



**The Institute of Continued Learning  
at  
Willamette University**

**“Reflections on 30 years of ICL”  
1992-2022**

Willamette University  
Institute for Continued Learning



Frank Miller

1992-2012

# The First 20 Years 1992-2012

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1992-2012

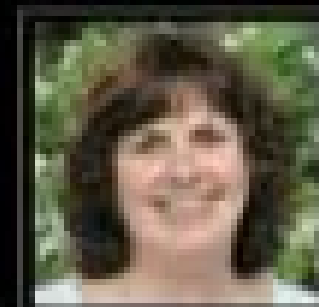
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Commemoration Committee



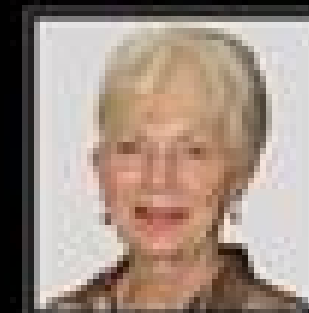
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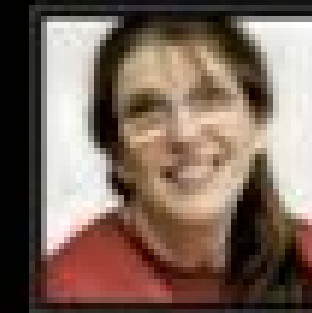
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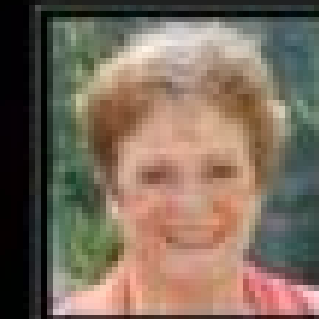
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Irene Konopasek



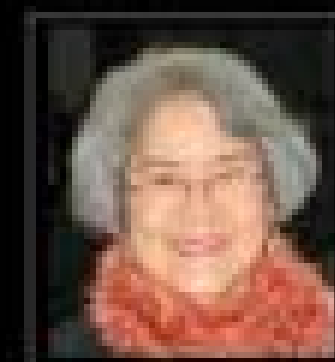
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Sally Schriver



Paul Rice



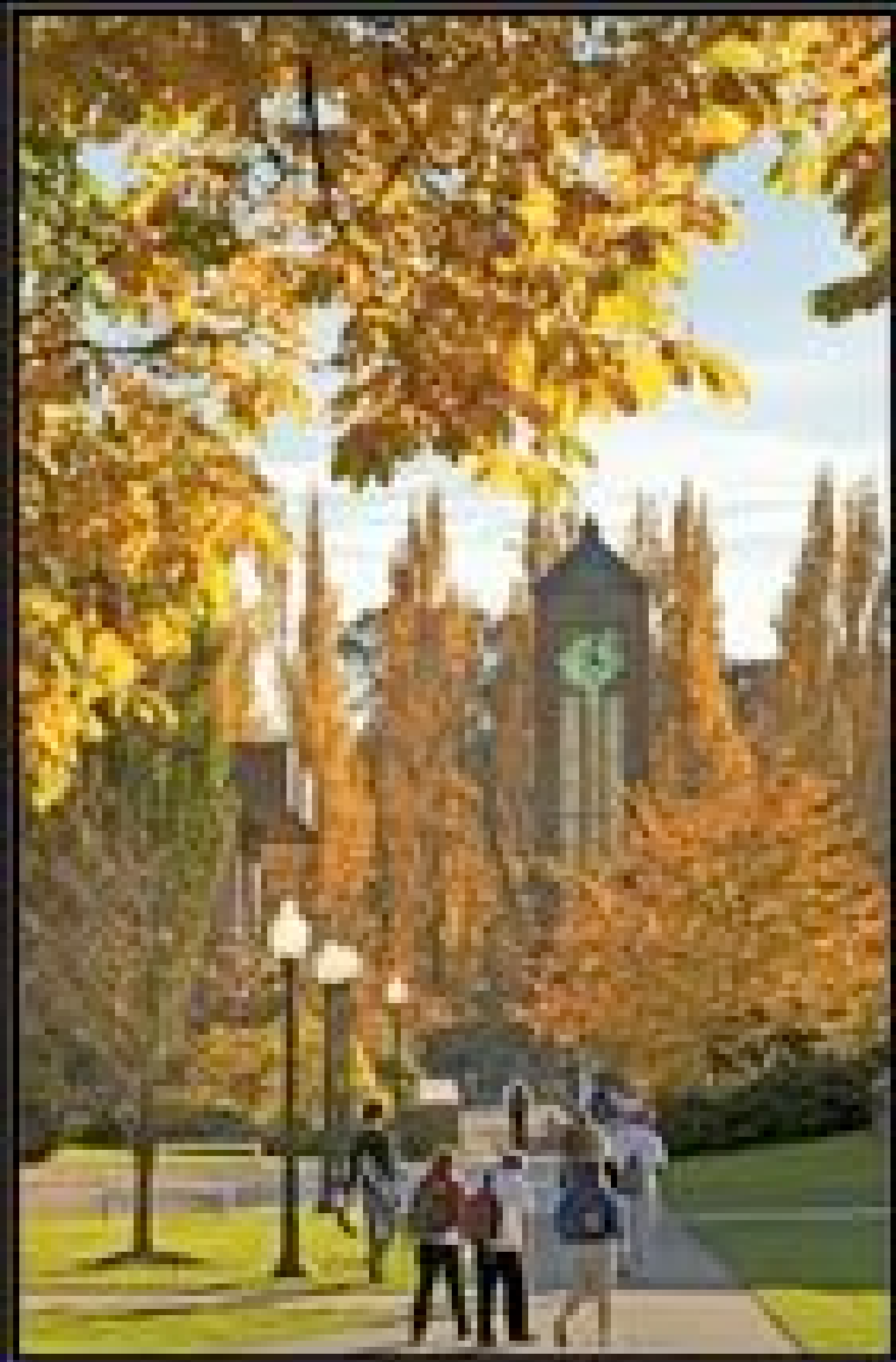
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Pat Hoffman



Ken Panck



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CELEBRATING TWENTY YEARS  
1992-2012

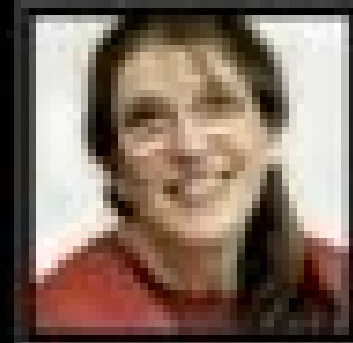
# CREDITS

## 20TH ANNIVERSARY

### SLIDE SHOW

## Slideshow

### Production



Evelynn Smith

### Editing



Peter Ronai

### Research & Support

Irene Konopasek Phil Hanni  
Sharon Wright Sally Schriver

### Music

Mozart: Piano Concerto #19 in F  
Allegro assai

Mitsuko Uchida, Piano

English Chamber Orchestra  
Jeffrey Tate

### Photographs

Evelynn Smith  
Peter Rasmussen  
Peter Ronai  
Frank Miller  
Mako Hayashi-Mayfield  
Pat Hoffman  
David MacMillan  
ICL Archives

# Tribute Willamette University



The ICL journey has been enriched by our associations with this magnificent university and the wonderful folks who make up the Willamette community.

# Some of our Favorite Willamette Faculty Presenters



**Rebecca Dobkins**

*Anthropology  
Hallie Ford*



**David Craig**

*Biology*



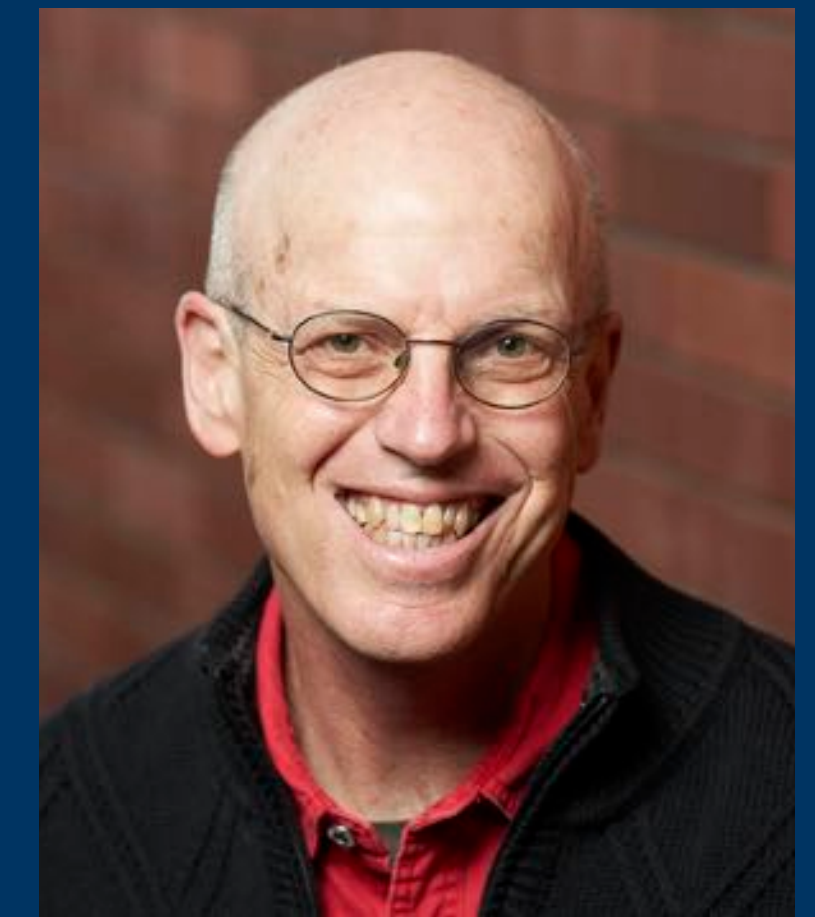
**Wallace Long**

*Vocal Music  
Retired*



**Susan Coromel**

*Theatre*



**William Smaldone**

*History*

# Some of our Favorite Willamette Faculty Presenters



**Joyce Millen**  
*Anthropology*



**Joe Bowersox**  
*Environmental Science*



**Jason Duncan**  
*Biology*



**Seth Cotlar**  
*History*



**Rich Watkins**  
*Physics*



# Some of our Favorite Willamette Faculty Presenters



**Warren Binford**

*Clinical Law*



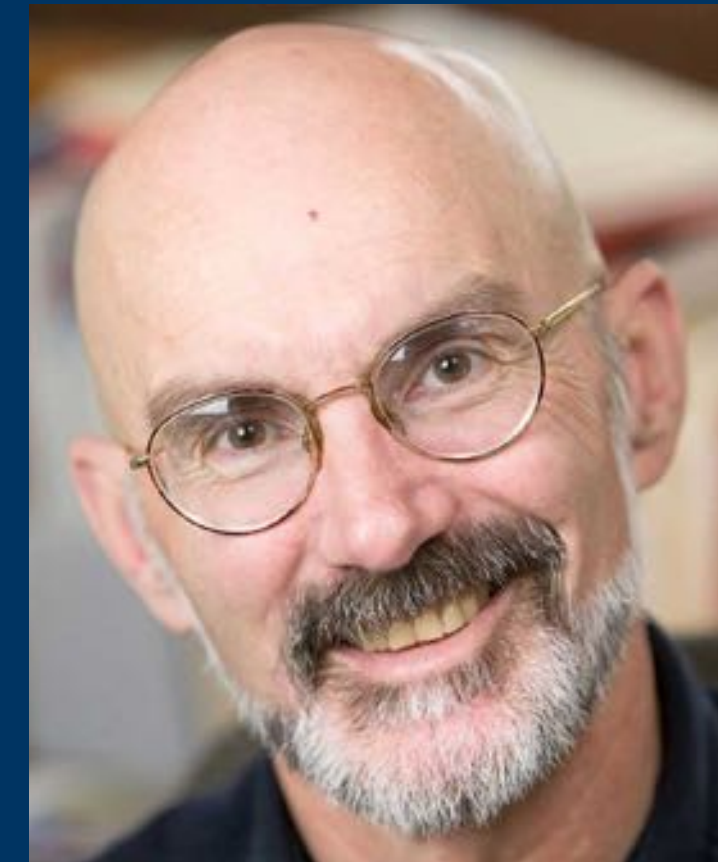
**Sarah Bishop**

*Global Cultural Studies  
Russian & German Languages*



**Ricardo De Mambro Santos**

*Art History*



**Peter Harmer**

*Exercise Science*



**Ellen Eisenberg**

*History  
Ethnic Studies*

# Some of our Favorite Willamette Faculty Presenters



**Don Negri**  
*Economics*



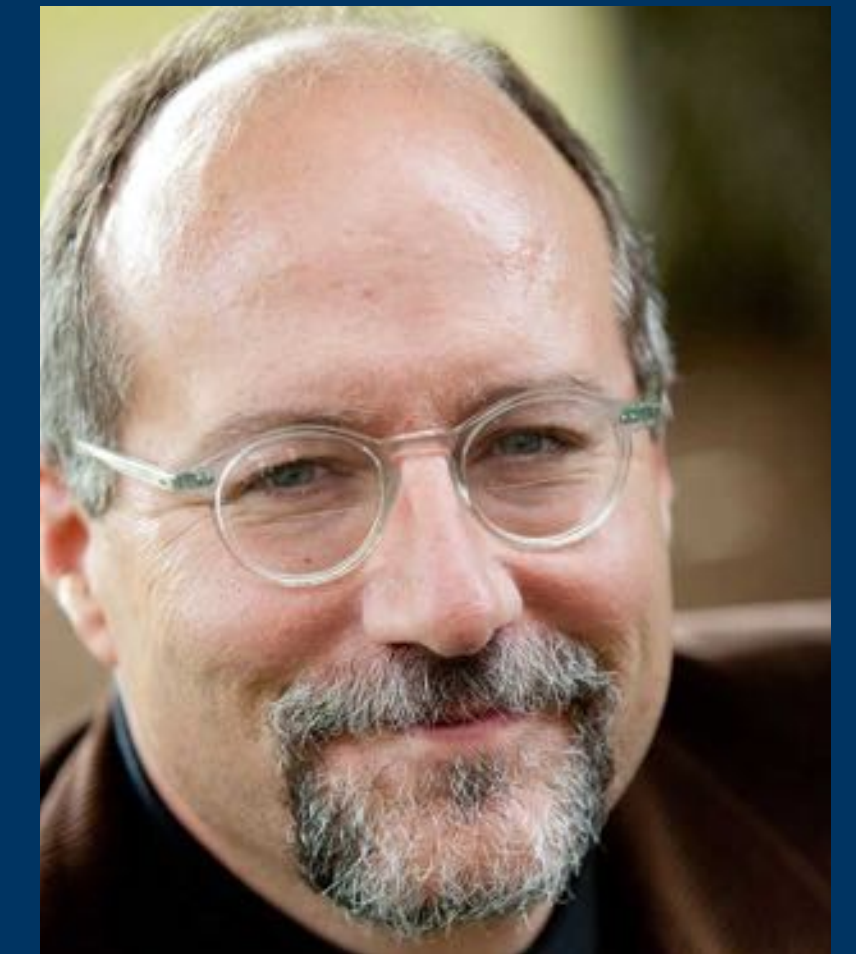
**Ortwin Knorr**  
*Classical Languages*



**Sammy Basu**  
*History*  
*Public Health*



**Richard Ellis**  
*Politics, Policy*  
*Law & Ethics*



**Stephen Patterson**  
*Religious & Ethical Studies*

# Tribute Willamette University



We thank the faculty,  
the students, and the  
entire Willamette  
University community  
for an awesome 30  
years of support.

# Tribute to Our Founder



1930-2021

# KATHY FLETCHER



**ICL Founders:**

**Gene & Kathy Fletcher**

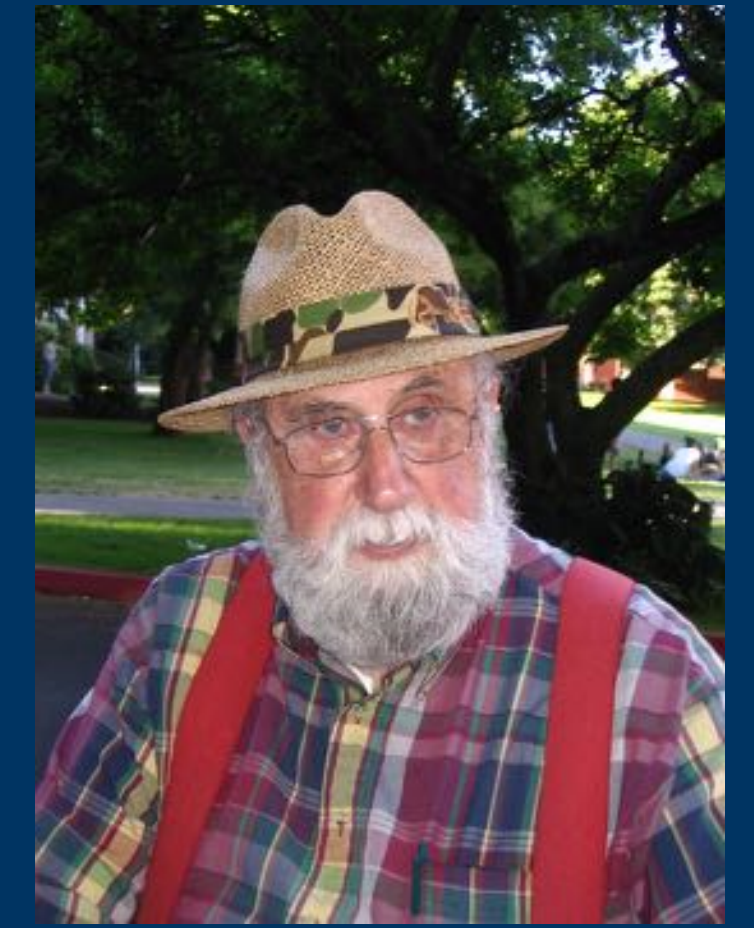
In 1992 Kathy and Gene Fletcher set into motion the process that evolved into what is now called Willamette University Institute for Continued Learning. Through the years countless dedicated educators and learners have added to this process. Now, 25 years later, ICL is a vibrant, stimulating, educational institution.

Today we celebrate the success of ICL, and honor all those who made it possible.



# A TRIBUTE TO THE MANY WE HAVE LOST IN THE LAST DECADE

We miss them and their  
contributions to ICL



**IN MEMORIAM**



**Peter Ronai**



**David Engen**



**Margaret  
Van der Weyden**



**Roger Budke**



**Bea Epperson**

**We will miss their wonderful contributions to ICL**

**IN MEMORIAM**



**Evelynn Smith**



**Anne Bowden**



**Marion Dearman**



**Pat Farnsworth**



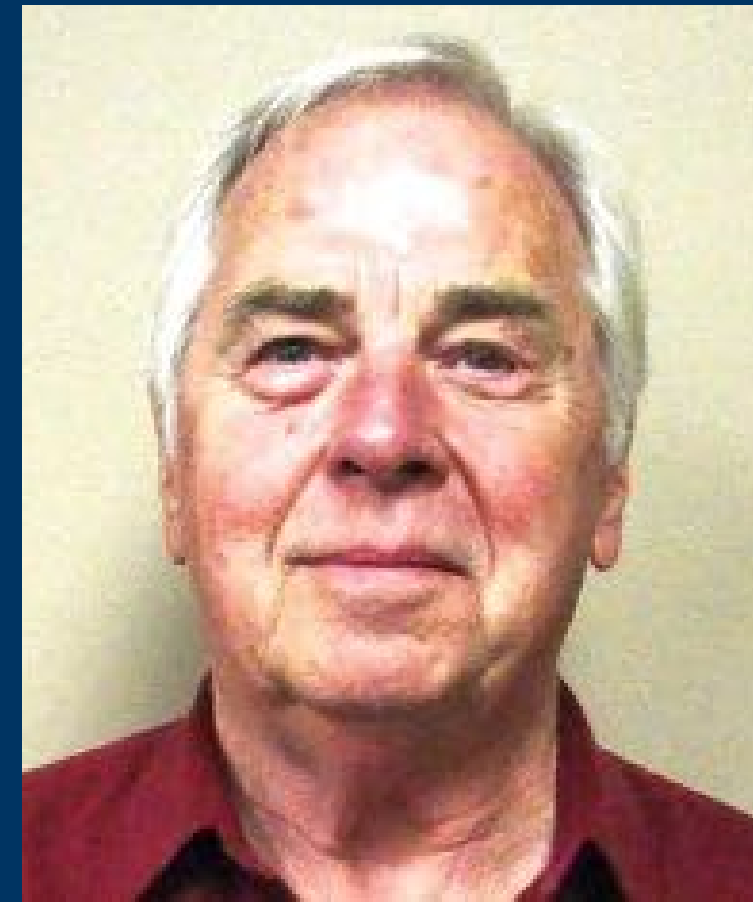
**Cathy Olcott**

**We will miss their wonderful contributions to ICL**

**IN MEMORIAM**



**Francie Wittman**



**Phil Sperl**



**Derek Stables**



**Billjean Hill**



**Bill Grifitts**

**We will miss their wonderful contributions to ICL**



**IN MEMORIAM**



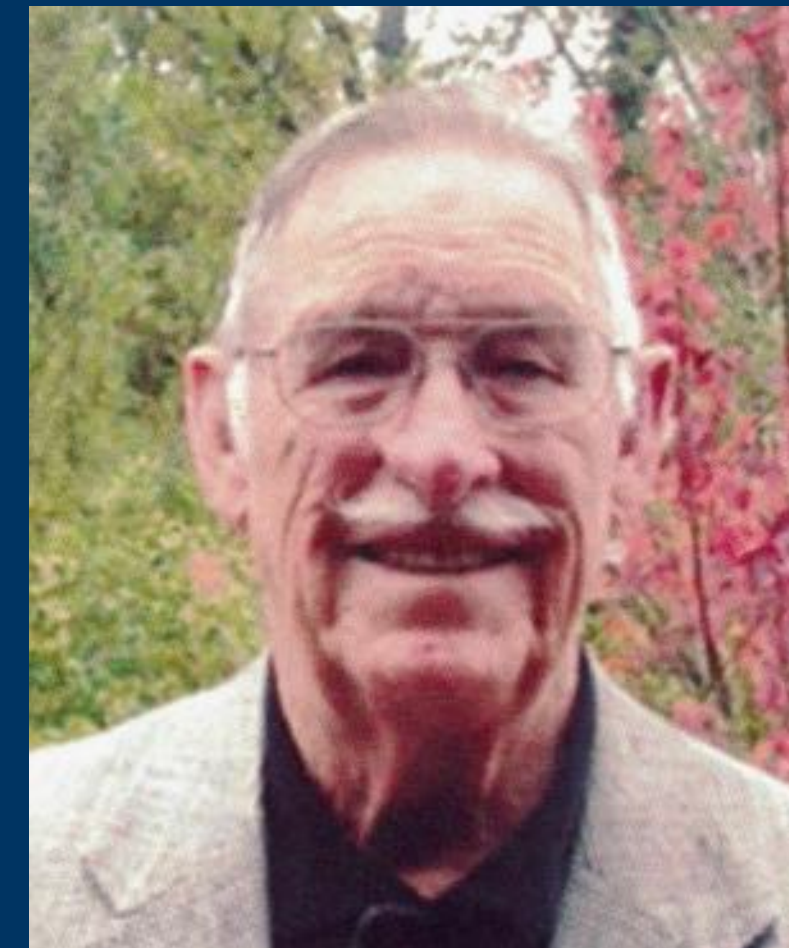
**Gary Beck**



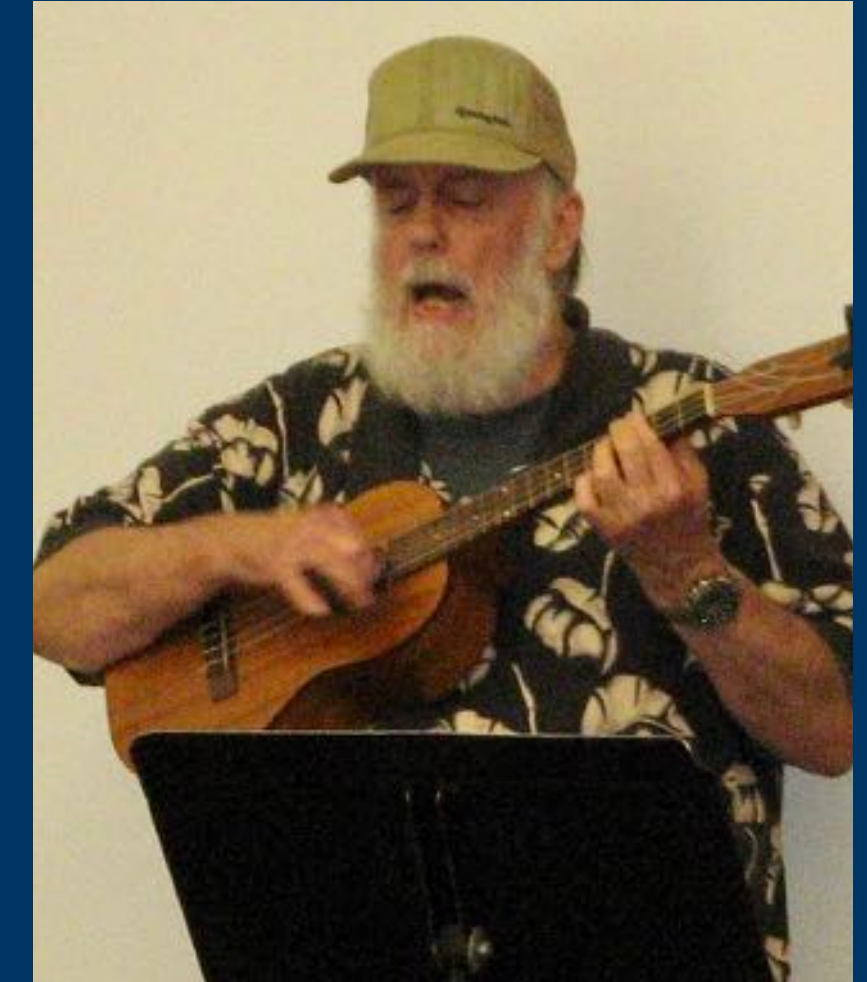
**Peter Rasmussen**



**Roger Gillette**



**Gene Fletcher**



**Joe Brobston**

**We will miss their wonderful contributions to ICL**

**IN MEMORIAM**



**Dorothy Dobson**



**David Cozart**



**Virginia Corrie-Cozart**



**Bill Devery**



**Jo Johnson**

**We will miss their wonderful contributions to ICL**

# Focus 2012 - 2022

The Last 10 years



# Tribute to our Long-time Members



**Wes Robinson 1992**

**Charter Member**



**Roger Colburn 1994**



**Sandy Colburn 1994**



**Grant Hagestedt 1995**



**Sharon Dearman 1995**

# Tribute to our Long-time Members



**Hans Van der Weyden 1996**



**Erin Hanni 1997**



**Sharon Wright 1999**



**Bruce Flaming 2000**



**Jeanette Flaming 2000**

# Tribute to Long-time Members



**Florence Bajaj 2001**



**Bill Voelker 2001**



**Judy Voelker 2001**



**Carmen Schmitz 2003**



**Sally Schriver 2003**

# Focus 2012 - 2022

The Last 10 years

We continue to  
innovate & improve  
the unique experience that is ICL



INNOVATIONS



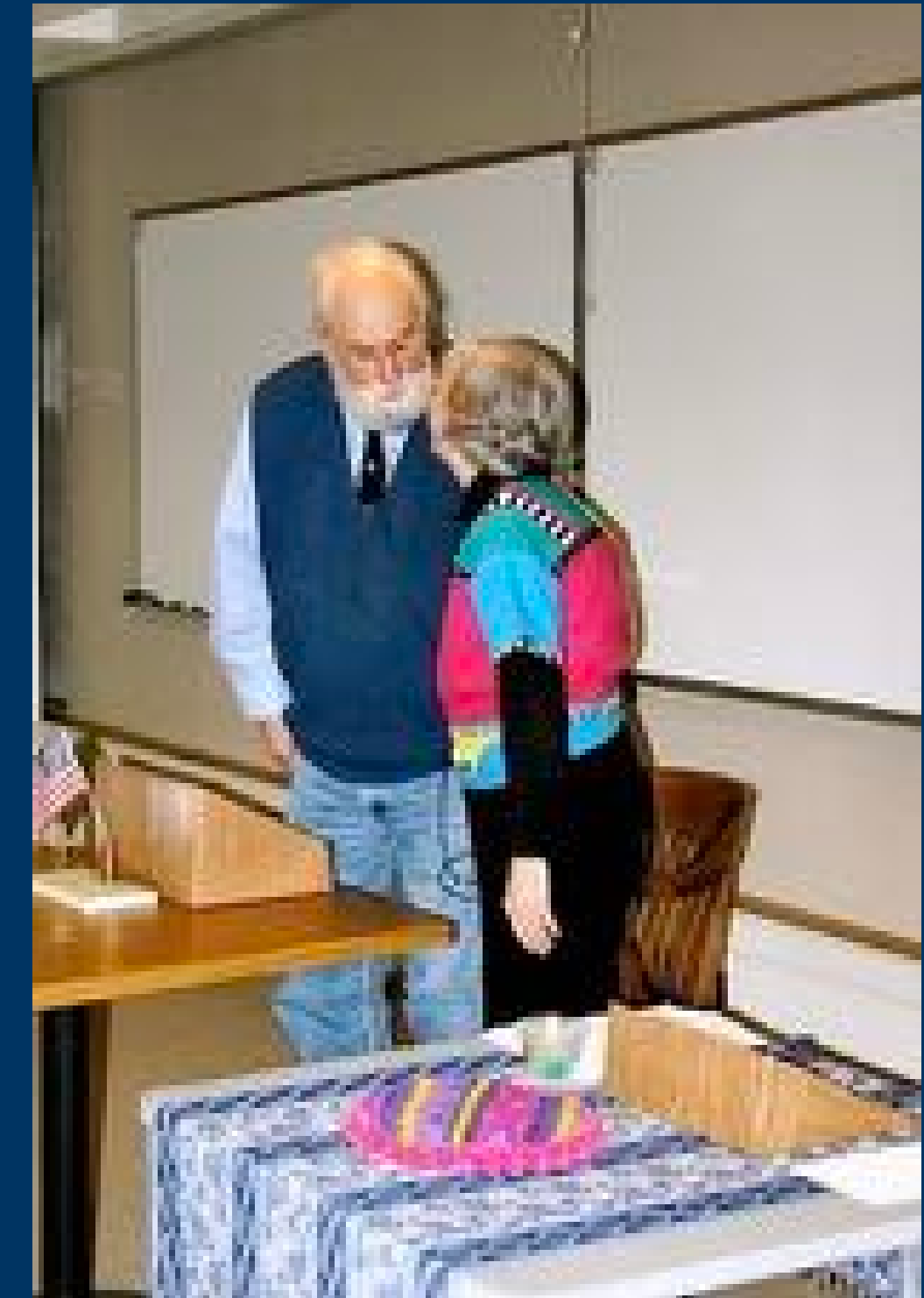
INNOVATIONS

# Phil Hanni Student Scholars



Phil Hanni  
Chaplain Willamette  
University  
1973 -1985

Phil and his wife Erin  
joined ICL in 1997



To honor Phil's many contributions  
to ICL and the University  
the Institute for Continued Learning established  
the Phil Hanni Student Scholar Program  
in 2013.

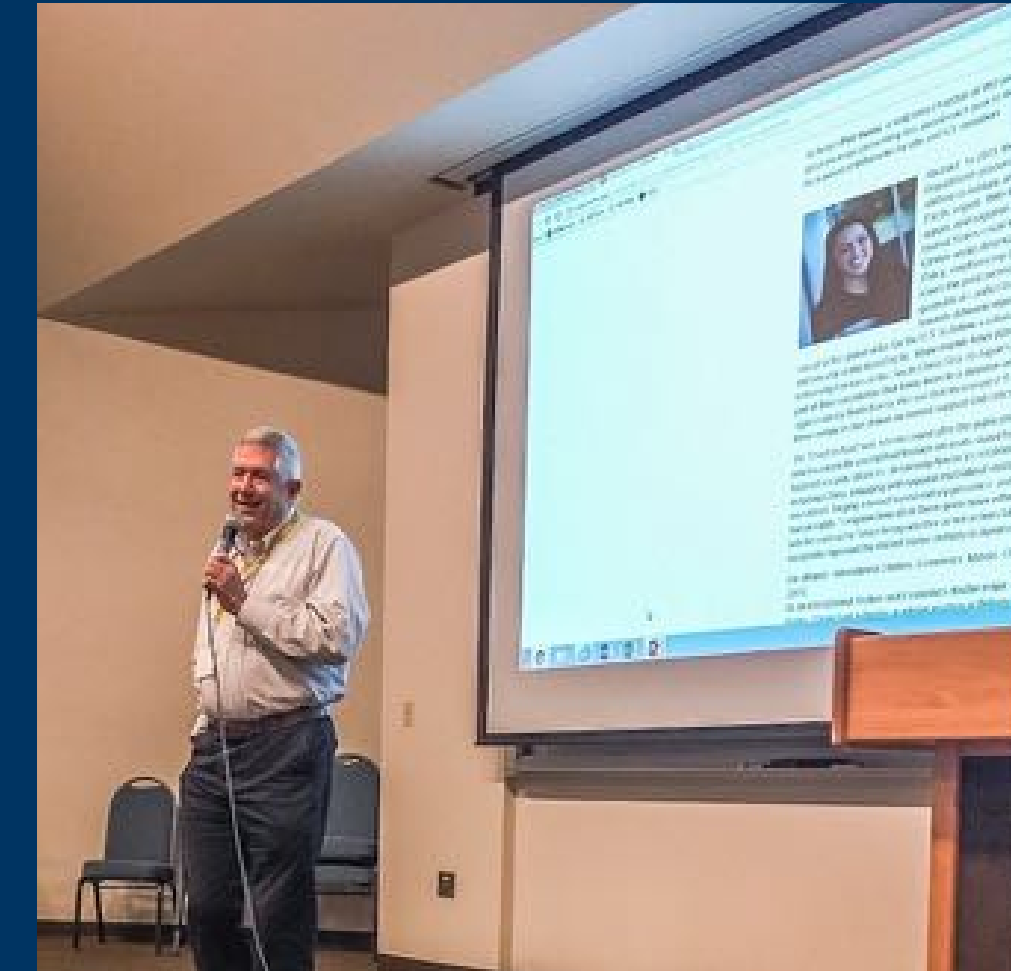
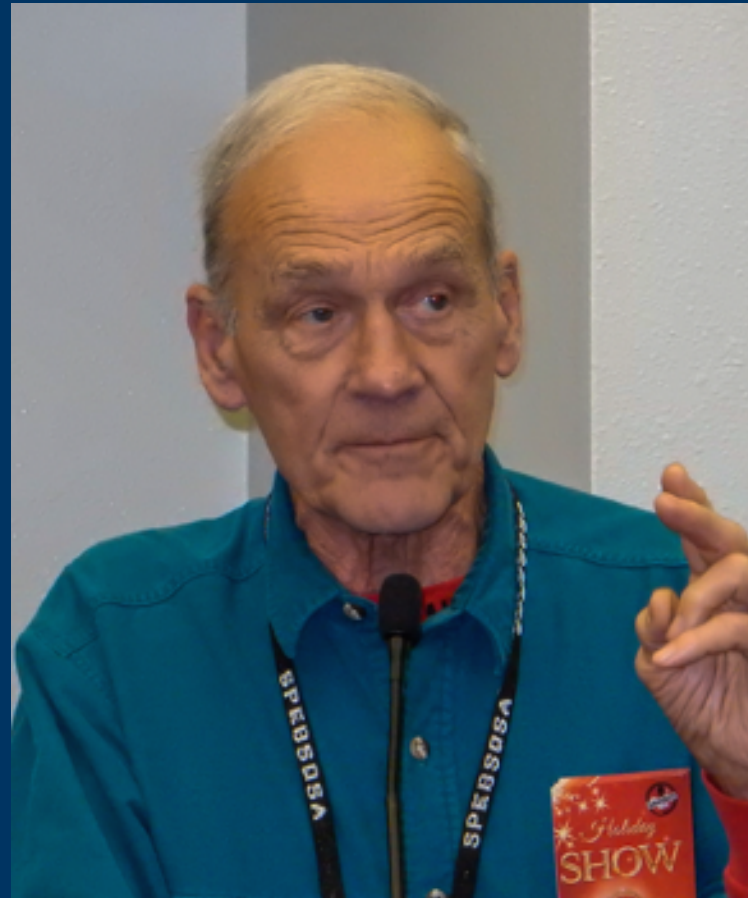


The program was established to honor  
outstanding Willamette students  
who were so much in Phil's thoughts  
throughout his career.



INNOVATIONS

# Phil Hanni Student Scholars



Thanks to

Hardin King, Professor Joyce Millen,  
Tom Zook, Jim Brown,  
Erin Hanni , Solveig Holmquist

and all of the ICL volunteers  
who have helped this program thrive.





**ICL takes great pleasure in presenting this award  
each year to the six top student scholars  
as judged by a panel of Willamette faculty  
and ICL members**

INNOVATIONS

# HANNI STUDENT SCHOLARS 2019



"People 'Without History'"

**Adrianna Nicolay**

Environmental Science



"Violence Against Women Act"

**Saffron Cleveland**

Economics and Politics



Salem Streets To  
Transitional Housing

**Laura  
Polkinghorn**

Biology and  
Anthropology



"Synthesis of new Local  
Anesthetics"

**Anna Ayala**

Biochemistry



"USMCA & the Auto Industry"

**Christopher Ishihara**

Economics



'Crack' and Opioid Epidemics

**Paige Spradlin**

Politics

INNOVATIONS

# ICL Off-Campus Retreat

Jan. 27, 2015

Thanks to

Peter Rasmussen,  
WU Chaplain  
Karen Wood,  
Don Gallagher,  
Ken Panck

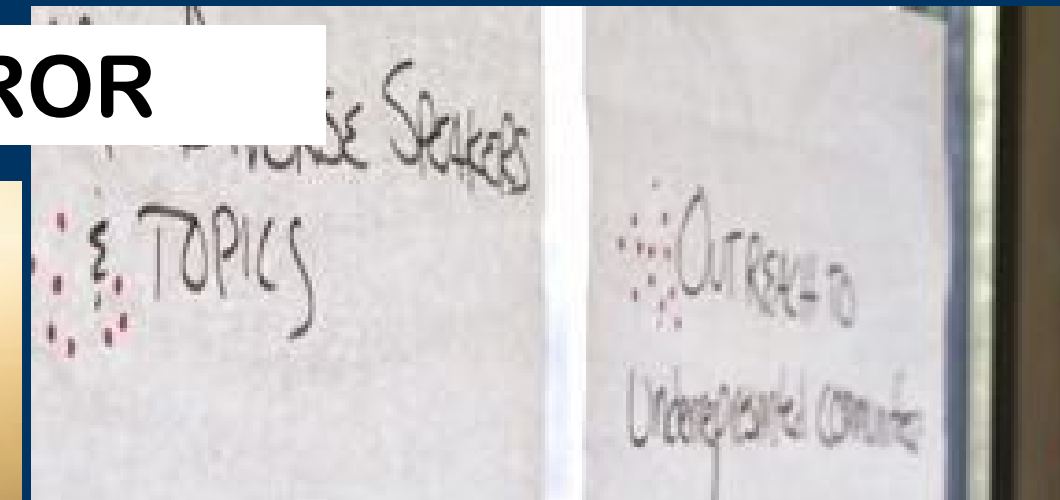
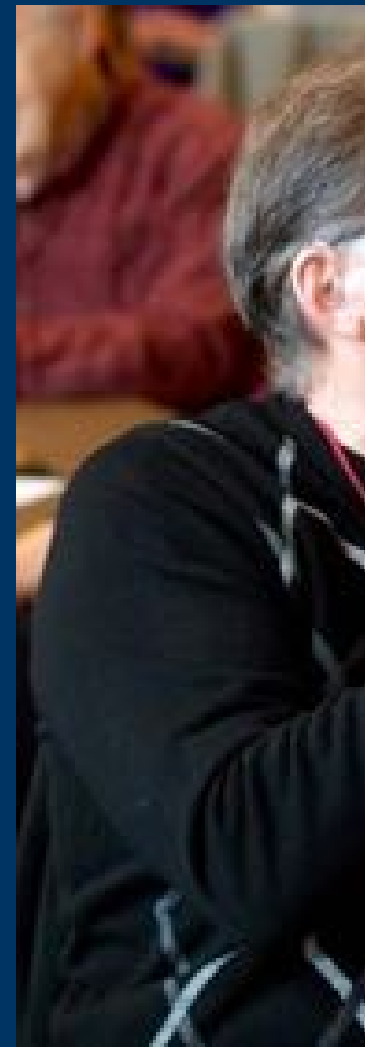
and the  
ICL volunteers  
who made this a very  
successful event.



Broadway Commons

INNOVATIONS

# WE LOOK AT OURSELVES IN THE MIRROR



INNOVATIONS

# ICL, CCTV & WU Cooperate to Record Sessions



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Kasia Quillinan  
Jyl McCormick  
George Adkins  
David and Narlene Craig

and all the ICL volunteers  
who have made this possible

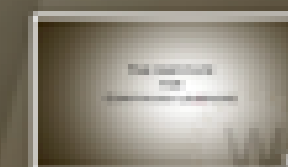


**WILLAMETTE  
UNIVERSITY**

IN COOPERATION WITH

**THE INSTITUTE  
FOR  
CONTINUED LEARNING**

PRESENT



**Available on  
CCTV and  
WUICL Website**



**MATT TREDER**

**FIRST,  
YOU GOTTA KNOW THE MELODY:  
HOW 'FAKING IT' LAUNCHED MY  
LIFELONG CAREER IN MUSIC**

INNOVATIONS

# We learned to ZOOM!





# The ICL Newsletter



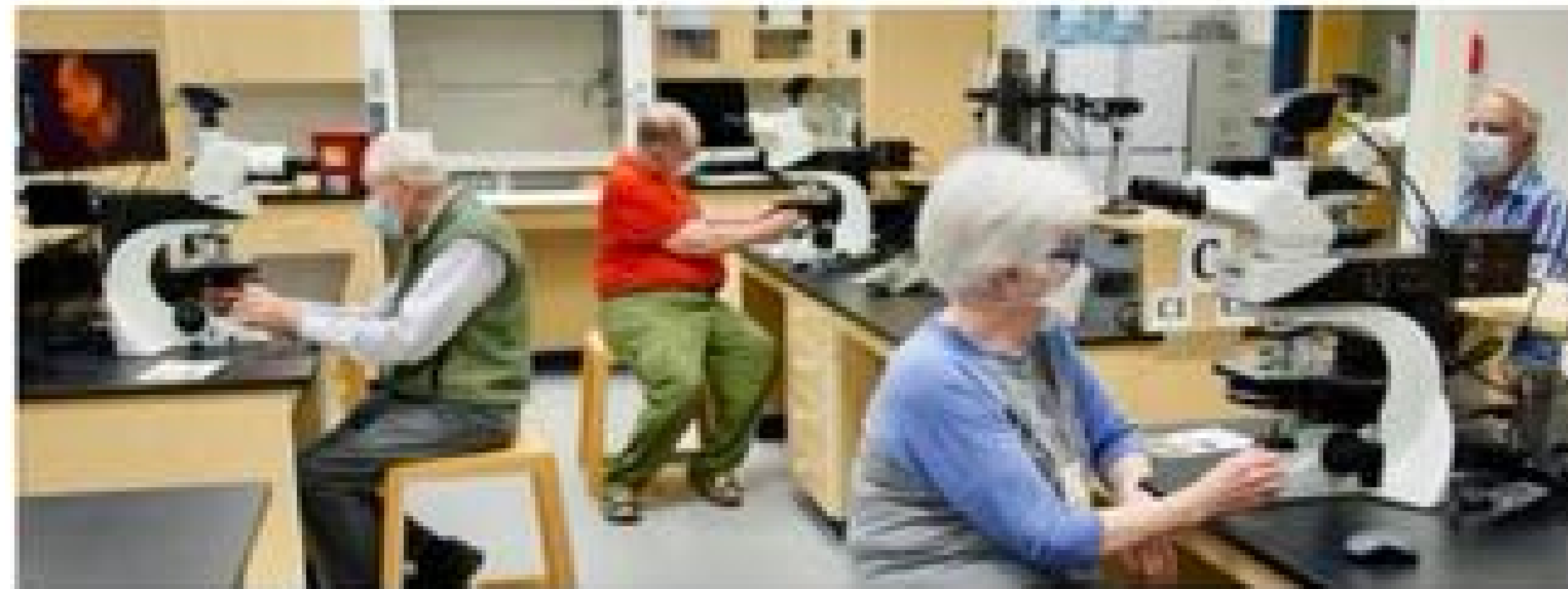
## Institute for Continued Learning Digest

Welcome to the 115th Edition of the ICL Senioritis

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Editors: GwenEllyn Anderson and Dave MacMillan

### ICL Update:



Thank you to Dr. Jason Duncan, Associate Professor of Biology, for opening up the WU Microscopy Lab for ICL "students" to literally get a glimpse into his world of fascinating "invisible things". Thanks to ICL member, George Adkins, for making this opportunity



### Handy Links:

- [Link to ZOOM](#) for Board meetings, Happy Hour, etc.
- [Calendar](#): Classes, etc.
- [Schedule Reports](#)
- [Recorded Classes!](#) More recordings are available in the [password protected area](#) for members only. Others are not available at all without permission from the presenter.
- [Zoom Help](#) - Find tips, FAQ, and other resources available on the Website

### Missing ICL Friends?

Join us for...

- [Virtual Happy Hour](#) on



**Service Extraordinaire**

# OUTSTANDING SERVICE THE FIRST 20 YEARS CONTINUES INTO THE LAST DECADE

## SERVICE EXTRAORDINAIRE



**JEANETTE FLAMING**

Great Decisions Programs  
Human Rights Issues  
Curriculum Committee  
Sponsor of Multiple Speakers



**KEN PANCK**

Executive Director 2010-2014  
20th Anniversary Committee  
2015 Off Campus Retreat



**KASIA QUILLINAN**

Executive Director 2021-2022  
University Liaison  
CCTV Programs  
ICL Players  
Multiple Presentations



**DON GALLAGHER**

Co Director Curriculum 2016-2017  
Curriculum Committee  
Up Close Stories  
Multiple Presentations  
Sponsor of Multiple Speakers  
Organized 2015 Retreat

# OUTSTANDING SERVICE THE FIRST 20 YEARS CONTINUES INTO THE LAST DECADE

## SERVICE EXTRAORDINAIRE



**SALLY SCHRIVER**

*Executive Director  
2019-2021  
ICL Players  
Historian  
Powerpoint Seminars*



**SHARON WRIGHT**

*Art History/ Art Potpourri  
Sponsor of Multiple  
Halle Ford Presentations  
“Self- Portraits Famous Artists”*



**LOUISE SCHROEDER**

*Membership Co-Director  
2012-16*



**EUNICE PORTER**

*Membership Co-Director  
2012-17  
Banquet Decorations*

SERVICE EXTRAORDINAIRE

# DAVID MACMILLAN

Information Services Director

Technical Services Director

Co-Founder & Editor of ICL Newsletter

“Our Tech Guy”

Membership Directory



# GWENELLYN ANDERSON

Technical Services Director  
since 2017

Co-Founder & Editor of ICL Newsletter

Presentations on Brain Science

ZOOM guru

Technical Assistance with a smile



SERVICE EXTRAORDINAIRE

# SOLVEIG HOLMQUEST

Music Coordinator

Curriculum Committee

Masterful Presenter

Sponsor of Outstanding Programs

Classroom Master of Ceremonies



SERVICE EXTRAORDINAIRE



**JOAN ROBINSON**

Current Executive Director

Annual Presentations on Supreme Court



**JINX BRANDT**

Curriculum Committee(Current Director)

Sponsor of Multiple Speakers

Art Potpourri

An Ode to the Color Blue

Concrete Arrows Point the Way

Art from the Met

Kenya Experiences- Personal

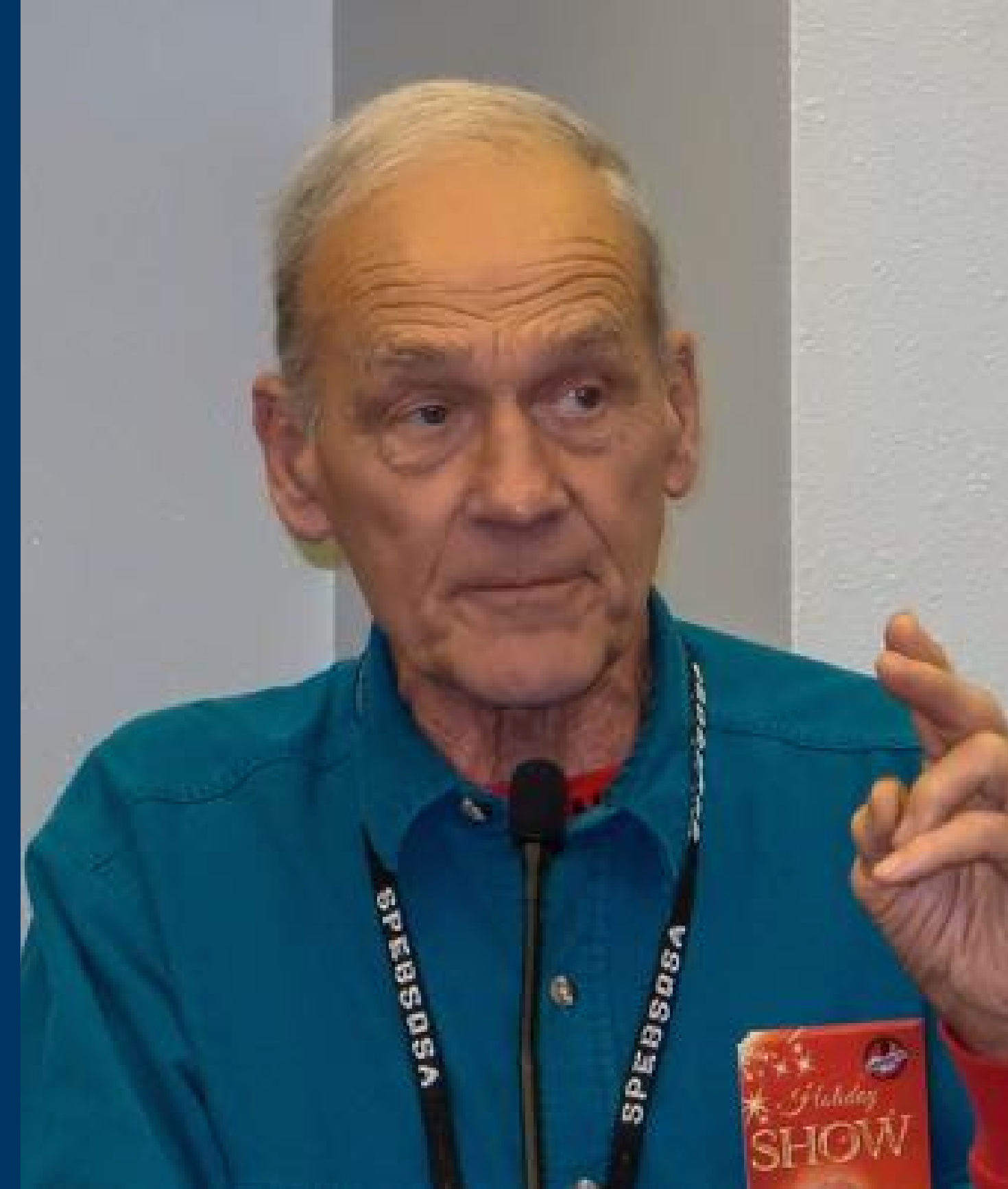




## TOM ZOOK

Curriculum Director  
2013-2016

Coordinated Hanni Scholars  
Program with WU Faculty



## HARDIN KING

University Services  
2012-2016

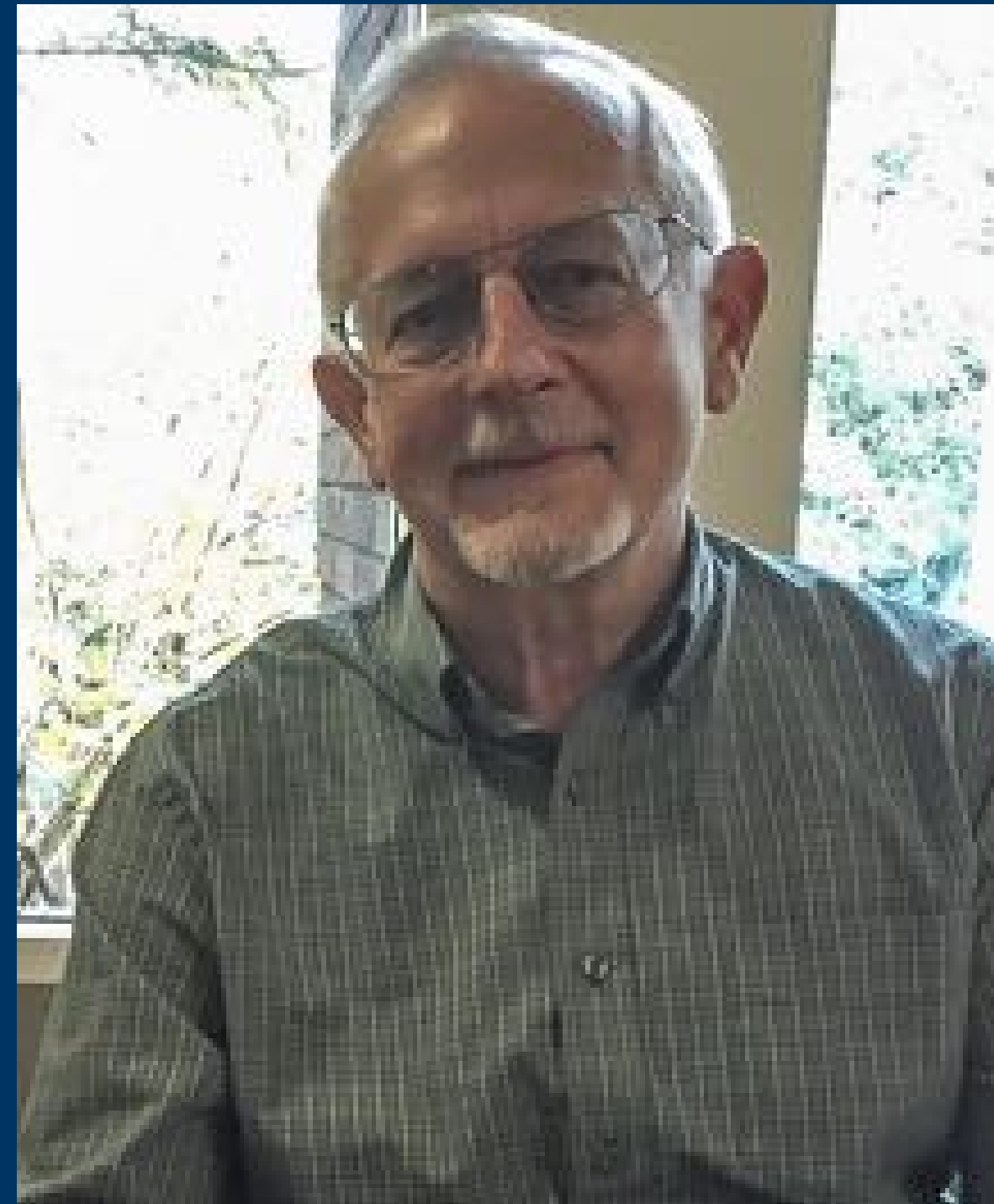
Led effort to record ICL  
sessions with CCTV  
Multiple Presentations  
ICL Players

# SERVICE EXTRAORDINAIRE



**JIM BROWN**

Hanni Scholars  
Class Master of Ceremonies  
Visual Arts Presentations  
Coordinator of Human  
Language Video Series



**BOB MUIR**

Curriculum Committee  
Curriculum CoDirector 2015-2016  
  
Sponsor of Multiple Speakers  
World War I: Eastern Front  
Skeptics Guide to American History  
Rajneeshpuram - Personal Reflections  
Aristotle



**MARK KASOFF**

Executive Director  
2015-2018  
ICL Resident Professor of  
Economics



**LOIS ROSEN**

Writing Group Coordinator  
Poet  
Author  
Sponsor of Presentations



**BILL FOSTER**

*CoDirector Curriculum  
2018 –2020*

“Wichi-Tai-To” by Jim Pepper  
“Two Pioneer Women Architects”  
“From Googie to Las Vegas”



**TONI PETERSON**

*CoDirector Curriculum  
2016-2018*

*Hanni Scholar Sponsor  
Oregon History Potpourri*



**Charlene Robbins**

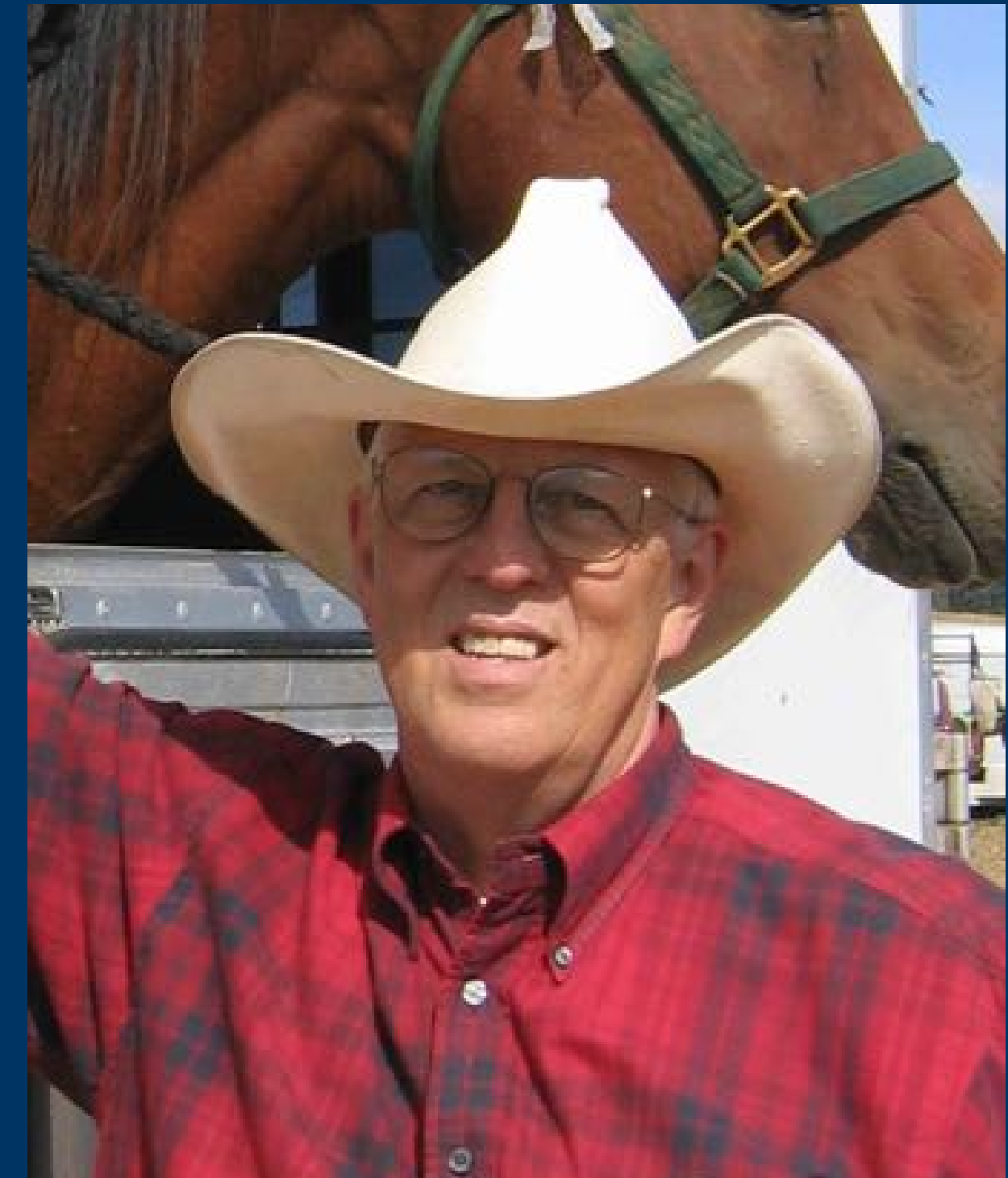
*Financial Services 2012-17*

*“Star Spangled Banner”  
Art and Music Potpourri*



**Vernelle Judy**

Membership CoDirector  
2018- Current  
Resident Poet  
Writing Group



**Jim McDonald**

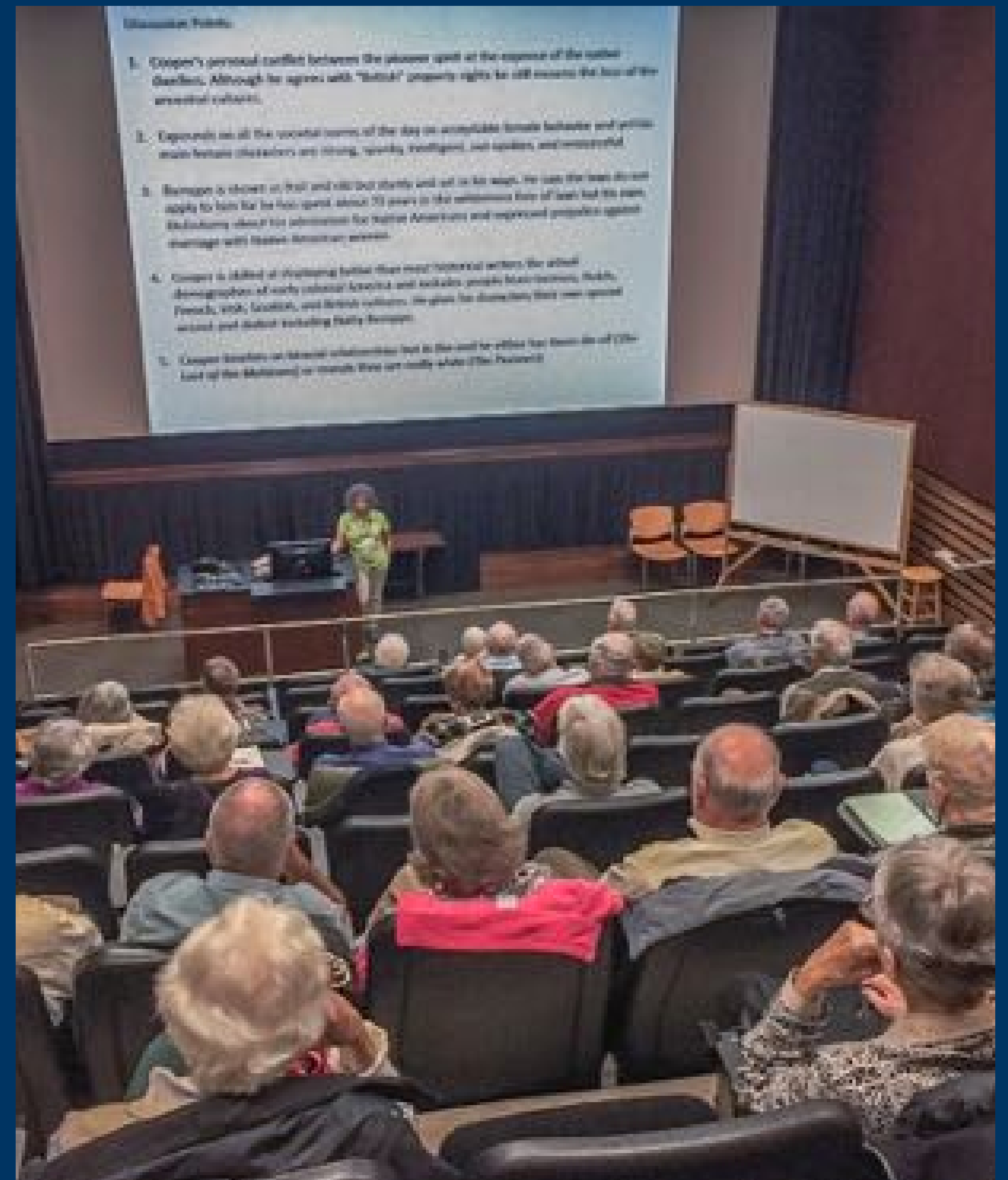
*CoDirector Curriculum  
2017-2019*

*“Understanding Genetics: DNA”  
Music Potpourri*

# Member Presentations

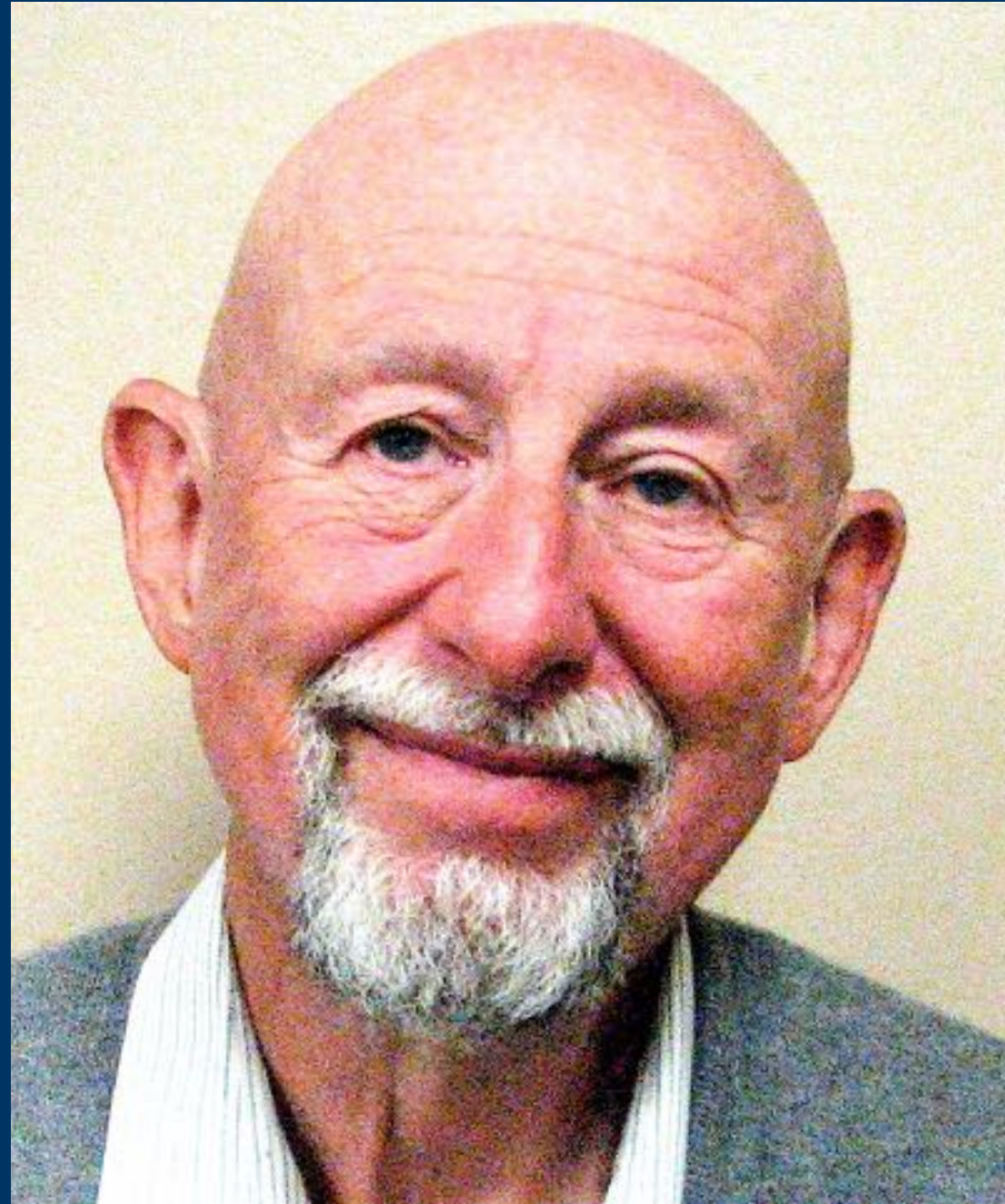


Evelynn Smith in Montag



Franca Hernandez in Ford Hall

# MEMBER PRESENTATIONS



**Ken Ash**

Great Missoula Flood  
Monsters  
What Do You Know?  
How Smart are You?  
Tip of the Spear



**Wayne Wallace**

Portland Street Art  
Avian Mating  
Adaptation for Flight  
Prosopagnosia



**Tom Hibbard**

Curriculum Committee  
Sponsor of Multiple Sessions  
Resident Professor of Economics  
  
"Economic Policy, Performance, and  
Prospects for the nation and Oregon."

# MEMBER PRESENTATIONS



**George Adkins**

CCTV Coordinator

“Minority Legislative Control”

“Camp Adair”

“World War II”

Great Decisions



**Paul Rice**

Coordinator of Visual Guide to the  
Universe Video Series

Class Master of Ceremonies

“Almost all about Dogs”

“Churchill, Manitoba”

ICL Players



**Bill Voelker**

“The Biology & History of the Oldest  
Trees & Shrubs”

“Forests — What do we want, what  
are we getting?”

“Who’s There? What goes on in the  
dirt, in the Dark, Out in the Woods?”



**Janet Adkins**

“Women Voting”

“Profiles in Curiosity”

“Joshua Bell’s Violin”

Science Potpourri

# MORE MEMBER PRESENTATIONS



**Karen Trucke**

History of American Indian  
Lectures  
Writing Group  
Curriculum Committee  
Diversity Committee



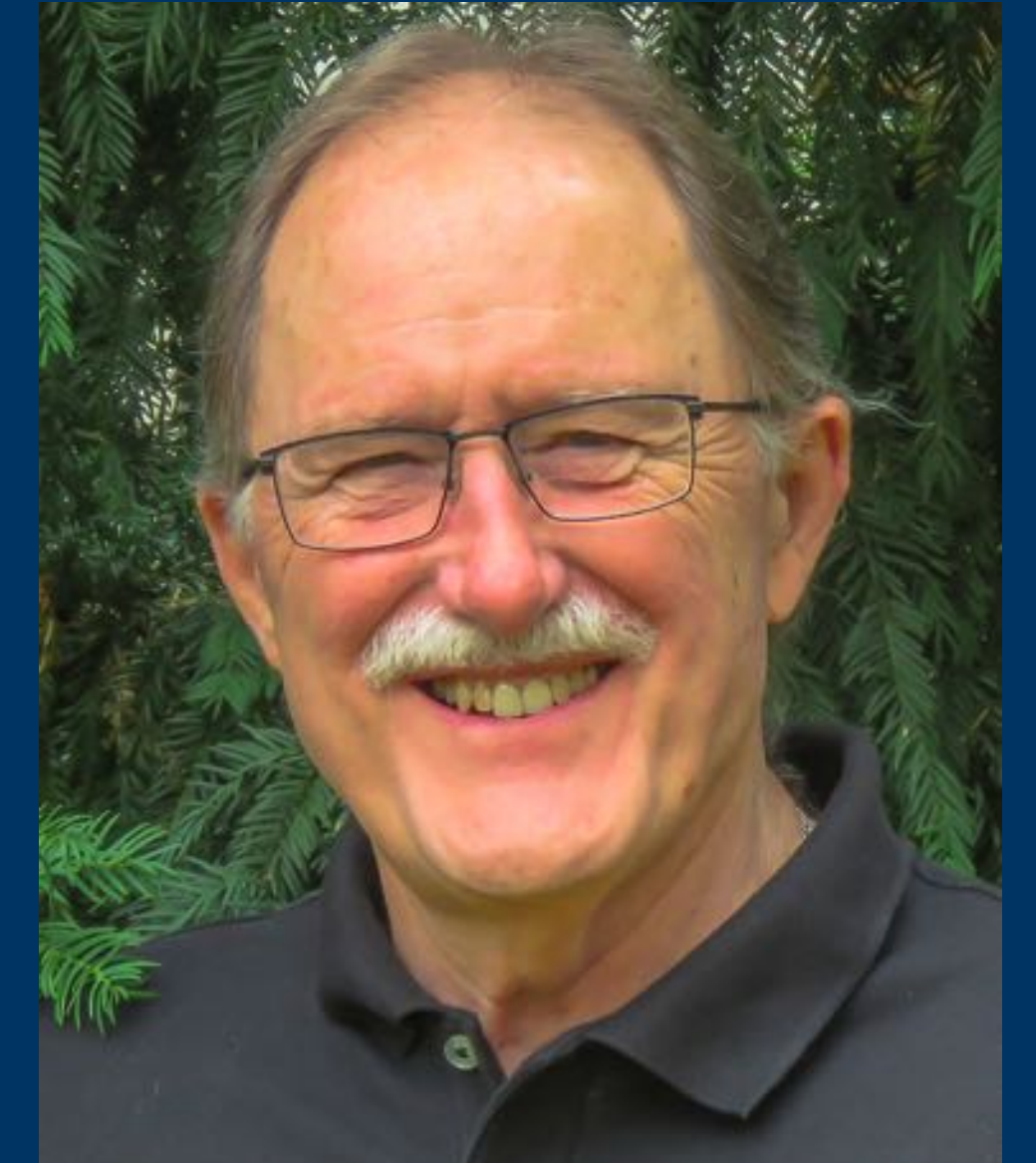
**Joyce Zook**

The Unsung Heroes of STEM  
“Nebraska’s Prairie Institute - saving  
the nations grasslands”



**Kay Gerard**

Great Decisions  
Story of Human Languages  
Writing Potpourri  
Diversity Committee



**Phil Caudill**

Art, Poetry & Music Potpourri  
“Brazil’s Metamorphosis”  
Field Trip Coordinator



# MORE MEMBER PRESENTATIONS



**Roz Shirack**

“Dismal Science”  
“Geology of the Grand  
Canyon”



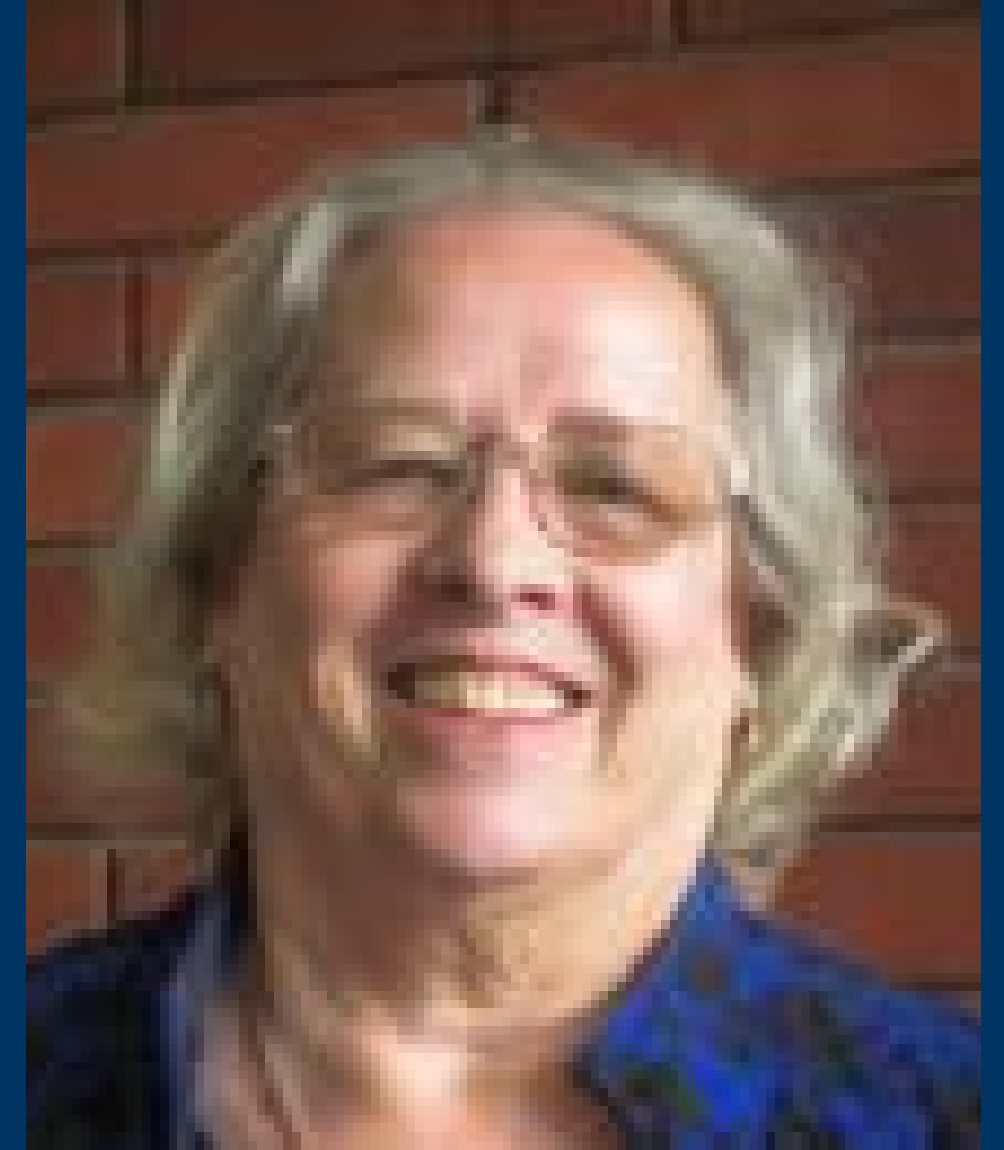
**Mako Hayashi-Mayfield**

Sponsor of multiple Diversity  
speakers  
Curriculum Committee



**Doug Lusk**

Great Decisions &  
Art Potpourri Presentations



**Barbara Sellers-Young**

“Teaching Personality with  
Gracefulness”

# KEEPING THE BOOKS, NOTES, MEMBERSHIP & ARCHIVES



**Mieke Visser**  
Information Services



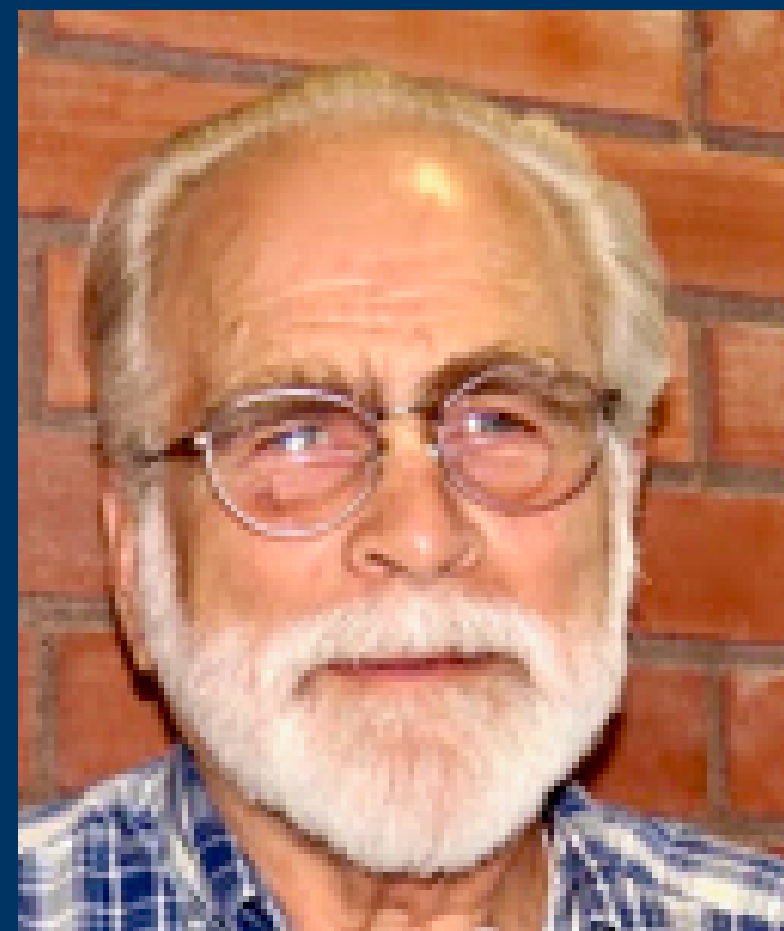
**Tracy Raglund**  
Secretarial Services



**Virginia Vanderbilt**  
Historian



**Jan Petroski**  
Financial Services



**David & Narlene Craig**  
CCTV Recording



**Gary Slangan**  
Parking



**Pat & Gerry Lundeen**  
University Support

# BOOKS, BOOKS, BOOKS



**Erin Hanni**  
2014 -17



**Becky Miller-Moe**  
2019 - Current



**Jan Svingen**  
2018 -19

## OUR DISCUSSION COORDINATORS

# FIELD TRIPS



Freres Lumber  
(2015)



© Dave MacMillan 2014

Zena Farms  
(2014)



Garten Recycling  
(2018)

# FIELD TRIPS

Vinn Distillery  
(2018)



© Dave MacMillan 2014

Talking Garden  
(2013)



Fort Vancouver  
(2017)



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# Our Social Component

We try to have FUN while learning!



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# BANQUETS, LUNCHEONS, SPECIAL EVENTS



Priscilla Hibbard



Ruthann Panck & Joyce Zook



Dee Iltus



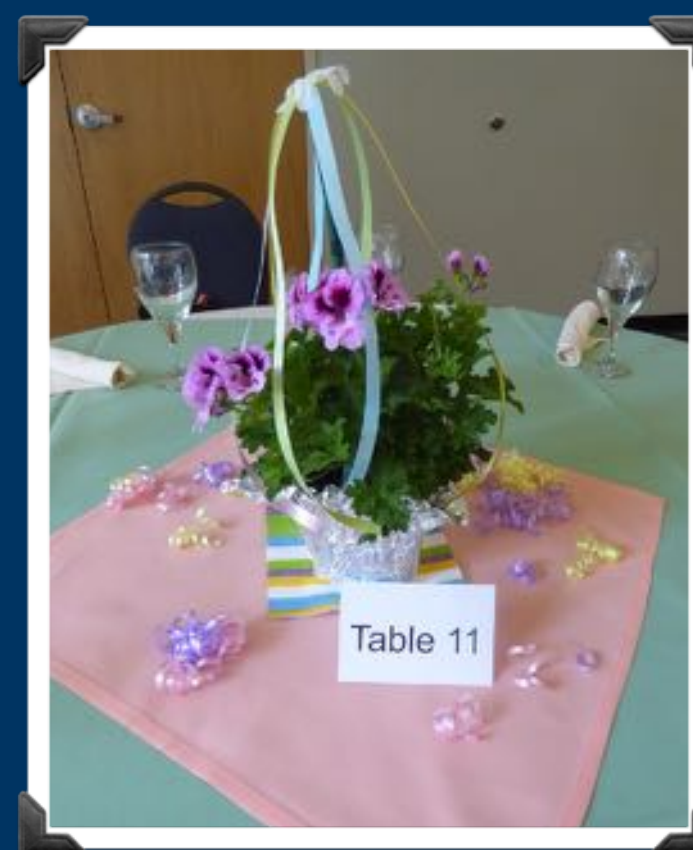
Eunice Porter flanked by  
Jan Svingen & Ruthann Panck



Oddny Everson



Sharon Dearman



Karen Bender



Sandy Colburn

# MORE SPECIAL EVENTS, THE PICNIC



**Jan Miller, picnic guru**

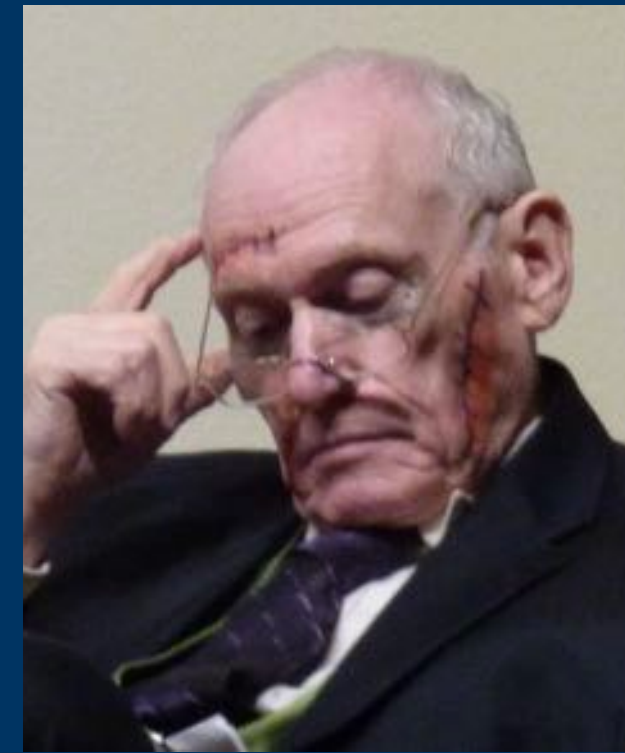




A few of our  
**THESBIANS**



**Colleen Spedale**



**Joel Woodman**



**Gretchen Jensen**



**Paul Rice**



**Deborah Ehlers**  
Theatre Coordinator  
Sponsor of Multiple Theatre  
Presentations



**Don Taylor**



**Rosamund Irwin**



**Harvey Reynolds**



**Florence Baja**

A few more  
**THESBIANS**



**Dominick Spedale**



**Kasia Quillinan**



**Lee Coyne**



**Bob Muir**



**Sharon Dearman**



**Will Staver**



**Hardin King**



**Chris Duval**

# Featuring the ICL PLAYERS



**2017 Breaking Barriers—The Unsung Heroes of STEM**

# Featuring the ICL PLAYERS

## "Twelve Angry Jurors" ICL Players March 2015



Dwight Porter

Scott Reichlin

Frances Wittman

Peter Rasmussen

David Engen

Melanie Davidson

Rosamund Irwin

Don Taylor

Jean Robinson

Paul Rice

Hardin King

Kathryn Pank

# Featuring the ICL PLAYERS

South Pacific 2014



# Featuring the ICL PLAYERS

## Radio Plays 2015



# Featuring the ICL PLAYERS



**Ever Young 2018**

...THE 2012 ICL PLAYERS...



THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING EARNEST

Dorothy Dobson

Sharon Dearman

Sally Schriver

David Cozart

Paul Rice

Marion Dearman

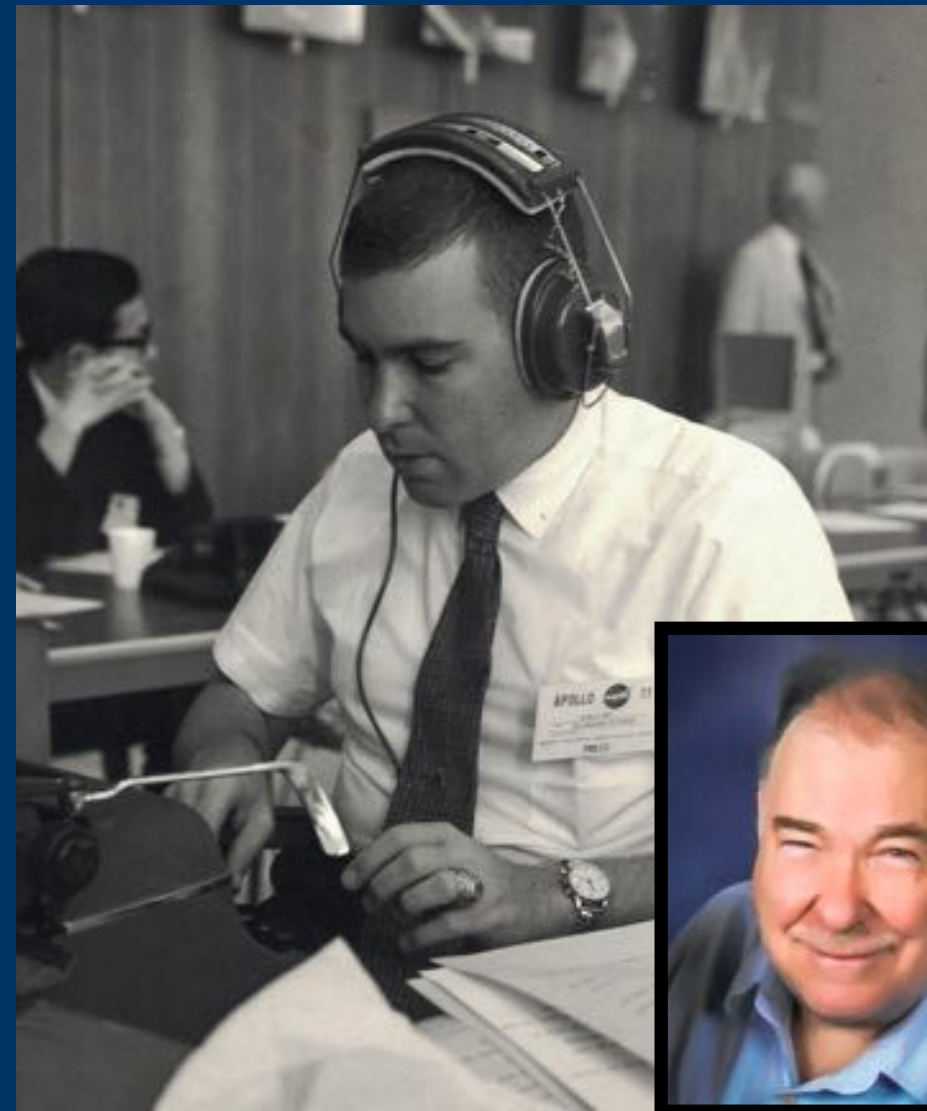
Jose Ricey

Trevor Jacobson

Kasia Quillinan

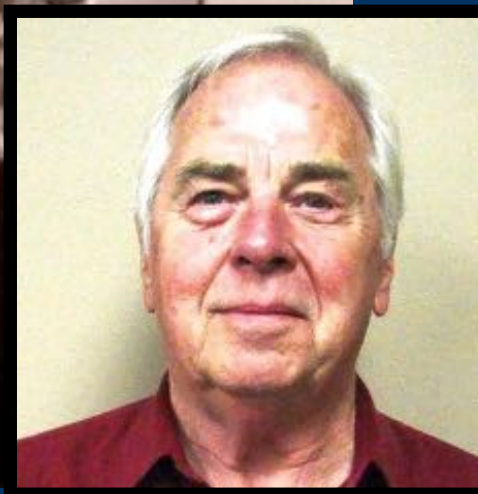
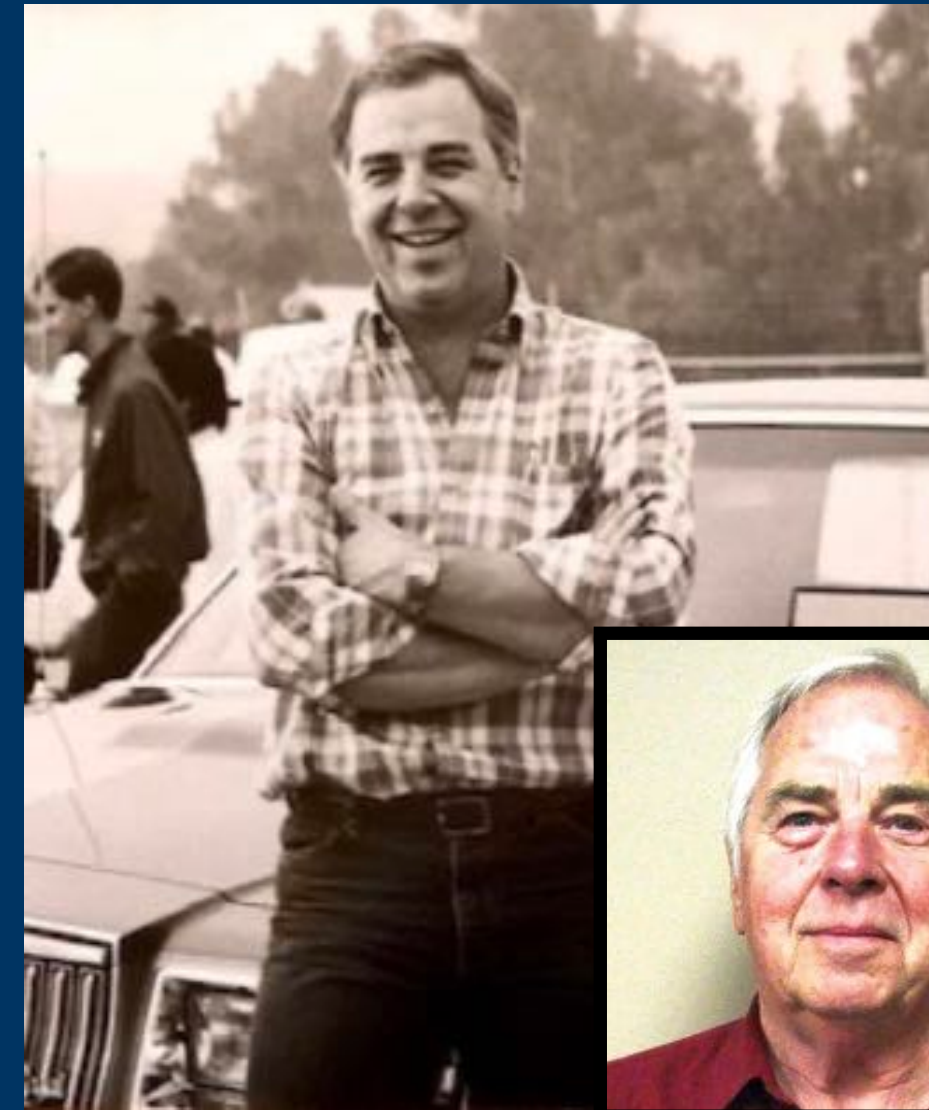


# UP CLOSE & PERSONAL STORIES



**Arthur Hill**

Apollo 11  
Lunar Landing  
July 1969 for  
Houston Chronicle



**Phil Sperl**

National Audio Sound Off  
Grandchampion



**Ron & Else Nichols**

Oregon hiker marries  
Danish student  
in Copenhagen



**Ingrid Brandt**

Growing up in Berlin  
in the 1930's

# Special Tribute

## ALICE SORENSEN

WU/ ICL Liaison  
1996-2010

ICL Member 2011- 2019  
Membership Co-Director  
2017-2019



Alice Sorenson  
ICL / WU Liaison  
1996-2010



# NO LONGER MEMBERS BUT OUTSTANDING SERVICE THE LAST DECADE

2012 SERVICE EXTRAORDINAIRE 2022



**Lester Reed**

CoDirector Financial  
Services

Big Cats of the World  
The Story of Bears  
The Longest War (Korea)  
Electing a President



**Barbara McReal**

CoDirector Membership  
Services

ICL Players  
Writing Group  
“Native American Flute”



**Dru Johnson**

CoDirector Curriculum  
2019 –2022

Curriculum Committee  
Sponsor of Speakers  
“Myths of Aging”



**Judy Gram**

CoDirector Curriculum  
2020 –2022

Curriculum Committee  
Sponsor of Speakers  
“Penguins: Flightless Birds of the  
Southern Hemisphere”



**Franca Hernandez**

ICL Players  
Goddesses, Amazons & Warrior Women  
French Indian Families of Champoeg  
James Fenimore Cooper  
Roman Empire Road System  
Peace Corps Experience

# ON TO NEW CHALLENGES



**Lester Reed &  
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**CoDirector Membership  
Services**



**Sybil Westenhause**

**Historian**



**Irene Konopasek**

**Historian**

**20th Anniversary  
Committee**



**Jyl McCormick**

**CCTV  
ICL Players  
Secretarial Services**



**Robyn Shelby**

**Director Secretarial  
Services**

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# ON TO NEW CHALLENGES



**Betty Kasoff**

Resident Poet  
Writing Group  
ICL Players



**Mike & Meredith  
Gilbert**

Field Trip Coordinators



**Stephen Gram**

Resident Cellist  
Field Trip Coordinator



**Ann Shaffer**

ICL Players  
Music & Art Potpourri



**Wally Shaffer**

Great Decisions  
Upclose Stories

# THANKS FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

# ON TO NEW CHALLENGES



Carol & George Moeller



Henrietta Griffitts



Vickie Hardin-Woods



Susie Lee



Deanna White

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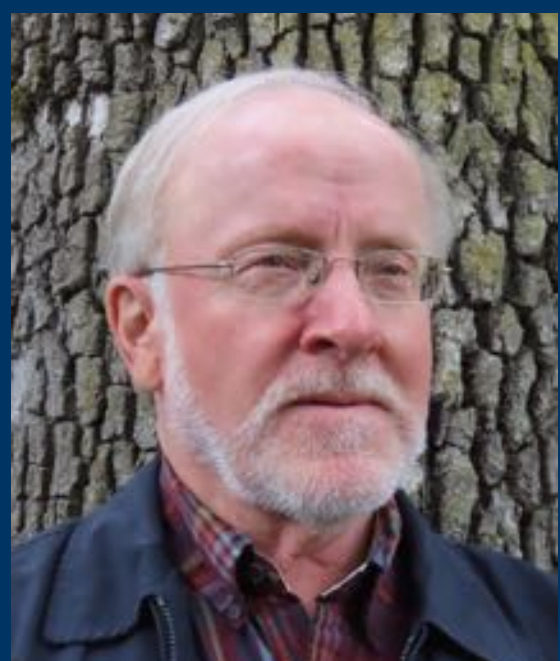
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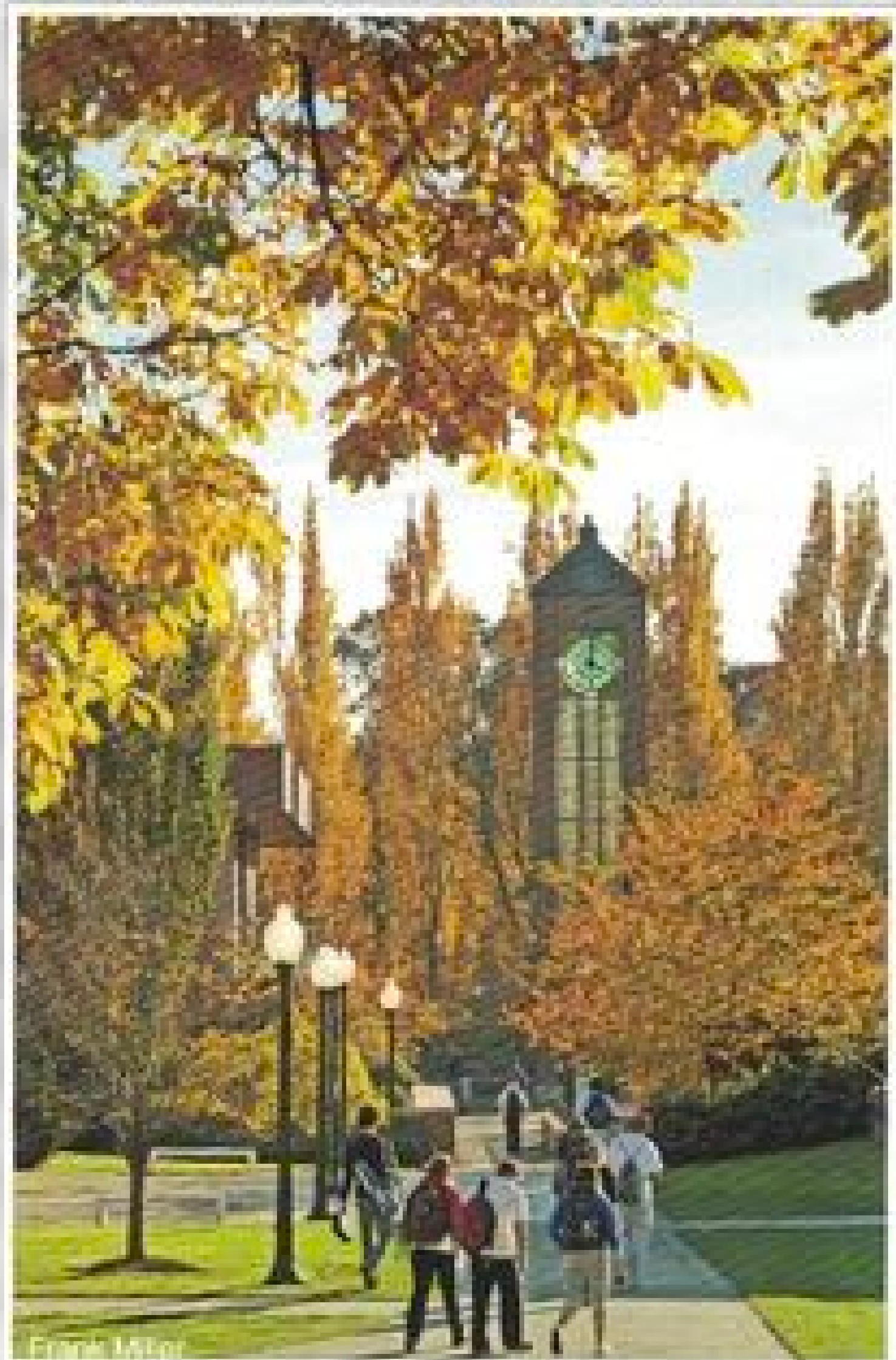
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**2022 and  
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