Lifelong Learning

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TEMPLE UNIVERSITY AMBLER WELCOMES THE LIFELONG LEARNING SOCIETY

Lifelong learning for adults age 50 and up
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580 Meetinghouse Road, Ambler, PA 19002
Dear Prospective and Current Lifelong Learners,

Welcome to the Lifelong Learning Society at Temple University Ambler! Our spring courses begin on March 15. We are excited to welcome you to the Ambler campus located at 580 Meetinghouse Road, Ambler, PA 19002.

If you enjoy active, stimulating classes with great teachers, topics and students, the Lifelong Learning series of classes is for you! Classes are designed for learners 50 and up, but adult learners of all ages are welcome. One fee ($105 per semester) entitles you to enroll in all of the spring courses and lectures of the Lifelong Learning Society. In addition to our Wednesday schedule of courses, we are excited to expand our course offerings on Fridays at the Ambler campus for the spring semester.

**Spring Courses**

Fascism
A Forum on National and International Events
Italy - La Bella Musica
The U.S. Intelligence Community: National Security Challenges for the New President
How the World got Divided - Haves and Have Nots
Art, Dreams and the Unconscious

**PLUS**
The B. Batsheva Friedman Lecture Series - Lectures That Matter - will feature a different presenter each week.

**NEW - Friday Sessions**
Computer Club
Drawing: Explore your Inner Artist
Play Reading 101
First Friday Book Club - Meets March 10 and first Fridays

Tell your friends about our interesting programs and encourage them to join us! Be sure to let them know about our Lifelong Learning Society Open House for prospective members, taking place on Wednesday, March 8, 2017, at 11:00 AM at the Ambler campus. This is a great opportunity to get to know us.

We look forward to seeing you this spring at Temple University Ambler!

Sincerely,

Rhonda Geyer
Non-Credit Programs Director

Dan Shoulberg
Program Coordinator

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WELCOME TO TEMPLE UNIVERSITY AMBLER!

Getting Around the Temple University Ambler campus.

1. Parking: Lifelong Learning members who do not require handicapped parking will be directed to Parking Area #3 (Student Parking Lot). Bus service will be provided to and from the parking lot and the Learning Center.

2. Learning Center: Lifelong Learning Society classes will take place in the Learning Center. A cafe provides convenient food choices and beverage options.

3. Learning Center Auditorium: The Lectures that Matter series will take place in our state-of-the-art, 300-seat auditorium.

4. Bright Hall: Relax and eat your lunch in Bright Hall Lounge. Visit the bookstore for a variety of snacks, drinks, Temple gear and more!

5. Ambler Arboretum: The Ambler Arboretum of Temple University has a diverse range of learning gardens, from formal perennial gardens to a green roof garden, which provide a rich diversity of garden experiences. Take a self-guided tour of the arboretum in any season!
Fascism
Fascism began in 1919 as intense, racial nationalism; anti-intellectualism; rejection of compromise and contempt for the established society. A chauvinistic, reactionary dictator was needed to overturn the social order and redistribute social, political and economic power. It redirected populist, political, economic and sexual energy. Are we dangerously flirting with fascism? Presented by Michael Heinsdorf, MDiv, STM, MA, a former Lutheran pastor, high school German instructor and adjunct faculty member at LaSalle University.
6 Wednesdays • March 15 to April 26 (no class April 12)
9:30 - 10:50 AM

A Forum on National and International Events
Join us and engage in an open and lively discussion of national and international topics of interest. We will explore and discuss the views and positions expressed in electronic media, straight news and opinions, focusing on NPR, Fox News, MSNBC and CNN. We will review articles from print media, including The Wall Street Journal, New York Times, Philadelphia Inquirer and USA Today. We will delve into and encourage discussion from all points of view – conservative, moderate and liberal. Class size is limited, register early. Moderator Dan Shoulberg, a retired executive, is the coordinator of the Lifelong Learning Society and has led discussion groups for the program since 2002.
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9:30 - 10:50 AM
The U.S. Intelligence Community: National Security Challenges for the New President

The new president takes office at a particularly difficult time, as America is facing the most complex and diverse array of global threats ever seen. Join a former intelligence officer as we discuss threats to our security and why it is intelligence – not military might – which provides the first line of defense for nations. Presented by Ira Cooperman, a former intelligence officer who has worked with the CIA, NSA and the military.

6 Wednesdays • March 15 to April 26 (no class April 12)
11:10 AM - 12:30 PM

Italy - La Bella Musica

Learn about the history of music from Italy – from Gregorian chants, Oratories, classical music, opera, cinema score and popular music. Presented by Cav. Joseph Tatta, MA, instructor and Anthony Russo, MA, instructor; members of the Italian-American Language and Culture Club.

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11:10 AM - 12:30 PM
How the World Got Divided - Haves and Have Nots
We will explore how the Industrial Revolution led to the separation economically of nations. As a consequence of the Industrial Revolution, the European Powers entered into a policy of Imperialism which created greater European prosperity, fostered rivalries and created animosities that will spill over later. We will go into depth to understand European Imperialism and the consequences that still influence our world today. You will learn how many of the international problems of the world today can be traced to this dynamic period of history. Presented by James H. Robertson, who holds an MA in Modern European History from Washington State University and is an Adjunct Professor of History at Eastern University.
6 Wednesdays • March 15 to April 26 (no class April 12)
2:50 - 4:10 PM

Art, Dreams and the Unconscious
Explore the personal unconscious through an analysis of selected art, psychological projective techniques and dream interpretation. A major focus will be the study of the psychological factors involved in personal growth and personality development. Case studies will be used to illustrate the dynamics involved in psychological conflict, to provide a deeper appreciation and understanding of human motivation and behavior. Class is limited to 15 students. Presented by Fabian Ulitsky, who holds an MEd from Temple University and is a licensed clinical psychologist.
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<td>“Phone Scams and other Senior Security Issues”</td>
<td>Presented by Ameer Blackmon, who works at the office of Education &amp; Outreach, the Attorney General Office.</td>
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<td>MAR. 22</td>
<td>“India as a Balance of Power to China - panel discussion”</td>
<td>Facilitated by T. Sarada and presented by Bala Balasubramanian, Ramesh Desai, Vidyasankar Sundaresan, Ran Sharma, Prabhakar Chitraru, members of Bharatiya Hindu Temple, Chalfont, PA.</td>
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<td>MAR. 29</td>
<td>“B. B. King - the Man and the Legend”</td>
<td>Presented by Marqueta Aikens, a missionary with Ripe for Harvest World Outreach and her daughter, Hajjah, close personal friends of B.B. King.</td>
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<td>APR. 05</td>
<td>“It all Began with the Novel, Pictures at an Exhibition, by Sara Houghteling...”</td>
<td>Presented by Helene Jaspan, former docent at the Philadelphia Museum of Art, and Judy Marlowe, violinist and former member of the Amado String Quartet.</td>
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<td>APR. 19</td>
<td>“Note to My Children: Raising an Adult in the Age of Technology - Further Reflections on the Impact of Technology on Our Lives”</td>
<td>Presented by W. R. “Sam” Sneed, an internet entrepreneur who has academic distinctions from Yale, Berkley and NYS School of Law.</td>
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<td>APR. 26</td>
<td>“Art and Music Fusion: A Multi-Faceted Presentation”</td>
<td>Presented by Alicia Romeu, who holds several master degrees and is a retired Spanish teacher and a member of the Lifelong Learning Society.</td>
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Computer Club
Join us in a relaxed atmosphere as we explore using computers. Learn about using email and sending attachments; downloading, saving, printing and sending pictures; searching the Internet and using Microsoft Word for letters, flyers, and greeting and business cards. Presented by Mohamed and Maria Morsi, Lifelong Learning members and presenters.
6 Fridays • March 10 to April 14 • 9:30 – 10:50 AM

Drawing: Explore Your Inner Artist
Yes, anyone can learn to draw! In a fun and creative environment, explore contour drawing, value, perspective, picture plane, etc. We will be using pencil and charcoal. Please bring drawing paper and drawing pencils to the first class. Class will meet in a room with drafting tables and stools. Presented by Jackie Drewes who has worked as an art recruiter for a small school and has pursued a forty-year study of painting and drawing.
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Play Reading 101
Be an actor with no memorization and no stage fright – and have a lot of fun. Participants will have the opportunity to read a part in two plays during the course. The roles will rotate to give everyone who wishes a chance to read. We will examine plays from the standpoint of a director – themes, strengths, weaknesses, sets, costumes, character, etc. The plays will be a romantic comedy, The Sisters Rosensweig, by Wendy Wasserstein, and a drama, Denial, by Peter Sagal. Students will be responsible for purchasing scripts for approximately $10 per script. Presented by Arnie and Lorri Finkel, who has been conducting and directing musical productions for the past 55 years.
6 Fridays • March 10 to April 14 • 11:10 AM – 12:30 PM

First Friday Book Club (meets the first Friday of the month)
There’s a new book club for the Lifelong Learning Society! The first book for the spring session will be Lovers at the Chameleon Club, Paris 1932, by Francine Prose. A literary masterpiece of love, art, and betrayal, exploring the genesis of evil, the unforeseen consequences of love, and the ultimate unreliability of storytelling itself. Participants should read the book prior to the first class session. Books can be purchased through local bookstores and online vendors.
Spring Class Sessions
4 Fridays, March 10, April 7, May 5 and June 2
1:00 to 2:40 PM
NOTE: The Book Club will resume in the fall with sessions from September to December.
Are You Interested in Teaching?

If you have an area of expertise that you would like to share, whether for one lecture or a six-week course, please call 267.468.8500, email bdorothy@temple.edu or write us at Lifelong Learning Society, Temple University Ambler, 580 Meetinghouse Road, Ambler, PA 19002.

Check out these great Non-Credit Courses of interest!

These courses are not included in the Lifelong Learning Society membership, but are additional non-credit courses that may be of interest to you.

Retirement Planning Today

Digital Photography I

De-cluttering and Organizing to Age in Place

Our Revolutionary War

Buddhist Meditation II: Deepening our Practice

Learn to Play American Mah Jongg

Call 267.468.8500 for information about fees and class schedules. Or, visit us at noncredit.temple.edu/nce.

A special thank you to Trudy Roman, Marylou Delizia, Maria and Mohamed Morsi and Arnie and Lorri Finkel for their insights and suggestions for the spring program.

We appreciate the Lifelong Learning members who have suggested lecturers and courses.

Also, many thanks to the volunteer instructors, who contribute their time, energy and expertise to the program.

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SPRING 2017
Registration Form

Spring Members: Please complete the registration form, selecting your courses and lectures, and return to the address above with a spring membership fee of $105.

Withdrawal/Refund Policy: A participant who withdraws before March 15 will receive a refund less a $25 withdrawal fee. No refunds will be given once classes begin (after March 15).

Preregistration is required — no walk-in registrations can be accepted.

Name ___________________________ Date of Birth ___________________________

Address ___________________________

City ___________________ State _______ Zip __________

Home Phone ________________________ Cell Phone ________________________

Email _____________________________

☐ I require handicapped parking.

I will attend the following courses. (Check as many courses as you like - as long as they are not held at the same time. All classes held at Temple University Ambler.)

☐ Fascism
☐ A Forum on National and International Events
☐ The U.S. Intelligence Community
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☐ Art, Dreams and the Unconscious
☐ Computer Club (Fridays)
☐ Drawing: Explore Your Inner Artist (Fridays)
☐ Play Reading 101 (Fridays)
☐ Book of the Month Reading Club (Fridays)

Payment Amount: Spring Only Fee $105

☐ I am enclosing a check made payable to: “Temple University.”

Register and pay online by credit card at temple.edu/lifelonglearning or call 267-468-8500. We regret that we cannot take credit card payments by mail.
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