

# Live Inspired!

## News and Updates from the Fresno State OLLI

### Give the Gift of OLLI

By Lanny Larson

Looking for a perfect holiday gift for those special someones on your list? Look no further than your favorite place to keep that gray matter between your ears jumping for joy: Fresno State's Osher Lifelong Learning Institute.

Your gift of an OLLI membership provides the recipient their entrée to the many and varied learning opportunities in Spring 2021. With online learning, your recipient can live anywhere and participate via computer or smartphone

Remote OLLI classes have other advantages:

- No driving to campus and hunting for a parking place.
- No parking pass to forget.
- The ability to be away and not miss a class.
- OLLI's ability to bring classes to you from other places.
- Staying home, which was more enticing when we didn't have to, but still.
- The ability to customize your experience, from sound levels to screen size on your device at home.

In-person classes aren't in our immediate future, but OLLI is dedicated to making lifelong learning available to you and those you care about.

Give the gift of learning opportunity with an OLLI membership.

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**Click here for the link to gift memberships**

**The link for gift memberships is also on our website**  
**[www.fresnostate.edu/olli](http://www.fresnostate.edu/olli)**

## Online Opportunities

On **Sunday, Dec. 6** from 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. the Getty Center presents a free online lecture: **Blackness is in the Making: Materials of an 18th Century Artist**. Click [HERE](#) for the link.

The OLLI at the University of Arizona offers a free lecture "**Frank Figliuzzi: The FBI Way**" on **Wednesday, Dec. 9** at 1 p.m. Figliuzzi reveals how the FBI achieves its standard of excellence—from the training of new recruits in "The FBI Way" to the Bureau's rigorous maintenance of its standards up and down the organization. Click [HERE](#) to register for free under "guest checkout."

