



A TIME FOR LEARNING

BRADLEY UNIVERSITY
INSTITUTE FOR LEARNING IN RETIREMENT

Fall, 1998

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Message from the President . . .

The quality aspects of the ILR here at Bradley, are unsurpassed. To compare our ILR to one of the over 200 operating ILRs across the country is difficult because we are unique. Some are peer led and others professionally led. Some meet for several weeks, others for a few days. Bradley University's ILR is set up to meet one day a week for four weeks in the Fall and the Spring. A Winterim has also been added which meets in January for four consecutive days between university semesters. Here are some of the reasons we believe that we are offering a very high quality program.

- ✓ A nice campus site for our classrooms
- ✓ Always a few classes led by current Bradley professors followed by retired teachers and knowledgeable peers
- ✓ Topics that you, our members, want included
- ✓ Computer lab appropriately equipped with current technology and a comfortable professional atmosphere
- ✓ Off-campus trips and excursions to places or events that you request
- ✓ Parking shuttles to keep us from long distance walks
- ✓ Audio Visual equipment, microphones, projectors, and flip charts to assist our class leaders
- ✓ Eating facilities to accommodate all of us
- ✓ Complimentary luncheons before the Fall and Spring sessions
- ✓ Free coffee and refreshments before we start and at breaks
- ✓ A professionally designed class brochure
- ✓ Equipment and computers to handle our large mailings
- ✓ A full time office staff with a dedicated director
- ✓ Phone service
- ✓ Credit cards are accepted
- ✓ A wonderful social opportunity

I know that you can probably think of items that could be added to this list, but I think that as it stands, it represents a low cost service. The government offers Social Security, but the ILR offers Senior Security by providing a way to keep our minds active and challenged. Best wishes for a genuinely satisfying ILR experience.

—John Quinn

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Jon C. Neidy
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Membership Form (age 55+ recommended)

Bradley Alum Year _____ Will attend September 9 luncheon _____ Will NOT attend luncheon _____

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Wednesday Classes

(Circle #1 & #2 choices in each time period.)

	8:30 - 10:00	<i>Choose One</i>	9:00 - 10:00
#1 Choice	1 2	3 4 5 6 7 8	
#2 Choice	1 2	3 4 5 6 7 8	
	10:30 - 11:30	<i>Choose One</i>	10:30 - Noon
#1 Choice	9 10 11 12 13 14	15 16	
#2 Choice	9 10 11 12 13 14	15 16	
	1:00 - 2:00		
#1 Choice	17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24		
#2 Choice	17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24		
	2:30 - 3:30		
#1 Choice	25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32		
#2 Choice	25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32		
Friday	33	8:30 - 9:30	36 1:45 - 3:15
	34	10:00 - 11:30	37 3:30 - 4:30
	35	12:00 - 1:30	

- _____ \$75 membership fee per person
- _____ \$24 lunches (4) on ILR dates
- _____ \$24 Books Alive!
- _____ \$50 Symphony Music Study
- _____ \$15 Voices and Choices
- _____ \$40 Museum of Science and Industry
- _____ \$45 St. Louis Art Museum
- _____ \$60 Art Institute of Chicago
- _____ \$35 Museum of Contemporary Art
- _____ Total enclosed (checks payable to Bradley)
- _____ VISA _____ Mastercard _____ Discover
- Card number _____
- Exp. date _____ Signature _____

Return to: Continuing Education
 Bradley University
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Membership Fee

\$75.00 per person
 (semester ends December 31, 1998)
 Registration fee includes ILR luncheon,
 ILR membership, class registration and other events.

Additional Information

Please complete one registration form for each person. (Forms may be duplicated.)
 Class schedule, map and parking permit will be mailed by October 1, 1998.



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Join ILR members for a complimentary luncheon.

You are
cordially
invited!

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

Menu:

- Chicken Noodle Casserole
- Broccoli Spears
- Fruit Ambrosia
- Rolls & Butter
- Apple Crisp
- Beverage

Wednesday, September 9, 1998

12:00 noon

Student Center Ballroom

Please call 677-2820 or
mail class registration form by September 4.



ILR Classes: Wednesdays, October 14, 21, 28 & November 4, 1998



R = Repeat Class

NM = New Material

N = New Class



Coffee Time 8:00 a.m.

8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

1. **U.S. Trade Policies-Current Topics**—Jim Foley, BU international trade specialist, will discuss present U.S. trade policies, emerging markets, corporate activities and congressional updates. (NM)
2. **Save Me the Aisle Seat-A View of Movies**—Joan and Alf Berg '64, ILR members and longtime moviegoers, take a look at Oscar "winners" and "losers." (NM)

9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

3. **Writing Your Life Story**—Merrill Buesing and Carla Montez will help convert memories into memoirs, the greatest gift you can give to future generations. (R)
4. **Twentieth Century Masterpieces**—Allen Cannon, Bradley music professor emeritus, will present modern music you will actually love! Four compositions will be heard and studied. (NM)
5. **Post Revolutionary America**—Continue along in history with Arwin Smallwood, Director of African-American Studies at Bradley, from the Revolution era to the Civil War. Origins of the New Republic, Antebellum America as well as long and short term causes of American Civil War will be discussed. (NM)
6. **Peoria History-The Complete Story 1673-1998**—Sessions will include slide lectures concentrating on Peoria area chronological history, presented by Susan Bucksath, Director of Education for the Peoria Historical Society. (N)
7. **Critical Topics of Agriculture**—Look at farming in Illinois, new trends in agriculture, conservation plus hypoxia and the Illinois River by experts like Ron Christensen, Nina & Bill Baird, Sharon Hartsell and Robert Frazee. (N)
8. **An Apple A Day: Keeps the Doctor Away**—Learn how to stay healthy by fighting back against heart disease with Blair Gorsuch, evaluating drugs used everyday with John Preckshot, using humor and laughter to reduce stress with Dolores Sheen, and designing disease preventing strategies for healthy aging with Linda Fehr. (N)



10:00 - 10:30 a.m.

Refreshments—ILR Treat—Student Center Ballroom B



10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

9. **Poetry II**—Continue with the book used last spring as Jim Sullivan, English professor, leads discussions of works by recent American poets from Eight American Poets by Joel Conarroe. (NM)
10. **U.S. and Japanese Relations**—Tim Maga, BU Oglesby Professor of American Heritage, will lead discussions of U.S.-Japanese relations from 1945-present. Topics will include trade policy, cultural misunderstandings and issues that have divided the two nations. Dr. Maga is a former foreign affairs coordinator for the U.S. House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee. (NM)
11. **You and Your Income Tax**—William Sharp, professional tax expert, will give you an opportunity to discuss tax problems prior to year end. (NM)
12. **Five Women in Art**—Betty Starasta '54, '57, Bradley alum and retired art teacher, will present slide lectures of Mary Cassatt and four other woman artists. (NM) **Optional Tour of Chicago Art Institute on November 9 - Cost \$60.00**
13. **Art Demonstration**—Dean Howard, Bradley music professor emeritus and watercolorist, will bring art to life with his class demonstrations of water color techniques and discussions of materials. (N)
14. **Global Affairs**—Various experts on global affairs and foreign policy will present informative and thought provoking discussions. Two of the four topics will include the U.S. intelligence community and the strategic importance of Turkey. (N)

10:30 - Noon

15. **Starting Points: An Introduction to Law**—Join attorney LeAnna Karnopp for an introduction to Family Law, Probate, Debtor/Creditor and Employment Problems. (N)
16. **Investing to Own Your Own Share of America**—Intermediate level for investments and portfolio management. Join Bert Sanders, President, and Jeanne Robeson, Vice President, Heart of Illinois Council which is the chartered local arm of the National Association of Investors Corporation. (N)

11:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Buffet in the Ballroom – \$24.00 for four lunches (Sack lunches welcome).
Meal tickets must be purchased by October 1, 1998. Cafeteria is also open.

10/14 Soup, Sandwich Bar, Chips, Drink & Dessert
10/21 Soup, Taco Bar, Drink & Dessert

10/28 Soup, Baked Potato Bar, Drink & Dessert
11/4 Soup, Pasta Bar, Drink & Dessert

1:00 - 2:00 p.m

17. **DNA Biotechnology and the Andromeda Strain**—John DePinto, Bradley biology chair, will address applications and implications of DNA in science and in society. (R)
18. **Jewish Religion—Past and Present**—The class is an introduction to basic religious beliefs of Judaism—from historical and current perspectives. Rabbi Michael Arsers, Congregation Agudas Achim, will be the leader. (R)
19. **Planning Your landscape with the Indoors in Mind**—Horticulturalist and manager of Luthy Botanical Garden, Lauren Howell, will include plants for fall and winter, fall landscape care, bringing autumn indoors and holiday decorating for your landscape. (N)
20. **Can We Abolish The IRS?**—John Ruble, Bradley emeritus professor of accounting and taxation, Rooney Ringger and Dr. Kevin O'Brien will discuss the IRS—Where did it come from? What does it do now? Can we do away with it? What are the alternatives? (N)
21. **Ireland and Scotland**—John Kenny, Bradley professor, was born in Ireland and has spent several sabbaticals living and studying there. Sam Black will provide history of Scotland, its business and culture and the ties between Scotland and United States (half of the U.S. Presidents are of Scottish heritage!) (N)
22. **The Mystery of Mystery Writing**—Dorothy Cannel will take the mystery out of mystery writing. Jo Ann Schelley will use drama to determine if murder is on the menu. (N)
23. **To Phrase A Coin: Art and History in American Coinage**—Enjoy history, humor and artistic expression found in American coin groups from 1776 to the present by Dr. Randall L. Saxon, senior pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Peoria. (N)
24. **Newspapering in the Nineties**—This class will get an updated, high tech look at what goes into putting out the *Journal Star*: news, photos, ads and production by John Plevka, Fred Zwicky, Dave Auer and Paul Bullock. (N)



2:00 - 2:30 p.m.

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2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

25. **Beginning Genealogy**—Marjorie Kroehler, president of the Peoria County Genealogical Society will provide tips and techniques to trace your ancestors and discover your unique history. (R)
26. **Inside Bradley**—Come along for a tour of campus outdoor art forms, Heuser Art Center sculpture by Robert Lyon, the art and challenges of Food Service and the new Global Communication Center. (NM)
27. **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 (N)
28. **You Can't Take It With You**—Ruth Collins, CPA, Rich Firebaugh, trust department manager, and Greg Mescher, attorney will explain how to safeguard your estate while you are here and how to effectively transfer wealth at death. Topics will include Federal Gift and Estate tax rules, use of trusts and legal issues. (N)
29. **Sculpture for Beginners**—Nita Sunderland, retired Bradley professor of art will give a hands-on introduction to sculpture in her studio in Washington. Class size is limited to 10, and caravan transportation is on your own. (N)
30. **The Role of Zoos and Aquariums**—Jan Schweitzer and Jason Beverlin of the Glen Oak Zoo will look at the history and background of zoos and Glen Oak Zoo, its future plus its role in the tourist, conservation and education field. (N)
31. **Creative Writing**—Phyllis Kells, with two Master of Arts degrees: one in Fine Art and one in English offers a work shop in creative writing combining elements of art and music for willing explorers. (N)
32. **Designing with Antiques**—Ronald P. Nell, Vice President of Planning and Design for Jumer Hotels will be presenting on the use of antique accessories and decor in Jumer hotels and restaurants. (N)

Computer Class: Fridays, October 16, 23, 30 & November 6

33. **8:30 - 9:30 a.m. Wandering the World Wide Web**—A first foray into the World Wide Web for those who are comfortable with computer hardware. Class will be taught by Jon C. Neidy, Program Director in the Division of Continuing Education. (N)
34. **10:00 - 11:30 a.m. Debunking the Mouse Mystique (Pre-Computer I)**—Susan Cribbs, Program Director in the Division of Continuing Education will give a very basic introduction to computers in plain English! Class is designed for those with no previous experience. (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. **1:45 - 3:15 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. (N)
37. **3:30 - 4:30 p.m. Advanced Internet, Info Searcher**—Mary Jo DeJoice, Information Literacy Librarian at Cullom-Davis Library will teach us how to use the Internet for gathering information. Prerequisite is Computer I or equivalent. Enrollment is limited. (R)

More Continuing Education opportunities . . .

Books Alive!

Join fellow bibliophiles in lively discussions about myriad books. In its 29th 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**

September 18 *In Retrospect: The Tragedy and Lessons of Vietnam*, by Robert S. McNamara, \$15.00
Facilitator: Tim Maga, History Department

October 9 *Divine Secrets of the Ya-Ya Sisterhood*, by Rebecca Wells, \$13.00
Facilitator: Jon C. Neidy, Division of Continuing Education

October 30 *Cold Mountain*, by Charles Frazier, \$13.00
Facilitator: Elizabeth Burger, Assistant Director, Center for Testing

November 20 *The Cherry Orchard*, by Anton Chekov, \$10.00
Facilitator: Mary Jordan, Literature Instructor, Illinois Central College

Symphony Study Series - The Peoria Symphony

Join Dr. Allen Cannon, Concertmaster Emeritus, Peoria Symphony Orchestra, and Professor of Music Emeritus, Bradley University to discuss the Symphony's selections. Group meets in Constance Hall 7: 00 p.m. to 8: 30 p.m. Thursdays: Sept. 24, Oct. 15, Nov. 12, Dec. 3, Feb. 4, Mar. 4, and Apr. 22. **Cost: \$50.00**

Voices and Choices

A novel group activity for individuals who enjoy discussing and debating diverse current topics. Each session will feature a half hour informational presentation by an expert on a current "hot" topic in the news. The discussions in the following hour and a half are guaranteed to be exciting and controversial, but always friendly. Voices and Choices will meet Tuesdays: Sept. 1, Oct. 6, Nov. 3, and Dec. 1 for a good cup of coffee, invigorating conversation and the opportunity to form new friendships. Facilitator: Arlene Eckert. **Cost: \$15.00**

Travel

Explore 2/3 of the Bradley Seal

Wednesday, September 23, 1998 Chicago Museum of Science and Industry Cost: \$40.00

September is for Seniors at the Museum of Science and Industry, so join us as we explore all the museum has to offer. We can interact with the exhibits, not just view displays and artifacts. The price includes transportation, entrance fee and a ticket to the omnimax film, "Everest." We will depart at 6:30 a.m. and return by 6:30 p.m.

Masterpieces from Central Africa

Wednesday, October 7, 1998 St. Louis The Saint Louis Art Museum Cost: \$45.00

This is the first exhibition from the collection of the Royal Museum of Central Africa in Tervuren, Belgium, since its creation in 1898. The exhibit includes 125 of some of the oldest and rarest objects created in central Africa. The price includes transportation, museum and exhibition entrance fees. We will depart at 6:30 a.m. and return by 6:30 p.m.

Mary Cassatt: Modern Woman (Escort: Betty Starasta)

Monday, November 9, 1998 Chicago Art Institute of Chicago Cost: \$60.00

This exhibit brings together more than 90 of the artist's most beautiful and compelling paintings, pastels, drawings and prints. The only American invited to exhibit in the Impressionist exhibitions in Paris, Cassatt's close friendship and working relationship with such seminal figures as Edgar Degas, Claude Monet, and Camille Pissarro place her at the heart of one of the most important artistic movements in Western history and at the forefront of emerging modernism. The price includes transportation, museum entrance fee, exhibition entrance fee and a 45-minute slide lecture entitled "An Orientation to Cassatt." We will depart at 6:30 a.m. and return by 6:30 p.m.

Artist/Author: The Book as Art Since 1980

Shopper/Giver: The Consumer as Thoughtful Relative For 1998

Thursday, November 19, 1998 Chicago Museum of Contemporary Art Cost: \$35.00

Join us for a day of double adventures beginning at the Museum of Contemporary Art and ending at the conveniently located "Magnificent Mile." Artist/Author will survey the entire spectrum of contemporary artists' book production. A novel aspect of this exhibition will be the viewer's ability to handle the majority of the exhibited works. Our Chicago shopping spree will be along the famed "Magnificent Mile." The price includes transportation, museum entrance fee and exhibition entrance fee. We will depart at 6:30 a.m. and return by 9:00 p.m.

Lunch for all four trips is on your own and typically costs between \$6.00 and \$15.00.

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