

# Quest

ADVENTURES IN LEARNING FOR 50+

## Winter Schedule 2014

Quest is a membership driven institute that encourages learning, socializing, and active participation in classes and activities. It is one of over 300 college-sponsored institutes for learning in retirement in the US and Canada affiliated with Road Scholar of Elderhostel, Inc. Through Quest you will find learning opportunities designed the way you like them – no tests, no grades and no credits. Join Quest and build friendships, develop new skills, increase your knowledge and share the journey with like-minded peers – all 50+.

### Quest Membership

#### Quest Membership

3003/QUEST 001 \$39  
Annual Quest Membership – Fall, Winter, and Spring

3001/QUEST 002 \$15  
Quarterly Membership

#### 90+ Quest Membership

3004/QUEST 004 Free  
Class fees still apply.

#### New! Registered for class benefits:

A WWCC ASB student ID card is offered to any Quest/LLL student enrolled in classes.

- Access/use of WWCC library
- Entrance to WWCC theatre performances
- Entrance to WWCC sporting events

To obtain a student ID card, pay tuition and fees at business services and bring the receipt to Student Activity Center (ASB) in Walla Walla along with one piece of photo ID (i.e., driver's license). Student ID cards must be validated each Quarter and allow students to attend WWCC athletic events, plays, musical events, and more for free or at a reduced charge.

#### Quest Steering Committee

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| Allen Kopf     | Laurie Manahan  | Nancy Ludwigs   |
| Bill Eyestone  | Linda Moats     | Patty Kajita    |
| Bob Berger     | Linnea Keatts   | Shauna Mosgrove |
| Bob Fontenot   | Margaret Buchan | Veva Hepler     |
| George Sampson | Marleen Howard  | Pat Yenney      |

#### MARCH TO THE OSCARS

Q119/Quest067 Fee: \$89.82  
WILLIAMS, R. Off Campus  
Thursday, 2:30PM - 4:30PM 01/16/14 – 03/20/14

From 1929 until the present, the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences have honored some of the greatest (and the not-so-great) films and their creators with the annual presentation of the Academy Awards, a.k.a. the "Oscars." Join instructor Ron Williams at the Gesa Power House Theater where we will explore some of the greatest films to withstand the test of time – that may or MAY NOT have taken home the coveted Oscar. We'll talk about how the films were made, some of the tricks of the trade, a behind-the-scenes tour, and why the films were loved or missed when they were first released.

#### MYSTERY TOUR

Q121/Quest049 Fee: \$37.60  
KEATTS, L. BUS STOP  
Friday, 9:00 - 4:00PM 01/17/14

The good thing...it's a Mystery Tour! And the bad thing...it's a Mystery Tour! NO details revealed! On this trip, a special lunch will be provided and there is no long walking involved. Come meet new and old friends and celebrate a winter day!

#### ARTISTS' STUDIO VISITS & MORE

Q110/Quest069 Fee: \$49.90  
JAMES, J. Off Campus  
Saturday, 10:00AM – 12:00PM 01/18/14 – 02/15/14

This Quest course consists of five guided visits to various art establishments, including artists' studios, the Museum of Un-Natural History and the Foundry.

#### JORGE LUIS BORGES

Q106/Quest053 Fee: \$89.82  
WINCHELL, J. WWCC/Room 103  
Tuesday, 1:30 - 3:30PM 01/21/14 – 03/18/14

Jorge Luis Borges (1899-1986) is universally regarded as one of the pre-eminent authors of the twentieth century. He is an unsurpassed master of the short story and fable. The writing of Borges consistently returns to the metaphysical problems of existence and reality, doubt and belief in an apparently infinite series of variations. Students will read and discuss a wide and diverse range of short texts by Borges in relation to philosophy, spirituality, literacy and modern art.

*No class February 17, 2014*

## WRITING FOR TODAY'S MARKET

**Q116/Quest028** Fee: \$49.90  
**MULKERIN, L.** WWCC/Room 109  
**Tuesday, 2:30 - 4:30PM** 01/21/14 - 02/18/14

Go from concept to writing an opening, describe middle and write an ending. Define why a project matters and look, briefly, at opportunities through media and online platforms. Explore the best approach for distribution and marketing.

## EINSTEIN FOR EVERYBODY

**Q127/Quest082** Fee: \$49.90  
**JAMISON, J.** WWCC/Room 102  
**Wednesday, 2:30PM - 4:30PM** 01/22/14 - 02/19/14

Einstein for Everybody is a visual presentation of the Theory of Relativity. It uses graphs and animations to make clear the mind-bending concepts of relativity, including the relativity of time, and space, and the notion of curved space-time.

## WORLD RELIGIONS

**Q113/Quest009** Fee: \$49.90  
**KACHEL, J.** WWCC/Room 108  
**Thursday, 1:30 - 3:30PM** 01/23/14 - 02/27/14

This course will begin with exploring some of the great religious traditions to discover how humans have tried to answer some of life's deepest questions. We will look at the core beliefs as laid out by the Spiritual Masters/Texts of Judaism, Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism and Atheism/Agnosticism/Spirituality.

## WRITE NOW!

**Q125/Quest030** Fee: \$89.82  
**HULL, B.** Health Sciences Bldg/Room 1835  
**Friday, 9:30 - 11:30AM** 01/24/14 - 03/21/14

Whether you want to write fiction, creative non-fiction, memoir or essay, the elements of good writing are the same. Learn these elements and share your writing with others. All levels of experience are welcome.

## RENAISSANCE ARTISTS

**Q114/Quest054** Fee: \$89.82  
**VALENTE, C.** WWCC/Room 106  
**Monday, 12:30 - 2:30PM** 01/27/14 - 03/17/14

The Renaissance is almost universally considered the most significant period of development in Western art. Giorgio Vasari's Lives of the Artists, (required book), is our most important contemporary source for the lives of Renaissance artists and the meaning of their art. This course will look at several major artists and their masterpieces, in order to come to a better appreciation of what makes Renaissance art so compelling and enduring.

## SUDOKU

**Q123/Quest044** Fee: \$17.10  
**MORTON, K.** WWCC/Room 104  
**Monday, 2:30 - 4:30PM** 03/03/14

This class is for beginners as well as those who want to up their game. Using the left side of your brain is a healthy way to maintain cells and have some fun. There are no losers in this internationally popular numbers game.

## YOUR INNER FISH

**Q115/Quest047** Fee: \$49.90  
**SCHAEFFER, R.** WWCC/Room 104  
**Wednesday, 1:30 - 3:30PM** 02/19/14 - 03/19/14

Learn about the anatomy of the human body and its relationship to fish, amphibians, and reptiles. Students will need to purchase a book, Your Inner Fish: A Journey into the 3.5 Billion Year History of the Human Body by Neil Shubin, and have required reading. In this fascinating book, the author puts his cards on the table from the start, seeking to explain humans as the product of a succession of life forms from an original cell. It supports the whole multi-million year evolutionary sequence. It emphasizes a common origin for body features such as limbs, hair, teeth and senses in both animals and humans.

## INVESTMENT BASICS

**Q117/Quest088** Fee: \$37.60  
**HESSLER, G.** WWCC/Room 114  
**Thursday, 2:30PM - 4:30PM** 03/06/14 - 03/13/14

Knowing how to secure your financial well-being is one of the most important things you'll ever need in life. You don't have to be a genius to do it. You just need to know a few basics, form a plan, and be ready to stick to it. George Hessler has been a financial advisor for Edward Jones in Walla Walla for 19 years. In this two session course he will simplify the process of investing your money, answer your questions and get you started.

## QUEST FOREIGN FILMS

**Q126/Quest064** Fee: \$37.60  
**LIEBRAND, E.** WWCC/Room 104  
**Friday, 2:30PM - 4:30PM** 03/07/14 - 03/21/14

Selected foreign movies from the last 10 years representing a range of genre and diversity will be shown. Each film has won several awards. The films are made outside the Hollywood tradition, thus allowing us to appreciate the international perspective of film makers.

## ENCAUSTIC PAINTING 101

**Q112/Quest062** Fee: \$89.82  
**MONETTE, C.** Ceramics Bldg/ Isaacs & Tausick  
**Friday & Saturday, 10:00AM - 4:00PM** 03/14/14 & 03/15/14

In this 2 day course, you will learn the basics of encaustic painting, historical significance and influential artists, past and present. Both days will involve lecture and demonstration, as well as lab time - hands on experimentation. You will create up to 3 pieces of finished art, using a myriad of techniques. Please wear old clothes and shoes. Note: class will meet in the Ceramics building on the corner of Tausick Way and Isaacs Ave (the old Gilbert Dodge dealership.) Materials will be provided. Supplies fee not included.

Don't forget the  
**Quest Social**  
**January 15**

# WALLA WALLA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## LIFELONG LEARNING ONLINE COMMUNITY EDUCATION

### Winter Schedule 2014

#### WRITING YOUR LIFE STORIES

3506/LLL031 Fee: \$89.82  
ALANIZ, K. Senior Center  
Tuesday, 1:30PM - 3:30PM 01/21/14 - 03/18/14  
Sharing written stories will jog memories and develop camaraderie with your fellow classmates. This interactive class will give you the tools to get started as a writer creating a memoir that will become a treasured legacy.

#### PILATES

3513/LLL026 Fee: \$45.80  
KERWIN, J. YWCA  
Tuesday & Thursday, 3:00PM - 4:00PM 01/21/14 - 03/20/14  
Pilates is designed to strengthen each muscle group in the body while providing additional stamina and stability to the core muscles in the abdomen and lower back. This course is limited to students 60+ years of age. Held at the YWCA.

#### DANCE TO FITNESS

3510/LLL021 Fee: \$33.50  
ENRIQUEZ, E. Senior Center  
Monday & Wednesday, 9:15 - 10:00AM 01/22/14 - 03/19/14  
Dance to Fitness: Location Senior Center - This is a line dancing style exercise class with music that inspires you to move. A variety of dances and music styles are part of this class, joined with stretching and strengthening. This is an easy to moderate workout class.

#### PASTEL PAINTING

3525/LLL035 Fee: \$89.82  
SPANGRUDE, C. WWCC/RM 116  
Wednesday, 2:30-4:30PM 01/22/14 - 03/19/14  
Learn two approaches to producing a pastel painting composition, explore 4 different painting surfaces, and practice basic techniques in pastel application, and proper matting and framing. Basic composition will be covered with minimum of one or two finished framed pieces, (with instruction on professional matting and framing in the last class).

#### WATERCOLOR PAINTING - BEG/INT

3520/LLL019 Fee: \$89.82  
SPANGRUDE, C. WWCC/RM 117  
Thursday, 6:00-8:00PM 01/23/14 - 03/20/14  
This course includes basic techniques for producing watercolor paintings. A variety of materials will be explored, basic composition covered, ending with a minimum of one or two finished pieces, (with instruction on professional matting and framing in the last class).

#### WOODCARVING

3535/LLL004 Fee: \$49.90  
WHEATLEY, M. WWCC/RM 116  
Thursday, 1:30-4:30PM 01/23/14 - 03/20/14  
A piece of wood, a carving knife, and a vision will allow you to create a relief carving of a horse this quarter. Instructor permission is required to join this class.

#### RESTORATIVE YOGA

3515/LLL012 Fee: \$49.90  
YORK, C. YWCA  
Monday & Wednesday, 10:00-11:00AM 01/27/14 - 03/17/14  
Practice the dynamic techniques of Yoga and develop a strength and range of motion you did not know was possible. This course is limited to learners 50+ years of age. Held at the YWCA.

#### ROCK POLISHING

3505/LLL017 Fee: \$79.84  
ROOD, W. Ceramic Arts Bldg.  
Monday, 6:00-8:00PM 01/27/14 - 03/17/14  
Unassuming and easily ignored grey rocks may amaze you when they are cut open and reveal jeweled natural beauty. Learn how to find, cut, shape, and polish agate, jasper, thunder eggs, and petrified wood to enhance nature's marvels.

#### Welcome our new Coordinator!

Jodi Worden

Jodi has grown up in Walla Walla and is well acquainted with the ins and outs of the community. She recognizes so many possibilities in this area. She is a very energetic and creative individual eager to take on the very rewarding challenge of working with the Quest and Lifelong Learning programs at Walla Walla Community College. She is happy to answer any questions and interested to hear your ideas and concerns for the program moving forward.  
*Please contact Jodi with comments and questions via email at [Jodi.Worden@wwcc.edu](mailto:Jodi.Worden@wwcc.edu), or by phone at 509-527-4561.*

## Ready to Register?

- **Onsite Registration:** Admissions Office, 1:00PM-4:00PM, Monday – Friday
- **Telephone Registration:** 509-527-4443, 12:00-4:00PM Monday – Friday
- **Online registration:**  
<http://www.wvcc.edu/forms/el.cfm>

### Contact information:

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509-527-4561

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## Winter Quarter Quest Social

Wednesday, January 15, 2014  
3:00–5:00PM  
WVCC Room 185

Enjoy treats and beverages as you get acquainted with other Quest members prior to the instructor presentations. Each instructor will spend a few minutes sharing what their class is going to entail, with time after for you to ask them questions and register for classes.



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