

OLLI COURSE SPOTLIGHT

The office will be closed on Monday, October 12.



Marcia Garcia, Campus Sustainability Officer

SUSTAINABILITY AT URI

Wednesday, Oct 14, 1:00 - 2:30 PM Tuition: \$10

Whether you look at the increasing frequency and length of droughts across the world or the extreme weather changes right here in Rhode Island, the effects of climate change are increasingly evident. The University of Rhode Island, a leader in education, research, and engagement, is uniquely positioned to shape a greener, more sustainable future for our students, faculty, staff, and extended community. URI's Office of Sustainability, with the support of the University President's Council on Sustainability, has developed a comprehensive approach to address the potential threats from climate change. The presentation will explore this strategy, which includes reducing the campus's greenhouse gas emissions, integrating sustainability into the curriculum, and encouraging a culture of appreciation for the practices and principles of sustainability. Log on to your account to register: <https://uriolli.augusoft.net/>



Free Webinar Sweet Discoveries from Maple: Medicine, Beauty and More!

Tuesday, October 27 at 7:00pm to 8:00pm

Please register by [clicking here](#). The registration button will be located on the left-side of the page. Free but registration is required

CLASSES STARTING NEXT WEEK:

There's still time to register for these classes coming up next week!

Cut off date for registering for is 24 hours before the class begins.

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NEW CLASS ADDED FOR FALL

Mondays, from 5:30-7:00pm 11/16, 23, 30, 12/7

Instructor: Stanley Carpenter



"Tora, Tora, Tora!" signified Japan's assessment of its attack on Pearl Harbor ("tora" being Japanese code indicating that complete surprise had been attained). What led up to this infamous attack heard around the world, and how was the U.S. ultimately able to change

defeat into victory? This in-depth exploration of World War II in the Pacific Theater focuses on the period 1941 to 1945. The course is divided into four topics: Pearl Harbor and the Coming of War; Miracle at Midway (Turning the Tide);

Palm Trees, Mud and Bugs (World War II in the South and Southwest Pacific); and On to Japan (the Central Pacific).

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Have you thought about teaching an OLLI course? We encourage you to consider the valuable contribution you can make outside of your role as a student. We invite you to share your knowledge, passions, and interests with other OLLI students by teaching a course for us! If you have questions regarding a topic or format, please contact Operations Manager, Beth Desrosiers, directly at 874-4197 or email beth_desrosiers@uri.edu Spring proposals are due October 16. Click here to fill out a course proposal. <https://web.uri.edu/olli/course-proposal/>

BUT FIRST, LET ME TAKE A #SELFIE

Want to be included on the cover of the Spring 2021 catalog cover? Send your selfie to: OLLI@etal.uri.edu or even easier, you can text it to 401-595-9815.

Make sure to include your name so we know who you are! We can't wait to see your smiling face!



Did you take a class you liked or didn't like? We want to hear about your online learning experience. Complete a survey by clicking here: [OLLI SURVEY](#)



Last week, Jet Vertz lectured on the B737 Max and what caused two airplanes to crash. What changes were made on B737Max from the previous models to make it an unsafe airplane? Jet retired from Pratt & Whitney Aircraft as vice president after working for 40 years in the aviation business. Before that, he served in the United States Navy as a line officer during the Vietnam War. The image above was posted on social media earlier this week.