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Mayor Beth Bashert
Ypsilanti Ladies Literary Club with Ypsilanti historian Bill Nickels and Ypsilanti St., Ypsilanti. Explore the past and look to the future in a tour of the Museum and

Starting Location: Ypsilanti Historical Society Museum & Archives, 220 N. Huron

7-8:30 pm, $5

Wednesday, October 2

Ypsilanti—1800 to the Present—A Rich & Unique History

Ms. Butter will share her life experiences. She grew up as a Jewish child

7:00-8:30pm, $5

From Holocaust to Hope with Irene Butter

Shores Beyond Shores:

their history and have the option of either a guided

Meet at Meijer

Location:

Time:

8:30am-5:30pm

Day/Date:

Friday, October 25

OLLI OUT OF TOWN TRIPS

Upcoming

(Formerly After Five)

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute

DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION WITH ALFREDA ROOKS

Wednesday, September 4, 10:00am-Noon,

4800 E. Huron River Dr., Ann Arbor

Free and open to the public

This talk will define diversity, equity, and inclusion as it relates to participants and programming for OLLI-UM’s goal to become a more inclusive organization. Ms. Rooks, MPA, is the Director of Community Health Services (CHS) for Michigan Medicine at the University of Michigan.

Online registration: www.olli-umich.org

olli.info@umich.edu

or

Questions: 734-998-9351

A Glimpse of Modernity in the Middle East: The Region’s Lure of Modernity in Terms of Secularism, Political Violence, and Religious Extremism

Professor Saeed Khan

September 10, 2019, 10:00-11:30am

This presentation will explore advances in terms of secularism, political violence, and religious extremism as they relate to the Middle East. Kham will focus on the region’s lure of modernity in terms of secularism, political violence, and religious extremism, and the impact these developments have had on the region and the world.

Research Fellow at the Institute for Muslim-Christian Diversity. In addition, he has been a visiting scholar at the Center for the Study of Political Islam in the Middle East and Asia, and he holds a bachelor’s degree in mathematics and physics from the University of Michigan.

He teaches Islamic and Middle East Studies at Wayne State University.

The First 2019-20 Thursday Morning

FALL 2019

OLLI Reads! & More

Lecture Series

Win the Presidency: How Polio Helped FDR to the White House

Speaker: James Tobin

September 19, 2019, 10:00-11:30am

This lecture series was planned by:

Cathy Marcus, Ed Marcus, Claire Murray, Leo Shedden, Katherine Woo, and Al Gourdji (chair)

This lecture series was planned by:

James Tobin spent 20 years as a history at the University of Michigan, and he holds a master’s degree from Michigan State University and a law degree from the University of Michigan. He is the author of several books, including Great Race for Flight (2003); and The Making of FDR: The Power of Character and the Lessons of History (2013). Tobin is the author of several books, including Great Race for Flight (2003); and The Making of FDR: The Power of Character and the Lessons of History (2013).

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FALL KICKOFF

OLLI’s New Vision – Implementing Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion with Alfreda Rooks
Wednesday, September 4, 10:00am-Noon, WCC, Morris Lawrence Building 4800 E. Huron River Dr., Ann Arbor
Free and open to the public (no registration necessary)

This talk will define diversity, equity, and inclusion as it relates to participants and programming for OLLI-UM’s goal to become a more inclusive organization.

Alfreda Rooks, MPA, is the Director of Community Health Services (CHS) for Michigan Medicine at the University of Michigan. She works to advance and identify creative solutions to address the health and social needs of the communities where Michigan Medicine resides. CHS programs are designed to improve health outcomes and equity of care that address the social determinants of health (SDOH). Alfreda has expertise in program development, design, evaluation, and implementation, and a long history of deep-rooted community engagement. Her experience includes an extensive background in training, guiding and mentoring teams and building collaboration at all levels. In addition, she is a trainer on topics such as leadership development, change management, process improvement, culturally appropriate communication skills, the intersections between culture, health, and social determinants of health (SDOH), implicit bias and entering and exiting community. She holds a master’s degree in Public Administration (Health Care Administration). She is on a mission to empower all people to be active participants in their health and well-being.

Fall Highlights

The 2020 Democratic Nomination: Who Gets to Choose, the Parties or the Voters? | Jeffrey Bernstein talks to OLLI about voting in America

A Current Look at Flint | A day trip highlighting Flint’s remarkable journey of progress

Book Discussion with Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha, author of What The Eyes Don’t See | Presented by OLLI Reads! and Michigan Humanities

OLLI Dialog on Freedom & Diversity with Dilip Das | A conversation with the Vice Provost for Diversity, Inclusion & Student Affairs of UM

Exit Interview with Laurita Thomas | Hear from Ms. Thomas, UM Associate Vice President of Human Resources. Ms. Thomas will share stories and insights of her 45-year career

Living Transgender: The Struggles and Rewards | A panel discussion in January as part of our Distinguished Lecture Series

Voting in America: Perennial Issues, Current Developments | Thursday Morning Lecture Series beginning in late-October

Map and Parking Information for WCC | See this detailed map and parking information as OLLI has it’s lectures and special events here