lore.

Tom Averill

**Tuesdays, Nov. 22, 29 & Dec. 6
2-4 p.m.**

In Person

Northland Innovation Center
4th Floor, 6889 N. Oak Traffic Way
Gladstone, MO

Eugenics: Building the Perfect Race



We'll discuss the scientific validity of eugenics (passing on positive

characteristics and eliminating the less desirable) and examine how eugenics enabled sterilization of persons with mental disabilities and anti-immigration statutes, and how Nazi Germany used it to sterilize and kill thousands. We'll also look at its legacy today.

Karl Menninger

**Wednesdays, Sept. 21, 28 &
Oct. 5, 2-4 p.m.**

In Person

Northland Innovation Center
4th Floor, 6889 N. Oak Trafficway
Gladstone, MO

Exploring Reality Beyond Physics: Great Western Philosophers

Religions and science have different concepts of the nature of reality. In this



course we will take a quick journey through the history of philosophy from Ancient Greece to modern America. Along the way we will examine the questions such as: Does God exist? How can we know the truth? What is reality?

James Gaither

**Mondays, Oct. 3, 10 & 17
2-4 p.m.**

In Person

New Century Fieldhouse
551 New Century Parkway, Gardner

From Spurs to Silver Screen: Kansas Cowboy History and Poetry

"If there hadn't been a Kansas, there would not have been a cowboy."



That is the basis for this class, which will cover our state's role in creating this legendary icon. We'll describe the history of the cowboy and how the cowboy has been portrayed in literature, movies, radio, and television.

Ron Wilson

**Mondays, Oct. 3, 10 & 17
3:30-5:30 p.m.**

In Person

Riley County Seniors'
Service Center
301 N. 4th Street, Manhattan

George Washington Carver: Scientist and Inventor Born into Slavery



Born enslaved, Carver was raised by his former masters. At 11 he left to pursue his education in Kansas, graduating from high school

before earning a master's degree from Iowa State University. Carver taught for 50 years at the Tuskegee Institute while developing products from plants, sharing advanced techniques with struggling farmers, and advocating for racial harmony.

Jim Peters

**Tuesdays, Sept. 20, 27 & Oct. 4
2-4 p.m.**

In Person (Open to the public)

Tallgrass Creek
13800 Metcalf Ave. Overland Park

**Tuesdays, Oct. 11, 18 & 25
2-4 p.m.**

In Person

Northland Innovation Center
4th Floor, 6889 N. Oak Trafficway
Gladstone, MO

**Tuesdays, Nov. 1, 8 & 15
2-4 p.m.**

In Person (Open to the public)

Village Shalom
5500 W 123rd St. Overland Park

WHAT PARTICIPANTS ARE SAYING

"Absolutely astounding and amazing. I love the presentation!"

"It's obvious the instructor has completed a massive amount of research."

"It was a walk down memory lane reminding me of things I had forgotten."

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

German Settlements and Culture in Kansas



German is the most prevalent language after English and Spanish spoken at home in 77 counties in Kansas. Since 1854, thousands of German-speaking immigrants have sought better lives here, including Pennsylvania Dutch, Volga Germans, Mennonites, Austrians and Swiss. German churches dot the prairie, and some rural Kansans still speak a dialect of German.

William Keel

Thursdays, Sept. 22, 29 & Oct. 6, 2-4 p.m.

In Person (Open to the public)

Aberdeen Village
17500 W. 119th St., Olathe

Ghosts in the White House: The Men and Women Behind the President's Words



This course examines the changes in White House speechwriting, from the earliest ghostwriters

to contemporary presidential speechwriters. We'll examine speechwriting drafts from Truman, Kennedy, Carter, and George H. W. Bush as well as speech files from Lady Bird Johnson and Barbara Bush.

Diana Carlin

**Tuesdays, Oct. 11, 18 & 25
1-3 p.m.**

In Person (Open to the public)

Brewster Place
1205 SW 29th, Topeka

Going for Baroque: Getting a Handle on Handel and Traveling Back to Bach



This course introduces the lives, times, and music of the Baroque era's most famous composers.

We'll review

Handel and Bach through images, biographical details, music, and patronage in the early 18th century. We will also consider their works in terms of their function, their composition and how to listen to them in a more informed manner.

Paul Laird

**Tuesdays, Sept. 20, 27 & Oct. 4
2-4 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Grant, the General: The Civil War Campaigns of Ulysses S. Grant

Historians cite Grant as the first modern general who understood the concept of Total War. We'll review the Civil War military campaigns of Grant and follow him from field commander in his early battles, to master campaigner, and then moving into the Total War strategist. Come learn about his maneuvers.



Bob Smith

**Wednesdays, Nov. 2, 9 & 16
6:30-8:30 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Great Ballet Music



This course focuses on music composed for ballets. We begin with French ballet during the age of Louis XIV with such masters as Lully, continue with Meyerbeer and Adam to works by Rossini, Verdi, Ponchielli, and Borodin. We'll include the ballets of Tchaikovsky, Stravinsky, and Prokofiev, and finish with American composers Bernstein and Copland, among others.

Don Dagenais

**Wednesdays, Nov. 2, 9 & 16
2-4 p.m.**

In Person and Online

KU Edwards Campus
163 Regnier Hall
12610 Quivira Rd., Overland Park

Harmony Around the Universe

How you ever pondered the significance of the order



all around us? Join us as we explore how art, architecture, geometry, nature, numbers, shapes, and symbols are all connected by understanding that nature is written in symbols and signs. We'll learn how the circle, square, and triangle came to be.

Carol Page

**Friday, Sept. 23
11 a.m.-noon (One day only)**

In Person

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

History of the World from the Hadean to the Holocene

Following the Big Bang 13 billion years ago, particulate matter



began to coalesce forming the Earth 4.6 billion years ago. We'll review the Earth's evolution from hot molten mass of magma at 2,000°F, to the formation of single-celled organisms, to increasingly complex life forms culminating in the rise of man during the Holocene epoch.

Daniel Cudnik

**Friday, Nov. 18
1-3:30 p.m. (One day only)**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

How Hitler Came to Power



Amidst the frequent fears today for democracy's survival, this course

shows how Adolph Hitler was able to transform Germany's Weimar Republic into a world-threatening dictatorship. It describes his rise, his use of propaganda, the world-wide depression, and the machinations of politicians that enabled him to turn a democratic country into the Nazi dictatorship.

Vincent Clark

**Mondays, Oct. 10, 17 & 24
2-4 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Kansas City: The Adoption Hub of America and the Willows Maternity Sanitarium

This course will share the reunion of a mother and daughter 66 years after being separated at birth at the Willows Maternity Sanitarium.



We will delve into the history of the Willows and dozens of other maternity homes that brought more than 100,000 young women shrouded in secrecy to Kansas City.

KelLee Parr

**Wednesdays, Oct. 12, 19 & 26
6-8 p.m.**

In Person

Jayhawk Area Agency on Aging
2910 SW Topeka Blvd., Topeka

"King" Coal in Kansas

We'll explore the development of subsurface coal mining in Crawford and Cherokee counties, making them the center of "King" Coal and resulting in milestones such as Pittsburg reaching 50,000 residents and UMWA membership exceeding 16,000, making it the world's zinc smelting capital. We'll also examine the emergence of area tycoons such as Mackie, Clemmons, and Spencer.



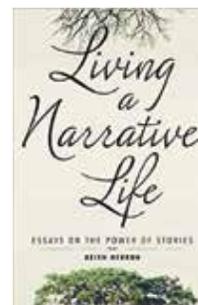
Ken Crockett

**Tuesdays, Oct. 11, 18 & 25
1-3 p.m.**

In Person

Senior Resource Center for Douglas County, 745 Vermont, Lawrence

Living a Narrative Life



We'll celebrate life by exploring our stories across the arc of life and discuss the importance of understanding and valuing them. Our common stories have the power to draw

us together and build community. We'll learn and use narrative principles as we participate in exercises and reflect on how our stories influence other arenas of life.

Keith Herron

Thursdays, Sept. 22, 29 & Oct. 6, 2-4 p.m.

In Person

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Making Tracks: American Railroads Then and Now

We'll explore the economic, political, and cultural impact



of U.S. railroad corporations, passenger, and freight trains, as well as workers who built, ran and maintained them. We'll focus on years from the Civil War to the present and view film clips, read book and magazine excerpts, listen to railroad songs, and see photos from the instructor's own collection.

Carl Graves

**Tuesdays, Nov. 22, 29 & Dec. 6
10 a.m.-noon**

In Person

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

Mobile Storytelling



No matter what you do, you need a voice on social media to promote your business,

your interests, your hobbies, or your cause. In Mobile Storytelling, we learn to tell stories with our smartphones. From shooting, to producing, to design and formatting, learn to create content that engages the communities on social media platforms.

Stephen Knifton

**Mondays, Oct. 31, Nov. 7 & 14
10-11:30 a.m.**

Online

Mother Teresa: A Powerful Presence in the World



Join Marlene as she chronicles Mother Teresa's life in costume, celebrating her simplicity, brilliance, and ultimate dedication. Mother Teresa became a woman of the ages doing what we know must be done but seems impossible to do considering daily time constraints. There was no glory or money given, instead she was compensated in happiness and the love she felt with the human bond.

Marlene Katz

**Monday, November 28
1-2:30 p.m. (One day only)**

In Person and Online

KU Edwards Campus
163 Regnier Hall
12610 Quivira Rd., Overland Park

Ooodles of Noodles

For thousands of years, Chinese noodles and Italian pasta have been a



significant and inseparable part of culture. And like both countries' kaleidoscopic culture, customs, and languages, diverse and unique pasta can be found everywhere and is a unifying element. Come explore the mythology, folklore, and fascinating story of noodles and pasta.

Larry Canepa

**Wednesday, Nov. 30
1-2:30 p.m. (One day only)**

Online

Poetry Appreciation, Memorization, and Movement



Reading Edwardian-era poets such as A.E. Housman, Henry Newbolt, and W.B. Yeats will broaden

the imagination and stretch the mind through memorization. We will also work the body through senior-centric muscle, breath, and balance work, resulting in stronger integrative health.

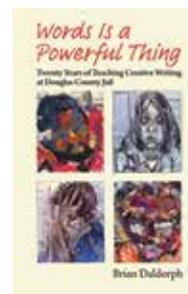
McKay Stangler

**Tuesdays, Oct. 11, 18 & 25
1-3 p.m.**

In Person and Online

KU Edwards Campus
163 Regnier Hall
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Sharing Poetry from Incarcerated Individuals: A Look Inside the Douglas County Jail



We'll bring to light the work of fifty talented writers whose poetry speaks of "what really matters" to all of us. The class provides insight into the role that creativity

plays in aiding survival and bringing positive change for those incarcerated. You'll see inside life at a county jail and understand how education in the U.S. corrections system is often one of the few lifelines available.

Brian Daldorff

**Tuesday, Oct. 4
6:30-8:30 p.m. (One day only)**

In Person

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Significant United States First Ladies of the Modern Era

We will look at eight U.S. first ladies who lived in the 20th and 21st centuries. They are not as well-known as some of the other first ladies, but they



made impressive contributions to the United States. We will study Lou Hoover, Bess Truman, Mamie Eisenhower, Lady Bird Johnson, Pat Nixon, Rosalynn Carter, Barbara Bush, and Laura Bush.

Anita Tebbe

**Thursdays, Sept. 22, 29 &
Oct. 6, 6:30-8:30 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

Small Spaces in High Places: The Geography of Andorra, Liechtenstein, and San Marino

We'll explore common geographic threads between these states



including their political status, their relatively high per capita incomes grounded firmly in tourism, the role of ethnicity in nationhood and corruption related to status as tax havens. We also examine how they managed to survive as independent states since the Medieval period.

Tom Schmiedeler

**Thursdays, Nov. 3, 10 & 17
2-4 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute

1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Stargazing with John C. Tibbetts

We'll review more than 35 years of celebrity interviews across the entire



spectrum of filmmakers and actors (Steven Spielberg, Lauren Bacall, Jim Henson), musicians (Joan Baez, Julie Andrews, Philip Glass), theater people (John Kander, Mary Martin, Carol Channing), and authors (Stephen King, Ray Bradbury). The worlds of film, music, and theatre come alive in these presentations.

John Tibbetts

**Wednesdays, Oct. 12, 19 & 26
10 a.m.-noon**

In Person

KU Edwards Campus

163 Regnier Hall

12610 Quivira Rd., Overland Park

Texas: A Revolution and A Republic?



We'll explore the history of Texas from the initial call for Mexican Independence to forming the Republic of Texas. We'll examine forces leading to American settlement in Texas after 1821 and the Texas Revolution which formed the Republic of Texas. Learn about the mythology of the Alamo and the Battle of San Jacinto along with leaders of the time.

Lindy Eakin

**Tuesdays, Nov. 22, 29 & Dec. 6
6:30-8:30 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute

1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Thanksgiving & Indigenous Foods: A Celebration

In 1492, the "discovery" of the Americas made for the incredible and



continuing exchange of foods between the Eastern and Western hemispheres. From the first legendary Thanksgiving, when Indigenous people shared harvest with Pilgrims, we have celebrated with American foods. Join us for a history and a tasting of the rich larder of the New World.

Thomas Fox Averill

**Tuesdays, Nov. 1, 8 & 15
1-3 p.m.**

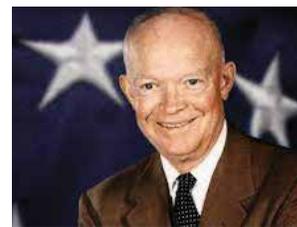
In Person (Open to the public)

Brewster Place

1205 SW 29th, Topeka

The 1950s: A Decade of Prosperity and Change

In the '50s, American led the free world as we witnessed the move to the



suburbs, the birth of Rock'n'Roll, the space race, a baby boom, hot rods, and drive-in movies. We'll examine the rebuilding of Europe, its division into the free West and the Soviet-dominated East, and the end of colonialism in the Far East.

Bob Smith

**Mondays, Nov. 14, 21 & 28
6-8 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Lenexa City Hall at City Center
1701 W. 87th St. Parkway, Lenexa

The Art & Culture of the Dutch Golden Age

The 17th century was the Netherlands' Golden Age. We'll explore its history, culture and art, including botanicals,



churches, landscapes, seascapes, everyday life, and portraits. Long considered a tolerant society, we will see how Dutch art reflected those values as well as their hegemony over the sea, extensive trade, and Protestant religion.

Janice Stuerzl

**Mondays, Oct. 31, Nov. 7 & 14
1-3 p.m.**

In Person and Online

KU Edwards Campus

163 Regnier Hall

12610 Quivira Rd., Overland Park

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

The Contested Plains: The Making of a Docudrama



Deb Goodrich is co-writer of *The Contested Plains*, just released on streaming services which recounts the story of John and Lydia German and their seven children, traveling through western Kansas in 1874 when five were killed and four taken captive. Co-writer and director Ken Spurgeon and others will join the conversation. Among the stars are Mo Brings Plenty and Buck Taylor.

Deb Goodrich

**Tuesdays, Oct. 11, 18 & 25
10 a.m.-noon**

Online

The Critical Self-talk Solution: How to Manage Unwanted Negative Self-talk



Many of us have experienced an inner critic we try to hide from others. Come learn about the different

types of unwanted thoughts to better understand why these thoughts keep getting stuck and uncover ways to break out of the vicious cycle to navigate life more effectively.

Don Booz

**Tuesdays, Nov. 1, 8 & 15
1-3 p.m.**

In Person and Online

KU Edwards Campus
163 Regnier Hall
12610 Quivira Rd., Overland Park

The Experiences of Six African American U.S. Army Officers in the Trenches of World War I

The personal stories of African American Army Officers who lead combat troops in WWI are not well known. We'll examine the experiences of six African American commissioned officers and discuss how they used their education and training to survive in the trenches of France during the war.



Bernard F. Harris Jr.

**Wednesday, Oct. 5
6:30-8:30 p.m. (One day only)**

In Person and Online

KU Edwards Campus
163 Regnier Hall
12610 Quivira Rd., Overland Park

The Federalist Papers: a Blueprint for the American Government

The Federalist Papers were written to promote ratification of the Constitution. Jefferson described them as "the best commentary on the principles of government which ever was written." Supreme Court decisions have quoted them at least 291 times. We'll review some of the most important decisions in which they are cited.



Tom Coleman

**Fridays, Dec. 2, 9 & 16
1:30-3:30 p.m.**

In Person

Jayhawk Area Agency on Aging
2910 SW Topeka Blvd., Topeka

The History and Tradition of KU Jayhawk Athletics



Come learn about KU Olympians who participated in the Olympic Games. We'll focus on KU Athletes – John Hadl and Gale Sayers – and explore KU basketball coaches enshrined in Springfield, Mass., Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame, to include Dr Naismith, Phog Allen, Larry Brown, Roy Williams, and Bill Self. We'll also study Haskell Indian Nation's participation in the games.

Bernie Kish

**Tuesdays, Nov. 1, 8 & 15
6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.**

In Person

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

The History of Photojournalism



Photojournalism – the marriage of pictures and text to tell a factual story – dates to the 1850s. Advancing technology fed the public's demand to

see the news, not just read about it. This course covers the intriguing history – and uncertain future – of photojournalism.

Kevin Boatright

**Wednesdays, Sept. 21, 28 &
Oct. 5, 10 a.m.-noon**

In Person and Online

KU Edwards Campus
163 Regnier Hall
12610 Quivira Rd., Overland Park

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

The Land Between the Mountains: Palouse, Great Basin, and Colorado Plateau

These regions named in reference to rivers have long been inhabited by humans yet



are the least populated areas of the lower 48 states. We'll study geology and how these areas came to their present form and explore how humans lived, interacted with, and now threaten these areas.

James Showalter

**Mondays, Sept. 19, 26 & Oct. 3
10 a.m.-noon**

Online

*In partnership with OLLI at
Oklahoma State University*

The Literary Resistance to Nazism



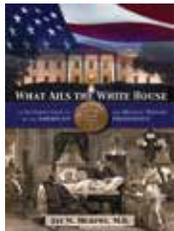
Nazi Germany's rise spurred many efforts by writers to expose the sources of the regime's power and bear witness to its bloody conquest. We'll examine the personal memoir as it was produced by these authors: German lawyer Sebastian Haffner's *Defying Hitler*, published in 2000 but written in 1939; German-Jewish writer Lion Feuchtwanger's *The Devil in France*, published in 1942; and Italian-Jewish chemist Primo Levi's *Survival in Auschwitz*, published in 1947. All testify to the struggle to maintain humanity in the face of terror.

Elijah Bures

**Thursdays, Nov. 3, 10 & 17
10 a.m.-11:30 a.m.**

Online

The Medical History of the American Presidency



This course details the impact injuries and illnesses have had on the American presidency. We'll examine the diagnoses, treatments and controversies

surrounding the presidents, including Andrew Jackson, James Garfield, Woodrow Wilson, Franklin Roosevelt, Dwight Eisenhower, and John Kennedy. And we'll review the role the media played in covering—and uncovering—these ailments.

Jay Murphy

**Tuesdays, Sept. 20, 27 & Oct. 4
10 a.m.-noon**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

The Politics of Public Health

Health is one of our most commodified social goods. This course examines several public health controversies, including health care access and cost; inequity across economic class, race, and gender; the politics of defining what is a disease; mental health access; conflicts surrounding individual rights in public health initiatives; and COVID-19.



Patrick Miller

**Thursdays, Oct. 13, 20 & 27
7-9 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Washburn University
Henderson Learning Center
1700 SW College Ave., Topeka

The Roaring Twenties

The 1920s brought us modern advertising, supermarkets, buying on credit, commercial radio and flight, culture wars, short skirts, voter apathy - even television. Prosperity and mass media expand their reach to more Americans than ever, but this was also a type of anxiety about health, morals, crime, terrorism, corruption, and race relations. This course will discuss them.



Will Haynes

**Mondays, Oct. 10, 17 & 24
10 a.m.-noon**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Three Powerful Women of the Populist Movement



An examination of the influence and differing styles of Kansans Mary Elizabeth Lease, Annie Digges, and the significance of Mrs. S.E.V.

Emery's book, *Seven Financial Conspiracies*. Although they did not have the vote, women were welcomed into the Populist Movement and played significant roles, none more so than these three Kansans.

Lyn Fenwick

**Tuesday, Nov. 1
10-11:30 a.m. (One day only)**

Online

Three Ship Disasters of the 20th Century: The Titanic, the Lusitania, and the Andre Doria

Ocean liners were the primary mode of intercontinental travel from the mid-



19th century until they began to be supplanted by airliners. Advances in design and technology resulted in steamship companies proclaiming their ships to be "unsinkable," a claim proved false by the sinking of these three ships. We'll study the ships and the hubris underlying these claims.

Paul Post

**Tuesdays, Nov. 22, 29 & Dec. 6
1-3 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Travel To Europe



We will explore some of the best quaint locations throughout western Europe. Discover the ways to travel from someone who has done everything

from backpacking alone to attending group tours by bus, train, or river boat. Countries will include Italy, France, Portugal, Germany, Austria, The Netherlands, Norway, and England. Many learning experiences from over 26 trips to Europe will be shared with the class. Find out the "do's" and "don'ts" of travel that will make your trips more rewarding.

Georgia Klein

**Mondays, Nov. 21, 28 & Dec. 5
10 a.m.-noon**

In Person

Roeland Park Community Center
4850 Rosewood Dr., Roeland Park

Trust the Science: Francis H. Snow and His Faculty Colleagues

KU's first natural history professor began a tradition of dynamic research and teaching that nurtured the careers of men and women as committed as he was to scientific advancement and service to their fellow Kansans. In this course we examine their contributions to KU and their fields of expertise.



Evie Rapport

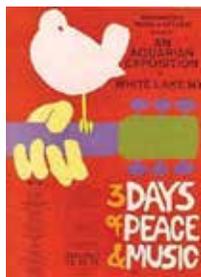
**Tuesdays, Oct. 11, 18 & 25
6:30-8:30 p.m.**

In Person and Online

Osher Institute
1515 St. Andrews Dr., Lawrence

Woodstock at 50

Join the conversation as we recall this seminal time in American history. We'll explore cultural and political events of the time. While Monterey introduced the world to many soon-to-be famous performers, Woodstock gave its name to a generation, and Altamont brought the era of love and trust to a sad end.



Steve Lopes

**Wednesdays, Oct. 12, 19 & 26
2-4 p.m.**

In Person

Eudora Community Museum
720 Main Street, Eudora

World Politics Today: What's Going On?

We'll explore how the U.S. is dealing with a changing global landscape and attempt to interpret the lessons historians have documented for centuries. We'll discuss contemporary issues such as terrorism, forced immigration, cyberspace, nuclear weapons, and the U.S.'s relationships with China, Europe, Russia, and the Middle East.

Chick Keller

**Tuesdays, Oct. 11, 18 & 25
1-3 p.m.**

In Person (Open to the public)

Mission Chateau
4100 W. 85th Street, Prairie Village

**Thursdays, Nov. 3, 10 & 17
2-4 p.m.**

In Person (Open to the public)

Tallgrass Creek
Retirement Community
13800 Metcalf Ave., Overland Park

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INSTRUCTOR BIOGRAPHIES

Ann Anderson is the author of *Posts of a Mid-Century Kid*, a memoir about growing up in Kansas in the '50s and '60s. She teaches at the Jayhawk Tennis Center and is a KU graduate.

Thomas Fox Averill is professor emeritus at Washburn University where he taught Kansas literature, folklore, and film for more than 40 years. He is the author of three story collections and five novels. His most recent book is *Found Documents from the Life of Nell Johnson Doerr: A Novel*.

Kevin Boatright is emeritus director of external affairs in the KU Office of Research. He has a bachelor's degree in English and master's degrees in journalism, history, and higher education administration. He studied Canadian history at the University of Northern Iowa and the University of Manitoba.

Don Booz is an executive coach recognized for his expertise in linking emotional intelligence and self-awareness to personal goals. He is an author, speaker, and trainer. He is also a Master Practitioner in Neuro-Linguistic Programming and trainer for Jack Canfield's Success Principles.

Elijah Bures holds a Ph.D. in history from UC Berkeley. He is a fellow at Berkeley's Center for Right-Wing Studies and the author of multiple essays and scholarly articles on far-right politics.

Chef **Larry Canepa** is a Certified Culinary Educator with over 40 years of food and beverage experience and 20 years of teaching cooking, food and culture, and STEAM-focused classes. He has taught culinary classes at Le Cordon Bleu, the International Culinary School at the Art Institute, corporate wellness events, libraries, community centers and other venues.

Diana Carlin, Ph.D., is Professor Emerita of Communication at Saint Louis University and a retired professor of Communication Studies

at KU. She has written several articles and co-authored a book on gender and politics. She also taught courses on women as political leaders, the rhetoric of women's rights and communication and gender.

Vincent Clark holds a doctorate in modern European history; his graduate work includes a Fulbright Graduate Fellowship at Germany's University of Heidelberg. He was history professor and chair of the history department at Johnson County Community College and has published articles and books.

Tom Coleman holds a bachelor's degree in business and economics from Washburn University and is a retired Federal Contracting Officer.

Ken Crockett was born in Pittsburg, Kan., in a family of coal miners. He was educated at Central Missouri State University (BA degree) and Washburn University of Law (Juris Doctor). He is the author of two books relative to Kansas mining (*Missouri Coal Miners Strike* and *Kenneth and Helen Spencer, Champions of Culture & Commerce In The Sunflower State*).

Daniel Cudnik is a retired board-certified plastic surgeon from Ohio who resides in Kansas. He formerly served as President of the Medical Staff and sat on various boards of trustees. He has a passion for history and shares his knowledge with others, actively presenting for civic groups on historical topics mixing medicine with history.

Don Dagenais has been a preview speaker for the Lyric Opera for more than 20 years, and he teaches classical music and opera courses for local organizations. He enjoys studying American political history and has compiled an extensive collection of memorabilia from presidential political campaigns from 1840 to the present. He recently retired as a real estate attorney.

Brian Daldorph is creative writing instructor at the Douglas County jail and senior lecturer in the English

Department at KU. He is an award-winning author of seven books including *Ice Age*, *Kansas Poems*, and others.

Lindy Eakin has his doctorate in history from the University of Kansas. He has taught classes in Native American history, the Spanish Frontier in North American and U.S. history. He has published on native peoples in Spanish Texas.

Lynda Beck Fenwick lives a life fueled by curiosity, as a teacher, attorney, and author. She has published three books, one of which she was named nonfiction Georgia Author of the Year. Her new book is, *Prairie Bachelor, the Story of a Kansas Homesteader, and the Populist Movement*.

James Gaither, Th.D., holds a master's degree in philosophy from the University of Kansas and Th.D. from Holos University Graduate Seminary. For over 25 years he has taught courses in history of Western thought, world religions, metaphysics, and ethics and is currently semi-retired.

Deb Goodrich, the host of the TV show "Around Kansas," and the Garvey (Texas) Foundation Historian in Residence at the Fort Wallace Museum, chairs the Santa Fe Trail 200. She has appeared in many documentaries including "The Road to Valhalla," "Aftershock," and "American Experience" on Jesse James, and the series, "Gunslingers" on AHC. She wrote and produced the docudrama, "Thof's Dragon."

Carl Graves, Ph.D., holds a master's degree in U.S. history from KU and a doctorate from Harvard. He taught at the university and community college levels, and at Kansas City's Pembroke Hill School.

Mike Graves, author of *Shadows and Sorrows*, (books 1 and 3 of which are Kansas Notable Award winners) and *Pete Stone Private Investigator – Vol. 4*.

INSTRUCTOR BIOGRAPHIES

Bernard F. Harris Jr., Ph.D., is a retired military veteran and graduate of Kansas State University. An adult educator and historian, his work is found in the *Ethnic and Racial Minorities in the U.S. Military: An Encyclopedia*; a co-authored book titled *Savannah 1779*, and in the *Annals of Iowa Journal*.

Hazel Hart is the author of ten novels, including a five-book historical series set in Kansas. Themes include faith, family, and friendship.

Mike Hartnett is a retired educator and author of *And I Cried, Too: Confronting Evil In A Small Town*. He is an award-winning business journalist, and co-author of the play, *Worthy Of The Name*.

Will Haynes has a doctorate in history from the University of Kansas. He plans, manages, and promotes public programming at the Watkins Museum of History, the headquarters of the Douglas County Historical Society.

Keith Herron has a foot in two worlds and explores the line between Spirit and Self. He has a doctorate in pastoral counseling and psychotherapy and a background as a local pastor. He is semi-retired and the author of *Living a Narrative Life: Essays on the Power of Stories*.

Rich Hughes received a bachelor's degree from KU and a master's in computer science from KSU. Hughes worked in various information technology and data analytic jobs and is an avid history buff after retirement. He has written three books rooted in Kansas and American history: *Netting Out Basketball, 1936, Hitler's Olympic Festival*, and *If the Shoe Fits*.

Russ Hutchins teaches U.S. history, Western civilization, economics, business, philosophy and business management at Friends University. He is a retired public school administrator and educator.

Marlene Katz, a graduate from the University of Missouri was an

adjunct professor at UMKC where she taught English and literature. Marlene has a 28-year teaching career and has been involved in storytelling for 20 years. Marlene has lectured at various groups, often in costume and speech of the character she is portraying.

William Keel, Ph.D., is a professor emeritus of German at KU, having taught the history and culture of German settlements in Kansas and Missouri.

Charles "Chick" Keller is a retired senior executive and retired professor. He worked 15 years each at Sprint and Black and Veatch in strategic planning and strategic marketing rising to vice president. In 2000, Chick became a professor at the University of Kansas, Master of Engineering Management program where he taught Finance and Strategic Planning.

Bernie Kish has taught sport management classes at KU since 2005. He has authored the chapter on KU Athletics in the recently published book *Transforming the University of Kansas: A History, 1965- 2015*. Kish is a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving on active duty for over 29 years and completing his service as a full colonel.

Georgia Klein is a retired educator from the Shawnee Mission School District. Her love of Kansas City history led her to develop the tour as a business. The last four years she has been doing the walking tour as part of Road Scholar tours of Kansas City.

Stephen Knifton is an Emmy-winning TV news producer, creating and producing engaging and highly rated news programming. Steve also created work for museums, engineers, architects, designers, hospitality + tourism, and business development clients. He has taught (remotely) video storytelling and smartphone filmmaking at several colleges and has lived and worked in New York and Toronto, distance-teaching in Canada and the U.S.

Paul Laird is professor of musicology at the University of Kansas. He has published widely on musical history topics including four books on Leonard Bernstein. The most recent is the biography of Leonard Bernstein in the "Critical Lives" series from Reaktion Books (University of Chicago Press).

Steve Lopes, A.E., B.A., M.A., M.Ed., was an educator for 15 years prior to 30 years of advocating for teachers as a Kansas-NEA organizer. He enjoys researching Rock 'n' Roll history and sharing it with Osher participants.

Thomas Luellen recently retired after 31 years in hospital administration and 14 years as an adjunct instructor at Washburn University. He has a master's degree in geography from KU. His personal interests have always been his native state and its history.

Karl Menninger retired from a legal career in federal and state government, mostly dealing with issues concerning persons with disabilities. He teaches courses on disabilities and the law and the insanity defense at the University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law.

Patrick Miller, associate professor of political science at KU, directs the Washington, D.C. Internship Program specializing in political psychology, public opinion, electoral behavior, survey methods, and statistics. He received his B.A. from the College of William & Mary in Virginia, and his Ph.D. in Political Science from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Ronda Miller, author of *I Love the Child*, is a Life Coach working with clients who have lost someone to homicide. She teaches "The Importance of Voice in Trauma Transformation" for the Johnson County Library, School of Trades and Corrections. She has five previous poetry collections and is a former state President of Kansas Authors Club.

INSTRUCTOR BIOGRAPHIES

Dr. Jay Murphy is a retired cardiologist who practiced in Johnson County, Kan. for 40 years. He graduated from Denison University and The Ohio State College of Medicine then completed post graduate training at KU. He is the author of *What Ails the White House: An Introduction to the Medical History of the American Presidency*.

Carol Page graduated from Kansas State Teachers College (now ESU) and retired from a 31-year career in real estate. She has authored two books and has taught classes on various topics. She has been an active Osher participant for many years.

KelLee Parr holds bachelor's degrees in agriculture and education plus a master's degree in adult and occupational education from Kansas State University. He taught elementary school many years and now writes science curriculum for Nancy Larson Publishers.

Michael Pearce's *Taste of the Kansas Outdoors*, was a Notable Book of Kansas. Pearce is Kansas' top all-time outdoors/nature writer. He had a 17-year career as a featured writer/photographer for *The Wichita Eagle*, and was a leading independent journalist for 24 years.

Jim Peters, J.D., is director emeritus of the Osher Institute at KU. He is a graduate of Southern Illinois University at Carbondale and the New England School of Law. He teaches courses on John Brown, the Underground Railroad, Arlington National Cemetery, Harry Truman, Teddy Roosevelt, Eleanor Roosevelt, George Washington Carver, and presidential assassins, among others.

Paul Post, a native Kansan, received a B.A. in History from KSU and a law degree from the KU Law School in 1974. Now retired, he is a member of the Topeka Landmarks Commission and was Commission Vice Chair in 2018. He has authored essays on the history of SBA Hill/former Menninger Campus in Topeka; Topeka's Bates Family; The Fred Harvey Company; and on Duke Ellington.

Evie Rapport, since retiring as a journalist and editor, has made a special study of KU founders and early faculty.

Tom Schmiedeler, Ph.D., is professor emeritus of geography at Washburn University.

Perry Shepard has written two novels: *The Hero versus Me and Monkey Jo and Hard Love*. He is working on a novel: *Wolfgang*.

James Showalter has seven years of experience with historic preservation and 31 years of teaching history at the university level. One of several areas of expertise he has developed is the history of religion worldwide.

Robert Smith, Ph.D., is the Director of the Fort Riley Museum. He has a doctorate in history from KSU and has published numerous articles on military history.

McKay Stangler is a former college professor and current conservation fundraising professional. He holds a bachelor's degree in Russian literature, a master's in journalism, and a doctorate in classical rhetoric. He is also a certified personal trainer and certified group fitness instructor who focuses on senior fitness.

Janice Stuerzl enjoys art history. After retiring from a 20-year career in social work, she became a docent at the Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art. She has contributed research on French decorative arts for interior design books and has been field editor for interior design articles in national magazines.

Attorney **Anita Tebbe** is a retired a professor of legal studies at Johnson County Community College.

John Tibbetts is emeritus professor at KU, where he taught courses in film history, media studies, and theory and aesthetics. He is an author, educator, broadcaster, artist, and pianist. He holds a Ph.D. from KU in multi-disciplinary studies and was awarded the Kansas Governor's Arts in Education Award in 2008. In class he draws upon his book, *Composers in the Movies* (Yale, 2005).

Maryfrances Wagner's 10th book is *Solving for X*. She is currently the Missouri Poet Laureate and co-edits *I-70 Review*.

Ron Wilson is director of the Huck Boyd National Institute for Rural Development at K-State. He serves as secretary of the national chapter of Western Wordsmiths, was named an Ambassador for the National Multicultural Western Heritage Museum in Fort Worth, Texas, and is an official spokesperson for the National Day of the Cowboy.

Hannes Zacharias is the Robert A. Kipp Professor of Practice for the KU School of Public Affairs and Administration following a 35-year career in local city and county government administration. He has served as city manager of Boonville, Mo., Hays, Kan., and county manager for Johnson County, Kan.

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VOLUNTEER LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Looking to be more involved outside of your classroom experience? We are seeking committed, engaged Osher participants to join us and volunteer your time, talent, expertise and/or resources to help us grow.

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How can we get the word out about Osher? Who can we partner with to expand our offerings? Where do we find new members? How do we re-engage with previous members? We welcome your ideas and suggestions on how to spread the word about the KU Osher Institute.

Program Development Committee

Are you willing to brainstorm on how to attract new instructors? Do you have ideas for course topics we have not taught before? Are you excited about the thought of helping us discover intriguing events? If so, please join us as we explore new possibilities.

Resource Development Committee

If you see the value of the KU Osher Lifelong Learning Institute and want to share your passion with others, and you're interested in helping us create a sustainable program rich in resources to enhance program offerings, then we need your help. Connecting us with individuals and organizations who can financially support our program is a much-needed role.

If you have been positively impacted by the Osher program, please consider giving back in this way and volunteer for a committee. Reach out to linda.k@ku.edu for more information. Thank you!

OSHER GIFT CARDS: GIVE THE JOY OF LEARNING



A gift card to the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at KU offers a unique opportunity to enrich the life of that special someone, a family member or good friend. With an Osher Institute gift card, you open the worlds of art, music, science, history, and a wide variety of special events.

A \$50 gift card allows your recipient an opportunity to enroll in one of Osher's courses or apply the money toward a special event specially developed for folks 50 or better. No homework. No tests. No pressure. It's learning just for the joy of it!

With your gift order, the recipient will receive a handsome card announcing your gift and acknowledging you as the donor (you can give anonymously, too). A catalog will follow shortly thereafter listing the forthcoming courses and events.

It's a unique gift idea that is easy and fun.

**Call today!
913-897-8530**

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

Class Cancellation

Although unlikely, a class may be canceled due to low enrollment or other circumstance beyond the Institute's control. Members will be notified by email and have the option to transfer their registration to another course, donate their fee or request a refund.

Refund Policy

If there is no stated deadline, a written or emailed request (lpe@ku.edu) for a refund will be honored up to one week before a course or special event begins. There will be a \$5 administrative fee for all courses. Special event refund fees vary per event. A \$30 fee will be charged for returned checks.

Privacy Policy

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at the University of Kansas does not share, sell, or rent its mailing lists. You have our assurance that any information you provide will be held in confidence by the Institute.

We occasionally use mailing lists that we have leased. If you receive unwanted communication from the Institute, it is because your name appears on a list we have acquired from another source. In this case, please accept our apologies.

Program Accessibility

We accommodate persons with disabilities. Please call 913-897-8530 to be connected to someone who can assist. To ensure accommodation, please register at least four weeks before the start of the class. See the nondiscrimination policies that follow.

University of Kansas Nondiscrimination Policy

The University of Kansas prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, ethnicity, religion, sex, national origin, age, ancestry, disability status as a veteran, sexual orientation, marital status, parental status, gender identity, gender expression, and genetic information in the university's programs and activities. Retaliation is also prohibited by university policy. The following persons have been designated to handle inquiries regarding the nondiscrimination policies and are the Title IX coordinators for their respective campuses: Director of the Office of Civil Rights and Title IX, civilrights@ku.edu, Room 1082, Dole Human Development Center, 1000 Sunnyside Avenue, Lawrence, KS 66045, 785-864-6414, 711 TTY (for the Lawrence, Edwards, Parsons, Yoder, and Topeka campuses); Director, Equal Opportunity Office, Mail Stop 7004, 4330 Shawnee Mission Parkway, Fairway, KS 66205, 913-588-8011, 711 TTY (for the Wichita, Salina, and Kansas City, Kansas medical center campuses).

OSHER FEES

The Osher Institute strives to keep fees as low as possible to help ensure more individuals are able to afford courses. Participants have the ability to enroll in three-week courses for a \$50 per course registration fee. We also offer one-day courses for a \$25 per course registration fee. The cost of special events varies.

Zoom Course Participation

An individual registration is required for each person in the home, as Zoom links are not to be shared.

Individuals with disabilities are encouraged to attend University of Kansas sponsored events. If you require a reasonable accommodation in order to participate in an event, please email lpe@ku.edu or call 913-897-8530 at least three weeks before the first day of the event. Some events may require notice earlier than three weeks and require you contact a specific individual; if so, that information is provided in the event-specific information.

THANK YOU

A special thank you to the Bernard Osher Foundation. Established in 1977 by its namesake Bernard Osher, the foundation supports a network of 125 Osher Lifelong Learning Institutes across the U.S. to meet the needs of older learners who want to learn simply for the joy of it. Since 2007, the Foundation has awarded two \$1 million endowed grants to KU Lifelong & Professional Education. To learn more visit osherfoundation.org.

HOW TO BECOME A FRIEND OF OSHER

Friends of Osher is a special group of people who donate funds to support the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at the University of Kansas. These generous individuals recognize that accessible, low-cost, high-quality educational opportunities enrich the lives of adult learners. They also help us expand our programming and add new sites for courses and special events. Will you join them?



Contributions to Friends of Osher benefit our community and the Osher Institute by:

- Helping keep Osher's tuition and fees low
- Enabling more people to attend our courses and events
- Continuing our efforts to attract highly-qualified instructors
- Expanding into areas in need of lifelong learning opportunities
- Maintaining the technology we need to sustain the quality of our programming

Every contribution helps. Please donate today.

- Supporter\$50-\$74
- Patron\$75-\$99
- Benefactor\$100-\$249
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- Trustee.....\$500-\$999
- Regent.....\$1,000+

It's easy to contribute. You can make your donation by completing the registration form included in this catalog, by calling toll free 888-653-6111, or by going online to kuendowment.org/osher.

Planned Giving: Become a Legacy Friend of Osher

Planned giving is a way for you to leave a legacy of lifelong learning to ensure that future learners will have the opportunities for

intellectual engagement that are now enriching your life through the Osher Institute at KU.

Planned giving is finding ways to make charitable gifts now, or after your lifetime, while enjoying financial benefits for yourself. These gifts are sometimes referred to as "stop-and-think" gifts because they require planning and sometimes help from your professional advisors. Unlike cash donations, they are typically made from assets in your estate rather than disposable income and come to fruition upon your death.

Planned gifts include:

- A bequest in your will or living trust
- A charitable gift annuity
- A charitable lead trust
- An endowment fund
- Retirement plan assets
- Life insurance policies
- A remainder interest in your home

A misconception is that planned giving is only for the "wealthy." The truth is, even people of modest means can make a difference through planned giving.

To learn how you can support Osher's mission while ensuring your family's financial security, call Andy Morrison at 785-832-7327 or email amorrison@kuendowment.org.

PART I OSHER FALL 2022 REGISTRATION (one registration form per person)

A. TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF (please print)

Full name (First, MI, Last, Suffix) _____ Preferred name _____
 Email _____ Daytime phone (_____) _____
 Address _____ City, State, ZIP _____
 Date of birth _____ Male Female
 Are you a U.S. Citizen? Yes No If no, country of citizenship: _____
 Name of my residential community, if applicable _____

B. COURSES Abbreviated courses can be found on Pages 7-15. Full descriptions available online at lpe.ku.edu/osher. All courses are three-week sessions unless noted. All are Central Time.

Title	In-person	Online	Start Date
Clay County, Missouri <small>(Clay County residents \$15. Open to public.)</small>			
Burns, Baggpipes, & Barleycorn	<input type="checkbox"/>		Nov. 22
Eugenics: Building the Perfect Race	<input type="checkbox"/>		Sept. 21
George Washington Carver	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 11
Eudora			
Woodstock at 50	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 12
Gardner			
Exploring Reality Beyond Physics	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 3
Lawrence			
A Melody of Voices	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 13
Athletic Footwear	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 13
Birds of a Feather	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 10
Going for Baroque	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sept. 20
Grant, the General	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 2
Harmony Around the Universe <small>(One day)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Sept. 23
History of the World <small>(One day)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 18
How Hitler Came to Power	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 10
"King" Coal in Kansas	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 11
Living a Narrative Life	<input type="checkbox"/>		Sept. 22
Making Tracks: American Railroads	<input type="checkbox"/>		Nov. 22
Sharing Poetry from Incarcerated Individuals <small>(One day)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 4
Significant U.S. First Ladies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sept. 22
Small Spaces in High Places	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 3
Texas: A Revolution and A Republic?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 22
The History of KU Jayhawk Athletics	<input type="checkbox"/>		Nov. 1
The Medical History of Presidency	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sept. 20
The Roaring Twenties	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 10
Three Ship Disasters-20th Century	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 22
Trust the Science: Francis H. Snow	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 11
Lenexa			
The 1950s: Prosperity & Change <small>(Lenexa seniors no charge. Open to public.)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 14
Manhattan			
From Spurs to Silver Screen	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 3
Olathe			
German Settlements & Culture in KS <small>(Aberdeen Village residents no charge. Open to public.)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Sept. 22
Overland Park			
George Washington Carver <small>(Tallgrass Creek residents pay \$0 upfront & billed \$25 by Tallgrass Creek upon course completion. Open to public.)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Sept. 20

Title	In-person	Online	Start Date
Overland Park (continued)			
George Washington Carver <small>(Village Shalom residents no charge. Open to public.)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Nov. 1
Great Ballet Music	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 2
Mother Teresa: Powerful Presence <small>(One day)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 28
Poetry Appreciation, Memorization, & Movement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 11
Stargazing with John C. Tibbetts	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 12
The Art & Culture: Dutch Golden Age	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 31
The Critical Self-Talk Solution	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 1
The Experiences of 6 African American Army Officers in WWI <small>(One day)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 5
The History of Photojournalism	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sept. 21
World Politics Today <small>(Tallgrass Creek residents pay \$0 upfront & billed \$25 by Tallgrass Creek upon course completion. Open to public.)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Nov. 3
Prairie Village			
A Personal Journey Down the Arkansas River	<input type="checkbox"/>		Sept. 22
World Politics Today <small>(Mission Chateau residents no charge. Open to public.)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 11
Roeland Park			
Travels To Europe	<input type="checkbox"/>		Nov. 21
Topeka			
Ghosts in the White House <small>(Brewster Place residents no charge. Open to public.)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 11
KC: Adoption Hub of America & Willows Maternity Sanitarium	<input type="checkbox"/>		Oct. 12
Thanksgiving & Indigenous Foods <small>(Brewster Place residents no charge. Open to public.)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Nov. 1
The Federalist Papers	<input type="checkbox"/>		Dec. 2
The Politics of Public Health	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 13
Online Only			
Auschwitz Protocol		<input type="checkbox"/>	Sept. 21
Mobile Storytelling		<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 31
Oodles of Noodles <small>(One day)</small>		<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 30
The Contested Plains: The Making of a Docudrama		<input type="checkbox"/>	Oct. 11
The Land Between the Mountains		<input type="checkbox"/>	Sept. 19
The Literary Resistance to Nazism		<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 3
Three Powerful Women of Populist Movement <small>(One day)</small>		<input type="checkbox"/>	Nov. 1

PART II OSHER FALL 2022 REGISTRATION (continued)

C. SPECIAL EVENTS Special events are not considered courses. All events are Central Time. lpe.ku.edu/osher-special-events

- Bird Banding: The Experience**; Sept. 30 \$45
 - Opportunities Await in Oklahoma**; Oct. 6 & 7
 - Double Occupancy \$370
 - Single Occupancy \$440
 - History of Lecompton: Birthplace of the Civil War**; Oct. 21 \$50
 - Historic Fort Riley Tour and Visit to Lindsborg**; Nov. 3 & 4
 - Double Occupancy \$245
 - Single Occupancy \$310
 - The History and Meaning of Veterans Day**; Nov. 10 \$25
 - Historic Kansas City Bus Tour**; Nov. 16 \$95
- SUBTOTAL \$ _____**

D. SCHOLARSHIPS

- Aberdeen Village residents no charge for "German Settlements in Kansas";
\$50 for other courses ____ # of free courses ____ # of other courses (x\$50) TOTAL \$ _____
 - Brandon Woods residents allowed to choose one course for free; \$50 for other courses
Title of free class: _____ # of other courses (x\$50) TOTAL \$ _____
 - Brewster Place residents no charge for "Ghosts in the White House" and "Thanksgiving";
\$50 for other courses ____ # of free courses ____ # of other courses (x\$50) TOTAL \$ _____
 - Clay County residents, age 60+ pay \$15 per course for "Eugenics,"
"George Washington Carver" and "Burns, Bagpipes, and Barleycorn"; \$50 for other courses
____ # of courses (x \$15) ____ # of other courses (x\$50) TOTAL \$ _____
 - Lenexa seniors no charge for "The 1950s: A Decade of Prosperity and Change";
\$50 for other courses ____ # of free courses ____ # of other courses (x\$50) TOTAL \$ _____
 - Mission Chateau residents no charge for "World Politics Today: What's Going On?";
\$50 for other courses ____ # of free courses ____ # of other courses (x\$50) TOTAL \$ _____
 - Tallgrass Creek residents pay \$0 upfront for "George Washington Carver" & "World Politics";
billed \$25 for each course by Tallgrass Creek upon course completion; \$50 for other courses
____ # of Tallgrass Creek courses (x\$25) ____ # of other courses (x\$50) TOTAL \$ _____
 - Village Shalom residents no charge for "George Washington Carver";
\$50 for other courses ____ # of free courses ____ # of other courses (x\$50) TOTAL \$ _____
- SUBTOTAL \$ _____**

E. OSHER COURSE FEES

____ Number of 3 week courses (x\$50) ____ Number of 1 day courses (x\$25) **SUBTOTAL \$ _____**

F. ALUMNI ASSOCIATION DISCOUNT (Discount is for courses only.)

(Member # _____) -\$10
Choose only one: KU KSU Washburn **SUBTOTAL \$ _____**



Be a Friend of Osher. Please contribute to our campaign.

- \$50 Supporter \$75 Patron \$100 Benefactor \$250 Sponsor
- \$500 Trustee \$1000+ Regent Other \$ _____ **SUBTOTAL \$ _____**

Add SUBTOTALS for total payment..... GRAND TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Check enclosed, payable to the University of Kansas.

Credit Card. For security reasons, KU cannot accept credit card information written on the registration form. If you wish to pay by credit card, please call our Contact Center at 913-897-8530.

Mail Osher Institute, Registrations, 12600 Quivira Rd., Overland Park, KS 66213

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WE'RE PROUD OF OUR OSHER PARTNERS

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at the University of Kansas is able to provide university-quality programming in northeast Kansas and the Greater Kansas City Area because of the strong commitment of our partners. We congratulate them for their dedication to lifelong learning and thank them for their support.



Aberdeen Village
17500 W. 119th St., Olathe
www.aberdeenvillage.com | 913-599-6100



Lenexa Parks & Recreation
13420 Oak St., Lenexa
www.lenexa.com | 913-541-8592

Classes held at: Lenexa City Hall at City Center
1701 W. 87th Street Parkway, Lenexa



Brandon Woods at Alvamar
1501 Inverness Dr., Lawrence
www.brandonwoods.com | 785-838-8000

Mission Chateau Senior Living Community
4100 W 85th Street, Prairie Village
www.missionchateaubytutera.com
913-490-7100



Brewster Place
1205 S.W. 29th St., Topeka
www.brewsterplace.org | 785-274-3350



Clay County Senior Services
4444 N. Belleview, Ste. 110, Gladstone, Mo.
www.claycoseniors.org | 816-455-4800



Riley County Senior Center
301 N. 4th Street, Manhattan
www.seniorsservicecenter.org
785-537-4040

Classes held at: Northland Innovation Center
4th floor, 6889 N. Oak Trafficway, Gladstone



Senior Resource Center for Douglas County
745 Vermont St., Lawrence
<https://yoursrc.org> | 855-215-5329



Eudora Community Museum
720 Main Street, Eudora, KS 66025
<https://cityofeudoraks.gov/100/Eudora-Community-Museum> | 785-690-7900

Tallgrass Creek Retirement Community
13800 Metcalf Ave., Overland Park
www.ericksonseniorliving.com/tallgrass-creek
913-897-2700



Historic Lecompton
640 E. Woodson Ave., Lecompton
lecomptonkansas.com | 785-887-6148



Village Shalom
5500 W. 123rd St., Overland Park
www.villageshalom.org | 913-317-2600



Jayhawk Area Agency on Aging
2910 Southwest Topeka Blvd., Topeka
www.jhawkaaa.org | 785-235-1367



Washburn University
1700 S.W. College Ave., Topeka
www.washburn.edu | 785-670-1010



Johnson County Parks & Recreation District
6501 Antioch Road, Merriam
www.jcprd.com | 913-831-3359

Classes held at:
Roeland Park Community Center
4850 Rosewood Drive, Roeland Park
Meadowbrook Park Clubhouse
9101 Nall Avenue, Prairie Village
New Century Fieldhouse
551 New Century Parkway,
New Century/Gardner



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