



Institute for Continued Learning Digest

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This week's class schedule:

	Date	Start	End	Presenter	Representing	Title	Place
Tuesday	4/18/2023	10:00 AM	12:00 PM	Yan Liang	Willamette University	Economic Inequality: The Defining Challenge of our Time	Kaneko
Tuesday	4/18/2023	1:00 PM	3:00 PM	Diane Baxter	Outside	Piano Stories I Have Known	Cone Chapel
Thursday	4/20/2023	10:00 AM	11:00 AM	Kay Gerard	WUICL	Great Decisions, Video Presentation: Politics in Latin America	Kaneko
Thursday	4/20/2023	11:00 AM	12:00 PM	Matthew Mahoney	Willamette University	Matthew Mythology: Stories from an Autistic Art Historian	Kaneko
Thursday	4/20/2023	1:00 PM	3:00 PM	Lee Jacobson, Margaret Plumb, Anne Shams, Diane Trevett, Deborah Unger, Carolyn Johnson-Bell	Outside	Lunaria Gallery Group	Kaneko

More about our Presenters for this week: Tuesday - April 18

- **Economic Inequality: The Defining Challenge of Our Time**, Yan Liang - Professor Yan Liang specializes in post-Keynesian-Institutionalist approach to international trade and finance, financial macroeconomics and economic development (with a regional focus on China). She has published articles in International Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Economic Issues.
- **Piano Stories I Have Known** - Diane Baxter - Dr. Diane Baxter will describe cases of performance anxiety from her work in the Scottish Highlands and in France. She will also perform some solo piano works. **NOTE: This presentation will be in Cone Chapel.**

Thursday, April 20

- **Great Decisions: Politics in Latin America** - Kay Gerard.
- **Matthew Mythology: Stories from an Autistic Art Historian** - Matthew Mahoney, a Hanni Scholar. (Rescheduled from last week)
- **Lunaria Gallery Group** - Six Lunaria Gallery Artists Talk About Their Art Practice, and the Workings of an Artists' Cooperative Gallery.

- **Curriculum Committee Meeting: Thursday, April 20th at 3:00 PM in Kaneko Auditorium.** CC meetings are open to all members.
- **ICL Happy Hour: Friday, April 14, 2023 at 4:30 PM via [Zoom](#)**
- **ICL Spring Luncheon:** Reservations being taken now until **April 20** for members, spouses, and significant others - **\$17** by check made out to: "ICL WU" and given to **Dee Iltis**.

Reminder: The deadline for paying tuition for next year (2023-2024) is the last day of class on **April 27, 2023**. Please make checks payable to: **ICL-WU** in the amount of **\$165.00**. Please include your **student ID number** (found on your Compass Cards) on the check in the note field. Give the checks to Vernelle Judy or Don Beckman in class - or mail them (addresses are in the Membership Directory).

Board Meeting Highlights (April 10th):

- **Save the date! ICL Summer picnic** will be Thursday, **August 31, 2023** at Minto Brown Island.
- ICL will donate \$1500 to Willamette's **Jerry E. Hudson Endowed Book Fund** which provides financial assistance to students who are unable to purchase required textbooks due to financial hardship.
- The board also voted to donate \$1500 to the [Willamette Academy](#), an organization that strives to help educate, inspire, and empower students from historically underrepresented communities who have the desire to advance to and achieve higher education.
- **Next board meeting: May 15th** at 1:00 PM on [Zoom](#). Board meetings are open to all members..

Spotlight: Member, **Tom Ellis** has a monthly radio program on **KMUZ** Radio (FM 88.5 and 100.7) called "**Elephant in the Room**". The programs are on the first Tuesday of each month at 8:00 AM. The following is an example from the [April 4th interview with two young climate activists](#):

Chemeketa Cellars/Northwest Wine Studies Center (follow-up to 4/11/2023 presentation):

215 Doaks Ferry Road NW, Salem OR 97304

Tasting Room Hours: Thursday: 3-7 pm | Friday: 3-7 pm | Saturday: 12-5 pm