

OSHER LIFELONG LEARNING @UCR

Winter 2025

Stay curious! Unlock a world of
knowledge with these courses



Remote Delivered Courses (6 weeks)

Jan. 13-Feb. 17

- Cinematic Exploration: Human Life in Historical Context • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Mondays
- 3 Southern Women: Short Stories Masters • 1-3 p.m. Wednesdays
- Heralding the New Heroic Model: Eat, Pray, Love revisited • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Tuesdays

Osher Online (dates specific to class)

- The Next Generations Legacy of the Holocaust • 2 p.m. Thursdays, Jan. 23-Feb. 27
- Innovations in Health & Wellness • 2 p.m. Fridays, Jan. 31-March 2
- Buddhist Philosophy, Meditation & Ritual: In India and Beyond • 12 p.m. Tuesdays, Jan. 21-Feb. 25

UC Riverside In Person (3 weeks)

March 10-March 24

- Prohibition: America's Noble Experiment
10 a.m.-12 p.m. Mondays, March 11-March 25
- The Week's News in Review • 10 a.m.-12 p.m.
Thursdays, March 13-March 27

Remote Delivered Courses (6 weeks)

Feb. 24-March 31

- Landscape Photography • 1-3 p.m. Mondays
- The 20th Century American Short Story II • 1-3 p.m. Tuesdays
- Music: Controversies and Curiosities • 12-1:30 p.m. Wednesdays
- Life & Career Transitions with Cultural Travels in Palm Desert • 2-4 p.m. Thursdays (Hybrid: Online with optional excursions in the community)

UC Riverside In Person (6 weeks)

Jan. 20-Feb. 24

- Terrorism in the Heartland of America • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Tuesdays
- The Week's News in Review • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Thursdays
- James Madison: The Constitution and Political Theory • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Fridays

UCR Palm Desert In Person (3 weeks)

March 10-March 24

- Interior Design • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Mondays
- Got Back Problems? • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Mondays
- Shaping the Future: The Power of AI and Robotics
10 a.m.-12 p.m. Tuesdays
- Introduction to Artisanal Cheeses • 1-3 p.m. Tuesdays
- Is There Order In The Court? • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Tuesdays
- Going into the Cocoon and Coming out Transformed •
10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Wednesdays
- How to Draw: 1, 2 and 3 point Perspective, Shapes,
Lines & Mass • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Wednesdays
- Modern Diplomacy • 1-3 p.m. Wednesdays
- The Week's News in Review • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Thursdays
- Medieval Visions of the Here and Hereafter:
Dante Aligheri and Hieronymous Bosch • 1-4 p.m. Thursdays, March 6-20
- Current Events Discussion Group • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Fridays, March 7-March 28 (4 classes, Hybrid)

UCR Palm Desert In Person (6 weeks)

Jan. 14-Feb. 24 (No class Jan. 20, Feb. 17)

- Interior Design • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Mondays
- Campus Wars: From the Campus to the Courtroom • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Mondays
- Five Easy Steps to Create a Personal Video Story • 1-3 p.m. Mondays
- How to Write a Novel • 1-3 p.m. Mondays
- International Cinema • 1-3 p.m. Tuesdays
- Terrorism in the Heartland of America • 2-4 p.m. Tuesdays
- The Science of Food and Cooking • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Wednesdays
- The Art of the Movies • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Wednesdays
- How Diplomacy Delivers • 1-3 p.m. Wednesdays
- End Polarization: Bring Back the American Dream
1-3 p.m. Wednesdays
- Wines of France: Part 1 • 6-8 p.m. Wednesdays
- Painting with Acrylics, Watercolors and Crana d'ache
10 a.m.-12 p.m. Thursdays
- The Week's News in Review • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Thursdays
- The Con is On: Hustlers and Thieves in Film • 1-4 p.m. Thursdays
- Current Events Discussion Group • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Fridays (7 weeks, hybrid)
- The U.S. Intelligence Community: Purpose and Capabilities
10 a.m.-12 p.m. Fridays
- Introduction to Fine Fragrances • 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Fridays
- Wines of France: Part II • 6-8 p.m. Feb. 24-March 31
Wednesdays

MORE OLLI EVENTS

**Palm Desert events
(in person in Palm Desert)**

- A History of the Movie Newsreel
Lou Gorfain • 1-3 p.m. Dec. 17
- Osher Open House & Blue Zones lecture
Jeff O'Conner • 3-5 p.m. Jan. 8
- Hemingway's Passions
Nancy Sindelar • 3-5 p.m. Jan. 10

**Life Lecture Series
(in person in Riverside)**

Raised in the Inland Empire
1-3 p.m. Jan. 21 • Speaker: Sabrina Gonzalez

**Dickson Lecture Series
(in person in Riverside)**

Cosmopolitanism and The Middle Ages
3-4:30 p.m. March 4 • Speaker: John M. Ganim

