

INSTITUTE FOR LEARNING IN RETIREMENT

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The North winds shall blow and we will have snow,
and no one can do anything about it!

To school we'll all go, with friends that we know.
Their familiar faces and smiles will create quite a glow,
...in each of us, it surely will show.

So with cold weather drawing near, there is no need to despair
for we shall see all of you, aglow right here.

'Tis the time to make your plans for these special days,
for Winterim's classes will soon be in play.

ILR has proven a stimulating and delightful way to return to campus. There is an attitude here that is almost spiritual in nature and a steadiness of purpose which gives life enhanced meaning and energy far beyond the classrooms. The commitment and fever of our membership is both exceptional and extraordinary. Some people write about **Successful Aging—at ILR we are living it!**

Many of our team members are new in their positions each year. For several years the Winterim co-chairs have been Peggy Carter and Gil Nolde. These two did a wonderful job, and we knew they would definitely be missed with both of them retiring. Our two new Winterim co-chairs are Joanne Haupt and Jim Hooker. Their current program, which is listed in this brochure, is the end product of their super abilities. These two stepped up and with the help of their committee, graciously produced these classes. The end result: **"Two of the Best" taking over from "Two of the Best"!**

In Winterim 2006, we learned about the big increase in electricity rates which is coming our way this January. We are all living the reality show which tells us that inflation has returned; therefore it is understandable that ILR will need to increase the membership fee from \$80 to \$85 beginning with our Spring 2007 term.

**Our fearless leader, Jon Neidy a chosen one – 'tis true,
has chosen to pursue his PHD at ISU.**

**We all want him to pursue his dream and wish him success along the way –
thankfully, Jon plans to continue leading us – every ILR day.**

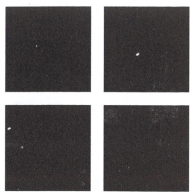
I am looking forward to being with all of you who are returning and meeting all of you who are attending for the first time. You are going to love it here!

We all know – **Curiosity Never Retires.**

Kenny Carrigan
ILR President

CONTINUING EDUCATION

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10 AND FRIDAY, JANUARY 12

COFFEE 8:30 - ATRIUM

9:30 - 11:45
Break: 10:30 - 10:45

9. Introduction to Buying and Selling on eBay
eBay calls itself The World's Online Marketplace®. eBay enables millions of items to be traded each day trade on a local, national and international basis. Learn how to become a registered eBay user, search for items online, bidding, buying and selling. This class will also discuss using PayPal to send and receive money, the pros and cons of working with a Trading Assistant, and how to recognize "spoof" or fraudulent emails about eBay and PayPal. This class is for those who are comfortable purchasing through the internet with a credit card and have experience using the internet. Instructor is Janet Lange, Bradley's Continuing Education Executive Director. (RI/RC)

10. Pilgrimage: Metaphor for Life
Who goes on pilgrimages? Why? Where? Gil Nolde will focus on the pilgrimage trail to Santiago de Compostella in Spain in this historical/religious/literary session. (RI/NC)

11. Spanish Through Stories
Experience the joy of learning a little Spanish through storytelling. Language is acquired by understanding messages, not just by conjugating verbs. In this session, taught by ILR member Dottie Strickler—high school Spanish teacher for thirty years, you will find out about second language acquisition, but most importantly, become involved in Spanish through stories. Warning: 1) You will not be studying grammar 2) Stories may be crazy or bizarre! (NI/NC)

12. What's for Lunch
Learn what wild animals eat in the wild and in captivity. Learn which plants make a great lunch for you, too, with Linda Prescott, Wildlife Prairie State Park General Manager, Horticulturalist and Naturalist. (NI/NC)

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LUNCH 11:45 - 12:45

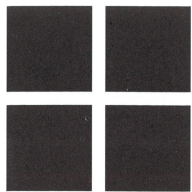
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13. Oh, That Feels So Good!
This hands-on class of self massage and partner massage for helping friends and family will be done fully clothed, with minimal lecture and discussion. Learn the many benefits of the healing touch with Shirley Cunningham, ILR member and licensed and certified massage therapist. (NI/NC)

14. Peoria Reads
Get a head start on the 2007 Peoria Reads events by discussing the 2007 choice, *To Kill A Mockingbird* by Harper Lee, and the two runners-up—*Fahrenheit 451* by Ray Bradbury; and *Home Across the Road* by Nance Peacock. Also included will be *Mockingbird*, the recent biography of Harper Lee by Charles J. Shields. Discussion leaders are Peggy Carter, Roberta Koscielski, and Nancy Rakoff. (RI/NC)

15. Things That Go Bump in the Night: Balance, Falls and Aging
Why do we fall as we age? Why are falls the beginning of the end for so many older adults? Accidents are NOT inevitable, but are a major public health issue. Learn why the process of aging increases our risks of accidents at home and on the road. Whether we're driving to the store or walking down stairs, learn what can be done to reduce those risks. Join Barb Campbell, Director of Marketing at IPMR, and Cindy Matthieson Physical Therapist and Balance Rehab Coordinator, for this interesting class. (NI/NC)

16. Videoconferencing and Collaborative Learning at a Distance
Join Information Resources and Technology (IRT) professional staff for an overview of campus videoconferencing technologies and experience first-hand, an instructor in a different state; witness by "lurking" from a remote location, a distance learning lesson being delivered to a local elementary school; and finally, engage in a videoconference-based wrap-up session with peers from another ILR. (NI/NC)



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1. How the Irish Lost their Language

Robert Lawry, Pastor of University United Methodist Church, will present an overview of the history of Ireland with attention given to the events that caused the Irish to lose their native tongue: the invasion of the Normans, the penal laws, the plantations, the Great Famine, the National School system, etc. (NI/NC)

2. Weather You Can Understand

Join Lee Ranson, WEEK-TV weathercaster, to help understand the changing weather conditions in Central Illinois. (RI/NC)

3. What Do the Mid-Term Election Results Mean for America?

The voters spoke on November 7. What did they say? What do the results mean for President Bush in the final two years of his presidency? What do the results mean for the direction of the country? Join William Hall, Bradley professor of Political Science. (RI/NC)

4. XPloring XP

If you have recently upgraded to Windows XP or you would like to explore the changes in this operating system from previous Windows versions, this class is for you. Learn to control the Desktop and Start Menu appearance, learn about security and other features like XP backup, restore, and the built-in firewall. Class instructor is Sue Manley. (RI/RC)

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5. Changes in Modern Farming

Join Martin Behrends, Certified Crop Advisor, for this update on farming techniques, equipment, and products. Learn about variable rate fertilizer application using Global Positioning System technology, genetic modification of corn and soybeans and its application in today's agriculture. (NI/NC)

6. Decoding Paintings

Dan Brown's interpretation of Leonardo Da Vinci's *Last Supper* generated a great deal of controversy and conversation. Sara Glover, Bradley University Assistant Professor of Art, will examine and discuss the "hidden" meanings and messages contained in a number of select paintings, including not only the famous *Last Supper*, but other Renaissance and modern paintings from Jan Van Eyck's *Arnolfini Wedding* to Andy Warhol's *Marilyn Diptych*. Using the latest digital technology, we will be able to take a very close look at these paintings as we "decode" the messages they contain. (RI/NC)

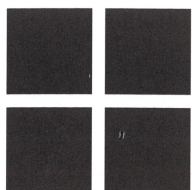
7. Home Schooling in the Peoria Area

Home education is growing in the US. Come learn about home education in the Peoria area. Hear why parents are home educating their children. See how children are prepared for college and careers. Understand the laws governing home education in Illinois. Phillip Rixstine, president of the Association of Peoria Area Christian Home Educators (APACHE) will answer questions such as "What about socialization?" (NI/NC)

8. Look What I Did!

Climbing Mt. Kilimanjaro, driving a stock car, scuba diving, traveling interior "old" China—come hear about these really different and exciting adventures with Vickie Stewart, Allison Montgomery, Herb Shannon, and Raylana Anderson. (NI/NC)

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ILR VOLUNTEERS, STAFF AND SCHEDULE

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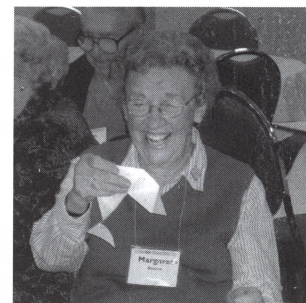
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Winterim 2006
Spring 2006
Peoria, IL

Schedule

Event	Date	Time	Location
WINTER 2007			
Winterim Kick Off Lunch	Tues., January 9, 2007	11:45 AM	Ballrooms B and C
Winterim 2007 ILR	Tues. - Fri., January 9-12, 2007		Michel Student Center
Winterim Wrap Up	Wed., January 17, 2007	9:00 AM	Executive Suite
SPRING 2007			
Spring Mailing Party	Wed., January 17, 2007	9:00 AM	Executive Suite
Spring Kick Off Luncheon	Wed., March 21, 2007	12:00 PM	Ballrooms A, B, and C
Spring 2007 ILR	Wed., Apr 11, 18, 25, May 2, 2007		Michel Student Center
Spring ILR Computer Classes	Fri., April 13, 20, 27, and May 4		Caterpillar GCC
Spring Wrap Up Meeting	Wed., May 9, 2007	9:00 AM	Executive Suite
Fall Curriculum Meeting	Wed., May 16, 2007	9:00 AM	Executive Suite
Fall Curriculum Meeting	Tues., May 22, 2007	9:00 AM	Executive Suite
Learning Trip: London	Wed., May 23 – Fri., June 1, 2007		London
Fall Curriculum Meeting	Wed., June 6, 2007	9:00 AM	Executive Suite
Fall Mailing Party	Wed., July 25, 2007	9:00 AM	Executive Suite
FALL 2007			
Fall Kick Off Luncheon	Wed., September 19, 2007	12:00 PM	Ballrooms A, B, and C
Fall 2007 ILR	Wed., Sept 26, Oct 3, 10, 17, 2007		Michel Student Center
WINTER 2008			
Winterim Kick Off Luncheon	Tues., January 8, 2008	11:45 AM	Ballrooms B and C
Winterim 2008 ILR	Tues. - Fri., January 8-11, 2008		Michel Student Center
Winterim Wrap Up/Mailing Party	Wed., January 23, 2008	9:00 AM	Executive Suite
SPRING 2008			
Spring Kick Off Luncheon	Wed., March 19, 2008	12:00 PM	Ballrooms A, B, and C
Spring 2008 ILR	Wed., Apr 2, 9, 16, and 23, 2008		Michel Student Center

REGISTRATION (PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN WITH PAYMENT)

WHAT I WANT TO DO

ILR Classes and Fees

_____ \$80 ILR Class Fee
_____ **Total (LINE A)**

The class fee includes the complimentary Kick-Off Lunch, gift, and one class in each of the periods listed below.

Tuesday, January 9 & Thursday, January 11

9:30 - 11:45 - indicate a first (1) and second (2) choice

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I will attend the Kick Off Lunch
Tuesday, January 9, 2007.

ILR Learning Trips and Fees

_____ \$20 Peoria Police Department, Jan. 18
_____ \$20 U of I College of Medicine & Simulator Lab, Jan. 24
_____ \$20 Sacred Heart Church Renovation Jan. 31
_____ **Total (LINE B)**

WHO I AM

Name _____

Nametag Preference _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Bradley Alum, Year _____

HOW I WANT TO PAY

LINE A _____ + LINE B _____ = TOTAL DUE _____

Please make checks payable to Bradley University

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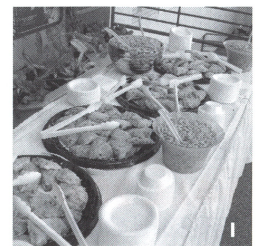
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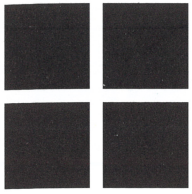
**You may also register and pay online at
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Making ILR Go 'Round

- 1) Good Food!
- 2) Great Friends!
- 3) Surprise Gifts!



REGISTER EARLY-CLASSES FILL QUICKLY



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LEARNING TRIPS - COMMERCE UNSEEN

Our Commerce Unseen trips are designed to take you into unseen and sometimes overlooked businesses within our own community. Most trips are \$20, which includes lunch, tour, and van transportation. We typically meet for lunch at 11:30 AM, tour, and return at approximately 3:30 PM. Sue Manley and Wanda Lane will be your escorts. Details of each trip will be sent with your registration receipt.

Peoria Police Department
Thursday, January 18

Cost \$20

Learn more about the Peoria Police Department as we tour the Investigation, Traffic, Vice, and Narcotics Divisions, holding cells, line-up room, and the department museum. We will also tour the Emergency Communications Center located next door.

U of I College of Medicine & Simulator Lab
Wednesday, January 24

Cost \$20

Join us as we visit the U of I College of Medicine – Peoria Campus to learn about the Rager Lab which is a simulation training facility where health care students practice on full-size adult, pediatric, and baby simulators. The training provides a controlled environment for students to practice diagnosing and treating conditions without putting human patients at risk. We will also tour their library and cancer biology labs.

Sacred Heart Church Renovation
Wednesday, January 31

Cost \$20

Since March, 2006, Sacred Heart Church has been undergoing a \$2.5 million renovation. The church, originally built in 1905, will now have new marble floors, stained glass windows, and murals. We will visit the church to learn more about the renovations and the history of the building.

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