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Fall 1999 II.R Class Schedule November 3
Wednesdays, October 13, 20, 27 & November 5
Wednesdays, Fridays, October 15, 22, 29 & November 5



Spring 1999 Class Schedule Wednesdays April 21, 28, May 5 & 12

Computer Classes: Fridays April 23, 30, May 7 & 14

Join us for Friendship and Learning.

Jon C. Neidy, Program Director Division of Continuing Education and Professional Development 1501 West Bradley Avenue Peoria, IL 61625 (309) 677-2820

Membership Form (age 55+ recommended) Bradley Alum Year Will attend March 18 luncheon Will NOT attend luncheon Phone Name City____ State____Zip_ Address E-mail address **Wednesday Classes** (Circle #1 & #2 choices in each time period.) \$75 membership fee per person \$25 lunches (4) on ILR dates 8:30 - 10:00 Choose One 9:00 - 10:00 \$24 Books Alive! 2 3 #1 Choice 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 #2 Choice \$25 Commerce Unseen (both tours) \$15 Illinois American Water Choose One 10:30 - Noon 10:30 - 11:30 \$15 CILCO 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 #1 Choice #2 Choice 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 \$40 Missouri Botanical Gardens \$65 Merchandise Mart 1:00 - 2:00 \$250 Close Up Washington D.C. (deposit) #1 Choice 19 20 21 22 23 24 ___ \$250 Spain and Portugal (deposit) #2 Choice 19 20 21 22 23 24 Total enclosed (checks payable to Bradley) 2:30 - 3:30 VISA Mastercard Discover 27 29 30 32 #1 Choice 25 26 28 31 #2 Choice 25 26 27 28 30 31 32 Card number Exp. date Signature 1:45 - 3:15 Friday 33 8:30 - 9:30 36 34 37 3:30 - 4:30 10:00 - 11:30 **Return to:** Continuing Education 35 12:00 - 1:30 **Bradley University** 1501 W. Bradley Avenue Peoria, IL 61625 **Additional Information** Membership Fee (309) 677-2820 Please complete one registration form for

\$75.00 per person (semester ends May 31, 1999) Registration fee includes ILR luncheon, ILR membership, class registration and special events.

Join ILR members for a complimentary luncheon.



Bradley University Institute for Learning in Retirement

Menu:

Salisbury Steak
Fruit Ambrosia
Oven Browned Potatoes
Green Beans
Rolls & Butter
Lemon Square
Beverage

You are cordially invited!

Thursday, March 18, 1999 12:00 noon Student Center Ballroom

Please call 677-2820 or mail class registration form by March 12.

Bus shuttle from Westminster Church 11:30 a.m. and return after the luncheon.



each person. (Forms may be duplicated.)

Class schedule, map and parking permit

will be mailed by April 7, 1999.

ILR Classes: Wednesdays, April 21, 28 May 5 & 12, 1999

R = Repeat Class

NM = New Material

N = New Class

Coffee ILR Treat Ballroom B 8:00

8:30 - 10:00

1. Current Topics in US Trade Policy...Goes National-Many of you have taken Jim Foley's course discussing international trade policies. Part of its popularity was due to the opportunity to share opinions and concerns on such topics as the International Monetary Fund (IMF), NAFTA, Asia crisis, and the World Trade Organization. Learn and share with other ILR participants on the East Coast! In the first of its kind, the course will be held via video conference with Binghamton University, located in Binghamton, New York. Each week, both locations will be linked via audio and video using technology in Bradley's Global Communications Center. Hear the thoughts and concerns folks have in New York and compare with how it plays in Peoria! Class size limited to thirty. (NM)

9:00 - 10:00

- **2. Abraham Lincoln: The Man Beyond The Myth** –Join Dr. Randall Saxon, senior pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Peoria, to explore the life and legacy of Lincoln. (N)
- 3. America Since the Civil War—Continue along in history with Arwin Smallwood, Director of African—American Studies at Bradley, from the Civil War era through the mid 20th Century. (NM)
- **4. Art That** *Shapes* **Our World**–Four different genre of art will be presented including studio visits and one-day art shows: Bob Emser, sculptor; Mark Schroll, painter; Randy Carlson, ceramicist; and Oscar Gillespie, print maker. (N)
- 5. Hate Crimes, Civil Rights, Terrorism and the FBI-Learn what role the FBI plays in the investigation of Civil Rights matters and domestic and international terrorism. Steve Hancock, FBI Agent, will focus on the legal and investigative aspects of the types of investigations. (N)

- **6. Poetry Potpourri: Poetry Without Fear**–Join Mary Jordan, Bradley and ICC English instructor, to enjoy the reading and discussion of a collage of poetic voices on a variety of themes. (N)
- 7. Sinatra—If you've been a fan of Frankie all these years, come listen, watch and discuss his music with Beth Amberg and Joan O'Neil (fans in good standing). (N)
- 8. Who's Talking, Who's Listening—Using the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator, Helen Evans, Associate Director emeritus for BU Campus and Community Testing, will explore how people gather information, learn to listen more effectively, and take the mystery out of communicating. (R)
- **9. Y2K Facts**–Join experts Roy Schmidt, Bradley University; Dan Danner, State Farm; and Neal Johnson, CILCO for some definition and discoveries of Y2K. (N)

10:00 - 10:30 Refreshments ILR Treat Ballroom B

10:30 - 11:30

- **10. DNA Biotechnology and the Andromeda Strain–**John DePinto, Bradley biology chair, will address applications and implications of DNA in science and in society. (R)
- **11. Drawing I**–Beginning, basic, hands on drawing with John Heintzman, Director of University Galleries at Bradley. A class supply list will be provided for purchases. (N)
- 12. Four Forerunners of the Reformation—The Protestant Reformation did not begin with Martin Luther. Explore events and four precursors which culminated in the Protestant Reformation with Robert Gillogly, senior pastor of First Federated Church. (NM)

- **13. Legacy of Vietnam**–Tim Maga, BU Oglesby Professor of American Heritage, will lead discussions concerning the Vietnam War's impact on the '90s. (NM)
- **14. Many Faces of Picasso**—Learn about the many style changes during Picasso's life with Betty Starasta '54, '57, Bradley alum . (NM)
- **15. Mastering Your Garden**–Bill Sullivan, retired environmental engineer and home gardener for 49 years, will show us how to get the best from our home gardens without them getting the best of us. (NM)
- **16. Medical Ethics**–Brooks McDaniel, ordained minister and ICC instructor, will explore the kinds of decisions and rights we have to make in health care. (R)
- **17. Sing, Sing a Song**–Enjoy music as a participant learning basic singing techniques and singing with a mixed group. Ken Lister, Doctor of Music Ministry at First United Methodist Church, will lead this group. (NM)

10:30 - Noon

18. Investing to Own Your Own Share of America –Study intermediate level investments and portfolio management. Join Bert Sanders, President, Heart of Illinois Council, which is the chartered local arm of the National Association of Investors Corporation. (R)

11:30 - 1:00 Lunch

Buffet in the Ballroom – \$25.00 for 4 lunches (Sack lunches welcome.) Cafeteria is also open. Meal tickets must be purchased by April 14.

Buffet Menu

- 4/21 Turkey, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad, Rolls, Soup, Drink & Dessert
- 4/28 Baked Potato Bar, Soup, Drink & Dessert
- 5/5 Vegetable & Beef Lasagna, Tossed Salad, Bread Sticks, Soup, Drink & Dessert
- 5/12 Taco Bar, Soup, Drink & Dessert

1:00 - 2:00

- 19. State of Imprisonment in the Nation–Dave Helman, Warden, Federal Correctional Institution in Pekin, will join other staff members for an overview as well as specific concerns in our prisons today. Topics will include managing crowded prisons, women in prison, and healthcare. (N)
- **20. Foreign Policy Update**–This class, arranged by Bert Thompson, features four instructors: Jim Winship, John Guidry, Chuck Bukowski, Susan Fleming Holm, and covers the following:
 - 4/21 East Asia, After the Crash
 - 4/28 Brazil, a Country in Transition
 - 5/5 Changes in the U.S. Intelligence Community
 - 5/12 Turkey, A Strategic World Player
- **21. Inside the Children's Hospital of Illinois**–See the Children's Hospital of Illinois as seen by a physician, a board member, an ICU nurse, and a musician. (N)
- **22. Join the Fray**–Jon C. Neidy will lead the charge to train ILR members to become future successful class leaders. Use your hobby or interests and learn how to create an exciting class for the next ILR session! (N)
- **23. Odd Animals and Their Uses**–Join Rudy Lewis, llama enthusiast, and Jeff Broms, Broms Furs & Fashions, to learn about raising and the uses of llamas and ostriches. Both animals are finding new niches in today's society. (N)
- **24. Story Telling–**Don Axt, ILR member, will discuss the art of writing and telling stories-an art he has been practicing since he was in the fifth grade. (R)

2:00 - 2:30 Refreshments ILR Treat Ballroom B

2:30 - 3:30

25. Chicago-Its Lore and Legends–Join Jerry Driscoll '58, '69 Bradley alum, and explore Chicago's people, places and events that have made the Windy City a unique place. There will be a special presentation of the 1919 World Series-The "Eight Men Out" World Series. (N)

26. China: Two Views–Daniel Getz, Dept. of Philosophy and Religious Studies, will give an overview of Chinese language, history, and culture, including the Christian missionary experience. Barbara Mantz Drake, editorial page editor of the *Peoria Journal Star*, will reflect upon "lessons from China." (R)

27. History and Tradition of Roman Catholic Church–Fr. John Dietzen, pastor of Holy Trinity in Bloomington, author and instructor at Illinois Wesleyan, will outline the histories, tradition, and teaching of the Roman Catholic Church. (N) **28. History of Peoria Medicine**–Trace and discuss the history of health care in Peoria with Roger Monroe, '55, '57 Bradley alum, with 25 years experience in local health care activities. (R)

29. Fundamentals of Chipping and Putting—An overview of golf's scoring strokes with Bo Ryan, Bradley's Head Golf Coach. Technique, strategy, and mental approach will be taught. Class size limited to twelve and held at Newman Golf Course or rain location of Haussler Hall. (N) 30. Inside Bradley University—Each semester different areas of Bradley University are visited. Join us for a behind the scenes look at Meyer Jacobs Theatre, University Hall, the Global Communications Center and Dingledine Music

31. Reading Shakespeare–Phyllis Kells, English and Fine Arts masters' degrees, suggests merrymaking with Shakespeare's comedic twists, smirks, sly glances, and shadowy scowls for millennium, wisdom, and optimism. Class limited to fifteen people. (N)

Center. (NM)

32. The State of the Region and Regional Issues–Join Terry Kohlbuss, Executive Director, Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, for a regional overview, Peoria-to-Chicago Freeway, conditions of Peoria lakes and their future as well as other current topics. (R)

Computer Classes: Fridays April 23, 30, May 7 & 14

All computer classes are limited to 16 people. These computer classes are held in the Campustown Computer Lab.

33. 8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

Wandering the World Wide Web-A first foray into the World Wide Web for those who are comfortable with computer. Class will be taught by Jon C. Neidy, Program Director in the Division of Continuing Education. (R)

34. 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Word Processing: Skills and Tips—Susan Cribbs, Program Director in the Division of Continuing Education, provides an opportunity for you to learn advanced features of Microsoft Word, including how to work with columns, tables, borders, clipart, labels, and the drawing toolbar. Students must have prior experience with word processing. (N)

35. 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

Computer I—Learn computer fundamentals, understanding computer terms, and how they work with ILR member, Carroll Besing. You will also be given information on how to choose a computer, hook it up, and how to use the Internet. No experience necessary. (R)

36. 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

Opening Windows to New Worlds-Susan Cribbs, Program Director in the Division of Continuing Education, will introduce basic features of the Windows operating system. Topics will include terminology, working with multiple applications, printing, file management, and more. Some computer experience necessary. (R)

37. 3:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Advanced Internet, Info Searcher—Mary Jo DeJoice, Information Literacy Librarian at Bradley's Cullom-Davis Library, will teach us how to use the Internet for gathering information. Prerequisite is Computer I or equivalent. (R)

Travel

Local Travel

Commerce Unseen

A new travel opportunity that takes us into unseen and often overlooked businesses within our own community. This is your chance to explore and learn about the fascinating commerce that occurs inside the walls and fences we pass daily. All of our explorations commence with a 12:00 p.m. lunch at Bradley. We will then travel to the business in a passenger van, tour the site with a representative of the company, and return to Bradley by 5:00 p.m. We will be delving into the architecture and machinery of the Illinois American Water Main Pump Station #1 on Wednesday, April 7 and investigating the complexities of CILCO on Wednesday, March, 10.

IL American: \$15.00 (includes lunch and transportation)
CILCO: \$15.00 (includes lunch and transportation)
Both tours: \$25.00 (includes lunch and transportation)

Regional Travel

Missouri Botanical Gardens

Featuring: *Beauty and the Beast*- 1999 Annual Orchid Show On Wednesday, March 3, we are venturing to the Missouri Botanical Garden that was first opened to the public in 1859 by Henry Shaw. The Missouri Botanical Garden's mission is to discover and share knowledge about plants and their environment in order to preserve and enrich life.

Their annual orchid show, this year titled: *Beauty and the Beast*, features the Garden's complete collection of orchids and is considered outstanding for its diversity. It includes many rare and unusual species not found elsewhere in the United States. Garden botanists have added many species to the collection from their explorations in Africa, Central and South America, and recently in Vietnam, including some exciting finds that may be new to science.

Missouri Botanical Gardens: \$40.00 (includes exhibit admission and transportation)

The Merchandise Mart

At last...a chance to visit the "Colossus of Marketplaces," the Merchandise Mart. Join us on May 3 as we travel to Chicago for a comprehensive Merchandise Mart experience.

Are you aware the Mart is:

- One of the world's finest examples of Art Deco architecture?
- Six and one-half million square feet of businesses creating a "city within a city?"
- A Mecca for millions of architects, designers, and other professionals from around the world?

An experienced guide takes us on a 1 1/2 hour narrated walking tour of areas accessible only to architects, designers, and wholesale buyers. While touring we will hear the history of the Mart, learn about its landmark architecture

and visit designer showrooms. After our tour, a luncheon buffet is featured at the top of the Apparel Center. After lunch, we have tickets to the Chicago International Antiques and Fine Art Fair featuring dozens of nationally recognized exhibitors.

The Merchandise Mart: \$65.00 (includes tour, luncheon, exhibit admission, and transportation)

Domestic and International Travel

Close Up Washington D.C. and Williamsburg: a Domestic Learning Tour

Bradley University and Jerry Driscoll (Bradley Alum and retired Government and History Teacher) are offering a one-of-a-kind learning adventure that combines the joy of vacationing with the fulfillment of learning more about our nation's government and history. The tour begins May 15 and concludes May 22. Participants will receive an unparalleled view of day-to-day life as it was during the time of our nation's struggle for independence while staying two days and two nights in colonial Williamsburg. History will come alive in the colonial capitol building courthouse, and taverns. Back in Washington, workshops will help participants gain new insights into current issues and events as they meet national leaders and decision-makers. The price of the program includes: all meals, accommodations at a metropolitan Washington D.C. Hotel, accommodations in colonial Williamsburg, life, health, and accident insurance, a closing banquet, a round trip flight from Peoria, an additional night in Washington D.C. on your own, a Close Up publication on current events and government, and several other amenities. Please call for a detailed itinerary.

Close Up Washington D.C. and Williamsburg: \$1750.00 A refundable \$250.00 deposit is required by April 1, 1999

Spain and Portugal: an International Learning Tour Bradley University and Collette Tours have joined forces to provide this wonderful opportunity for you to learn about and explore Spain and Portugal at the perfect time of year. This 14 day tour departs on Wednesday, September 22 from the Peoria airport and arrives in brilliant Barcelona. From there we travel to Madrid, Toledo, Cordoba, Granada, Marbella, Costa del Sol, Seville, and Lisbon. This adventure includes several multiple night stays and features visits to the Rock of Gibraltar, Picasso Museum, Prado Museum, Jeronimo's Monastery, a Flamenco Dinner Show, and a Fado Dinner Show. We will be returning to Peoria, on Wednesday, October 6. Twentythree meals are included in the price as well as lodging at 4 and 5 star hotels, round trip flights from and to Peoria, land and air cancellation insurance, medical and accident insurance, and American guides throughout the tour. Please call for a detailed itinerary.

Spain and Portugal: \$3100.00 A refundable \$250.00 deposit is required by August 11, 1999.

More Continuing Education opportunities . . .

Books Alive!

Join fellow bibliophiles in lively discussions about myriad books. In its 30th year at Bradley University, the discussions are lead by various Bradley faculty, staff, and others on Friday mornings in the Student Center from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. Books are available in the Bradley Bookstore or at local libraries. **Cost: \$24.00**

March 19

Wait Until Next Year, Doris Kearns Goodwin, \$13.00 Facilitator: Janet M. Lange, Executive Director Division of Continuing Education

April 16

Into Thin Air, John Krakauer, \$7.99

Facilitator: Sally Tippett, retired Speech Pathologist

April 30

The Rape of Nanking: The Forgotten Holocaust of World War II, Iris Chang, \$14.95

Facilitator: Tim Maga, History Department

May 21

Life Among the Savages, Shirley Jackson, \$11.95 Facilitator: Jon C. Neidy, Program Director Division of Continuing Education

One-Credit Classes at Bradley University

Collecting Art

Wed. 11:00 -11:50 John Heintzman Learn about prints and drawings, pricing, and beginning an art collection as Bradley University presents the 27th Bradley National Print and Drawing Exhibition.

America in the World Economy

Wed. 11:00-11:50

Dr. Shan Tarzi

Explore how American economic prosperity (and its national security) is dependent upon global economic forces and trends.

Issues in Higher Education

Tues. 4:00-5:00 Dr. Alan Galsky Discuss higher education in general and the controversial issues in particular. Students will then choose a topic and prepare a report.

Special rate of \$10 per semester hour for age 62 and better!

- ◆ If you have a bachelor's degree, call Bradley's graduate school office at 677-2375.
- ◆ If you don't have a degree, call the Division of Continuing Education at 677-2374.
- ◆ If you are seeking courses for credit toward a degree, call Undergraduate Admissions at 677-1000.

Division of Continuing Education Computer Class Schedule

Essential 180: Word Perfect 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Wednesday February 24, 1999

Introduction to Microsoft Word '97 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Saturday February 27, 1999

Introduction to Microsoft Excel '97 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Saturday March 6, 1999

Introduction to Web Page Design 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Friday March 12, 1999

Introduction to Peachtree Accounting Version 6.0 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Saturday March 13, 1999

All classes are held in the Campustown Computer Lab.

Call Sue or Jan for more information on costs and instructors, or to answer any of your questions at (309) 677-2377.



FOR LEARNING Spring, 1999

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Message from the President . . .

In the Fall I emphasized the high quality of our ILR group. Our ILR continues to be strong and is what places us in a valued position among the more than 240 ILRs in the country. I hope you are as proud of Bradley's ILR as I am. It wouldn't have been possible without your help. Thank you for being eager students, filling organization roles, and acting as officers, captains, and class leaders.

A few words are needed to cover the "State of the ILR." The 1998-1999 academic year was full of transition. Bradley and our group selected a new Director, Jon Neidy. He and the excellent staff in the Division of Continuing Education, have meaningfully contributed to the success of our program. We weathered the storm of a tuition increase. Our class attendance is slightly less than last year, but 323 have attended our Fall and Winterim sessions. We are in a sound financial condition to enter this Spring session. Our mailing list contains an impressive 5500 names. Our class satisfaction level continues to be excellent, and this Spring we will be presenting 37 classes. Our Bradley ILR group is a solid organization that is poised and ready to succeed in the new millennium.

In the future great things will be happening. Quality will continue to be our goal. New learning opportunities will include classes on the Y2K phenomenon and your first opportunity to be electronically connected with another university using video conferencing technology. You will have a class extended so students in New York can react as if they were in the same room where you are. You will continue to have opportunities to attend classes on subjects you helped to select. You will continue to be asked to help if you are interested. You will continue to learn about the arts and sciences and take educational trips with ILR members who have similar interests.

Be proud of your ILR. I certainly am proud of all of you. Thank you for being a part of our success. See you in class!



