

UPCOMING

Class Schedule

at The Study

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER 2026



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CLASS

Peacebuilding Starts at Home

Wednesdays | 6:30–8:00 PM CT | On Zoom | 6 sessions

With Dr. Chip Hauss. Cutting-edge approaches to peacebuilding in the U.S.—and how you and the people around you can help make it happen at home.

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CLASS

When Science Meets Religion: Friend or Foe?

Mondays | 6:00–8:00 PM CT | On Zoom | 4 sessions

With Dr. Ernest Simmons. How religion and science interact—from conflict to cooperation—across astronomy, quantum physics, evolution, and human nature.

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CLASS

250 Years of the Great American Story

Thursdays | 6:00–7:30 PM CT | On Zoom | 11 sessions

With Dr. Kevin Walker. The people, events, and ideas of American political history, and what they teach us about wise, responsible citizenship today.

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CLASS

Flash Fiction: Writing in Four Easy Steps

Mondays | 6:00–7:30 PM CT | On Zoom | 4 sessions

With Dr. Bill Macauley. A four-week workshop in flash fiction—stories of 1,000 words or fewer—whose craft sharpens writing in nearly any genre.

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CLASS

What the Imagination Knows

Sundays | 1:00–2:00 PM CT | On Zoom | 4 sessions

With Cassie Fielding. Slow readings of a few chosen poems as a way of knowing—attention, grief, beauty, being alive. No poetry background needed.

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CLASS

Humanities-Informed Business Writing

Tuesdays | 6:00–7:00 PM CT | On Zoom | 4 sessions

With Dr. Bill Macauley. Lenses from writing and literature to help workplace communicators make informed, successful decisions about their writing.

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CLASS

1776: NOT the Musical!

Thursdays | 6:00–7:30 PM CT | On Zoom | 4 sessions

With Dr. Ty M. Reese. Using McCullough's 1776 to trace the Revolution—from the American Crisis and the Declaration to the pivotal first year of war.

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CLASS

The Victorian Era in 10 Poems

Tuesdays | 7:00–8:30 PM CT | On Zoom | 6 sessions

With Dr. Sarah Faulkner. Ten poems as a window on 1840–1900 Britain—child labor, human rights, nature, religion, and an era of rapid change.

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CLASS

Defining Moments in Presidential Leadership

Thursdays | 6:30–8:00 PM CT | On Zoom | 5 sessions

With Rick Collin. Bold presidential decisions from Washington to Reagan—how they were received then, viewed now, and what they reveal about leadership.

Room for thought. Room for you.

Our classes are scholar-led, discussion-based, and designed for curious adult learners. There are no tests or grades — just good company, thoughtful conversation, and big ideas. Every course is offered virtually, so you can join from wherever you are. Register for a single class or follow the full series. Classes are recorded and shared only with registered participants, so it's easy to catch up if you miss a session.



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