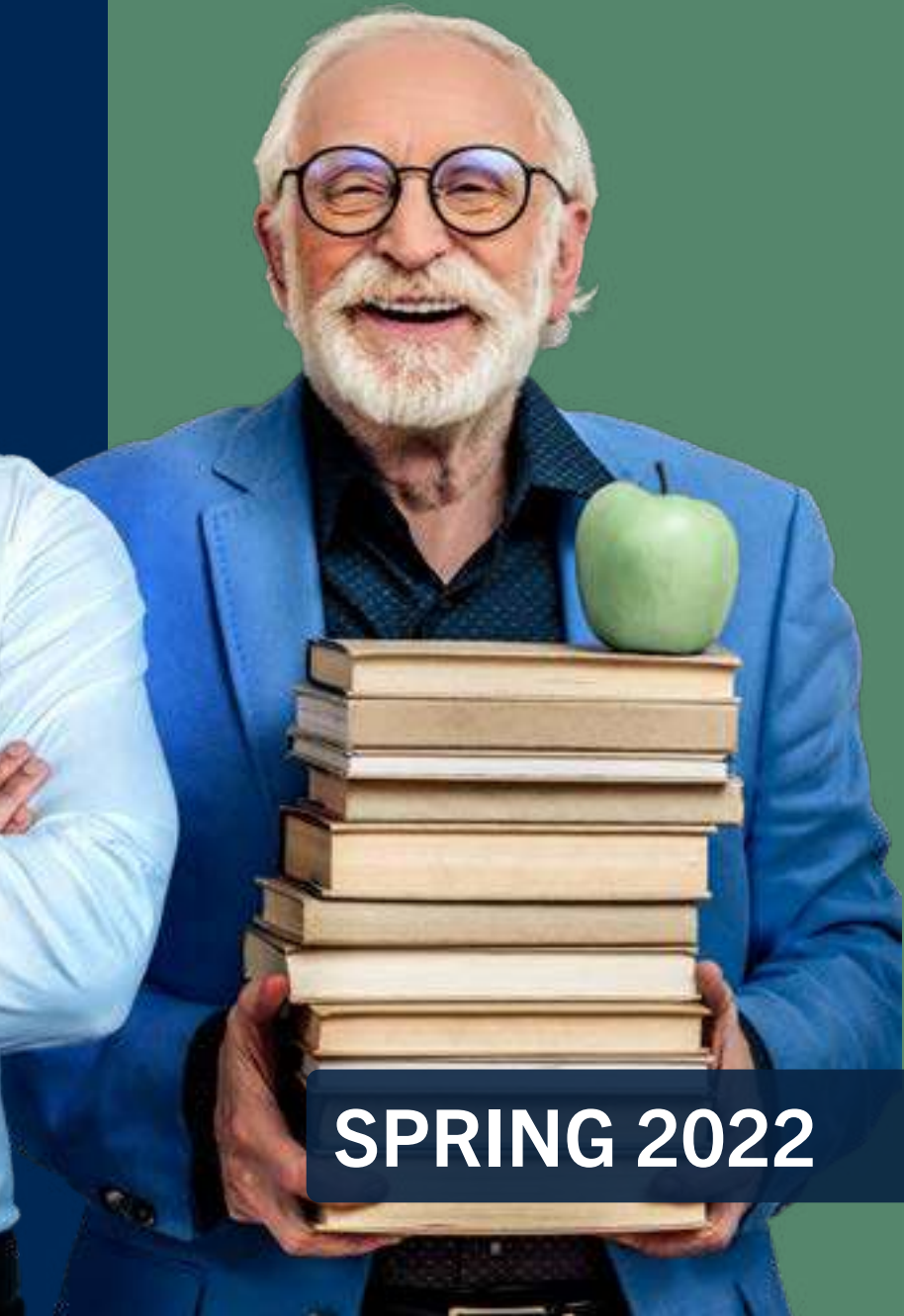


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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Center for Lifelong Learning is to provide both structured and informal continuing education opportunities for adults in the CSRA in conjunction with UofSC Aiken. These opportunities shall include in person lecture classes, technology classes, field trips and social events.

WHO WE ARE

We are an organization of people from a variety of backgrounds. We share a common interest in continued learning experiences and intellectual stimulation. Not only do we offer lecture type classes, but also many technology courses for individuals who want to develop or increase their skills in everyday technology. There are no tests or grades. We are sponsored by UofSC Aiken and are self-supporting. Our courses and activities are planned and implemented by our members. We design our own curriculum and utilize instructors from UofSC Aiken faculty (current and retired), from our own membership, and from experts in the community at large.

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

The Spring 2022 Semester will follow CDC recommended guidelines for COVID-19. For more information please visit our website:

www.usca.edu/pacer-ready

Masks and social distancing will be enforced.

PARKING INFORMATION

Parking passes are provided. Visit the Department of External Programs Business and Education, Room 126 to register. You can also visit the police station on campus. Please fill out the form and present your driver's license and car registration.

PARKING RULES

Be sure to park in spaces with white lines – these are designated for students and visitors. Spaces with yellow lines are for UofSC Aiken staff ONLY.

PHOTO RELEASE POLICY

As a member, you agree that your photo may be used for promotional purposes only. If you prefer that your photo not be used, please contact the Department of External Programs.

REGISTRATION & MEMBERSHIP FEES

We are a non profit organization, and our fees enable us to offer these classes to our students. To participate in any Center for Lifelong Learning course or event, a membership fee of \$35 per student is required. The membership fee helps us to pay a per-student fee to UofSC Aiken for the use of the classrooms and for administrative help. This fee also enables us to sponsor occasional social events for the students.

Each class that you register for will have a separate cost. Fees charged for the classes allow us to pay the instructors of the courses, and are based on the number of sessions in the class. Occasionally there may be an extra charge for materials related to the class, but these will be noted in the class description. Registration forms can be found on page 31 and 32.

Register at Open House on January 6, 2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 pm in the Business and Education Building Room 122. In addition, you may register online at aikenlearning.org, by mail or by calling 803-641-3741. Registration will remain available until the last class of the semester.

Registration forms can be found on page 35 and 36.

Please be aware that these dates are subject to change. Keep updated on our website, www.aikenlearning.org for the most up to date information regarding classes.

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MEMBER BENEFITS

Center for Lifelong Learning members are eligible for special offers from the following places: UofSC Aiken Admissions Office - class auditing - SC residents at least 60 years of age may audit regular university undergraduate and graduate classes for no academic credit without paying tuition, on a space available basis, provided that such persons meet admission and other standards deemed appropriate by the University. Application fees, book, supplies, parking decals, and other fees are not covered by this law and will be the responsibility of the senior citizen.

Library - Access computers and borrow books

Bookstore - 10% on all logo merchandise drinkware, apparel, and gift items

Planetarium - Senior Discount: \$5.50

Wellness Center - Contact 803-641-3641

Natatorium - Contact 803-641-3431

UofSC Aiken Athletic Events - Pay senior rate for admission; varies with sport.

Campus Food Service - A faculty/staff discount for all meals in Cafe at the Student Activity Center.

Two General Interest Class Guest Passes - Bring 2 guests! Request tickets through Department of External Programs, Business and Education Bldg., Room 126. - Redeemable for guest accompaniment to (1) class for one session each.

*Additional terms and conditions may apply



The Center for Lifelong Learning is a community of intellectually active mature adults. Membership entails mutual respect among members and instructors as they pursue knowledge and explore individual interests. Failure to treat ideas, viewpoints, the classroom environment and interests of other members of the community with respect and civility compromises the intellectual climate in our classrooms and will not be tolerated. The Center administration and volunteer leadership are responsible for ensuring that the Code of Conduct is being followed in all our sponsored programs.

This Center Code of Conduct is congruent with that for students at UofSC Aiken University in promoting behavior that enables enlightened discourse among individuals.



UofSC Aiken **Center for Lifelong Learning**

Dear Student

The Center of Lifelong Learning welcomes you back to our second semester of classes. Our fall semester was very successful, requiring bigger classrooms and additional repeat classes for our limited technology classes. The synergy of the combination of the McGrath and Academy organizations was clearly demonstrated. If you stayed away for any reason, you missed a wonderful opportunity.

This semester we are offering approximately 20 more courses than we were able to offer last fall. New Technology courses include short courses on Android tablet/smart phones, Chromebooks, and Apple watches. The General Interest courses, 38 in number, range from Cryptocurrency to Albert Einstein, history courses from ancient Egypt to World War II, and, of course, many courses about Aiken, Aiken County history and present day. I am sure that you will find at least several that will be of interest to you.

As always, you will probably recognize several old acquaintances on the beautiful UofSC Aiken campus, but you'll also make new friends with others who share your enjoyment of learning. There are no tests for the classes, just a celebration of your desire to continue learning and our desire to provide the opportunity to expand or refresh your knowledge.

So review our spring catalog carefully, select all those courses that are of interest, including the "how to" technology courses. Then enjoy an opportunity to learn something that challenges your mind.

We look forward to seeing you in our classrooms.

-Wayne Rickman

President, Center for Lifelong Learning

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BUILDING A VIABLE POPULATION OF GOPHER TORTOISES IN AIKEN COUNTY

Date: January 24

Time: 1:00 -2:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Tracey Tuberville is a Senior Research Scientist at Savannah River Ecology Lab, where her research program focuses on conservation and management of long-lived reptiles.

Description: This class will provide an overview of the ecology of gopher tortoises, conservation threats, and techniques used to manage their populations, including collaborative efforts with the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources.

EXPLORING WINDOWS 10

Dates: January 24, 31, February 7, 14, 21

Time: 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$25

Instructor: Ralph Dale is a graduate of Rhode Island Junior College and, until his retirement, worked for Owens Corning Research & Development for 33 years installing and maintaining PC's. He has been with the Center's Tech Section for 16 years. He has

taught numerous courses and installs and maintains all the computers in the Tech Center.

Description: Windows 10 has been the standard Microsoft operating system since 2014. This course includes an overview, new features, apps (including the Start Menu), Edge Browser, and new ways to organize and track your work. Also included are methods of personalizing Windows 10, how to manage and back up files, protecting your computer from malware, and recovering from hardware failures or software corruption. Class size is limited to 8 students.

MAC FILE MANAGEMENT

First Session: January 25 & February 1

Second Session: April 5 & 12

Time: 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$18

Instructor: Wayne Rickman has a master's degree in computer management and has been an instructor with the Center's Tech Section (Formerly McGrath) for 20 years. He is a retired U. S. Navy (Nuclear Submarine) officer.

Description: Too many files? Can't find the one you want? What to do about all those folders? This class will review the Finder preferences to help you locate any of your files and folders easily. The class teaches how to make new folders, how to move files to these

folders, and how to move files to flash drives. There is time to address student questions about specific file problems.

The Tech Center has four Mac computers that may be reserved by students on a first-come, first-served basis. Students may bring their own Mac laptops, if they wish. Flash drives are required for this class. The class is limited to 8 students.

CRYPTOCURRENCY AND BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY

Date: January 25

Time: 1:00-2:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Paul Newsom is an associate professor of finance at U of SC Aiken, with four decades of wealth and risk management experience. He is a Chartered Financial Analyst.

Description: This is an interactive, conversational course covering recent developments in cryptocurrency and blockchain technology.

MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR WORDS

Dates: January 25, February 1, 8, 15

Time: 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$22

Instructor: Russ Beckmeyer received his PhD from the University of Missouri. Dr Beckmeyer has more than 50 years of applied computer technology experience: micro-computers, super-computers, networks, software, and computer security. After an extensive career at the Savannah River Site, he spent the last 5 years of his professional career as an engineering director for two different small nuclear reactors. Dr. Beckmeyer has been with the Center's Tech Section since 2018. He was named the 2021 Volunteer of the Year for the Tech Section.

Description: Do you write letters, notices, or reports – that is, anything that involves text? Learn to make the most of your words with Microsoft Word for

Windows. Format your documents the way you like: size, shape, color, style, including adding pictures and graphics to your text. Learn how to save, organize, and find your documents. This course focuses on the most used, and useful features of Microsoft Word and makes you comfortable with this powerful program. Class is limited to 8 students.

EXCEL BASIC

Dates: January 26, February 2, 9, 16

Time: 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$22

Instructor: Adam Keller taught Guided Missile Electronics in the U. S. Army since 1955. In addition, he has taught computer programming along with computer hardware and software maintenance. He has been with the Center's Tech Section for over 15 years, designing and teaching various courses. He has taught Excel at all levels for many years.

Description: Learn the basics of spreadsheet development using Excel 2016 for Windows. Other Excel versions are easily adaptable. Class exercises focus on such useful applications as tracking expenses, keeping personal financial records and investments, preparing an address book, and other home/work useful functions. To build proficiency, class exercise for work at home will be provided. Class size is limited to 8 students.

USE ICLOUD WITH YOUR IPAD/ IPHONE

Date: January 27

Time: 9:00 - 11:00AM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Bob Hood holds a BS degree from Franklin & Marshall College and an MBA from the University of Pittsburg. He has designed and taught computer network courses in Chicago for non-profits. He also ran his own technology consulting practice where he designed, installed, and managed computer networks, infrastructure and training for small business and non-profit clients. He holds the



IPHONE/IPAD CAMERA AND PHOTO APP

Dates: January 28, February 4

Time: 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$18

Instructor: Bob Hood, see “iCloud With Your iPad/iPhone” on pg. 14 for bio.

Description: In this course students will learn how to make the most of the camera and photo app on their iPhone and iPad, learn to access and use the various camera controls and settings for photos and video and then how to view them. Students will also learn how to use the photo app to edit photos or videos. Students must bring their own device to the class along with their Apple ID and Password with them. Knowledge of iPad or iPhone is required. Class size is limited to 8 students.

Microsoft Certified Professional and Microsoft Small Business Specialist designations. He has been with the Center’s Tech Section for five years.

Description: Having trouble making sense of the iCloud? In this course students will investigate syncing their iPad/iPhone to other devices and backing up their devices using iCloud for photo-management, as well as looking at other non-Apple cloud storage choices. Students must bring their devices and have their Apple ID and Apple password with them. Learning to use your iPad/iPhone or equivalent knowledge is a prerequisite. Class size is limited to 8 students.

HOME SECURITY

Date: January 27

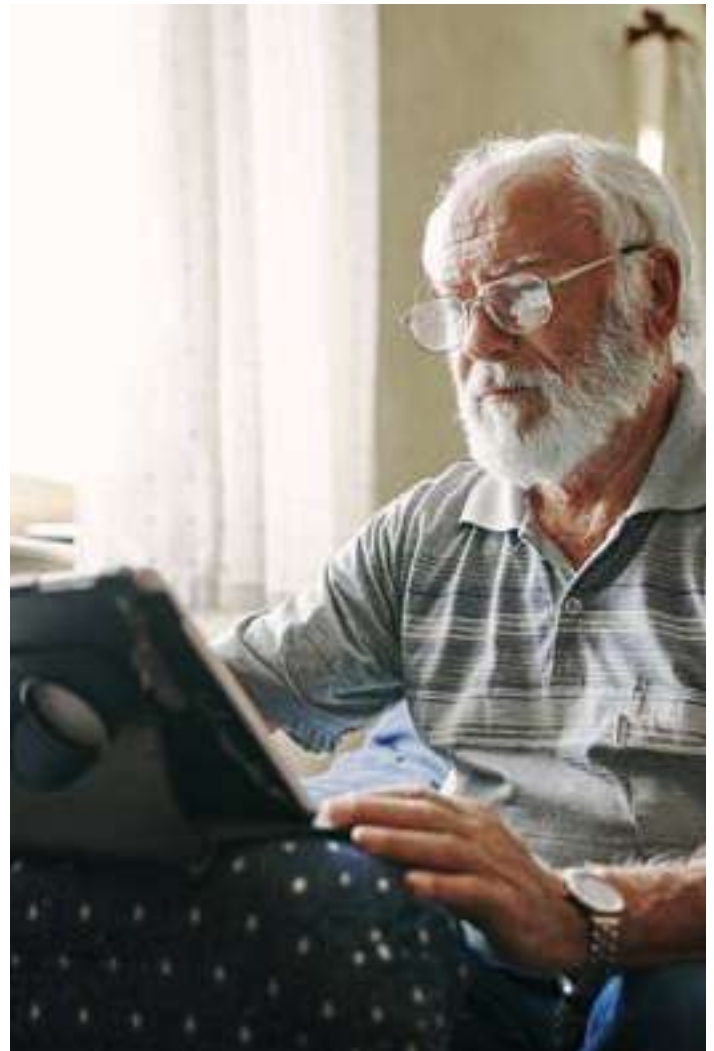
Time: 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 138

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Russ Buckmeyer See “Making the most of your Words” on pg. 14 for bio.

Description: Most of us would like the peace of mind and convenience of knowing our home and everything in it is safe and secure. From Burglar Alarm Systems to Full Security Systems with and without cameras, this course covers all the systems available today. This class will help you determine the type of home security system is right for you, your home, your needs, your lifestyle, and your budget. Class size is limited to 8 students.



USE YOUR PC MORE EFFECTIVELY

Dates: January 31, February 7, 14, 21

Time: 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$22

Instructor: Raleigh Daniel earned a BS in Accounting from Augusta University. His professional career included accounting and life insurance. He has been with the Center for Lifelong Learning since 2015 and is chairman of the Technical Curriculum Committee.

Description: For those who know a little about personal computers (PC's), this course introduces participants to word processing editing functions using Microsoft WordPad. The course also teaches students how to manage files and folders, how to personalize their computers to make them more user-friendly. Other useful functions, such as internet and email functions, are also included. Prerequisite: familiarity with the basic operation of a Windows computer and basic mouse and keyboard functions. Class size is limited to 8 students.

HOW TO MAKE A FORECAST: UNDERSTANDING THE WEATHERMAN'S WOES

Date: February 2

Time: 9:30 - 10:45 AM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 122

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Riley Hale is chief meteorologist at WRDW/WAGT. He grew up in Charlotte and Savannah and is a graduate of the University of Georgia. After spending two years as a meteorologist in the Mississippi Delta, he moved to Augusta in 2017 and has spent the last four years in this area.

Description: This course will focus on how meteorologists come up with forecasts day to day. The class will look at analyzing atmospheric data, weather models, and using best practices for forecasting in our area.

LAVINIA CORLEY THOMPSON: THE PERSONAL STORY OF SLAVERY IN AIKEN COUNTY

Dates: February 2, 9, 16, 23, March 2, 9

Time: 11:00 - 12:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 144

Cost: \$18

Instructor: Dr. Walter B. Curry, Jr. is the founder of Renaissance Publications, LLC, and the author of two books. Both books chronicle Dr. Curry's family history. He received the 2019 African American Historical and Genealogy Society Book Award. His work has received recognition from the South Carolina General Assembly.

Description: The course features the life of one of Dr. Curry's ancestors, born into slavery in 1844 on a plantation in Aiken County. It continues through the Civil War and will include artifacts and audience participation. The final class session will be a visit to a family cemetery in Springfield, SC.

LEARNING TO USE YOUR ANDROID DEVICE

Date: February 2

Time: 11:30 – 1:30 PM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Sidney Bozeman has been an instructor for Android phones and tablets for several years with the Center for Lifelong Learning. She has also been a coach for Microsoft applications. She currently uses Chromebook for her computer needs. Sidney was in sales, which included training in telecommunication software to large corporations and government facilities.

Description: Android phones are five times more numerous than iPhones in the world, with a 2-1 advantage in this country. Android devices are manufactured and sold by many companies all over the world because the Android operating system is not proprietary. This course will help students navigate the sometimes-confusing settings and app

functions of Androids. Also, students will learn about some of the most popular apps for the Android. Students must bring their Android phones or tablets with them and to the class. Students should also have with them the passwords that allow them to download apps if their Android device requires a password. Class size is limited to 8 students.

HOME SURVEILLANCE SYSTEMS

Date: February 3

Time: 1:00 – 3:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 138

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Russ Buckmeyer See “Making the most of your Words” on pg. 14 for bio.

Description: Should you decide that a home surveillance system might be right for you, this class will acquaint you with security camera systems along with the integration of Burglar Alarm/Security Systems and Camera Surveillance systems. Residential surveillance systems range from single to multiple cameras and can be incorporated into a comprehensive whole-house security system. Students will learn about the interactions between these various systems and the networks that can be used to support their functions.

THE ROMANTIC BALLET: GISELLE

Dates: February 4, 11, 18, 25

Time: 11-12:30 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 122

Cost: \$12

Instructor: Joy and Jeffrey Engel trained as professional dancers in Russian classical ballet. Their performing careers include dancing in the U.S., Canada, and Europe. They have also choreographed productions and taught dance in various studios, schools, and colleges.

Description: This course will discuss the ballet, Giselle. It will explore the plot, music, and history of the ballet. There will be videos of the iconic

ballerinas, from over the years, dancing Giselle in the Mad Scene from Act 1, and floating as a Willis in Act 2. They will also examine the premier danseur’s role (Albrecht), as well as the secondary roles of Hilarion and Myrtha.

WICKED COLUMBIA

Date: February 7, 14, 21, 28

Time: 11:00-12:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 122

Cost: \$12

Instructor: Alexia Jones Helsley is a native of Kentucky and grew up in Beaufort, SC. She retired from the South Carolina Department of Archives and





History and is an instructor in UofSC Aiken's History Department. She taught World History Survey classes, the History of the Vikings, the Formation of Europe, as well as History of South Carolina, and an Introduction to Public History. A Furman University Graduate, she has a Master's degree in Ancient and Medieval History from the University of South Carolina. Recipient of the South Carolina Governor's Archives Award, Helsley is a prolific writer and serves as chair of the South Carolina Old Exchange Commission.

Description: This course will include a four-week study of vice and villainy in South Carolina's capital city. It will explore the dark world of pickpockets, kidnapers, bank robbers, ladies of the evening, domestic violence, and the flexibility of the "self-defense" defense. It will look at the murder of a newspaper editor and a Christmas Day kidnapping that rocked the city, along with betrayals of the public trust, and the dangers of drunkenness.

STAR SYSTEMS, EXOPLANETS, AND POSSIBLE ABODES OF LIFE

Dates: February 7, 14, 21

Time: 12:00 - 1:30 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$10

Instructor: Dr. Walt Kubilius has recently retired from the Savannah River National Laboratory, where he practiced in the fields of geochemistry, radiochemistry, and hydrology. As a young man, he was an exploration geologist in Alaska.

Description: We have long wondered whether there could be planets around other stars, but technological advances since 1990 have made it possible to directly detect such planets. Over 4,500 such planets are now known, and some seem to be capable of supporting life. This class will explore how star systems can form, will learn the techniques by which planets can be detected orbiting distant stars, survey the variety of planets which have been discovered, and consider which planets might be abodes of life.

TRANSITIONING FROM PC TO MAC COMPUTERS

Dates: February 8, 15
Time: 9:00 - 11:00 AM
Location: Tech Center
Cost: \$18

Instructor: Wayne Rickman: See “Mac File Management” on pg. 13 for bio.

Description: Moving from a Microsoft to a Mac computer can be tricky. Have you ever wondered why an Apple Mac does not have a “Save As” feature? Is it hard to find your files on a Mac? Things may have seemed simpler on your old PC. This course is designed to help students get used to the new Mac and the new Operating System. The course will review special preferences. The Tech Center has four Mac computers that are available on a first-come-first-served basis. Students without a reserved computer may bring their own Mac laptops for practice. A flash drive is required for this course. The class is limited to 8 students.

LIVE FROM THE MET OPERA

Dates: February 8, 15, 22, March 1, 8, 15
Time: 10:00 - 11:00 AM
Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124
Cost: \$18

Instructor: Dr. Maureen Simpson has performed in over two dozen operas in the U.S. and Europe. She studied music in Philadelphia and Graz, Austria, and has graduate degrees from Indiana University and the University of South Carolina Aiken.

Description: Three operas will be discussed, all of which will be shown at the Regal Augusta Exchange 20 Theater. The operas chosen are Rigoletto (Verdi), Ariadne auf Naxos (Richard Strauss), and Don Carlos (Verdi).

INTRODUCTION TO COLLAGE QUILTING

Dates: February 8, 15, 22
Time: 11:15 -12:30 PM
Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124
Cost: \$10

Instructor: Jacque Rees has taught many classes on the aspects of art, including drawing, watercolor, acrylic, portraits, wildlife, and nature. She has been quilting since the age of 11.

Description: This class will focus on a “no-sew” approach to collage quilting. Students will choose among three patterns to work on. Students are asked to bring ¼ yard of cotton fabric, a small pair of scissors, and a glue stick.

INTRODUCTION TO TAI CHI

Dates: February 8, 15, 22, March 1
Time: 12:30-1:30 PM
Location: Business & Education Bldg., 200
Cost: \$12

Instructor: Debbi Brooks has been teaching Tai Chi for 11 years and has trained with several Tai Chi Masters. She is a retired pediatric nurse and is an ordained minister who served as a hospital chaplain.

Description: Class will include learning six movements of Tai Chi, working on balance and Qigong breathing.

AIKEN: WOMEN OF THE WINTER COLONY

Date: February 9, 16
Time: 10:00-11:00 AM
Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124
Cost: \$8

Instructor: Linda Johnson is an engineer with a life-long passion for history. As a docent with the Aiken County Historical Museum, she serves as a researcher, lecturer, and tour guide. She has delivered numerous lectures at the Museum and at U of SC Aiken and has authored a book on the

history of the Aiken Tennis Club.

Description: Women were instrumental in shaping the Winter Colony and in the process, shaping Aiken itself. Come hear about some well-known favorites like Louise Hitchcock and Hope Iselin and some lesser known such as “Saint” Julia Breese and Adelaide McClelland.

SO YOU WANT TO BE A WRITER: ASPECTS OF WRITING

Dates: February 9, 16, 23, March 2

Time: 12:30-1:45 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$12

Instructor: This workshop-style class will be facilitated by experienced local writers

Description: This hands-on course will cover how to plan or outline a book, do research, work with a critique group, self-edit, and how to decide whether to self-publish or seek a publisher.

APPLE TECHNOLOGY DISCUSSION GROUP

Sessions scheduled as follows (you may attend any or all sessions):

**Thursday, February 10, 9:00 - 11:00 AM
B&E122**

**Thursday, March 10, 2:00 - 4:00 PM - B&E
138**

**Wednesday, April 20, 2:00 - 4:00 PM B&E
138**

Cost: Free

Discussion leader: Wayne Rickman: See “Mac File Management,” on pg. 13 for bio.

Description: Your membership in the Center qualifies you to attend the meetings of this group. If you have any questions concerning the operation of Apple products, you are welcome to attend these meetings. This group is led by the instructors of the

Apple computer and iPhone/iPad courses. Come and get your questions answered and share your own experience with other members

LEARNING TO USE YOUR IPAD/IPHONE

Dates: February 10, 17, 24, March 3

Time: 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 138

Cost: \$22

Instructors: Pam Stone & Vicki Gibboney. Pam earned a BS from Columbia University. She has taught at the university level and with the Center Tech Section for 5 years – mostly Apple products, which she loves and uses frequently.

Vicki has a BS in Education. She taught elementary school. She has taught and coached for the Center’s Tech Section for over 20 years.

Description: In this class students will have the opportunity to learn the basic functions and features of iPads and iPhones, as well as how to customize them to your specific needs. Students will learn the terminology and how to navigate the screen. The class also includes helpful shortcuts, useful tips, and general settings to maximize the experience. Student participation and questions are encouraged. This is a hands-on class where students will have the opportunity practice. Students are expected to bring their own devices to the class. Class is limited to 15.

ITALY ON THE SILVER SCREEN: A CINEMATIC EXPLORATION OF CONTEMPORARY ITALIAN HISTORY

Dates: February 10, 17, 24, March 3

Time: 3:00-4:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 144

Cost: \$12

Instructor: Dr. Valerie Mirshak received her Ph.D. in Italian Language and Literature at John Hopkins University where her teaching experiences included Italian language courses, as well as classes on Italian feminism and film. Valerie then spent several years

as an Italian language instructor at Duke University before moving to Augusta in 2011. Valerie's passion for all things Italian has led her to live and study in Venice, Florence and Milan.

Description: From Marcello Mastroianni and Sofia Loren to Stefano Accorsi, from Vittorio De Sica to Roberto Benigni, Italian cinema has had a long and illustrious history over the course of the last century. This course will examine the earliest silent films and Fascist propaganda, discover the postwar treasures of Italian Neorealism, explore the sociopolitical unrest of the 70s and 80s, and discuss representations of Italian life in the 21st century.

INVESTIGATING THE SUITABILITY OF BOX TURTLES FOR RELEASE INTO THE WILD

Date: February 11

Time: 1:00 -2:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Emma Browning is a master's student at the University of Georgia's Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources. She has done research projects on local fauna in Michigan and Florida and holds a bachelor's degree from West Texas A&M University.

Description: This class will focus on the basic

ecology of the eastern box turtle, including the illegal wildlife trade and the Savannah River Ecology Lab's (SREL) efforts to conserve them.

MENTAL HEALTH AND NUTRITION: THE BASICS

Date: February 17

Time: 9:00-10:30am

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Dr. Greg Smith is a psychiatrist who has been doing telepsychiatry (seeing patients by computer) and high-definition video for the last twelve years. He has been practicing psychiatry for thirty-four years and is the Medical Director for the Aiken-Barnwell Mental Health Center. His professional interests include mood disorders, psychotic disorders, and chronic mental illness.

Description: This course will include a general survey of the interface between mental health and nutrition. It will look at the optimal interplay between the two, as well as what can go wrong when poor nutrition leads to decreased cognitive and behavioral functioning and diminution of overall mental health and well-being.



ORCHIDS A TO Z

Date: February 18

Time: 1:00-2:30 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Pam Kolb is a Master Gardener who has grown dozens of different orchid genera for thirty years in the home with ambient window light, in a basement with various light set-ups, outside during all but freezing temperatures, and in a tropical greenhouse. Currently, she has about 300 orchids in a greenhouse, along with other tropical plants.

Description: This course will introduce the basics of orchid culture to new growers and provide more in-depth information to attendees through questions and answers. It will discuss the importance of understanding where specific genera originated and factoring that into how to choose the best one to grow and bloom successfully in the CSRA.

LINE DANCING

Dates: February 21, 28, March 7, 14, 21, 28

Time: 11:00-12:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 200

Cost: \$18

Instructor: Brenda Taylor is a lifetime resident of Aiken, SC and a 1970 graduate of Aiken High School. Brenda has been a business owner and registered Cosmetologist in Aiken for 50 years and is now semiretired. She is an active lifetime member and past president of CSRA Shag Club Aiken-Augusta areas. She is a line dance and Carolina shag instructor. She has been a member of SOS in North Myrtle Beach, SC for over 30 years. She teaches three times a week, in the Aiken area and teaches and attends club events all over the South. Brenda's parents were jitterbug dancers, so she feels like rhythm and dancing came to her naturally!

Description: Lessons will begin with basic steps, broken down and taught slowly for beginners and progress to more intermediate dances. A new dance will be taught each week and dances learned in previous weeks will be reviewed. Line dancing is a

choreographed dance with a repeated sequence of steps in which a group of people dance in one or more lines or rows without regard for partnering, all executing the steps at the same time. Line dancing provides good exercise and is great food for the heart and brain as well as a wonderful way to meet new friends. Come out and join the fun.

TV STREAMING

Dates: First Session, February 22,
Second Session March 8th

Time: 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 138

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Darrell Pluff is a retired business education instructor who has taught at the high school and college level both in the U. S. and in Australia. He has been with the Center's Tech Section for seven years.

Description: Thinking about "cutting the cord" of your cable or satellite TV? This course gives you the options available to you. "Over-the-air" and TV streaming services such as Hulu, YouTube TV,



and Sling are discussed and compared. Smart TV technology and TV services such as Roku, Amazon Fire, Apple TV, Google Chromecast will also be discussed. The class size is limited to 30 students.

THE AIKEN SYMPHONY

Dates: February 23 (Business & Education Bldg., 124), April 6 (Business & Education Bldg., 138)

Time: 2:30 - 3:30 PM

Cost: \$8

Instructor: Dr. Donald Portnoy is universally recognized as one of America's dynamic and inspiring symphony orchestra conductors. He brings a unique awareness and appreciation to music for the Audience and a refreshing sensitivity toward the musicians with whom he works. He has earned fame as a guest conductor with the major orchestras of Pittsburgh, Baltimore, Buffalo and with other major regional orchestras throughout the United States, Argentina, Brazil, China, England, France, Italy, Romania, and Switzerland.

Description: This course will focus on the Aiken Symphony Orchestra's 2022-2023 concert season. We will discuss all the programs and listen to short selections of music by the soloists and orchestra at rehearsals. Maestro Portnoy will explain how the selections are chosen and provide biographical information on all the composers and soloists.

EXCEL ADVANCED

Dates: March 2, 9, 16, 23

Time: 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$22

Instructor: Adam Keller see "Excel Basic."

Description: For students who have either completed the Basic Excel course or have a thorough understanding of the basics of Excel. The class covers such concepts as graphing and hiding data, pivot tables that manipulate data, nested formulas, and conditional formatting. The development of formulas will be explained in such a

way as to be easily understood. To build proficiency, class exercises for work at home will be provided. Class size is limited to 8 students.

LEWIS AND CLARK'S CORPS OF DISCOVERY FROM SACAGAWEA'S PERSPECTIVE

Date: February 28

Time: 12:30-1:30 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Tiajuana King Cochnauer, a member of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, has shared these topics regionally and internationally and is excited to share with her neighbors in Aiken. She is a Choctaw Nation registered artist and is a Certified Interpretive Guide (National Association for Interpretation). She served USDA Forest Service as the national as the Acting Director of the Office of Tribal Relations, Washington, DC. She is the local chapter leader for her alma mater, the University of Oklahoma.

Description: Did Sacagawea lead the way from Fort Mandan (North Dakota) to the Pacific Ocean. In this class, we will examine the journals of Lewis and Clark. The class will look at her role as the only woman on the expedition, who began the journey with a baby less than two months old.



THE PTOLEMIES DOWN TO CLEOPATRA VII

Dates: March 1, 8, 15

Time: 11:30-12:30 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$10

Instructor: After earning a degree in Chemistry from the University of Detroit, Chuck Goergen moved to Aiken and began a career of over forty-two years, working with nuclear materials in Laboratories, Production, Engineering, and Projects in numerous facilities at SRS. He enjoys ancient and military history and coin collecting and is a veteran Lifelong Learning instructor.

Description: The course will cover how ancient Egypt became subject to the Greeks and will explore the rise of Alexandria to become the greatest city of the Mediterranean. It will investigate Alexandria's influence on the Christian Bible and the Holy Land. Using Egyptian coinage, it will review the Ptolemaic dynasty, which began on the death of Alexander the Great and ended when Octavian (later the Emperor Augustus) defeated the alliance of Cleopatra VII and Marc Antony.

DROUGHT TOLERANT PLANTS FOR OUR GARDENS

Date: March 2

Time: 9:30-11:00 AM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Gloria Wade is a retired Culinary Arts Teacher in Aiken County. She is an Aiken Master Gardener, and the Lead for Aiken Farmers Agribusiness Association and Aiken High School FFA.

Description: Many people have lawn and garden sprinkler systems now, but there is a need to learn to garden with less water. There are many wonderful, beautiful colorful blooming plants that need very little water, and some that can be killed by over-watering. This class will teach good choices for a drought tolerant garden.

BECOME A FOSTER PARENT TO BOTTLE-BABY KITTENS

Date: March 7

Time: 10 - 11:00 AM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Tiajuana King Cochnauer, a member of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, has shared these topics regionally and internationally and is excited to share with her neighbors in Aiken. She is a Choctaw Nation registered artist and is a Certified Interpretive Guide (National Association for Interpretation). She served USDA Forest Service as the national as the Acting Director of the Office of Tribal Relations, Washington, DC. She is the local chapter leader for her alma mater, the University of Oklahoma.

Description: Both the Aiken County Animal Shelter and the Albrecht Center for Animal Welfare depend on foster parents from the community to help with the huge numbers of stray and unwanted pets. This course will cover the special needs of Bottle-baby kittens.

100 YEARS OF ADATH YESHURUN SYNAGOGUE

Dates: March 7, 14

Time: 2:00-3:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$8

Instructor: Steve Silver and his wife, Nancy, have lived in Aiken since 2015. They were attracted to Aiken because of its history and natural beauty, as well as the number and diversity of its equestrian activities. Steve is on the board of the Adath Yeshurun Synagogue and is a member of the Jewish Historical

Society of South Carolina. He is also on the Board of the Aiken Land Conservancy. He was a previous partner at the global management firm, Booz Allen & Hamilton, and taught as an adjunct professor at the Stern School of Business at New York University.

Description: 2021 marked the 100th anniversary of the Adath Yeshurun Synagogue in Aiken and this two-session class shares the history of the Aiken Jewish community with a focus on the contributions to civic life here in Aiken and beyond. The first session focuses on the early history (1850s – 1950s) and highlights the role of Jewish merchants in the commercial life of downtown Aiken, as well as on the families that founded the Synagogue. The second session focuses on the later history (1950 – today) and highlights the civic contributions of this community, including a Mayor of Aiken, as well as the first Jewish woman elected as a SC State Representative.

The material in this course is also the basis of an Exhibit at the Aiken County Historical Museum from March - May 2022. The name of this exhibit and the name of this course, “A SOURCE OF LIGHT”, reflects a view that the spirit of tolerance and inclusion reflected in this story is part of the attraction of Aiken to everyone who lives here -Jewish or not- and can be a ‘source of light’ to all of us in the future.

GROWING AND PROPAGATING CAMELLIAS IN AIKEN

Date: March 9

Time: 9:30 - 10:30

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Ed Mann is a native of Aiken and has been growing camellias for over 50 years.

Description: This course will discuss the history of camellias in Japan and the United States. It will explore the different species of camellias and what grows well in Aiken. It will also focus on how to properly prune and fertilize the bushes and how to propagate camellias to add to your collection.





FIGURE ART

Date: March 9

Time: 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor Joseph Kameen joined the Department of Visual and Performing Arts in the Fall of 2018. Joseph received his MFA in painting from Indiana University Bloomington and features the human figure heavily in his drawings and paintings, which use narrative imagery to consider our everyday relationship with philosophical questions. He has exhibited his work nationally and internationally, including shows at Westobou Gallery in Augusta, GA, The Painting Center in New York, NY, and Torstraße 111 in Berlin.

Description: This session will discuss how artists represent the human form in drawing and painting, with art historical examples presented alongside demonstrations on gesture, proportion, and technique.

DOCUMENTING YOUR TRIBAL MEMBERSHIP

Date: March 10

Time: 10:00 - 11:00 AM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Tiajuana King Cochnauer, see “Becoming A Foster Parent to Bottle Baby Kittens” on pg. 24 for bio.

Description: This class will cover how one can document one’s tribal membership and covers the recent political events that have been brought into the spotlight.

EXPLORING AMAZON FIRE TABLETS

Dates: March 10, 2:00 - 3:00 PM

March 17, 2:00 - 3:00 PM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Dennis Harkins was a teacher and technology specialist in schools in Pennsylvania for over 30 years. He was also an adjunct professor at Chestnut Hill College in Philadelphia. He was also a member of the Philadelphia Area Computer Society. He has been with the Center’s Tech Section for more than 15 years.

Description: Learn to make the most of these versatile, yet inexpensive tablets. Amazon has packed many features into the Fire tablet. Students explore the following features: access to entertainment such as books, movies, music, and games. Send and receive emails, download apps for an endless variety of opportunities, surf the web, and take pictures with the included camera. Also, Amazon Fire tablets come with the virtual assistant, Alexa. Students must bring their Fire tablets with them to the classroom. Class size is limited to 8 students.

STORIES OF AMERICA’S EARLIEST SETTLEMENTS

Dates: March 11, 18, 25, April 1

Time: 10:30-11:30am

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 116

Cost: \$12

Instructor: John Karas is a University of Toledo graduate and has taught at Harper College in Illinois. He has held executive positions at three Fortune

500 corporations before founding an international corporation leading to many years of international travel. Karas' lifelong interest in history, played an important part of his intellectual life throughout his business career. He is now retired and living in Aiken.

Description: This course will explore four of the first places where European explorers established settlements on American soil: St. Augustine, FL; Roanoke Island, NC; Jamestown, VA; Plymouth, MA; New Amsterdam (today's New York City), NY.

GREAT DECISIONS

Dates: March 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8

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April 15, 22, 29 (B&E 116)

Time: 12:00-2:00 PM

Cost: \$20

Instructor: John Karas. See above for bio.

Description: The course will focus on eight (8) important topics in foreign policy: Climate Change; Russia and the U.S.; Myanmar and ASEAN; the Quad Alliance; Drug Policy in Latin America; Industrial Policy; Biden's Agenda.

The Great Decisions 2022 Briefing Book will be available in January 2022 for \$35.00 plus shipping from the Foreign Policy Association at [www.fpa.org/great_decisions/index.cfm?act=show_](http://www.fpa.org/great_decisions/index.cfm?act=show_material&product_id=16874)

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APPLE WATCH

Date: March 15

Time: 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 138

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Vicki Gibboney. See "Learning to Use Your iPad/iPhone" on pg. 20 for bio.

Description: Learn to use the basics of your Apple Watch. This class will cover pairing your watch with your iPhone, choosing a watch face, opening watch

apps, opening notifications, opening the control center, using the dock, using the watch flashlight, using Siri on your watch and watch gestures. There will be a handout for you to take home. You must have your own Apple Watch.

FACEBOOK SECURITY

Date: March 16

Time: 9:00 - 11:00AM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 131

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Wayne Rickman. See "Mac File Management" on pg. 13 for bio.

Description: Get your Facebook questions answered while reviewing your privacy settings. This one-session course includes updating your Facebook account and privacy settings. Facebook account is required to take this course. Students will need their Facebook user id and passwords since they will be using their own FB page in class on classroom computers. Class size is limited to 8 students.

HISTORY IN HEADSTONES: JEWISH CHANGE MAKERS

Date: March 16

Time: 11:00 - 12:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Jeanmarie Bronson is a member of the Augusta Civil War Round Table, the Clearfield, PA Historical Society; The Lincoln Forum (Gettysburg), the Association of Gravestone Studies, and other historical organizations. Prior to an interest in the American Civil War, Jeanmarie started studying the geography, society, and symbolism in cemeteries and the lives that make up the history of an era.

Description: L'chaim... "to life"! From GI Jews to Jewish composers of America's best-loved Christmas music, History in Headstones looks at the lives of significant Jewish contributors to American culture. Which baseball player was called "The Jewish Hammer?" Name the legendary magician and escape artist. Look up in the sky, it's a bird, it's a plane, it's the superhero created by a Jewish author

and a Jewish illustrator. Department stores, soft drinks, scientists, musicians will be topics covered in Jewish Change Makers. The History in Headstones series looks at the popular past through the lens of the headstones of the people involved. Join us for the final art, epitaphs, stones, and symbolism of Jewish Change Makers.

COLOR AND PAINTING

Date: Mar 16

Time: 12:30-1:30 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Joseph Kameen. See “Figure Art” on pg. 26 for bio.

Description: This session will discuss how artists see and depict color in impressionistic painting, with art historical examples presented alongside demonstrations on color mixing, color perception, and technique.

HUNGARY THROUGH THE EYES OF A NATIVE

Dates: March 17, 24, 31

Time: 10:00 - 11:00 AM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$10

Instructor: Ilona Schmidt is a native of Hungary who taught Russian and English in her native land. She has thirty years of teaching experience in primary and secondary schools, and has taught adults both in Hungary and the U.S. She moved to the U.S. in 1997 and became an American citizen in 2012.

Description: This class will give an overview of the geography, and rich and tumultuous history of Hungary since the early Middle Ages. It will review Hungary’s history under the Austro-Hungarian Dual Monarchy, two world wars, and socialism, down to the present day. It will also introduce its unique language and culture and its contribution to civilization.

SRS: SUPPORTER OF THE

NATION AND REGIONAL ECONOMIC ENGINE

Dates: Mar 17, 24, 31

Time: 2:00 - 3:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$10

Instructors: Dr. Jim Marra is a veteran of the nuclear industry, including Savannah River National Laboratory. He is presently Executive Director of Citizens for Nuclear Technology Awareness (CNTA).

Rick McLeod has over 25 years of business development experience, fundraising, and project management experience. He has served as President and CEO of the Savannah River Site Community Reuse Organization (SRSCRO) since May Business & Education Bldg., 2008.

Vice Admiral (ret.) Chuck Munns served for 34 years in the U.S. Navy and was President and CEO of Savannah River Nuclear Solutions (SRNS) from Business & Education Bldg., 2007 through Business & Education Bldg., 2009. He is now a Commissioner at the South Carolina Commission for Higher Education.

Description: The Savannah River Site has supported the nation for seventy years. During this time, site activities have changed, but the mission of support to the country has never wavered. Throughout that time, the site has been an economic engine for our region. This course will review the current state of the site and the organizations involved.

COMPUTER SECURITY AND PRIVACY

Date: March 21

Time: 9:00 - 11:00AM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Russ Buckmeyer. See “Making the Most of Your Words” on pg. 14 for bio.

Description: You’ve read about rogues hacking into commercial, government, and financial computer systems, why do you think your computer is any

safer? It is a lot easier and a lot cheaper to prevent an intrusion than it is to clean up after your computer has been compromised. Learn about protecting your Windows 10 computer from viruses, worms, adware, spyware, and malware. The second half of the class will address basic internet privacy and tracking. Learn how to protect your online identity. Class size is limited to 8 students.

MEMOIRS OF AN ANTHROPOLOGIST FOODIE: DISHES OF THE WORLD AND OTHER PLACES

Dates: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 19, 26
Time: 1:00 - 2:00 PM
Location: Business & Education Bldg., 138
Cost: \$18

Instructor: Dr. Hayes is a medical anthropologist who spent her career in public health, working in the U.S. and Third World Countries such as Sudan. She has degrees from the State University of New York and has an extensive list of publications.

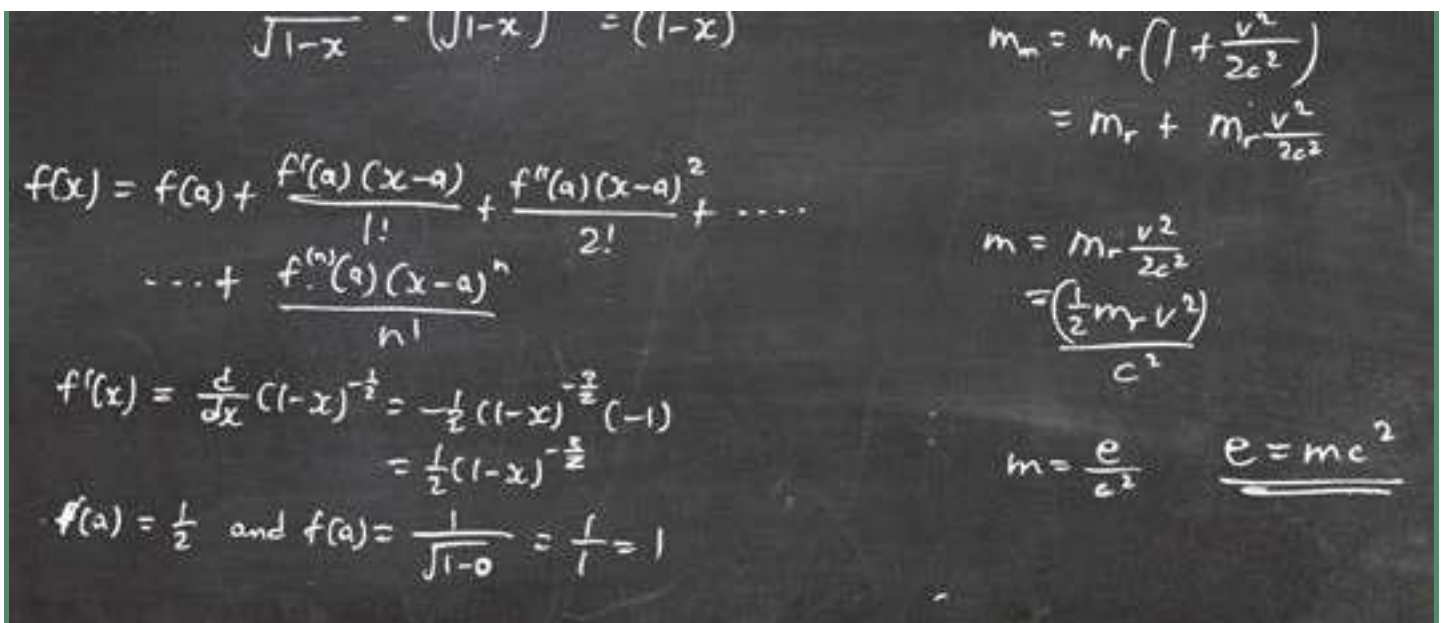
Description: Using her photography skills, Dr. Hayes will share parts of her life, her global travels, and her fascination with different cultures, environments, and cuisines across the globe.

RELATIVITY AND THE GENIUS OF ALBERT EINSTEIN

Dates: March 28, April 4, 11, 18
Time: 10:00 - 11:00 AM
Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124
Cost: \$12

Instructor: Dr. Hummert is an electrical engineer who spent much of his career at the Westinghouse Research Laboratory in Pittsburgh. He has lived and worked in Aiken since 1993. His technical background includes a doctorate from Carnegie Mellon, and studies of electric and magnetic field theory, which sparked his interest in relativity.

Description: In this class we will examine some of the scientific discoveries that laid the groundwork for Einstein’s 1905 breakthrough papers on relativity. The course does not require advanced mathematics and is structured around Einstein’s “thought experiments”, which ask very simple questions about common events leading to profound conclusions. The course first examines “special” relativity and then introduces the concepts contained in “general” relativity. Each class will consist of an informal lecture including “light flash” demonstrations supported by handout-notes emphasizing key points. Since his private life was interwoven with scientific discoveries, the course includes descriptions of his family and close associates. We will review a few excerpts from



several of his famous papers and find his thought process very clear and straightforward.

PARTISANSHIP AND POLARIZATION: THE MONSTER THAT ATE MODERN POLITICS

Dates: March 28, April 4

Time: 1:30 - 2:45 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$8

Instructor: Matthew Thornburg is an associate professor of political science at U of SC Aiken. He co-coaches the Mock Trial Team and directs the U of SC Aiken Social Sciences and Business Research Laboratory. His area of specialization is American electoral politics, including partisanship and identity.

Description: Partisanship is the single most important factor in modern American politics. It guides everything from who voters choose, to their political ideology, where they live, and even their public health choices. Today's political landscape represents a perfect storm of factors that have combined to create a feedback loop that drives Democrats and Republicans further apart. This course will examine theories about the origins of partisanship, how it has become so powerful, and



how it affects the lives of Americans.

THE HISTORY OF HORSE SPORTS IN AIKEN

Dates: March 29, April 5, 12, 19

Time: 11:00 - 12:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$12

Instructor: Billy Benton is a sixth generation Virginian from the equestrian town of Middleburg in Upper Virginia. He and his wife Januarye Gunnell are life-long equestrians who have regularly taken part in several hunts in Aiken, Virginia, and Maryland. He is also a polo player and polo match announcer and has been a Joint Master of the Edisto River Foxhounds.

Description This course will answer the question, "Why does every equestrian discipline train in Aiken?" Students will learn the history and background of each discipline and have an opportunity, as a group, to enjoy the rail side action at world-class equestrian events.

DISEASE AND THE LAW

Dates: March 30, April 6, 13, 20

Time: 9:30 - 10:30am

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$12

Instructor: Dr. Elizabeth Georgian is chair of the Department of History, Political Science, and Philosophy and an associate professor of history at U of SC Aiken where she teaches several pre-law courses and coaches the Mock Trial Team. She is currently writing a biography of Methodist itinerant Lorenzo Dow and is working on a project about the Cold War relocation of Ellenton, SC.

Description: Since the settlement of the colonies, Americans have grappled with the government's role in protecting public health and with the balance between individual rights and the public good. This course will look at how public health measures have intersected with the law and

government, from the colonial period to modern times, and at diseases ranging from smallpox to COVID-19.

WAR IN THE PACIFIC

Dates: March 30, April 6, 13, 20

Time: 11:00 - 12:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$12

Instructor: Robert Anzuoni graduated from Stonehill College with a B.A. in American Studies and received his M.A. in History and Archival Methods from U. Mass Boston. He served as the Director of the 82nd Airborne Division Museum at Fort Bragg, NC, and is currently the Director of the Signal Corps Museum at Fort Gordon, GA. Mr. Anzuoni has been an adjunct history instructor at Fayetteville Technical Community College, Aiken Technical College, and USC Aiken for the past fourteen years. He is a veteran of the U.S. Army 82nd Airborne Division and has written two books about that unit. He has presented courses for the CLL including U.S. Army Signal Corps, Airborne Warfare, Warfare, and WWI.

Description: This course is about the history of the U.S. military forces and their contributions to our nation's defense in the Pacific Theater of Operations (PTO) during WWII. The course will be presented in four sessions.

The first session deals with the involvement of the U.S. in the Pacific Ocean from 1898 with the Spanish American War and acquisition of territories. Events such as the Siberian Expedition and Peking Relief Expedition will be covered. This sets the stage for conflict with the expanding Japanese Empire.

The second session covers the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor and U.S. entry into WWII. Although the focus would soon be on defeating Germany, the earliest combat operations, such as the Doolittle Raid, Battle of Midway, and Aleutian Campaign were in the PTO.

The third session covers the plans to retake territory in the PTO and defeat Japan. The concept of a two-

pronged attack was adopted with one force fighting in the Central Pacific and another in the South Pacific. The goal would be for the two forces to converge on Japan.

The fourth session deals with the final operations against Japan. The final campaigns such as the liberation of the Philippines, Iwo Jima, and Okinawa will be examined. The last topic will be the air war against Japan which culminated in the dropping of two atomic bombs that would lead to the final surrender of Japan.



INTRODUCTION TO CHROMEBOOKS

Dates: April 7

Time: 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Bob Hood. See “iCloud With Your iPad/ iPhone” on pg. 14 for bio.

Description: Chromebooks have been on the market for about ten years. The first ones were lacking in a lot of areas: power, apps, flexibility, and capacity. However, Chromebooks have come a long

Ecologist at the Savannah River Ecology Laboratory and taught at the University of Georgia, Clemson University, Colorado State University, the University of South Carolina, as well as other institutions. He is a specialist in canine olfaction, dog behavior, and primitive dogs.

Description: Session I: History of domestication; the dog today; dog breeds.

Session II: The Jaws of Death; efforts to make the ownership of pit bulls and other breeds of dog a felony.

Session III: The nose knows, or does it? The dog in court; law enforcement and bloodhounds.

Session IV: Carolina dogs; the primitive dogs among us here in the Southeast.



way since those early days. This course will help you decide if a Chromebook is right for you, the type of Chromebook to look for, and tips and tricks to get your Chromebook up and running trouble-free.

THE WOLF AMONG US: AN UP-TO-DATE LOOK AT MAN'S BEST FRIEND

Dates: April 6, 13, 20, 27

Time: 1:00 - 2:15 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$12

Instructor: Dr. I. Lehr Brisbin was a Research

INTRODUCTION TO DIGITAL NETWORKS

Date: April 7

Time: 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Location: B & E 144

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Russ Buckmeyer. See “Making the Most of Your Words” on pg. 14 for bio..

Description: This class introduces students to the capability of digital networks. Students will gain a basic knowledge of various digital networks used to

connect phones, computers, home automation, and home security. This includes network data limits and availability in this area. This lecture-based class with limited hands-on activity will acquaint students with a broad overview of network digital options.

GOOGLE PICASA PHOTO EDITING

Date: April 11

Time: 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Location: Tech Center

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Douglas Leader graduated with a BS in mechanical engineering from the university of Illinois. He worked his entire career at what is now the Savannah River Site, starting in the Reactor Technology Dept and finally retiring from the Savannah River National Laboratory. He is a life member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. Doug's interest in Photography started when he was very young. For many years he had his own darkroom for developing and printing black and white photographs. He has been with the Center's Tech Section for over 10 years and has coached and taught sessions in Picasa and Photoshop

Description: Picasa is for anyone with a digital camera or a cell phone camera who would like to improve the quality of their photos with the help of an easy-to-use, free editing program. Google no longer supports this program; however, millions of enthusiasts still use it to organize, edit, and email digital photos. It is an excellent photo-editing program and is very intuitive. In this class students will learn how they can download the program to their own computers and will learn the various ways that photos can be edited, saved, and emailed. Students will also learn how to create photo albums that can be shared with others. A flash drive is required for this course, and the class is limited to 8 students.

PINTEREST

Date: Apr 14

Time: 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$15

Instructors: Pam Stone and Vicki Gibboney. See "How to Use Your iPad/iPhone" on pg. 20 for bios.

Description Looking for creative ideas? Good ideas start with Pinterest. This class will show students how to expand their interests and improve their hobbies using the power of Pinterest in a Microsoft or Apple environment. The course covers how to expand ideas, how to create, share, and follow boards. The class will also cover Pinterest settings and privacy issues.

UNIVERSITY OF SC AIKEN NURSING SCHOOL STUDENTS PRESENT "PROMOTING QUALITY HEALTH CARE FOR THE ELDERLY"

Date: April 25

Time: 2:00 - 5:00 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 124

Cost: \$5

Instructor: Carolyn Sue-Ling PhD (along with the University of South Carolina Aiken 3rd and 4th year nursing students.) Dr. Sue-Ling is a native of North Carolina who discovered her love for teaching nursing in 1988. She was a clinical instructor at University of South Carolina Aiken from 1989 until 1996. In 2012, she returned to University of South Carolina Aiken as an instructor of Nursing, and currently teaches NURS 417 Gerontological Nursing and NURS 307 Health Assessment Lab. She has previously taught NURS 419/421 as a clinical instructor.

Description: This course is an opportunity to sit in on students' presentations of health promotion projects to communicate health issues and quality health associated with aging. Each student group completes these projects as an assignment for the University of South Carolina Aiken Gerontological Nursing course. The teaching project's objective is to

cover the most recent research on a topic selected by each student group, but the presentations are prepared for the public and for patients, not medical professionals. This nursing course explores theories of human development and the achievement and maintenance of healthy lifestyles of seniors. Topics covered in these presentations from past semesters have included: the respiratory system, gastrointestinal system, neurological system, and cardiac issues. The academic course session lasts nearly 3 hours. However, there will be a brief break between presentations (these will provide an opportunity to leave for those unable to stay for all the presentations)

**REGISTRATION
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INTRODUCTION TO WINDOWS

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Date: March 21

Time: 2:00 - 400 PM

Location: Business & Education Bldg., 136

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Ralph Dale, see “Windows 10”.

Description: On October 5, 2021, Microsoft released Windows 11, the newest version of the Windows operating system. This lecture course will show the new features in Windows 11 and how they changed from Windows 10. You will learn about the new hardware requirements (and why you might have to buy a new computer), the new look, the new tool for arranging windows on the screen, the new Start menu, and the major revision to the Settings app. If you plan to purchase a new computer soon, we’ll discuss the hardware requirements needed to meet Windows 11 minimum standards.



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*Registration Opens **01/06/2022 at 9am.** No early registrations accepted. If you mail in your registration before the registration date, it will not be entered until registration opens.*

Membership Fee: \$35 per semester - add-on pricing per class

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