



# L I F E T I M E LEARNER

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## Courses for September-December 2006

All classes meet Tuesdays at 2 p.m. with locations as indicated.

**Institute of Mature Learners has received an invitation to come to the Drury Reunion picnic and classes that are being held September 21-24. Please mark your calendar for this event. More information will be presented to the class.**

### September 12

"Mystical Tourism in Peru and Its Effects on Both Tourists and the Indigenous Population"

Michael Hill, Assistant Professor of Global Studies, Drury University

Dr. Hill will explain his research in Peru into the lesser known aspects of globalization. His presentation will be based on his work on the cultural, ethnic, and class conflicts that have emerged as spiritual tourism and New Age culture have proliferated in Peru under contemporary conditions.

Olin Room, Olin Library

### September 19

"The Cultural Politics of Peruvian Postcard Images"

Michael Hill, Assistant Professor of Global Studies, Drury University

Dr. Hill explores the role of postcards and visual culture in the Peruvian tourist industry and examines marginalization and survival strategies in the context of Peru's globalizing economy.

Olin Room, Olin Library

### September 26

"Return Migrants to Upper Guinea"

Dr. Erin Kenny, Assistant Professor of In-

terdisciplinary Studies, Drury University  
Dr. Kenny talks about her work in West Africa from Peace Corps worker to academic researcher.

Olin Room, Olin Library

### October 3

"Anyone Can Get Published"

Dr. Resa Willis, Professor of English, Drury University

Yes, anyone can get published if you know how to go about it and are persistent. Get the truth and the tricks of the publishing world from Dr. Resa Willis, Drury's own best-selling and award-winning writer. She's been writing and publishing since she was twelve years old. She's the author of poetry, fiction and the two nonfiction books *Mark and Lily* and *FDR and Lucy*.

Olin Room, Olin Library

### October 10

"By Their Own Hand: Irreconcilable Silence"

IML member Dr. Anita Isaac will present this paper by her daughter, Dr. Carol Isaac, on the suicide of a close, loved family member.

Olin Room, Olin Library

### October 17

Annual business meeting with guest speaker Dr. Charles Taylor, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of the College.

Olin Room, Olin Library

### October 24

"It's Not the Music Business, It's a People

Ron Spigelman Music Director and Conductor of the Springfield Symphony  
Mr. Spigelman shares thoughts on the role of the conductor.

Olin Room, Olin Library

### October 31

Visit to Ozarks Technical Community College

Featured speaker Dr. Hal Higdon, new President of OTC

This visit will be in historic Lincoln Hall, previously Lincoln High School and the first Rosenwald Foundation School in Missouri. Dr. Higdon will share his vision for OTC, and time will be available to view the Lincoln Hall Exhibit.

Lincoln Hall Room 211, OTC

### November 7, 14

Topic to be advised.

Dr. Robert Weddle, Associate Professor of Architecture, Drury University

In Fall 2005, Dr. Weddle brought us *Reading Cities* and now returns with more architectural education.

Reed Auditorium, Trustee Science Center

### November 21

(No Meeting - Thanksgiving)

### November 28

Topic to be advised.

Joseph Sugarman

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### December 5

"Personal Views on China"

IML Members

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"It's Not the Music Business, It's a People  
Business"

Personal Views on China

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The conclusion of the presentation of July 25, lead by Doris Witt and Mary Blanche, who will present their views of China during their visit in the fall of 2005.

Olin Room, Olin Library

**You are invited to join other IML members for lunch at the Findlay Student Center Commons Sept. 12, Oct. 3, Nov. 7 and Dec. 5.**

**Dec. 12, 11:30 a.m. Christmas Party at Cooper Estates clubhouse. Bring your holiday potluck dish. Entertainment will follow.**

### **December 12**

Christmas Party at the Cooper Estates club house.

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