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Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at Northwestern University



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## This Week

**ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS - FREE WORKSHOP**

# Becoming an OLLI Coordinator Workshop Tuesday, October 2

12pm - 1pm

**Location:** Wieboldt Hall, 339 E. Chicago Ave., Chicago

Do you have an idea for a study group, but are not sure what



to do next or what's involved with being a coordinator? We'll take the mystery out of the process and help you understand the benefits of coordinating. **All members are welcome.** There is no commitment to become a coordinator.



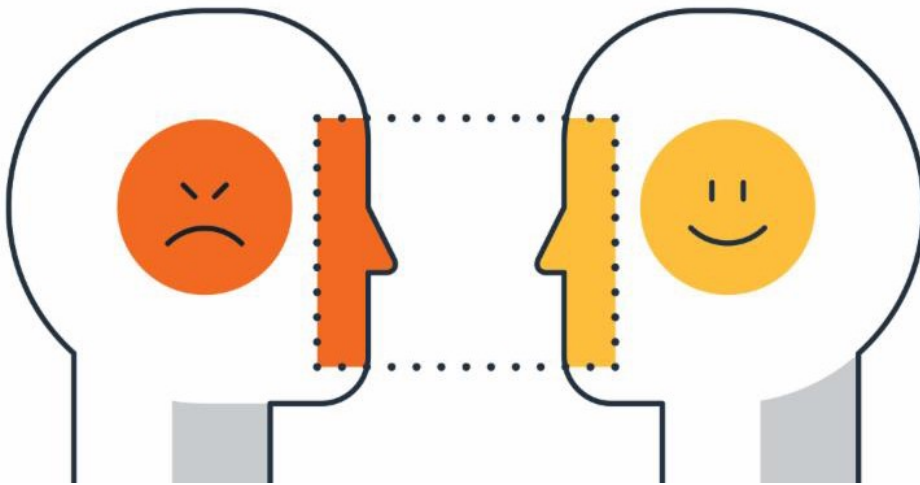
Coordinators play a vital role in OLLI's program. They are the core element in the success of the organization. On average there are 200 coordinators per academic year, all of whom are unpaid volunteers and come from a wide range of backgrounds and experience. They are not experts on the discussion topic, instructors or teachers. All OLLI members are encouraged and welcome to attend. Join us to learn more!



**This workshop is free and open to all current OLLI members. Registration is requested.**

**REGISTER**

## Diversity & Inclusion Lecture Series - Kick Off Event



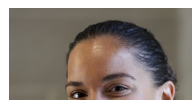
**OPEN TO ALL CURRENT OLLI MEMBERS**

### Cognitive and Implicit Biases and Decision-Making **Wednesday, October 3**

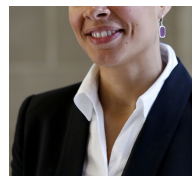
12pm - 1pm

**Location:** Wieboldt Hall, 339 E. Chicago Ave., Chicago

Join us as we launch Chicago's Diversity & Inclusion Committee opening event of the academic year. Dr. Peery will discuss the distinction between stereotypes, prejudice and discrimination and how



the decision-making process can be influenced by shortcuts in thinking and processing information. After, the Committee will preview more events planned for the year. Don't miss it!



**Free and open to all current OLLI members. Registration is required.**

**Destiny Peery** is an Associate Professor at Northwestern's Pritzker School of Law where she teaches Criminal Law, Anti-Discrimination Law, and conducts research on the intersection of race, law and social psychology. She regularly teaches lawyers, judges, police officers, human resource professionals, and more about cognitive and implicit biases. She holds a JD and PhD in social psychology from Northwestern University.

**REGISTER**

## Call for Winter Proposals

OLLI is now accepting proposals for winter study groups. The winter term will begin on January 14 and runs for 4 weeks. Please note that winter proposals must be received by Monday, October 15 to be considered.

Instructions for submitting a proposal - [Click Here](#)  
Proposal form (Word Doc) - [Click Here](#)  
Proposal form (PDF to print and fill out) - [Click Here](#)  
Room/Equipment Request Form (PDF) - [Click Here](#)

## Reminder for All Members

When you use any public computers on the Chicago or Evanston campuses remember to sign out of all accounts when you are through. Also, if you save files to the hard drive be sure to delete them once your class time is over.

## Chicago - OLLI Needs Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to help in the Chicago OLLI office. Hours are flexible and training will be provided. Our greatest need is in the morning and at lunchtime. If you have time to help us out, contact Maurita at [maurita.gholston@northwestern.edu](mailto:maurita.gholston@northwestern.edu)

## Next Week



**ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS**

**Study Group Planning Week  
October 8-12**

**CH Location:** Wieboldt Hall, 339 E. Chicago Ave.

**EV Location:** 500 Davis Center, Suite 700

**All members welcome and encouraged to attend!** Join us to brainstorm study group topic ideas for the winter and spring terms. Exciting and interesting study groups keep us all coming back to OLLI. Great ideas can come from anywhere - a book, news article, TV or radio program, podcast, event speaker, or a stimulating conversation, to name a few. At these sessions, you'll meet other OLLI members who share your interest in the same subject area, and a germ of an idea can blossom into a potential study group topic. Already have an idea for a study group and need a co-coordinator? This is the place to meet them.

**No registration required. Schedule for the meetings will be in next week's newsletter.**

**Questions?** Email [ollistudygroupcommittee@northwestern.edu](mailto:ollistudygroupcommittee@northwestern.edu) and be sure to indicate which campus you have questions about.

## NOONTIME LECTURE SERIES



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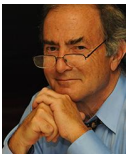
### A Kid Goes to the Convention Thursday, October 11

12-1pm

**Location:** Wieboldt Hall, 339 E. Chicago Ave., Room 408, Chicago

What happened when a relatively sheltered 16-year-old experienced up close the Democratic Convention of 1968. Join us as Rick Kogan shares his first-hand experience of the "four insane days" that made up the convention and ponders, fifty years later, what it all meant in U.S. History.

**This event is free and open to all current OLLI members. Space is limited and registration is required.**



**Rick Kogan** was born, raised, and still lives in Chicago. He has worked for the Chicago Daily News, Chicago Sun-Times and the Chicago Tribune, where he is currently a senior writer and columnist. Named Chicago's Best Reporter in 1999 and inducted into the Chicago Journalism Hall of Fame in 2003, he is currently a host of After Hours with Rick Kogan on WGN-AM720. He is the author of a dozen books, including America's Mom: The Life, Lessons and Legacy of Ann Landers, and A Chicago Tavern, the history of the Billy Goat.

**REGISTER (CH)**

**NOTE:** This event will also be **streamed live** to our Evanston Campus. If you plan on attending the streaming in Evanston, you do not need to register.



**OPEN TO ALL CURRENT OLLI MEMBERS - JOIN US!**

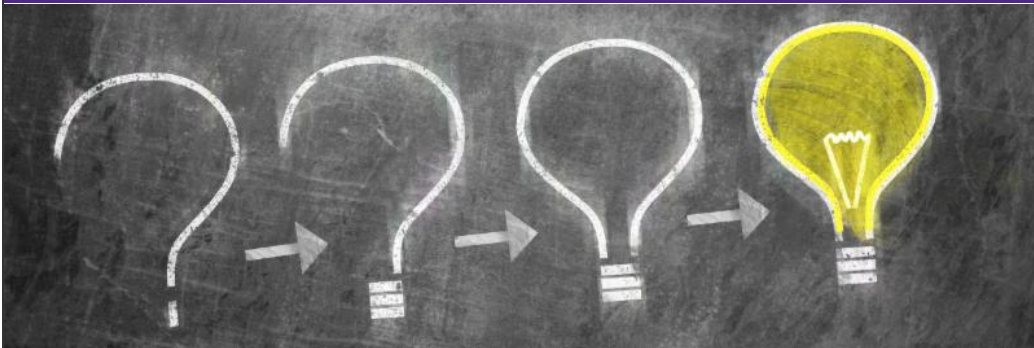
## Fall Welcome Back Receptions Wednesday, October 10 (CH) Thursday, October 18 (EV)

3:30-5:30pm

Join us for a Fall 2018 welcome reception in Chicago and Evanston, or both! We'll celebrate the start of another great year at OLLI with friends old and new. Light refreshments will be served. All current members are invited. Registration is requested.

[REGISTER](#)

## Upcoming Events



**ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS - FREE WORKSHOP**

## Creating and Developing a Study Group Wednesday, October 17, 24 & 31

3:30-5:30pm

**Location:** Wieboldt Hall, 339 E. Chicago Ave., Chicago

**3 Session Workshop!**

In this hands-on workshop, members will work on their own study group ideas, individually and collectively, to design a study group. We will explore how to: choose and refine a topic, write an inviting proposal, develop a coherent syllabus, identify engaging resources, and anticipate potential challenges in implementation. This workshop is for any member



anticipate potential challenges in implementation. This workshop is for any member interested in creating a study group for the first time, or member who have been co-coordinators but have not participated in all aspects of planning the course and still have questions and concerns about offering their own course.

**This workshop is free and open to all current OLLI members. Registration is required.**

[REGISTER](#)

## Diversity & Inclusion Lecture Series



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# Aging in the LGBTQ Population Thursday, October 25

12-1pm

**Location:** Wieboldt Hall, 339 E. Chicago Ave., Chicago

Back by popular demand, Rena McDaniel returns to build on her previous talk regarding the cultural changes taking place in society today vis-à-vis the LGBTQ community. This time, she'll speak about generational challenges for the Transgender/Gender Non-Conforming populations both in aging and relating to younger family members who may identify with these populations. 10-15 minutes will be reserved for a question and answer session following the talk.

**This event is free and open to all current OLLI members. Registration is required.**



**Rena McDaniel** is a Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor and founder of Practical Audacity, a therapy and healing collective in Chicago. She works with those feeling anxious and lost about a transition they're experiencing in sex, gender, sexual identity, or relationships. She also provides consultation & training for professionals and organizations looking to increase their knowledge and sensitivity in these areas.

[REGISTER](#)

## Other News

# 2018 -19 Northwestern One Book



## Books Available for Purchase

Special OLLI Price \$8.00

OLLI is excited to be participating in One Book One Northwestern again this year. There will be events on campus for the whole Northwestern community as well as fall study groups in Chicago and Evanston and special events at OLLI for our members.

This year's selection is *The Handmaid's Tale* by Margaret Atwood. It's a gripping and chillingly relevant vision of our society radically overturned by a theocratic revolution. We are offering the One Book selection for sale to our members at a special OLLI price of \$8.00. You can purchase the book through our online registration system (under Special Events). Once purchased, the book can be picked up at the OLLI office.

[BUY](#)

[To learn more about One Book One Northwestern - Click Here](#)

## OLLI's Coordinator Bulletin Board

### Reminder Regarding Room and Equipment Requests

If you need a room or special equipment for a meeting, workshop or event you are planning, you must fill out an Room and Equipment Request form. Forms must be submitted to the OLLI office by the deadlines listed on the form. The form can be found in your Coordinator Handbook. A pdf is also linked below. Thank you!

[OLLI Room/Equipment Request form - Click Here](#)



### Notification of Passing

It is with great sadness that we share news of the passing of former OLLI member, Pandeli Anas. Pandeli first joined OLLI in the fall of 2000. Pandeli will be greatly missed by his family and all his friends at OLLI. [View more information here.](#)

## Northwestern Diversity & Inclusion Events

A quick link to all the Northwestern community diversity and inclusion events. Northwestern encourages community members to take part in events like these to increase their cultural competency and understanding. [View All Upcoming Events.](#)

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## Northwestern Public Events

See what is going on at Northwestern this month and next. Concerts, lectures, athletic events - there is always something going on. [View October Events.](#)

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29th Annual Richard W. Leopold Lecture

### Perspectives and Challenges in US-Mexico Relationships

**Tuesday, October 16 at 5pm, reception to follow**

Cahn Auditorium, 600 Emerson Street, Evanston, IL 60208

*Featuring distinguished guest Vincente Fox, Former President of Mexico.* This event is free and open to the public. Tickets are required. Reception to follow.

**For tickets - [Click Here](#)**

Questions? Contact Elizabeth Foster at [wcas-events@northwestern.edu](mailto:wcas-events@northwestern.edu)

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### Chicago - Major Construction on Lake Shore Drive

Major construction continues on Lake Shore Drive. **If you are driving or taking the shuttle your travel time will be impacted. Expect delays and plan your travel accordingly.** The construction spans from LaSalle to Monroe, but the back up is significant. The project is on an accelerated schedule that will require lane closures reducing Lake Shore Drive to two lanes in each direction. Work will continue through the beginning of October. **To get more information - [Click Here.](#)**

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### Evanston - Update on Sheridan Road Construction

The final stage of road construction on Sheridan Road in Evanston is still underway and will continue through October 2018. **To get more information - [Click Here.](#)**

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### Northwestern Shuttle Information

Information on routes, schedules, stops, and service updates and announcements can be found on the shuttle website. We advise you to bookmark the site and check it often. **To access the Shuttle website - [Click Here.](#)**

Read the notice from the Northwestern shuttle office regarding the TransLoc app for realtime shuttle updates and information on how to access Wi-Fi service now offered on some intercampus shuttles. **To read the notice - [Click Here](#)**

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**THE END**



**Please note:** The submission deadline for articles in the OLLI newsletter is the Monday prior to the issue in which you would like your information to appear. For events that require registration, the deadline is 6wks prior. Inclusion is at the discretion of the Director. Send submission requests to [lee.lawlor@northwestern.edu](mailto:lee.lawlor@northwestern.edu)



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