

Information for Prospective Faculty

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI)

Colleges of Arts and Sciences
University of Hawai'i at Manoa
Krauss Hall 111-113

<http://www.all.hawaii.edu/>



Ten years ago in Spring 1996, a group of community elders, retired faculty, and University administrators met at Campus Center, UH Manoa, to lay the groundwork for what would become the Academy for Lifelong Learning (ALL), the forerunner to the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) in the Colleges of Arts and Sciences. Today OLLI is a thriving educational membership program with more than 1,000 participants and a \$1 million endowment from The Bernard Osher Foundation.

As a membership organization, OLLI serves adults age 50 and over who are seeking opportunities for intellectual stimulation in a community of lifelong learners. The program membership fee is \$60 per term and all members are invited to become involved in program planning, faculty selection, and the operation of the Institute.

Members of the Osher Institute may choose from an extensive array of offerings:

- A variety of non-credit, ungraded courses per session. Fall, Spring and Summer Sessions are offered each year;
- Lunch discussions, field trips, special gallery lecture tours, backstage tours, and opportunities to meet visiting lecturers;
- On-site access to Hamilton and Sinclair Library collections;
- Discounts for campus events and performances;
- Opportunities for study trips around the U.S. and abroad;
- Opportunities to participate in research studies and community service projects.

Instructors for OLLI are current and retired university faculty, business and civic leaders, and OLLI members with expertise in a subject area. Class schedules are flexible -- "short" courses or workshops are typically two to ten sessions and one to two hours each. Most classes are held on the UHM campus in OLLI's Krauss Hall classrooms. A wide array of AV equipment is available for instructors and workshop leaders. Photocopying services are provided to reproduce course materials (*advance notice is requested*). Instructors for OLLI are considered volunteers, however, compensating "perks" are provided in the form of UH Manoa Bookstore certificates; parking scrip for access to UHM parking lots; visiting colleague UHM ID cards; faculty appreciation events; and free access to OLLI courses during the term of instruction. New course and workshop ideas are *always* welcome. Submitted course proposals (*see attached sample form*) receive speedy review by OLLI's curriculum committee. For more information, please contact: Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Rebecca Goodman, 956-8224 or email: rgoodman@hawaii.edu

Course Proposal Form
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1. Suggested Title of Course or Workshop:

2. Course or Workshop Description:

3. Course/Workshop Objectives:

4. Texts/handouts/reference materials?

5. Propose to offer course during (circle one):

Spring 2007 Summer 2007 Fall 2007 Spring 2008 other

6. How many total class sessions do you plan?

7. How many times per week would you prefer to hold class meetings? _____

8. Preferred day(s) of week for class meetings?

9. What time(s) of the day would you prefer?

10. What course "prerequisites" (or interests or participation guidelines) would you suggest for individuals taking this class?

11. What enrollment limit would you prefer?

12. What instructional equipment will you need?

(TV/VCR, DVD, overhead or slide projector, etc.)

13. If Osher's classrooms in Krauss Hall do not meet your needs, where would you like to hold class?

14. Do you plan to collaborate or team-teach with another instructor? Please provide name(s):

15. What other special considerations would you suggest? (i.e., moveable chairs, tables, etc.)

• Instructor's name: _____

• Area of expertise/position/degree: _____

• Address: _____

• E-mail: _____

• Phone: _____ FAX: _____

Thank you for your support of lifelong learning. Please return form to: OLLI, PMB#460, 2440 Campus Rd. Honolulu, HI 96822