

# Noncredit Programs

For more information and to be put on the mailing list, visit the OLLI website (<https://osher.wustl.edu/>) or call 314-935-4237.

In addition to earning academic credit through the School of Continuing & Professional Studies, there are opportunities for personal enrichment and professional development through a number of noncredit options. For more information, please call 314-935-6700 or visit the School of Continuing & Professional Studies website (<http://caps.wustl.edu>).

## Special Audit Program

Students may audit a wide selection of undergraduate courses in the School of Continuing & Professional Studies for \$400 per course. The Special Audit option makes it easier than ever for students to challenge themselves with high-quality, continuing education at Washington University in St. Louis.

All School of Continuing & Professional Studies courses available through the Special Audit program are noted with an "SA" icon in the course listings. Courses taken as Special Audit do not appear on a Washington University transcript, do not carry academic credit, and do not apply to degree requirements in a School of Continuing & Professional Studies program of study.

## MLA Saturday Lecture Series

The MLA Lecture Series, which is held each spring and sponsored by the Master of Liberal Arts Program in the School of Continuing & Professional Studies, showcases university faculty who explore a common theme from different perspectives and academic disciplines. The lectures are offered free of charge to the public.

## Osher Lifelong Learning Institute

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at Washington University in St. Louis is a membership organization that offers interactive courses and lectures. Membership is open to adults age 50+; previous Washington University participation is not required. OLLI is part of Washington University's School of Continuing & Professional Studies.

OLLI classes are not for credit; there are no exams and no grades. Participants do not have to have a previous relationship with Washington University to participate. Members bring their curiosity and come ready to participate.

OLLI offers courses on a wide variety of topics, including art and architecture, contemporary issues, creative writing, economics, history, literature, math/science/technology, music, and philosophy. OLLI members plan, develop, and present the courses on a volunteer basis.

The Institute has four terms per membership year: summer, fall, winter and spring. Courses usually meet two hours per week, for either four or eight weeks. A few special interest group courses continue year-round. Each term, OLLI offers a range of lectures and events that are free to members; most of these are delivered by Zoom on Friday afternoons.