Learning Programs for Retired Persons

Description:

There are programs offered throughout Connecticut that give retired persons the opportunity to participate in learning and educational activities. Many of these programs are housed at higher education institutions such as universities, State Colleges and Community Technical Colleges. These programs offer diverse courses, seminars and educational trips. The cost to participate in these programs varies but is generally considered affordable. Some programs are affiliated with the Elderhostel Institute Network, they are called Lifelong Learning Institutes. Others are independently operated. Qualified persons may receive help with the tuition costs associated with attending programs that are affiliated with Elderhostel.

Eligibility Requirements, Service Areas and Program Year:

Eligibility Requirements:
- Typically, must be retired or semi-retired.

Service Areas:
Statewide

Program Year:
N/A

Contact Information:

For programs that are not affiliated with the Elderhostel Institute Network contact the local higher education institution which sponsors the program for which you are interested. The Center for Learning in Retirement is such an institution, for additional information call:

Center for Learning in Retirement (CLIR)
University of Connecticut
Center for Continuing Studies
1 Bishop Circle, Unit 4056
Storrs, CT 06269
Telephone: 860-486-6354
Fax: 860-486-5221
Website: www.continuingstudies.uconn.edu
For additional information regarding specific Lifelong Learning Institutes, which are associated with the Elderhostel Institute Network contact the specific program listed below:

Adventures in Lifelong Learning (ALL)  
Three Rivers Community College  
Mohegan Sun Campus  
Mahan Drive  
Norwich, CT 06360  
Telephone: 860-383-5260  
Fax: 860-892-5753  
Email: ehfrank@snet.net

Institute for Learning in Retirement  
Middlebrook Farms at Trumbull/Sacred Heart University  
2750 Reservoir Avenue  
Trumbull, CT 06611  
Telephone: 203-268-2400  
Fax: 203-268-7034  
Email: cshea@benchquality.com

Institute for Learning in Retirement  
Albertus Magnus College  
801 Grassy Hill Road  
Orange, CT 06477  
Telephone: 800-220-0458  
Email: ilralbertus@yahoo.com  
Website: www.ilralbertus.org

Institute for Learning in Retirement  
Sacred Heart University  
Jewish Center for Community Services  
4200 Park Avenue  
Bridgeport, CT 06604  
Telephone: 203-372-6567  
Fax: 203-374-0770  
Email: lauriegross@jccs.org

Learning in Retirement  
Sacred Heart University at Stamford  
12 Omega Drive  
Stamford, CT 06907  
Telephone: 203-358-8081  
Fax: 203-323-4974  
Email: ralangen@aol.com

Learning in Retirement at QVCC  
Quinebaug Valley Community College  
742 Upper Maple Street  
Danielson, CT 06239  
Telephone: 860-774-1133  
Email: cpl@qvcc.commnet.edu  
Website: www.qvcc.commnet.edu

Lifelong Learners  
Sacred Heart University  
Fairfield Senior Center  
100 Mona Terrace  
Fairfield, CT 06430  
Telephone: 203-256-3166  
Fax: 203-254-7530  
Email: cgrace@town.fairfield.ct.us

Lifetime Learners Institute  
Norwalk Community College  
188 Richards Avenue  
Norwalk, CT 06854  
Telephone: 203-857-3330  
Email: info@lifetimelearners.org  
Website: www.lifetimelearners.org

Middlesex Institute for Lifelong Education  
Middlesex Community College  
100 Training Hill Road  
Middletown, CT 06457  
Telephone: 860-343-5863  
Email: rmcn0408@aol.com
The Adult Learning Program (ALP)
University of Connecticut
85 Lawler Road
West Hartford, CT 06117
Telephone: 860-570-9079
Email: alp@uconn.edu
Website: www.uconnalp.org

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