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ENROLL TODAY JANUARY – MAY 2024
FITNESS AND WELLNESS CLASSES
IN THE HEALTH AND RECREATION CENTER
– BUILDING M

Through a partnership with Palatine Park District, fitness and wellness classes will now be offered through the Community Education Department in Building M. The Foglia Foundation Health and Recreation Center was fully renovated in 2018 and features excellent facilities and programming.

A sample of the classes to be offered includes:

- Dance
- Self Defense
- Yoga
- Martial Arts

Learn more on p. 28

LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE OPEN HOUSE
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM
WHERE: WOJCIK CONFERENCE CENTER
PARKING: LOT 14

Join us at our Lifelong Learning Institute Open House for a showcase of what you can expect from our spring class schedule. This year’s theme is “Open a New Mental Stimulating Door in 2024.” Discover what LLI courses offer this spring and giveaways including:

1. Instructor will present a synopsis of their classes.
2. Beverages, Food, and Raffle Prizes
3. LLI Membership Discounts
4. Free Class Give Aways
5. Free Massage from Harper’s Massage Therapy Clinic

RSVP for event at harpercollege.edu/lli

IN ZONE
ON-CAMPUS
SUMMER CAMPS
FOR AGES 6-14, JUNE 3 – AUGUST 9

Provide your children with a summer of adventure and learning on our campus. Avoid summer boredom with over 150 different courses in sports, art, cooking, music, design, and technology. Flexible and full of options, our courses can be taken individually or full day with before and after care options. Get started and plan your summer by visiting harpercollege.edu/inzone.
Top 10 Most Popular Courses

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Oil and Acrylic Painting: Beginning
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Visit CE.HARPERCOLLEGE.EDU for latest course information.
Letter to Our Community

As we consider what opportunities our upcoming fall semester provides, I’d like to reflect upon a success story from one of our long-term Community Education writing students. As you probably realize, becoming an author can be difficult business. So, we are always happy when our students get published.

Student Kate Guerrero is the winner of the 2023 Soon To Be Famous Illinois Author Manuscript Project contest for her novel Burn and Balm. Kate has taught middle and high school English and dabbled in fiction, but during the pandemic she decided to begin a novel. To get started, Kate took a couple of Community Education classes and began getting words on paper. Having an instructor to hold her accountable and fellow students to support each other helped to keep her writing on track.

In an article announcing her contest win, Instructor Laura Ehrke said, “You feel this incredible creative energy generated during class. Ideas are sparked for both the student’s own manuscript and for their cohort’s works. Writing is such a solitary road and it’s easy to veer off course, so this engagement keeps you committed to your projects.”

Writers often tell you that being part of a community of writers is the greatest motivation, and Kate has found that at Harper College. She said she would have never finished the manuscript without check-ins during classes, feedback from her fellow authors and support from her instructor.

Maybe you are an aspiring writer, or maybe you’re interested in pursuing other interests such as playing an instrument, painting or learning another language. Or, perhaps you want to give your career a boost by learning a new skill or becoming more proficient in an area critical to your work. This catalog is full of opportunities, and I encourage you to sit down with it for a while and enroll in something that will help fulfill you.

Finally, one last thought from Kate, “These courses are just a really great way to get a boost and have support.” We hope to see you in our classes in the spring.

Dr. Avis Proctor
President, Harper College
Learning Options to Fit Your Life

**Live Online Classes**
These are classes where an online meeting is being used like an in-person classroom. Days and times for the meetings are specified, with online lectures being used as the primary way in which course content is being presented. These classes will either utilize Webex or Blackboard (with Blackboard Collaborate Ultra for class meetings). Information on your virtual classroom will come directly from your instructor via email.

**Self-Paced Online Classes**
In these classes, content (lectures, readings, videos, etc.) is placed on a protected website (Blackboard, in most instances). Some self-paced classes may have occasional class meetings, though meetings are not the primary way in which content is being presented to you. Self-paced classes will have active instructor participation and deadlines even without live meetings. You will receive instructions for accessing the class materials prior to the start of classes via email.

**In-Person Classes**
These classes meet in-person at the designated campus or offsite location. The room number and most up-to-date information is available on the course page at ce.harpercollege.edu. For information on prevention and resources related to COVID-19, please visit harpercollege.edu/advisory.

**Blended Classes**
Blended classes use a combination of in-person and online meetings. Information on the class structure will come directly from the instructor.
Digital Badges

Harper College Community Education is committed to providing you with the tools you need to reach your professional goals. One of the most exciting trends in career training these days is the digital badge movement.

Now, certain courses and training programs will earn a digital badge that you can proudly display in your resume, in an email to a potential employer, or in your social media profiles on LinkedIn, Facebook and elsewhere.

Learn more and start earning your next badge today! ce.harpercollege.edu, “Earn a Credential”

Business and Careers
Accounting and Finance for Non-Financial Managers (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Bookkeeping (ONLINE Self-Paced)
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Digital Marketing (ONLINE Self-Paced)
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Management (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Management Essentials (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Online QuickBooks (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Project Management (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Project Management Specialist (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Six Sigma Green Belt (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Statistics for Decision Making (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Supervisory and Leadership (ONLINE Self-Paced)

Fitness, Health & Wellness
Food, Nutrition and Health (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Nutrition, Chronic Disease and Health Promotion (ONLINE Self-Paced)

Music & Arts
Business Writing (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Effective Grammar (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Sound Recording (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Writing (ONLINE Self-Paced)

Personal Interests
Conversational Spanish

Computers and Technology
Basic Game (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Data Analysis (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Data Analysis and Visualization with Microsoft Excel (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Mastering Computer Skills in the Workplace (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Excel (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Graphic Design Software Essentials (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Interactive Website Design (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Microsoft Office Administrator (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Microsoft Office: Excel 2019 (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Microsoft Office: Excel 2019 Pivot Tables (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Microsoft Office: Word 2019 (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Microsoft Office Specialist: Access (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Microsoft Office Specialist: Excel (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Microsoft Office Specialist: Word (ONLINE Self-Paced)
Power BI (Business Intelligence) (ONLINE Self-Paced)
SQL (ONLINE Self-Paced)
WordPress (ONLINE Self-Paced)

Advance Your Career
Digital badges show your employer or industry your dedication to advancing your professional skillset. These badges help you stand out from the rest with a visual representation of your accomplishment provided by Harper College Community Education.

Use your digital badge to:
• Boost Your Resume
• Display in Your Email Signature
• Post on Your LinkedIn Page
• Share with Your Employer

Note: The courses required for any given badge may not be scheduled every term.
Business & Careers

Advance your career, build your business or start a new career. Our courses and digital badges provide you the tools for success.

WHAT’S NEW
• The Basics of Bookkeeping

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Accounting, Bookkeeping and Finance

Basic Business Math
Gain the essential needs in Math with a business approach. Covers whole numbers, fractions, decimals, percentages, simple equations, and percentage formulas with examples of commissions, markups and markdowns, discounts, sales tax, simple and compound interest, and installment loans. Practice with bar, line and circle graphs, and follow with just a touch of statistics: averages, medians, modes, and more.

LBS0084-009 Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 01/22/24-01/24/24 MO WE 5:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Javier Zaragoza
TUITION & FEE: $175.00

LBS0084-010 Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 04/08/24-04/10/24 MO WE 5:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Javier Zaragoza
TUITION & FEE: $175.00

The Basics of Bookkeeping
How do you keep track of the day-to-day financial transactions of a business? Whether you are looking to advance in your career, or you’re an entrepreneur, (or maybe you are a part of a family business), this course will help you if you are looking to understand the numbers.

The Basics of Bookkeeping course will help you understand, and know how to record, every penny that comes into your business and every penny that goes out of your business. This course shows you how to create a chart of accounts that meet your needs. All of the money you spend, and all of the money you earn, have a place to go. How do your record them? What are debits and credits? What do the numbers mean? How do I label accounts? Even if you outsource your bookkeeping needs, you should still have a basic understand of what happens with the money earned and the money spent. No one should be blind to their finances!

LRN0004-024 Harper Learning & Career Center, 60110/24-03/01/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Online Self-Paced Digital Badge in Accounting and Finance for Non-Financial Managers

Every successful manager uses financial information to make effective decisions. Accounting and Finance for Non-Financial Managers explains the financial concepts and accounting principles used in most businesses and provides practical techniques for increasing your organization’s effectiveness. You will gain a better understanding of resource allocation and how to evaluate financial performance at the strategic and operational levels. Learn the importance of cash flow management as well as budgeting, goal setting, and performance assessment.

This Online Digital Badge requires completion of three courses: Accounting and Finance for Non-Financial Managers; Cash is King and Financial Analysis and Planning for Non-Financial Managers. Three one-month online courses. These courses may be taken individually.

LRN0023-020 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-03/12/24
TUITION & FEE: $495.00

Accounting and Finance for Non-Financial Managers

Every successful person in the workplace utilizes financial information to aid effective decision making. Learn the financial concepts and accounting processes used in most businesses. Focus on practical techniques that will increase your effectiveness and career, such as understanding the seven steps in the accounting cycle and using financial information in decision making. Come away with the knowledge to analyze resource allocation and evaluate financial performance.

LRN0004-024 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-03/12/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

I found the course material and course facilitator very helpful and insightful. I would recommend this course to a friend looking to get a solid handle on Accounting and Finance. Thank you for offering this course and having such an engaged teacher on board to instruct it! S.G.
Accounting - Cash is King

Cash management is one of the most important factors in the financial success of your business. D&B reports that 90% of all small business failures are due to poor cash management and inadequate cash flow, leading to more money getting paid out than collected. Non-financial managers usually make the key differences in day-to-day cash flow decision making. Learn how to optimize cash flow, uncover hidden internal and external sources of cash, and how to cultivate solid cash management in your company.

LRFN0024-024 ONLINE-Self Paced
03/04/24-03/28/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Online Self-Paced Bookkeeping Digital Badge

Online Self-Paced Bookkeeping Digital Badge will provide you with the knowledge needed to measure and manage the financial health of your business. This program focuses on cash basis accounting. No one will care more about the financial health of your business than you! Even if you plan to outsource your bookkeeping, you should still understand how the process works.

This digital badge requires the completion of three courses: Understanding Debits and Credits, General Ledger and Month End Procedures, Closing Procedures and Financial Statements. These courses may also be taken individually.

LRFN0176-010 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-04/26/24
TUITION & FEE: $495.00

General Ledger and Month End Procedures

In this course, you will learn how to post journal entries to the correct general ledger accounts impacted by each transaction. This course will show you how to make sure your general ledger balances at the end of each month by preparing an unadjusted trial balance. You will learn how to look for errors when you don’t balance, and how to determine to correct entries. After posting correcting entries and/or adjusting entries, you will verify debits and credits equal with an adjusted trial balance. This course also goes through the steps of performing monthly bank reconciliations.

LRFN0178-011 ONLINE-Self Paced
03/04/24-03/29/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Closing Procedures and Financial Statements

This course shows you how to create a worksheet used to account the balances and prepare the financial statements. Use your financial statements to measure performance, make improvements and set goals. The final step covered in this course is closing your books and preparing them for the next accounting period; this is done by journalizing and posting closing entries.

LRFN0179-010 ONLINE-Self Paced
04/01/24-04/26/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Online Self-Paced QuickBooks Digital Badge

Whether you are an entrepreneur, running a family business, or just looking to add to your skill set, this Bookkeeping Digital Badge will provide you with the knowledge needed to measure and manage the financial health of your business.

This Digital Badge requires completion of three one-month online self-paced courses. You may register for the Digital Badge, which includes all three courses, or take the courses separately:

• LRFN0176: Bookkeeping Digital Badge
• LRFN0177: Understanding Debits and Credits
• LRFN0178: General Ledger and Month End Procedures
• LRFN0179: Closing Procedures and Financial Statements

Online Self-Paced QuickBooks Online

Save time, track money, and get important insights with QuickBooks Online. The leading online accounting platform, it is the preferred choice for small business managers, owners, bookkeepers and accounting professionals. Get a comprehensive understanding of QuickBooks Online. Then learn how to work with more advanced topics.

This digital badge requires the completion of two courses: QuickBooks Online Level 1 and QuickBooks Online Level 2.

LRFN0204-005 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-03/29/24
TUITION & FEE: $395.00

Understanding Debits and Credits

In this course, you will learn about the accounting equation and the five categories involved in every business (Assets, Liabilities, Owner’s Equity, Revenue and Expenses). Every financial transaction falls into one or more of these categories. Learn how to create a chart of accounts that meet the needs of your business. You will learn how double entry bookkeeping works and the process of recording debits and credits. This course will show you how to identify, analyze and record transactions using journal entries under the cash basis accounting method.

LRFN0177-011 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-03/01/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

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ONLINE REGISTRATION ASSISTANCE 847.925.6300
### Building Inspection and HVAC

**Residential Building Inspector (B1) (Municipal Government)**

This 10-week course, on the 2018 International Residential Code - Building chapters featuring the use and application of basic building planning requirements for wall, floor, ceiling, roof framing, and materials in one and two-family dwellings. The instructor will identify and discuss code requirements for soils, footing and foundations, light and ventilation, ceiling height, minimum room sizes, emergency escape and rescue opening requirements and well as smoke detectors, and carbon monoxide detectors.

**Residential Electrical Inspector (E1) and Electrician Class**

This 12-week course, will introduce students to the fundamental code requirements for proper installation of electrical systems in residential buildings. This test preparation class will provide students with a firm foundation of electrical equipment, materials and installation techniques that will assist the student in gaining the knowledge necessary to take the Residential Electrical Inspector Certification Exam offered by the International Code Council (ICC). The instructor will identify and discuss general requirements of installations, services, bonding and grounding, wiring methods, swimming pools and more.

### Aviation

**Aviation Ground School**

Are you interested in becoming a professional or recreational airplane pilot? This aviation class will allow students to learn about aerodynamics, weight and balance, aviation weather, regulations, and human factors at the Harper College Campus. Further exploration will take place on field trips to DuPage Airport where students will sit in aircraft to learn about aircraft systems and flight controls, visit the control tower to see how ATC works then fly flight simulators. This is a practical class that can be used for FAA 141 credit or just an exciting life experience. This class may be eligible for credit through the Illinois Aviation Academy. Successful completion of the class will prepare you for your FAA Private Pilot Written Exam.

### Business

**Communication and Conflict Resolution**

**Effective Business Writing**

Businesses increasingly rely on technology, technological skills alone do not guarantee success in the workplace. You must still develop your ideas, express them clearly, and persuade others of their viability. This course offers effective strategies to sharpen your writing skills by structuring your ideas logically, exercising diplomacy in letters and reports, and shaping your arguments. In contemporary business environments, information overload makes it necessary for you to communicate clearly and concisely. Trying to make sense of a disorganized email message can be frustrating given the number of emails you have to answer daily. By analyzing your audience, organizing your writing, and employing effective persuasive techniques, your writing will make an impact.

**Resilience and Recovery**

Businesses are faced with unexpected challenges and must develop strategies to recover and adapt to those changes. This course will provide students with the knowledge and skills to identify potential risks and develop strategies to mitigate those risks. The instructor will lead interactive activities that will allow you to practice these skills in a safe and supportive environment.

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**TUITION & FEE:** $115.00

**Instructor:** Will Detmer

**Registration:** Self-Paced

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**TUITION & FEE:** $160.00

**Instructor:** Jose V

**Registration:** Online Self Paced

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**TUITION & FEE:** $250.00

**Instructor:** Angela D Valentine

**Registration:** In-Person
Grammar Essentials
Refresh and refine your grammar usage for your professional life. Learn to state ideas clearly and concisely in written communications and present yourself in a professional manner. In this course, you will review the rules of grammar, identify common grammar errors, and refine your business writing style. Improving your grammar will help you deliver polished and professional written communications. Correct grammar and a refined, concise writing style can help you clearly express your ideas to others, streamline the directions and instructions that you deliver, and create impressive presentations and reports. This course is intended for working professionals in various job roles, both native and non-native English speakers, who use formal and informal written communications in the course of business, and who seek to improve their grammar usage.

LBS0085-009 Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 03/13/24-03/20/24 WE 5:30 pm-8:30 pm Instructor: Javier Zaragoza TUITION & FEE: $175.00

Effective Interpersonal Communication for Business Professionals
Enhance your communication skills to interact more effectively with superiors, colleagues, team members, customers, and vendors. Effective communication improves overall job performance and success at the workplace. Learn how to engage in productive meetings, communicate through conflict, and interact appropriately with your peers.

LBS0098-003 Harper Main Campus 04/23/24-04/25/24 TU TH 1:30 pm-4:30 pm Instructor: Angela D Valentine TUITION & FEE: $250.00

Power Your Online Job Search
This course teaches students how to manage the main tasks of an online job search. Learn how to keep track of jobs and to manage the application process using a spreadsheet, explore strategies to use Google Search to find open positions, learn the basic strategies and tips for online interviewing and more.

LGP0017-006 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/23/24 TU 10:00 am-11:00 am Instructor: Angela D Valentine TUITION & FEE: $25.00
LGP0017-007 ONLINE-Live Meetings 04/16/24 TU 10:00 am-11:00 am Instructor: Angela D Valentine TUITION & FEE: $25.00

Resume Writing Strategies
This course provides students with the tools needed to design a targeted resume to use when applying for positions in today’s job market. Learn how to create and save your resume in cloud-based platforms so they can be accessed anytime from any device with a wifi connection. Learn the strategies to make your resume stand out and speak specifically to the targeted position. Includes cover letter and follow-up strategies. Topic will cover how to save resumes in different forms such as Microsoft Word, Google Docs and PDF formats.

LGP0016-006 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/18/24 TH 10:00 am-11:00 am Instructor: Angela D Valentine TUITION & FEE: $25.00
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Career Readiness
Digital Skills for Job Seekers
This course provides students with an introduction to basic digital skills needed for today’s workforce. Includes an overview of operating systems, cloud-based word processing, spreadsheets, presentation applications, collaboration and remote work basics and online job seeking strategies.

LGP0015-007 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/16/24 TU 10:00 am-11:00 am Instructor: Angela D Valentine TUITION & FEE: $25.00
LGP0015-008 ONLINE-Live Meetings 04/09/24 TU 10:00 am-11:00 am Instructor: Angela D Valentine TUITION & FEE: $25.00

Customer Service
Online Self-Paced Customer Service Digital Badge
Good customer service is essential for all businesses and work organizations. With the increase in technology, human interaction with customers becomes more important. Learn to improve your customer service skills to enhance your career skill set, improve productivity, and increase your success.

This Digital Badge (LRN0056) requires completion of two courses:
• Keys to Customer Service (LRN0059)
• Extraordinary Customer Service (LRN0057)

Keys to Customer Service
Learning to build your customer service skills will have a powerful impact on your career success as well as other areas of your life. Discover the direct relationship between service skills and career achievement to become an exceptional service provider. You can help your organization and your career by translating your good service intentions into a workable plan and gain knowledge of ways to consistently deliver great service. The payoff is enormous.

LRN0058-023 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-03/01/24 TUITION & FEE: $145.00

I enjoyed this class. I liked the variety of learning methods used (videos, readings and discussions), S.P.
What is DEI?
Understanding diversity, equity, and inclusion is critical to the professional success of any individual or team. This Unit will differentiate diversity, equity, inclusion, and justice. In addition, we will discuss how these phenomena show up in the workplace and impact our interactions with others. Students will be able to define and describe various challenges related to diversity, equity, and inclusion.

LRL0212-002 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-03/1/24 TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Inclusive Communication
Respectable communication in the workplace encourages a cohesive collaborative environment, prevents inefficiencies, and ensures the right information gets to the right person at the right time. This unit will explore how communication differs across cultures. In addition, students will come to understand how communication can impact relationships with others in both positive and negative ways.

LRL0213-002 ONLINE-Self Paced 03/04/24-03/29/24 TUITION & FEE: $195.00

DEI and Organizational Success
Diverse organizations are found to be more creative, more productive, have higher levels of employee engagement, and experience lower rates of attrition. Diversity is also shown to return higher profits. This unit will guide students in an understanding of why diversity, equity, and inclusion are important to organizational success. Students will learn to appreciate and work effectively with diverse groups, confront unconscious biases that hinder workplace inclusion, and identify essential factors that contribute to an inclusive workplace environment.

LRL0214-002 ONLINE-Self Paced 04/01/24-04/26/24 TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Online Self-Paced Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in the Workplace Digital Badge
This Digital Badge focuses on improving cultural competence and encourages continuous learning. Students will gain a better understanding of DEI.

LRN0211-002 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-04/29/24 TUITION & FEE: $495.00
Start and Operate Your Own Home Based Business

Starting a Consulting Practice

Google for Educators

Google for Professionals

Google Professional

Start Your Own Small Business

Starting a Consulting Practice

This course is designed to help you set up a consulting practice. You will learn the complete process of starting and operating a consulting practice.

You will learn about surveys and assessments, the business start up process, including issues such as licensing and legalities. You will then develop a complete business plan for your consulting firm that details finances, pricing policies, contracting, and marketing. The course concludes with a discussion of record keeping and tax concerns. The course will keep you updated by citing resources such as books, periodicals, and organizations designed to help small businesses.

Google Career Certificates

Harper College has been awarded the opportunity to participate in Google’s Career Certificates program which consists of available scholarships for the online/self-study program. Learning content will be available through Coursera until December 2024. After that date, each certificate will carry a $250 cost.

Pre-requisites: Whether you’re completely new to the field or have had some exposure, a Google Career Certificate is the right program for you.

Understanding Your Google Account

Unlock the full potential of your free Google account! Discover the ins and outs of setting up and efficiently using Gmail, Google Drive, Docs, Sheets, Slides, Calendar, and more. This online introductory course equips you with essential digital skills for everyday life and personal productivity. Taught by a Google Certified Trainer. Must have your own Gmail account and password to attend.
Healthcare

Healthcare Provider CPR
This is the initial American Heart Association (AHA) Healthcare Providers CPR class. Learn about cardiovascular health and risk factors for heart disease. Practice techniques for choking victims, rescue breathing, CPR, and the use of an AED. Participants must demonstrate CPR and AED competencies for adult, child, and infant victims and pass written exam. Intended for any healthcare worker or student preparing to work in a hospital or clinical setting. Participants who pass will receive an AHA Healthcare Providers CPR card that is valid for two years.

LCP0002-190 Harper Main Campus 02/20/24 TU 5:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: William Cannone TUITION & FEE: $95.00

LCP0002-191 Harper Main Campus 03/12/24 TU 5:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: William Cannone TUITION & FEE: $95.00

LCP0002-194 Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 03/19/24 TU 8:30 am-12:30 pm Instructor: William Cannone TUITION & FEE: $95.00

Healthcare Provider CPR Renewal
Renew your CPR certification in this American Heart Association (AHA) BLS for Healthcare Providers Renewal course. You will review cardiovascular health; basic life support techniques for choking victims; rescue breathing; CPR; and the use of an AED. Participants must demonstrate CPR and AED competencies for adult, child, and infant victims and pass a written exam. Prerequisite: Bring your current AHA BLS for Healthcare Providers card to class.

LCP0001-055 Harper Main Campus 02/06/24 TU 5:00 pm-8:00 pm Instructor: William Cannone TUITION & FEE: $75.00

LCP0001-056 Harper Main Campus 03/09/24 SA 5:00 pm-8:00 pm Instructor: William Cannone TUITION & FEE: $75.00

Mental Health First Aid
Teaches how to identify, understand and respond to signs of mental illness and substance abuse disorders. Provides the skills needed to provide initial support to an individual who may be developing a mental health or a substance problem and help connect them to the appropriate care. This course is intended for Employers, Police Officers, Hospital Staff, First Responders, Faith Leaders, Community Members and Caring Individuals. The program is offered in partnership with Linden Oaks Behavioral Health group and is taught by a certified Mental Health First Aid Instructor. Special note: Participants will complete a 2-hour, self-paced online course prior to the In-Person Instructor led class. Registration will close 2-week prior to the start date of the course so it is suggested to register in advance to ensure that you have a seat in the class. There will be no exceptions for late registrations.

LAH0017-003 Harper Main Campus 02/06/24 TU 9:00 am-3:30 pm TUITION & FEE: $90.00

NLN Pre-Entrance Exam Preparation
Prepare for the National League of Nursing (NLN) pre-entrance exam (PAX) in this review course. The NLN PAX exam is required for students seeking admission to most Health Care programs at Harper College. Taught by content experts from Sylvan Learning Centers, who will review the verbal, math, and science sections of the exam, as well as test taking strategies.

LAH0004-038 ONLINE-Self Paced 01/18/24-02/06/24 TU TH 6:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Ken Frysztak TUITION & FEE: $249.00

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LAH0004-040 ONLINE-Self Paced 04/16/24-05/07/24 TU TH 6:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Ken Frysztak TUITION & FEE: $249.00

Management

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LRN0063-021 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-04/26/24 TUITION & FEE: $595.00

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LRN0064-024 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-03/01/24 TUITION & FEE: $295.00

Remote Work Basics
Be effective when working remotely. Learn how to work, communicate remotely and collaborate with remote teams. Google Meet, Zoom, Webex, and Microsoft Teams will be covered.

LBS0057-012 Harper Main Campus 03/19/24 TU 1:30 pm-4:30 pm Instructor: Angela D Valentine TUITION & FEE: $75.00

Human Resources

Mental Health First Aid
Teaches how to identify, understand and respond to signs of mental illness and substance abuse disorders. Provides the skills needed to provide initial support to an individual who may be developing a mental health or a substance problem and help connect them to the appropriate care. This course is intended for Employers, Police Officers, Hospital Staff, First Responders, Faith Leaders, Community Members and Caring Individuals. The program is offered in partnership with Linden Oaks Behavioral Health group and is taught by a certified Mental Health First Aid Instructor. Special note: Participants will complete a 2-hour, self-paced online course prior to the In-Person Instructor led class. Registration will close 2-week prior to the start date of the course so it is suggested to register in advance to ensure that you have a seat in the class. There will be no exceptions for late registrations.

LAH0017-003 Harper Main Campus 02/06/24 TU 9:00 am-3:30 pm TUITION & FEE: $90.00

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Collaborative Management

Whether you manage or lead people, collaborative skills are essential to help harness the energy of groups and teams for maximum performance and productivity. Knowledge of collaborative skills will enable you to gain participation quickly, get input and buy-in for building consensus, and plan for cooperation to get crucial projects completed. This course will help you explore the principles of collaborative management and gain insight on how to expand your collaborative skills for success of your team or organization.

Managing Generations in the Workplace

Today, several distinct generations are represented in the workforce. Discover what motivates each generation at work, what messages and incentives they value, and how they prefer to communicate. Identify practical strategies to help you manage Boomers, Gen X’ers, and Gen Y’ers more effectively.

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- Management Boot Camp (LRN0064)
- Collaborative Management (LRN0001)
- Managing Generations in the Workplace (LRN0065)

Marketing

Online Self-Paced Digital Marketing Digital Badge

Get a great introduction to eMarketing, including improving email promotions, analyzing your web site traffic, doing search engine optimization, and how to successfully employ online advertising. Relevant for any type of organization, including businesses, non-profits, and agencies. No eMarketing experience or expertise is necessary. If you are already at an advanced level, your instructors can provide the latest most advanced information and answer your toughest questions.

Improving Email Promotions

Discover new ways to improve your email promotions, including when and what to email, and testing email copy. Learn how to analyze your email response rates, including getting the bench marks for open rates and click through rates. Acquire ways to improve your email promotion and responses for testing and tracking. This course is suitable for users of all levels.

Boosting Your Website Traffic

Acquire the basic skills to boost your web site traffic, including how to analyze your visitor traffic, how to use search engine optimization (SEO) to get greater visibility and exposure in Google searches. You will also learn from an SEO expert how to redesign your web site copy to increase your visitors and results. No experience necessary.

Social Media

Introduction to Social Media

In this rapidly evolving digital world, online networking connects individuals and businesses from around the globe. Social media provides real time social interactions, news and entertainment, research, marketing, brand development, customer service, and much more. In this course, we will explore top social media platforms including Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube, Twitter, and TikTok. Learn how your business can use social media to understand customer behavior, increase market reach, and convert site visitors into buyers. For beginner and experienced social media users.

Online Advertising

Get the keys to making online advertising work for you and your organization. See how pay-per-click advertising with Google AdWords works and find out how to test low budget Adword campaigns. Learn how you can target local audiences. Then discover Facebook advertising and how you can determine the demographics and even numbers of people you want to reach. No experience necessary. Instructor is an online ad expert and can answer advanced level questions.

This has been an AMAZING class! I have learned SO much about using social media to grow my business, and I have already started implementing many concepts that I acquired in the class. E.G.

Marketing Using Social Media

The benefits of social media make it an essential part of a business plan. Social Media Marketing has become more than running digital advertising campaigns; it allows your business to build a following of loyal customers through authentic posts and interactions creating excitement for your business as it grows. Each platform gives your business the tools to successfully build your brand, connect with your customers, and track analytics. This course will focus on Instagram, Facebook, TikTok, Pinterest, LinkedIn, Twitter, and Nextdoor.

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**Project Management**

**Introduction to Microsoft Project 2019**

Familiarize with the basic features and functions of Microsoft Project. Covers the critical knowledge and skills a project manager needs to create a project plan with in Microsoft Project during the planning phase of a project. This course will enable you to draft a project plan with Microsoft Project and fill in and organize the details to achieve your goals. Learn to build a new project, track progress and analyze costs. Explore methods of fine tuning and troubleshooting your project plan for best results. Prerequisite: Some experience and competency with Microsoft Office applications, particularly Word and Excel, will be useful. Finally, having a foundational knowledge of project management concepts will help prepare you for working with Microsoft Project.

LCT0007-020  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE 03/19/24-03/21/24  TU TH  6:00 pm-9:15 pm  Instructor: John F. Chiapetta

**TUITION & FEE:** $259.00

**Online Self-Paced Project Management Digital Badge**

Project management is one of the fastest paths to promotion by increasing your network through greater exposure. First gain the skills, tools and templates to confidently develop and maintain a project. An overview of salaries, certification costs, education and experience requirements are provided. Acquire a well-rounded knowledge of the five Project Management Processes relating to the Project Management Body of Knowledge Guide. Finally, learn the ten Project management Knowledge Areas and their support role and relationships to the five Project Management Processes.

LRN0077-022  ONLINE-Self Paced  02/05/24-02/25/24

**TUITION & FEE:** $495.00

**Introduction to Project Management**

In today’s business environment, there is a need for good project management. Project management provides visibility of project health to the business and the customer. Through continuous monitoring, early detection of variations to plan, schedule, and budget can be communicated to stakeholders for quick resolution, including project cancellation. Project management is one of the fastest paths to promotion by increasing your network through greater exposure. You will have the skills, tools and templates to confidently develop and maintain a project. An overview of salaries, certification costs, education and experience requirements are provided.

LRN0078-026  ONLINE-Self Paced  02/05/24-03/01/24

**TUITION & FEE:** $195.00

**Project Management Processes**

Acquire a well-rounded knowledge of the five Project Management Processes relating to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK) Guide. This basic information will assist you in learning the beginnings of Project Management, whether you are interested in project management, in a project management field, or in any line of work. Come away with a solid foundation of the five processes to learn and use when any type of project occurs in your employment arena.

LRN0079-026  ONLINE-Self Paced  03/04/24-03/29/24

**TUITION & FEE:** $195.00

**Project Management Knowledge Areas**

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LRN0080-023  ONLINE-Self Paced  04/01/24-04/26/24

**TUITION & FEE:** $195.00

**Six Sigma**

**Online Self-Paced Six Sigma Green Belt Digital Badge**

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This Digital Badge requires completion of three courses: Introduction, Intermediate and Advanced Six Sigma Green Belt. These courses may also be taken individually.

LRN0100-020  ONLINE-Self Paced  02/05/24-04/28/24

**TUITION & FEE:** $495.00

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**Instructor:** John F. Chiapetta

**Requirements are provided.**

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**TUITION & FEE:** $259.00

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- Project Management Processes (LRN0079)
- Project Management Knowledge Areas (LRN0080)

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LRN0077-026  ONLINE-Self Paced  02/05/24-02/25/24

**TUITION & FEE:** $259.00

**Introduction to Six Sigma Green Belt (LRN0101)**

**Intermediate Six Sigma Green Belt (LRN0102)**

**Advanced Six Sigma Green Belt (LRN0103)**

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LRN0100-020  ONLINE-Self Paced  02/05/24-04/28/24

**TUITION & FEE:** $495.00
Introduction to Six Sigma Green Belt

The Introduction to Six Sigma Green Belt course teaches critical skills required for Six Sigma practitioners. This first course explains the basic terms and proven Six Sigma problem-solving methods, team building tools, and descriptive statistics that are the basis for statistical tools that contribute to the success of improvement projects and to your organization. Topics covered include Lean Principles, Failure Mode Effects Analysis, Team Tools, Project Charters, and Basic Statistical Tools. The instructor uses the flipped classroom technique and expects participants to go beyond the classroom and use the internet and other resources to learn the material.

LRN0101-024 ONLINE-Self Paced
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Intermediate Six Sigma Green Belt

This Intermediate Six Sigma Green Belt course builds on the ideas and skills learned in the Introduction to Six Sigma Green Belt course. In this course, participants will learn process analysis, data collection and analysis, probability and valid statistical conclusions, and hypothesis testing. Many participants find this course to be the most challenging of the certification courses.

LRN0102-024 ONLINE-Self Paced
03/04/24-03/29/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Advanced Six Sigma Green Belt

Topics in this course include hypothesis testing, design of experiments, and statistical process control. Participants will have to apply the concepts learned in the Introduction and Intermediate Six Sigma Green Belt courses. The instructor will share many handouts, spreadsheets, and web links containing tools participants will use while completing Six Sigma projects.

LRN0103-022 ONLINE-Self Paced
04/01/24-04/26/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Manufacturing and Warehouse Essentials

Warehouses store goods and products until they are needed and, or ready for distribution. Warehousing allows for greater efficiencies and prevents goods from getting lost or stolen. Learn what distribution and warehousing practices and strategies exist within a global economy. Learn what companies do to create a competitive advantage through warehouse and distribution network design models. Explore current and future approaches companies use to integrate warehousing and distribution as a core competency within their supply chain strategy. Discuss what job roles and career paths exist in the Distribution and Warehousing field.

LBS0095-006 Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 03/14/24 TH 5:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Steve Schoultz
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Supply Chain Management Basics

The flow of goods and services between businesses and locations is important nationally and in a global economy. Gain an overview of the end-to-end supply chain management process within a global economy. Explore the organizational and process strategies used to design a supply chain. Learn the controls used to ensure needs are fulfilled in a satisfactory and cost-efficient manner. Discover the importance of an effective and ethical supplier relationship to the achievement of supply chain goals. Discuss what job roles and career paths exist within the supply chain management field.

LBS0094-006 Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 03/07/24 TH 5:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Steve Schoultz
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Forklift Operator Training

Forklift Operator Training provides students with knowledge and skills to operate a powered industrial truck (forklift) in a safe and professional manner. Training combines formal classroom instruction, practical hands-on, behind-the-wheel training, and evaluation of workplace performance. Unlike a driver’s license, there is no forklift license to obtain. Classes meet at Equipment Depot, 751 Expressway Drive, Itasca, IL 60143. Classes are conducted in English.

LBS0010-055 Equipment Depot 02/06/24 TU 8:00 am-12:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

LBS0010-056 Equipment Depot 03/05/24 TU 8:00 am-12:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

LBS0010-057 Equipment Depot 04/02/24 TU 8:00 am-12:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

LBS0010-058 Equipment Depot 05/07/24 TU 8:00 am-12:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Occupational Safety & Health (OSH) Training

Chemical Hazards in Manufacturing and General Industry

This course is designed to help organizations in manufacturing and all general industry to get information on how to identify chemicals hazards and how they affect their employees and work locations. Participants will also learn how to identify and avoid the hazards by being proactive and less reactive with its safety programs and chemical operations. Maintaining and sustaining chemical hazard awareness, and how to evaluate and re-evaluate all chemical hazards will also be covered within manufacturing and general industry guidelines. At the conclusion of this course, students will be able to apply the requirements of OSHA’s Chemical Hazard Awareness Standards in Manufacturing and General Industry.

LOT0017-002 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/11/24 TH 8:00 am-12:15 pm
Instructor: Michael Sarlito
TUITION & FEE: $149.00

LOT0017-003 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/07/24 TH 8:00 am-12:15 pm
Instructor: Michael Sarlito
TUITION & FEE: $149.00
Confined Space Hazards in Construction and General Industry

This course covers the requirements of the OSHA Permit-Required Confined Space Standard. Course topics include safety and health hazards associated with confined space entry, and the evaluation, prevention, and abatement of these hazards. The course covers OSHA requirements for both the General Industry and Construction standards. This course is designed for small employers or a designated representative (line supervisor or manager) with the responsibility to develop a permit-required confined space program. Upon course completion students will have a basic understanding of confined space hazards, evaluating and abatement of the hazards, the roles and responsibilities for attendants, entrants and entry supervisors, and determining when a confined space shall be classified as a permit-required confined space.

LOT0011-003 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/16/24 TU 8:00 am-12:15 pm Instructor: Michael Sarlitto TUITION & FEE: $149.00
LOT0011-004 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/12/24 TU 8:00 am-12:15 pm Instructor: Michael Sarlitto TUITION & FEE: $149.00

Electrical Hazard Awareness

Electrical current can be very dangerous and even fatal. According to national workplace injury data from OSHA, electrocution is number three of the ‘Fatal Four’. The Most Common Causes of Construction Site Deaths. Injuries in the workplace can be reduced or avoided when employees are regularly trained and more aware of their surroundings. In this class, students are taught to understand the basics of electricity, what the various types of electrical hazards are, how to recognize electrical hazards in their workplace, and OSHA rules and regulations. The class also covers worker rights, workplace safety standards, and laws that are in place to protect employees. Upon completion of the course, students will have the working knowledge necessary to recognize electrical hazards, and how to prevent injuries in the workplace.

LOT0012-004 ONLINE-Live Meetings 02/20/24 TU 8:00 am-10:00 am Instructor: Michael Sarlitto TUITION & FEE: $75.00
LOT0012-005 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/04/24 MO 8:00 am-10:00 am Instructor: Michael Sarlitto TUITION & FEE: $75.00

Infectious Diseases: Controls and Mitigation

Exposure to infectious diseases is an issue for the public as a whole and has changed the way we all operate in or daily lives. This course will cover the various issues that have come up with regard to infectious disease control and mitigation processes in the workplace. The class will also cover OSHA rules, regulations and other industry standards related to infectious illnesses, controls to prevent exposure to COVID-19 and other infectious illness and include personal protective equipment procedures. This course will also provide suggested procedures to change their workplace safety programs.

LOT0009-003 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/18/24 TH 10:15 am-12:15 pm Instructor: Robin Coyne TUITION & FEE: $75.00
LOT0009-004 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/21/24 TH 10:15 am-12:15 pm Instructor: Robin Coyne TUITION & FEE: $75.00

Introduction to Infectious Diseases

With the rise of COVID-19, the need for having a clear understanding of what the disease is, how it can be transmitted, and best practices for protecting the public and decreasing its spread, training and awareness is critical. In this course, students will learn about different infectious diseases, how they are transmitted, and safety procedures to promote safe workplace environments. The class also covers worker rights, workplace safety standards, and laws that are in place to protect employees.

LOT0008-003 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/18/24 TH 8:00 am-10:00 am Instructor: Robin Coyne TUITION & FEE: $75.00
LOT0008-004 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/21/24 TH 8:00 am-10:00 am Instructor: Robin Coyne TUITION & FEE: $75.00

Lockout/Tagout

What is considered a hazardous energy? Most think it involves electrical sources of energy, but hazardous energy can come in the form of steam from an uncontrolled pipe, large machinery designed to cut or crush something, conveyor belts, or any kind of equipment being repaired with exposed electrical wiring. This class will cover the practices and procedures used to power off and disable machinery to prevent injuries during service or maintenance of equipment from all sources of energy, including electricity. Upon course completion, you will have a better understanding and working knowledge necessary to implement successful and effective health and safety practices for your company.

LOT0007-003 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/22/24-01/24/24 MO-WE 8:00 am-11:00 am Instructor: Tamuriat Gilbert TUITION & FEE: $225.00
LOT0007-004 ONLINE-Live Meetings 04/22/24-04/24/24 MO-WE 8:00 am-11:00 am Instructor: Tamuriat Gilbert TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Fall Hazard Awareness in Construction

One of the top ten workplace injuries reported by OSHA are related to fall hazards. In the construction industry, the most common causes for injuries typically involve ladders, roofs, tops of equipment, scaffolds, and other elevated work surfaces. It is also reported that the number one type of OSHA safety violation on worksites is related to fall hazards. This course will examine the various types of fall hazards, and include details on how to identify them. It will also offer information on best safety practices, to include ladder safety principles. The course follows current OSHA’s Fall Protection Standards, which provides clearly defined principles to follow on how to protect workers.

LOT0016-003 Harper Main Campus 01/30/24 TU 8:00 am-12:15 pm Instructor: Tamuriat Gilbert TUITION & FEE: $149.00
LOT0016-004 ONLINE-Live Meetings 04/16/24 TU 8:00 am-12:15 pm Instructor: Tamuriat Gilbert TUITION & FEE: $149.00
Machine Guarding and Tool Safety

This course is designed to help organizations in manufacturing and all general industry classification to obtain information that will allow them to identify machine guarding and tool safety and how they affect their employees and their work locations. Participants will learn how to identify machine guarding and tool safety and how to avoid the hazards by being proactive and less reactive with its safety programs and general industry operations. Participants will learn how to maintain and sustain machine guarding and tool safety hazard awareness and how to evaluate and re-evaluate all machine guarding and tool safety within the general industry guidelines.

OSHA 10 Hour Construction

Learn OSHA’s best practices for reducing accidents and injuries at the workplace. Explore major hazards encountered in general industry and solutions for recognizing, controlling, and applying protections against them. Gain an understanding on employer responsibilities, filing complaints and OSHA rights for workers. Upon successful completion of the course, students will receive an OSHA 10-hour construction industry card.

OSHA 10 Hour General Industry

Learn OSHA’s best practices for reducing accidents and injuries at the workplace. Explore major hazards encountered in general industry and solutions for recognizing, controlling, and applying protections against them. Gain an understanding on employer responsibilities, filing complaints and OSHA rights for workers. Upon successful completion of the course, students will receive an OSHA 10-hour general industry card.

OSHA 30 Hour General Industry

Managers and Supervisors continuously seek to create a safe workplace. Explore the policies, procedures, and standards covered by OSHA 29 CFR 1910. Learn the core elements of a workplace safety and health program. Understand employer responsibilities for worker safety and worker rights. Safety protocols such as lockout/tagout, machine guarding mechanisms and industrial hygiene will be covered. Hazards encountered in multiple industries such as scaffolding and blood-borne pathogens will also be highlighted upon. Upon successful completion of the course, students will receive an OSHA 30-hour general industry card.

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Violence Prevention: Response to Active Shooter

Workplace violence has been on the rise, leading to an increased need for violence prevention programs to protect workers and others in public and private settings. Employers are required to provide their employees with a place of employment that is free of recognized hazards that are causing or are likely to cause death or serious physical harm, according to OSHA. This course provides employees with strategies on how to respond to an active shooter incident and applies to all types of workplace settings, including business offices, factories, hospitality/service industries, and buildings.

Preventing Slips, Trips, and Falls

Safety is everyone’s business. According to the National Safety Council slips, trips, and falls are a major cause of preventable injuries and deaths in the workplace. This course will increase awareness of hazards and workers’ ability to prevent them, ultimately creating a safer work environment for all employees. Slips trips and falls happen everywhere - in retail stores, offices, schools, manufacturing facilities, corporate offices and at home. This training will help individuals in all settings recognize, evaluate and control slip, trip and fall hazards.

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ONLINE REGISTRATION ASSISTANCE 847.925.6300
Violencia preventiva: Desarrollando un plan de acción de emergencia

Parte Dos (2) de la serie de capacitación sobre violencia en el lugar de trabajo, este curso está diseñado para dar a los participantes estrategias sobre cómo responder a situaciones de tiroteo en el trabajo. El curso se divide en dos partes: Parte Dos (2) se enfoca en las estrategias de preparación y respuesta, pero también se destacan los factores humanos y de seguridad que pueden influir en las respuestas. El curso está dividido en dos sesiones, cada una de las cuales se centra en diferentes aspectos de la preparación y la respuesta a un tiroteo en el trabajo. Los participantes recibirán información sobre cómo planificar una respuesta y cómo actuar durante y después de un incidente de violencia. Se trata de un curso que se puede incluir en el plan de preparación y respuesta de cualquier organización para manejar situaciones de crisis.

Peligrados en espacios confinados en la construcción y la industria general

Este curso abarca los requisitos de la norma de OSHA para espacios confinados que requieren permiso. Los temas incluyen los peligros asociados con la seguridad y la salud al ingresar a espacios confinados, así como la evaluación, prevención y reducción de estos peligros. Está diseñado para pequeños empleadores o responsables de desarrollo en un programa para espacios confinados que requieren permiso. Al finalizar el curso, los estudiantes comprenderán los espacios confinados, la evaluación y reducción de los peligros, las funciones y responsabilidades de los asistentes, los entranantes y los supervisores de entrada, y cómo determinar cuándo un espacio confinado debe clasificarse como uno que requiere permiso.

Concentración del peligro de caídas

Una de las diez principales lesiones en el lugar de trabajo reportadas por OSHA está relacionada con los peligros de caídas. En la industria de la construcción, las causas más comunes de lesiones generalmente involucran escaleras; techos; partes superiores de equipos, y andamios y otras superficies de trabajo elevadas. También se informa que el número uno es violación de seguridad de OSHA en los lugares de trabajo está relacionado con los peligros de caídas. El curso está diseñado para proporcionar a los empleadores y otros en entornos públicos y privados, ya sea que se trate de un negocio, fábrica, escuela, centro comercial, lugar de culto o cualquier tipo de evento público, la necesidad de medidas generales de seguridad y/o orientación sobre cómo responder a eventos violentos es clara. Según OSHA, los empleadores deben proporcionar a sus empleados un lugar de trabajo que esté “libre de peligros reconocidos que causen o puedan causar la muerte o daños físicos graves”. Este curso está diseñado para proporcionar a los empleados estrategias sobre cómo responder eficazmente a un incidente de tirador activo.

Sensibilización sobre peligros eléctricos y bloqueo/etiquetado

En esta clase, se les enseña a comprender los conceptos básicos de la electricidad, cuáles son los tipos de peligros eléctricos, cómo reconocer los peligros eléctricos en su lugar de trabajo y las normas y reglamentos de OSHA. Se incluyen prácticas y procedimientos utilizados para apagar y desactivar maquinaria (bloqueo/etiquetado) para evitar daños en energías peligrosos en formas de energía no controlada, maquinaria que no se ha desactivado, etc.

Prevención de resbalones, tropiezos y caídas

¿Sabía que los resbalones, tropiezos y caídas son la principal causa de accidentes en el trabajo? Además, según la Administración de Salud y Seguridad Ocupacional (OSHA), ¡El 8% de ellos son fatales! Esta clase interactiva, dirigida por un Entrenador de Extensión de OSHA, cubre el reconocimiento de los factores de riesgo y el control de los peligros de resbalones, tropiezos y caídas. Se anima a los trabajadores, gerentes y supervisores a asistir.

Prevención de la violencia: Respuesta a un Tirador Activo

En los últimos años, la violencia en el lugar de trabajo ha ido en aumento, lo que ha iniciado la necesidad de nuevas formas de respuesta. Los empleadores deben proporcionar a sus empleados un lugar de trabajo que esté “libre de peligros reconocidos que causen o puedan causar la muerte o daños físicos graves”. Este curso está diseñado para proporcionar a los empleados estrategias sobre cómo responder eficazmente a un incidente de tirador activo.
Prevención de Violencia: Desarrollo de Plan de Acción de Emergencia

Parte Dos (2) de la serie de cursos de Prevención de Violencia en el Lugar de Trabajo que destaca la respuesta a situaciones de tiradores activos, este curso está diseñado para proporcionar liderazgo empresarial y organizacional, recursos humanos y / o estrategias de partes interesadas sobre cómo establecer un Plan de Acción de Emergencia (EAP) para la respuesta a un incidente de tirador activo. El curso está diseñado para proporcionar a los participantes información sobre cómo desarrollar un EAP, política, procedimiento e implementación de programas para una organización. El plan de preparación/respuesta se aplicará a todo tipo de entornos de trabajo: oficinas comerciales, fábricas, industrias de hostelería / servicios y edificios. Los participantes también aprenderán dónde encontrar información, recursos, material de capacitación y apoyo adicional para desarrollar planes para una respuesta a un tirador activo. La base de este curso se basa en la capacitación sugerida, la respuesta y la guía de procedimiento ya establecidas por la Agencia de Seguridad de Ciberseguridad e Infraestructura del DHS: Planificación y respuesta a un tirador activo, una Guía de políticas y mejores prácticas del Comité de Seguridad Interinstitucional.

LOT0024-002 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/26/24 FR 9:00 am-11:00 am Instructor: Pete Almeida TUITION & FEE: $75.00

LOT0024-003 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/15/24 FR 9:00 am-11:00 am Instructor: Pete Almeida TUITION & FEE: $75.00

Protección de Máquinas y Seguridad de Herramientas

Este curso está diseñado para ayudar a las organizaciones en la fabricación y toda la clasificación general de la industria a obtener información que les permita identificar la protección de la máquina y la seguridad de las herramientas y cómo afectan a sus empleados y sus lugares de trabajo. Los participantes aprenderán cómo identificar la protección de la máquina y la seguridad de las herramientas y cómo evitar los peligros proactivos y menos reactivos con sus programas de seguridad y operaciones generales de la industria. Los participantes aprenderán cómo mantener y mantener la protección de la máquina y la conciencia de los peligros de seguridad de las herramientas y cómo evaluar y reevaluar toda la protección de la máquina y la seguridad de las herramientas dentro de las pautas generales de la industria.

LOT0022-002 ONLINE-Live Meetings 02/13/24 TU 8:00 am-12:15 pm Instructor: Juan Galvan TUITION & FEE: $149.00

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Artificial Intelligence and Automation

AI Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

Gain a general awareness of AI and approaches to equip the future workforce with technical confidence to learn and apply AI Skills independently. Learn about emerging technologies and what AI Skills are needed for employment in a digital economy. Learn how AI is inclusive, impacts daily life and identify AI SMART components. AI applications, development, challenges and internal workings will also be covered.

INSTRUCTOR: John F. Chiappetta

TUITION & FEE: $135.00

Artificial Intelligence & Automation

Public Speaking for a Career in Technology

Learn the skill of effectively breaking down technical, complex subjects in a concise and efficient manner. Master the art of persuasion which is used to drive and align ideas and people under a centralized agenda or core business objective. This highly sought-after skill broadens opportunities in the tech space and creates a sense of unmatched confidence. Intended for current professionals or highly motivated students who understand the need of this skill and will apply it to current roles, responsibilities, and interviews.

INSTRUCTOR: Jacob Bond

TUITION & FEE: $350.00

ChatGPT & AI Robots

Learn how the language model ChatGPT is changing the educational landscape. Find out strategies for utilizing ChatGPT for written assignments, research, and virtual instruction. Through this 1-hour workshop, explore strategies for using Generative AI in the classroom and learn ways to enhance personalized learning. Discover some of the latest AI Robots and their educational applications, including data analysis, language translation, and enhanced accessibility.

INSTRUCTOR: Annabel Hasty

TUITION & FEE: $45.00

Integrating AI into Your Classroom

Come and learn ways to integrate artificial intelligence into your curriculum. Through this 1-hour interactive workshop, discover new ways to enrich your teaching with machine learning. This opportunity allows you to engage with AI and related technologies to prepare students’ digital readiness and future success.

INSTRUCTOR: Annabel Hasty

TUITION & FEE: $45.00

Business Technical Skills
Statistics for Decisions Using Surveys

Improve your ability to develop and deliver statistics for decision making by improving your skills in conducting reliable surveys. Help your organization design effective surveys to improve business and workplace effectiveness. You will also learn how to enter your results into Excel and how to present and explain those results.

Lrn0208-002 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-03/01/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Evaluation Research

Road test evaluation research for your organization. You won’t be disappointed. Evaluation research can give you and your organization a systematic assessment of the value of resources and time you commit to a project, product, or specific goal. Evaluation research can determine whether or not a process has achieved a goal or yielded the desired results.

Get introduced to the characteristics of evaluation research and how it can be directly applied to assess the impact or effectiveness of a program, policy, or procedure you want to road test in a professional setting.

Lrn0209-002 ONLINE-Self Paced
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TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Action Research

Action research is a form of investigation designed to attempt to solve problems and improve professional practices. It involves systematic observations and data collection which can be then used by the practitioner-researcher in reflection and decision-making.

Discover the features of action research and how it can be directly applied to answer questions and solve problems in collaboration with others in your specific professional context.

Come away with the ability to develop an action research plan to partner with your key stakeholders to collect data, analyze data, and determine findings to address this curiosity or solve the problem.

Lrn0210-002 ONLINE-Self Paced
04/04/24-04/28/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Online Self-Paced
Data Analysis

Data Analysis is quickly becoming one of the most sought-after skills in the workplace. Companies produce vast amounts of data, but it is rare to have someone with the ability to analyze that data, see trends, and make predictions. This course will give you a basic understanding of how to analyze data in a business setting. Businesses look for candidates with an understanding of how to analyze the data they have been collecting; this course will help you start on that journey.

Lrn0060-026 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-03/01/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Statistics for Decision Making Digital Badge

Improve your decision making success with an advanced practical how-to process for gathering statistics. Help your organization design effective surveys to improve business and workplace effectiveness.

Then road test evaluation research for your organization. You won’t be disappointed. Finally, discover the features of action research and how it can be directly applied to answer questions and solve problems in collaboration with others in your specific professional context.

Come away with the ability to develop an action research plan to partner with your key stakeholders to collect data, analyze data, and make better decisions.

Lrn0207-002 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-04/26/24
TUITION & FEE: $495.00

Online Self-Paced Data Analysis Digital Badge

Make a big difference in the success of your organization by acquiring data analysis skills. Begin by getting a basic understanding of how to analyze data in a business setting. Learn how your business decisions involve comparing groups for differences. Finally, learn how to perform inquiries to your business or organization and communicate the results through graphs and text to your fellow employees and leaders.

Lrn0059-020 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-04/26/24
TUITION & FEE: $495.00

Data Analysis

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Online Self-Paced Data Analysis

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Lrn0060-026 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-03/01/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Introduction to Data Analysis

Data Analysis is quickly becoming one of the most sought-after skills in the workplace. Companies produce vast amounts of data, but it is rare to have someone with the ability to analyze that data, see trends, and make predictions. This course will give you a basic understanding of how to analyze data in a business setting. Businesses look for candidates with an understanding of how to analyze the data they have been collecting; this course will help you start on that journey.

Lrn0060-026 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-03/01/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00
Intermediate Data Analysis

Many business decisions involve comparing groups of data for differences. For example, you might examine sales records to see if men and women prefer different product features. Or, you might see whether product recognition survey data relates to subsequent product purchase behavior. The Intermediate Data Analysis course introduces you to the statistical analysis methods behind these group differences and relationships. In addition, you’ll learn how to work with ratings and graphs to create user-friendly reports of statistical results.

LRN0061-025  ONLINE-Self Paced
03/04/24-03/29/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Advanced Data Analysis

Advanced Data Analysis teaches how to perform valuable inquiries for your business or organization. You acquire skills necessary to communicate these results through graphs and text so that your fellow employees will understand the implications of decisions they make. Take the guesswork out of important decisions and make them based on statistically significant information. Whether your business is home-based or a large company, this class will take you to the next level where important decision making is concerned.

LRN0062-022  ONLINE-Self Paced
04/01/24-04/26/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Advanced Data Analysis (Business Intelligence)

Power BI (Business Intelligence)

Earn a Power BI (Business Intelligence) Digital Badge by completing three online self-paced courses. You may register for the Digital Badge (LRN0170), which includes all three courses, or take the courses separately:

- Introduction to Power BI (LRN0171)
- Intermediate Power BI (LRN0172)
- Advanced Power BI (LRN0173)

This Digital Badge will enhance your skills in data analysis, giving you greater insight into your organization’s performance and allowing you to make more informed decisions. Power BI is a widely used business analytics service offered by Microsoft.

LRN0164-023  ONLINE-Self Paced
03/04/24-05/31/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Power BI (Business Intelligence)

Online Self-Paced Power BI (Business Intelligence) Digital Badge

Power BI is a widely used business analytics service offered by Microsoft.

Discover the process of creating interactive reports. Integrate financial, marketing, or any other source data in your accounting system, Excel, or on the Web. Create charts, maps, and other visuals to see your data in real time.

Delve further into Power Query to ETL (Extract, Transform and Load) your data. Build the Data Model using relationships and DAX, Data Analysis Expressions. Utilize Time Intelligence functions to view YoY or YTD reports. Add user friendly features to enhance your reports.

LRN0171-012  ONLINE-Self Paced
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Intermediate Power BI (Business Intelligence)

Delve further into Power Query to ETL (Extract, Transform and Load) your data. Build the Data Model using relationships and DAX (Data Analysis Expressions) functions. Utilize Time Intelligence functions to view YoY or YTD results. Add user friendly features to enhance your reports.

LRN0164-024  ONLINE-Self Paced
03/04/24-05/31/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

SQL

Online Self-Paced SQL Digital Badge

Structured Query Language, SQL, is the industry standard database programming language. Learn about relational database structures, the history and uses of Structured Query Language, and how to use Structured Query Language to create a database, add records to database tables, and how to use SQL queries to extract meaningful data from database tables. You will progress from creating simple SQL queries to querying multiple tables simultaneously, how to alter data and gather statistics from data stores in a database. Finally, you’ll learn techniques that will enable you to write powerful queries that perform complicated searches and sorts on your data.

LRN0173-012  ONLINE-Self Paced
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TUITION & FEE: $195.00

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Introduction to SQL

Learn how to write SQL code to create and populate database tables and how to write simple SQL queries that are capable of retrieving vast amounts of information from a database. You will discover the power of the relational database, how to create and manage database tables, and how to use SQL Select statements to precisely pinpoint and retrieve data from a database.

- SQL Digital Badge (LRN0164)
- Introduction to SQL (LRN0165)
- Intermediate SQL (LRN0183)
- Advanced SQL (LRN0184)

Intermediate SQL

Discover how to write powerful SQL queries that enable you to retrieve data from one table or from multiple tables stored in the database simultaneously. In this course, you will learn how to retrieve more meaningful data from one or more tables stored in a database. You will learn how to merge data from multiple columns, how to create calculated fields, and how to order and group the results from a query. You will also learn how to create a single join query or subquery to obtain data from multiple tables simultaneously.

- LRN0183-021
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  TUITION & FEE: $245.00
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Advanced SQL

Take your SQL query skills to a new level by learning how to write more advanced SQL queries for enhanced decision making. In this course, you will learn how to write advanced subqueries, advanced join queries, and UNION queries that query more than one table. You will learn how to use transaction processing to ensure SQL statements execute completely or not at all and how to create stored procedures that enable you to store SQL statements for execution.

- LRN0184-020
  04/01/24-04/26/24
  TUITION & FEE: $245.00
- LRN0184-021
  05/06/24-05/31/24
  TUITION & FEE: $245.00

Emerging Technologies

Introduction to Cryptography

Cryptography can be confusing. In this class we clarify the key points of understanding needed to set up and operate commercial software with cryptographic features. After a clear and simple exposition of the key techniques and features of cryptography, you will be shown software for the enterprise in action such as ssl certificates for Web servers, secure email, disk encryption and underlying software and hardware like MS PKI, HSMs, crypto utility tools, PGP, chip card, disk encryption. You will also be shown why cryptography is a controlled technique, what regulations apply and the Do's and Don'ts.

- LCE0022-003
  01/23/24-02/27/24
  ONLINE-Live Meetings
  6:00 pm-8:00 pm
  Instructor: Frederic Petit
  TUITION & FEE: $325.00
- LCE0022-004
  04/02/24-05/07/24
  ONLINE-Live Meetings
  6:00 pm-8:00 pm
  Instructor: Frederic Petit
  TUITION & FEE: $325.00

Fundamental Computer Skills

Basic Computer Literacy Training (Spanish)

Basic Computer Literacy Training taught in Spanish. Learners will be introduced to computers and devices, internet concepts, and Microsoft Office applications. This is an instructor-led course which will be held at the Harper College Main Campus.

“Entrenamiento Básico de Computación o, Formación Básica de Alfabetización Digital impartida en español. Los alumnos conocerán las computadoras y los dispositivos, los conceptos de Internet y las aplicaciones de Microsoft Office. Este es un curso dirigido por un instructor que se llevará a cabo en el campus principal de Harper College.

- LCT0082-003
  03/12/24-03/14/24
  Harper Main Campus
  10:00 am-12:00 pm
  Instructor: Pete Almeida
  TUITION & FEE: $249.00
Introduction to Computers Using Windows 10

Become comfortable using a personal computer (PC) and the Windows 10 interface. Explore Windows 10 and learn how to create documents, send email, browse the Internet, and share information between applications and with other users.

LCT0034-025  Harper Main Campus  02/06/24-02/08/24  TU TH  1:30 pm-4:30 pm  Instructor: Jennie A. Johns  TUITION & FEE: $239.00

Introduction to Information Technology (IT)

If you are considering a career in Information Technology (IT), or want to gain a solid understanding of IT to help with your professional career, this course will provide you with the foundational knowledge on personal computers and Information Technology concepts. Explore which devices, operating systems and computer applications are commonly used at the workplace. Focus will also be applied to more advanced IT topics such as Networking, Cloud Computing, Databases, Application Development and Cybersecurity Concepts.

LCT0072-010  Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 02/13/24-02/15/24  TU TH  6:00 pm-9:15 pm  Instructor: Timothy Jansen  TUITION & FEE: $175.00

LCT0072-011  Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 04/22/24-04/24/24  MO WE  6:00 pm-9:15 pm  Instructor: Timothy Jansen  TUITION & FEE: $175.00

Game Design

Online Self-Paced Basic Game Design Digital Badge

Today, games are recognized as serving many business purposes beyond entertainment. This Digital badge provides you with a general introduction to what goes into the design and development of both video and analog games, with a particular focus on the use of games outside of consumer entertainment.

You will discover resources for developing game design, identify the mechanics and verbs used in different games. You will come away with knowing the different activities that are part of and have a basic understanding of how to work with game developers. You will learn the basics of video game design process and game development applications.

By successfully completing this Digital Badge in Basic Game Design, you will have taken the first steps into understanding game design, and being able to create your own games. This Digital Badge enrolls you in the following two courses: Introduction to Game Design and Intermediate Video Game Design. These courses may also be taken individually.

LNR0019-021  ONLINE-Self Paced  02/05/24-03/01/24  TUITION & FEE: $245.00

Intermediate Video Game Design

Worldwide video game sales, including consoles, online, and mobile games, is projected to reach $111 billion this year. Mobile games are the fastest-growing market segment. By 2019, Price Warehouse predicts social and casual game sales will exceed traditional game sales. In this course you will learn the basics of video game design process, the main video game genres, and use a game development application to begin your journey of making games.

LNR0020-020  ONLINE-Self Paced  03/04/24-03/29/24  TUITION & FEE: $245.00

Microsoft Office

Digital Badge in Mastering Computer Skills in the Workplace

Get hands-on experience with the most widely used computer programs in the world, and take away the skills to create professional documents, presentations, and spreadsheets.

Earn a digital badge that demonstrates your mastery of computer skills for the workplace by taking all three classes in this series. Discover the power of Microsoft Excel to create, edit and manage spreadsheets, master the art of professional document creation with Microsoft Word, and bring your proposals and presentations to life with Microsoft PowerPoint.

This digital badge requires the completion of 3 courses: Mastering Microsoft Excel, Mastering Microsoft PowerPoint, Mastering Microsoft Word. These 3 courses are included in the digital badge, LNR0215.

LNR0215-001  ONLINE-Self Paced  02/05/24-04/26/24  TUITION & FEE: $495.00

Mastering Microsoft Excel

Microsoft Excel is the most widely used spreadsheet tool in the world. Keep your Excel skills current with this class, as it change with the features of Excel over time. Learn how to construct an Excel worksheet, populate it with content, and edit it for delivery in a variety of business situations. Master the options that will take your Excel worksheet from a collection of plain, drab numbers to an engaging multimedia presentation.

LNR0013-025  ONLINE-Self Paced  02/05/24-03/11/24  TUITION & FEE: $195.00

LNR0013-026  ONLINE-Self Paced  04/01/24-04/24/24  TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Mastering Microsoft PowerPoint

Bring your ideas to life and leave a lasting impression with Microsoft PowerPoint. Master the tools and techniques that turn humdrum slides into dynamic presentations that will captivate your audience. With hands-on practice and real-world examples, learn design principles and multimedia elements such as images, videos, and charts that elevate you to the next level.

Acquire critical know-how to deliver your presentations with confidence and ease. Whether you’re a beginner or a seasoned user, you’ll find new ways to work smarter, not harder. You’ll leave with in-demand skills and the ability to create professional, visually appealing presentations that will engage your audience and help you stand out.

LNR0217-001  ONLINE-Self Paced  04/01/24-04/24/24  TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Online Self-Paced Mastering Computer Skills in the Workplace Digital Badge

Earn a digital badge (LNR0215) that demonstrates your mastery of computer skills for the workplace. Get hands-on experience with Excel, PowerPoint and Word, the most widely used computer programs in the world, and gain skills to create professional documents, presentations, and spreadsheets.
Mastering Microsoft Word

Master the art of document creation and take your professional skills to the next level with Microsoft Word, which is essential for success in the modern business world. Discover how to format text, paragraphs, images, and pages with ease. Get hands-on experience creating professional-looking documents, from resumes and cover letters to reports and brochures.

Find out how to use templates and themes to save time and streamline your workflow. At the end of this class, you will be equipped with the skills to edit, format and share polished documents that will impress employers and coworkers and give you a competitive edge in the workplace.

LRN0216-001 03/04/24-03/29/24

Tuition & Fee: $195.00

Excel

Online Self-Paced Excel Digital Badge

Microsoft Excel is the most widely-used spreadsheet tool in the world. Discover how menu items, commands, settings, and processes affect the look of your Excel worksheets and workbooks. Learn how various data types can be best represented and formatted using different Excel options and techniques. This Digital Badge will help you discover how to attractively present your data in reports, slides, and more, with confidence.

LRN0091-020 02/05/24-04/26/24

Tuition & Fee: $495.00

Intermediate Excel

This course will help you learn how to organize, display and calculate your data into useful information. Find out how to consolidate your data proficiently into readable rows and columns using different table designs and styles. Create a unique style for yourself to improve your spreadsheet appearance to make the content easier to understand for your target audience. Discover how easily pivot tables can be created to quickly summarize large amounts of data. Through this course, these tasks will make your work outstanding and unique in what you do.

Note: This course is part of a Digital Badge for those who wish to earn a credential. You may register for this individual class, but if you would like to earn the Digital Badge, register for LRN0091- Online Self-Paced Excel Digital Badge.

LRN0116-026 03/04/24-03/29/24

Tuition & Fee: $195.00

Advanced Excel

Learning Advanced Excel contains these tools that can help you prepare your worksheets accurately, examine your data for authentication, and then find those answers to your most difficult questions. This course will help you learn these required business functions along with the tools required to analyze data efficiently within the workplace. Save time for yourself by protecting your valuable data and know with assurance that the entered data is accurate without any errors. By completing the course, discover how to attractively visualize your data into meaningful information with confidence.

LRN0117-024 04/01/24-04/26/24

Tuition & Fee: $195.00

Introduction to Excel 2019

Become an expert in data manipulation using Excel spreadsheets. Organizations rely on information to make sound business decisions. The amount of available data growing on a daily basis, there is an urgent need to make sense of all of that data. Learn how to organize, calculate, analyze, revise, update, and present your data in ways that will help the decision makers in your organization steer you in the right direction. This course provides a foundation for Excel knowledge and skills. Prerequisite: Introduction to Excel or equivalent experience.

LCT0030-037 Harper Main Campus 03/05/24-03/07/24 1:30 pm-4:30 pm

Tuition & Fee: $259.00

Intermediate Excel 2019

Learn to analyze massive amounts of data, extract actionable information from it, and present that information to decision makers. This course builds upon the foundational knowledge presented in the Introduction to Excel course. Create advanced workbooks and worksheets that help organize organizational intelligence. Students will work with some of the advanced features in Excel including: charts, adding and formatting graphic objects and sorting and filtering data. Prerequisite: Introduction to Excel or equivalent experience.

LCT0030-036 Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 02/26/24-02/28/24 5:30 pm-8:30 pm

Tuition & Fee: $259.00

Advanced Excel 2019

Excel 2019 provides powerful data analysis capabilities. Learn to perform advanced data analysis, collaborate on workbooks with other users, and automate workbook functionality. Learn to use conditional logic to construct and apply elaborate formulas and functions. This course builds upon the foundational and intermediate knowledge presented in the Introduction and Intermediate Excel 2019 course. Prerequisite: Intermediate Excel or equivalent experience.

LCT0038-024 Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 03/04/24-03/06/24 5:30 pm-8:30 pm

Tuition & Fee: $259.00
Outlook

Introduction to Outlook 2019
Learn how to use one of the most popular e-mail applications around. Students will create, format, send, reply to, and forward messages. Also covered are working with attachments, managing contacts, and scheduling appointments and meetings. Prerequisite: Intro to Windows or equivalent experience.

LCT0021-022 Harper Main Campus 04/09/24-04/11/24 TU TH 1:30 pm-4:30 pm
Instructor: Angela D Valentine
TUITION & FEE: $259.00

PowerPoint

Introduction to PowerPoint 2019
Create a presentation, work with outlines, modify the slide master, use the tools to create a chart and customize templates. Learn how to create a slideshow that can be used for effective presentations. See how animation can hold your audience captive. Prerequisite: Strong Windows and mouse skills to keep pace with this course. Keyboarding skills are recommended. Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or equivalent experience.

LCT0015-021 Harper Main Campus 03/12/24-03/14/24 TU TH 1:30 pm-4:30 pm
Instructor: Jennie A. Johns
TUITION & FEE: $259.00

Word

Introduction to Word 2019
Microsoft Word 2019 is designed to help you move smoothly through the task of creating professional-looking documents. Its rich features and powerful tools can make your work easy, and even fun. In this course, you’ll learn how to use Word 2019 to create and edit simple documents; format documents; add tables and lists; add design elements and layout options; and proof documents. Students need strong Windows and mouse skills to keep pace with this course. Keyboarding skills are recommended. Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or equivalent experience.

LCT0013-024 Harper Main Campus 02/13/24-02/15/24 TU TH 1:30 pm-4:30 pm
Instructor: Angela D Valentine
TUITION & FEE: $259.00

Intermediate Word 2019
Creating professional-looking documents can give you and your organization a competitive edge. Implementing time-saving features such as document templates and automated mailings can help reduce expenses. Mastering these techniques will make you a valued employee in your organization. Learn to work with features such as formats, styles, and templates to create professional documents with a consistent look and feel. Add visual interest to your documents by using the tables and charts features. Quick Parts and templates provide efficiency and consistency when adding content, and long complex documents can be simplified and managed in Master Documents. Use the mail merge feature to automate sending individual letters to customers.

LCT0029-022 Harper Main Campus 02/20/24-02/22/24 TU TH 1:30 pm-4:30 pm
Instructor: Angela D Valentine
TUITION & FEE: $259.00

Web Design

Introduction to Web Design
Discover the basics of web design using HTML and CSS. No prior knowledge of HTML or web design is required. Throughout the course you will get the info you need to plan and design effective web pages. Come away knowing how to implement web pages by writing HTML and CSS code. And discover ways to enhance web pages with the use of page layout techniques, text formatting, graphics, and images.

LRN0108-023 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-03/01/24
TUITION & FEE: $245.00

WordPress

Online Self-Paced WordPress Digital Badge
WordPress is the content management system, CMS, for website and blog design. Learn or refresh your knowledge of all the initial steps and the required elements for having a website. Learn how to build a simple WordPress website or blog. Topics include a simple WordPress website or blog, Introduction to CMS, WordPress installation and setup, page and content creation, administration, themes, selection, purchase, installation and setup, working with widgets and plugins, and more. Acquire advanced knowledge about WordPress options and how to modify WordPress web pages by hand coding and search engine optimization, SEO, techniques that improve your website ranking.

LRN0092-020 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-04/26/24
TUITION & FEE: $495.00

HTML Fundamentals
This course covers all the basics of HTML coding language. You will learn building simple web pages by hand coding, using HTML tags to create paragraphs, heading, lists, links, insert images, tables and more. We also cover creating a simple multi-page website with images, text and a navigation bar.

LRN0153-017 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/05/24-03/01/24
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

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Dance

Introduction to Bachata (Latin) Dancing
If you are ready to learn this fun and popular Latin dance, this class is for you. You will learn the fundamental steps, turns, connection, body movement, and combinations with proper technique and completely broken down so you don’t have to guess. The class is open to individuals and couples. No special attire or shoes are required; however, we recommend that you avoid wearing gym shoes to sessions so you can turn smoothly on the wood floor. Questions? Call 847-310-3250. This class meets at a local dance studio. Visit ce.harpercollege.edu for the full details.

LEI0113-012 01/08/24-02/05/24 Reclaimed Fitness
Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm

LEI0113-013 02/05/24-02/26/24 MO
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LEI0113-014 03/04/24-03/25/24 MO
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LEI0113-016 05/06/24-06/03/24 MO
Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm

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Introduction to Cha Cha Dancing
In this class, you’ll get to dance the cha-cha. You’ll learn the fundamental rhythms, steps, turns, connection, body movement, and some combinations with proper technique and broken down. You don’t need a partner; it is open to individuals and couples. No special attire or shoes are required; however, avoid wearing gym shoes to classes so you can turn quickly on the wood floor. This class occurs at a local dance studio; visit ce.harpercollege.edu for the full details.

LEI0129-001 01/02/24-01/23/24 TU
Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm

LEI0129-002 02/06/24-02/27/24 TU
Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm

LEI0129-003 03/05/24-03/26/24 TU
Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm

LEI0129-004 04/02/24-04/23/24 TU
Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm

LEI0129-005 05/07/24-05/28/24 TU
Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm

Adult Basic Ballet
The most essential style of dance, ballet focuses on grace, poise, and strength through technique and choreography to both classical and contemporary music. You will be ready to dance at the next special occasion.

LP50010-005 Harper Main Campus
01/10/24-03/20/24 WE 5:15 pm-6:15 pm
TUITION & FEE: $94.00

LP50010-006 Harper Main Campus
04/03/24-05/22/24 WE 5:15 pm-6:15 pm
TUITION & FEE: $68.00

Ballroom Dancing
The undeniable romance of ballroom dancing is enjoying renewed popularity, so put on your dancing shoes and let the instructor lead you through the waltz, the fox trot, cha cha, and swing. You’ll also learn some basic rumba and tango. Singles as well as couples are welcome, but partners are not guaranteed. Please wear leather-soled shoes for easier movement.

LP50008-005 Harper Main Campus
01/13/24-03/23/24 SA 1:30 pm-2:30 pm
TUITION & FEE: $94.00

LP50008-006 Harper Main Campus
04/06/24-05/25/24 SA 1:30 pm-2:30 pm
TUITION & FEE: $68.00

Latin Social Dance
This class is for adults interested in learning the basic patterns of Latin dances such as merengue, salsa, bachata, cumbia, and cha-cha. Beginners and those with some experience will benefit from this course. The course will include exercises for Latin hip motion, better turns or spotting, rib cage isolations, and triple steps used in cha-cha and dash. Adults 18 and up. Singles are welcome in addition to couples.

LP50007-004 Harper Main Campus
01/08/24-03/11/24 MO 7:00 pm-8:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $85.00

LP50007-005 Harper Main Campus
04/01/24-05/20/24 MO 7:00 pm-8:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $68.00

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Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm

LEI0113-015 04/01/24-04/22/24
Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm

LEI0113-016 05/06/24-06/03/24
Instructor: Dora Parks
TUITION & FEE: $70.00
8:15 pm-9:15 pm
Introduction to Salsa Dancing

If you want to learn salsa but are too shy to jump in or explore more of this fantastic dance, this is the class for you. You will learn the fundamental steps, turns, connections, and several combinations, with proper technique and completely broken down, so you don’t have to guess. The class is open to individuals and couples. No special attire or shoes are required; however, we recommend that you avoid wearing gym shoes to sessions so you can turn smoothly on the wood floor. This class meets at a local dance studio. Visit ce.harpercollege.edu for the full details.

LEI0112-013  Reclaimed Fitness
01/08/24-02/05/24  MO  7:15 pm-8:15 pm  
Instructor: Dora Parks
Tuition & Fee: $70.00

LED023-001  Reclaimed Fitness
02/25/24-03/22/24  MO  7:15 pm-8:15 pm  
Instructor: Dora Parks
Tuition & Fee: $70.00

LED023-002  Reclaimed Fitness
03/04/24-03/31/24  MO  7:15 pm-8:15 pm  
Instructor: Dora Parks
Tuition & Fee: $70.00

LED023-003  Reclaimed Fitness
04/07/24-04/28/24  MO  7:15 pm-8:15 pm  
Instructor: Dora Parks
Tuition & Fee: $70.00

LED023-004  Reclaimed Fitness
05/04/24-05/25/24  MO  7:15 pm-8:15 pm  
Instructor: Dora Parks
Tuition & Fee: $70.00

Wedding Party Dancing

Weddings, class reunions, and parties are more enjoyable if you know how to dance. You will learn the basics to have fun and be successful on the dance floor. We will cover slow/couples dancing, individual grooves, and group moves. You will be ready to dance at the next special occasion. Singles as well as couples are welcome, but partners are not guaranteed.

LPS0009-005  Harper Main Campus
01/12/24-03/22/24  FR  5:45 pm-6:45 pm  
Tuition & Fee: $94.00

LPS0009-006  Harper Main Campus
04/05/24-05/24/24  FR  5:45 pm-6:45 pm  
Tuition & Fee: $68.00

Introduction to Cumbia Dancing

Join us to learn Cumbia, a culturally diverse and high-energy dance; this class is for you. You will discover various fundamental steps, turns, connections, and combinations with proper technique and completely broken down so you don’t have to guess. You don’t need a partner for this class; it is open to individuals and couples. No special attire or shoes are required. However, avoid wearing gym shoes to turn on the wooden floor quickly. This class meets at a local dance studio; see details at ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0112-013  Reclaimed Fitness
01/08/24-02/05/24  MO  7:15 pm-8:15 pm  
Instructor: Dora Parks
Tuition & Fee: $70.00

LED023-001  Reclaimed Fitness
02/25/24-03/22/24  MO  7:15 pm-8:15 pm  
Instructor: Dora Parks
Tuition & Fee: $70.00

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Tuition & Fee: $70.00

LED023-004  Reclaimed Fitness
05/04/24-05/25/24  MO  7:15 pm-8:15 pm  
Instructor: Dora Parks
Tuition & Fee: $70.00

En Garde Fencing

The Epee style of fencing stalks the opponent waiting for the right opportunity and then follow with a quick attack and/or counterattack. In Epee, the entire body is a valid target much like an actual duel. Perfect for all skills levels from beginners to advanced. Sword and face mask are provided. You should wear a sweatshirt or something similar to class. The class is co-listed with the Harper College Kinesiology department. This class is offered in two formats: Tuesday nights with organized instruction and a Tuesday/Thursday format with instruction on Tuesday and Thursday available as a practice night.

LPA0004-007  Harper Main Campus
01/16/24-03/05/24  TU  6:00 pm-7:45 pm  
Instructor: Adam Ali
Tuition & Fee: $175.00

LPA0004-008  Harper Main Campus
01/16/24-03/07/24  TU TH  6:00 pm-7:45 pm  
Instructor: Adam Ali
Tuition & Fee: $235.00

LPA0004-009  Harper Main Campus
03/12/24-05/07/24  TU  6:00 pm-7:45 pm  
Instructor: Adam Ali
Tuition & Fee: $175.00

LPA0004-010  Harper Main Campus
03/12/24-05/09/24  TU TH  6:00 pm-7:45 pm  
Instructor: Adam Ali
Tuition & Fee: $235.00

Pilates

Achieve and maintain core stability, including pelvic and shoulder stabilization, neutral alignment and patterned breathing. Build strength, flexibility and endurance without risking injury or adding bulk.

LPS0017-005  Harper Main Campus
01/10/24-03/20/24  WE  9:30 am-10:30 am  
Tuition & Fee: $94.00

LPS0017-006  Harper Main Campus
04/03/24-05/22/24  WE  9:00 am-10:00 am  
Tuition & Fee: $68.00

Traditional Pilates

Employs a system of movements to increase range of motion balance, strength and awareness of the mind/body connection. This class is designed for students who are able to safely participate in cardiorespiratory and resistance activities and may include the use of equipment. This class is not designed for students who may have known heart, pulmonary, metabolic, physiological diseases and/or orthopedic challenges. This class is co-listed with the Kinesiology department.

LPA0007-001  Harper Main Campus
01/17/24-03/06/24  MO WE  8:00 am-8:30 am  
Tuition & Fee: $175.00

LPA0007-002  Harper Main Campus
03/11/24-05/08/24  MO WE  8:00 am-8:30 am  
Tuition & Fee: $175.00

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Mindfulness and Holistic Living

Digital Badge in Nutrition, Chronic Disease and Health Promotion

Understanding the role of food and water, and making appropriate changes in one’s diet can have powerful effects, both positive and negative, on health throughout life. The burden of chronic diseases is rapidly increasing worldwide as traditional, largely plant based diets are quickly being replaced by high fat, energy dense diets with a substantial content of animal based foods. This digital badge addresses these issues and more and provides a solid foundation of knowledge and information to support individuals who wish to enhance their own well being as well as health care professionals who wish to evolve in their profession.

Online Self-Paced Food, Nutrition and Health Digital Badge

Food and nutrition have a profound impact on people’s health and well-being, yet many people are not aware of what foods to eat, which diets are healthy, and where their food originates. The goal of this course is to provide a holistic overview of current food and nutrition issues and their impact on physical, social, emotional, and spiritual health.

Throughout this course, you will become more conscious of what you eat, why you eat it, how it is prepared, and what consequences your food choices have on your health as well as the health of the planet.

Skills for Making Great Decisions

Learn how to make excellent everyday decisions from an experienced counselor and life coach. You’ll discover the steps necessary to achieve your goals, as well as the power that ordinary, everyday decisions can have over the quality of your life.

You will learn how to deal effectively with crisis, how to use your emotions as decision making tools, and how to work with others to make good decisions. The goal of this course is to give you the power to live the best life you can and make the very most of every opportunity.

Gentle Somatic Movement for Pain Relief

Experience freedom from chronic muscular pain, stress, injuries and tension by retraining your nervous system with Hanna Somatic Movement. This evidence-based self-care and mindfulness practice has been shown to alleviate neck and lower back pain. Benefits are experienced by people of all ages including athletes. These natural, gentle, safe movements help maximize flexibility, strength and balance and restore freedom of movement.

Join me and experience these movements and freedom from pain. Since the movements in this class are practiced both sitting, and lying on the floor, it is important that you have enough mobility to be able to lay down and rise up again. Bring a mat or blanket and a pillow for comfort. Dress in comfortable, loose-fitting clothes.

A Journey into Holistic Healing Arts

Reiki Master and Instructor, Melissa Gawron, will share her personal journey into unique spiritual practices and energetic healing modalities. Learn a brief overview about Reiki, Access Consciousness, Shamanism and other energetic practices while listening to her personal story. You will learn basics about each modality, helpful mindfulness techniques and ways to promote healing and relaxation in your life. I invite you to start your own personal journey into the Holistic Healing Arts.

In-Person Instruction

Live Online Instruction

Self-Paced Online Instruction
Qigong for Health and Wellness
Qigong is an ancient Chinese practice which helps to balance the energy of the body, mind, and spirit. You will use simple, gentle movements, along with breath and visualization, to open energy blockages and bring ourselves into physical, mental and emotional balance. This class is great for beginners to advanced students. Benefits include increased energy, better sleep, pain reduction, stress relief, and overall wellbeing.

LPS0025-003 01/11/24-03/14/24 11:00 am
Instructor: Susan Churchill
TUITION & FEE: $55.00

LPS0025-004 04/04/24-05/23/24 11:00 am
Instructor: Susan Churchill
TUITION & FEE: $55.00

Skip into Spring Qigong Workshop
Let Qigong help your body adjust to the changing season in this workshop. We will be releasing Winter energy and welcoming the energy of Spring. Our focus is on the Liver System. We will do a moving Qigong practice and a gentle meditation, specifically focused on detoxifying the liver channels. Additionally, we will use techniques for the Lung System to help relieve seasonal symptoms. This is open to all levels. You may bring a meditation pillow for sitting or laying on as well as a light blanket. Yoga mats provided.

LPS0034-001 03/16/24 10:00 am-12:00 pm
Instructor: Susan Churchill
TUITION & FEE: $20.00

Forgiveness Journey with Qigong and Singing Bowls
One of the greatest gifts you can give yourself is forgiveness. Forgive everybody, including yourself. Together, we will explore and release forgiveness through journaling, drawing, movement and sound. Susan, a certified Qigong facilitator, will lead you in movement to help you release anger in your body and bring in a sense of peace and ease. We complete the experience with Intuitive Energy Healer, Tamara, with a nurturing sound bowl healing to seal in your renewal of spirit.

LPS0035-001 04/20/24 1:00 pm-3:30 pm
Instructor: Susan Churchill
TUITION & FEE: $25.00

The Formula of Trust
We are all familiar with phrases like just trust me and I have trust issues. Is trust a feeling? What if I forgive someone and I am hurt again? What breaks and repairs trust in relationships and in our trusting ourselves? Do forgiveness and boundaries play a role in our willingness to trust once we are betrayed? This fast-paced and interactive 90-minute class will explore the intersections of trust, forgiveness, and boundaries while teaching skills and strategies.

LIO0031-002 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/19/24 6:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Pamela Rak
TUITION & FEE: $25.00

Boxing
Emphasizing proper stance, technique, footwork, and offensive and defensive skills, you will develop your endurance while learning the skills and techniques of boxing in this great workout class. All equipment is provided. This class is co-listed with the Kinesiology department.

LPA0008-001 01/17/24-03/06/24 10:00 am-10:50 am
TUITION & FEE: $175.00

Judo and Self-Defense
This course provides an understanding and practical application of all aspects of judo and self-defense. Includes proper training methods, physical conditioning, techniques and rules and regulations for contests. Advanced students will be instructed on Randori and prepared for competition. This class is available to all levels and competition is not a requirement of this program. Designed for students who are able to safely participate in cardiorespiratory and resistance activities and may include the use of equipment.

LPA0008-002 03/11/24-05/08/24 10:00 am-10:50 am
TUITION & FEE: $175.00

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Personal Self-Defense Workshop

Personal safety, security, and protection are top of mind for just about everyone due to the elevated number of personal attacks being carried out each day. Understanding what to do in the event of a physical attack before, during, and after is very useful, and in most cases can save your life. In this class, you will learn the concepts of situational awareness, and how to mentally respond/react during and after a physical attack. In addition, you will learn how to physically respond/react to a physical attack, which will include effective self-defense movements, and various types of strikes.

LPS0030-004 Harper Main Campus 01/30/24 TU 6:00 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Pete Almeida
TUITION & FEE: $30.00

LPS0030-005 Harper Main Campus 04/27/24 SA 1:00 pm-3:30 pm
Instructor: Pete Almeida
TUITION & FEE: $30.00

Wellness

Crushing Your Health Goal

If you have struggled with motivation, or consistency to get the results you want then this is the workshop for you. Come learn why you have not been able to reach your goals and leave with step-by-step strategies and tools to empower you to get results and achieve your objectives. Please bring a notebook and pen for note taking and journaling.

LPS0037-001 Harper Main Campus 01/10/24 WE 6:00 pm-8:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $30.00

Baby Steps to Big Results

If you have had trouble losing weight or improving your health, maybe you have not been doing the right things. In this workshop, Functional Medicine Practitioner Dr. Amy Iaquinta will provide you with the knowledge and the tools to address your health and lose weight by looking at the whole picture. Bring a notebook and pen for note taking.

LPS0038-001 Harper Main Campus 04/10/24 WE 6:00 pm-7:30 pm
TUITION & FEE: $30.00

Yoga

Chair Yoga

Also called Mindfulness in Motion, Yoga means weaving or yoking together of mind, body and spirit. Imagine being in a relaxed yogic state and practicing wherever you sit regardless of your age, level of activity or physical size. Chair yoga is specifically designed for those that desire an adaptive yoga program whether for personal needs, workplace stress management, etc. You will move your entire body through its full range of motion in concert with your breathing to balance the nervous system, elicit a deep sense of relaxation in your mind-body physiology, increase flexibility, improve strength and balance and so much more. No yoga experience necessary. Bring a yoga strap or flexible belt/tie for some of the poses. Age: 16+ years.

LPE0005-028 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/08/24-03/11/24 MO 5:15 pm-6:15 pm
Instructor: Mary Beth L. Janssen
TUITION & FEE: $109.00

LPE0005-029 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/18/24-05/13/24 MO 5:15 pm-6:15 pm
Instructor: Mary Beth L. Janssen
TUITION & FEE: $109.00

Exploring Yoga

Experience the benefits of yoga including improved physical fitness, mental clarity, greater self-understanding, tension relief and general well-being. You will learn about postures, meditation, relaxation techniques and more. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a yoga mat.

LPS0023-006 Harper Main Campus 01/10/24-03/13/24 WE 6:30 pm-8:00 pm
Instructor: Ralph S. Nicksarlian
TUITION & FEE: $105.00

LPS0023-007 Harper Main Campus 04/03/24-05/22/24 WE 6:30 pm-8:00 pm
Instructor: Ralph S. Nicksarlian
TUITION & FEE: $105.00

Personal Self-Defense for Healthcare Workers

A healthcare worker self-defense class is a valuable resource for individuals working in the healthcare industry, providing them with the necessary skills to protect themselves and others in potentially dangerous situations. This class outline aims to empower healthcare workers with mental and physical self-defense training, focusing on the unique challenges they may face in their roles. By equipping healthcare workers with the necessary skills and knowledge to protect themselves and others, this self-defense class will help create a safer and more secure environment for all those involved in the healthcare industry.

LPS0036-001 Harper Main Campus 03/02/24 SA 1:00 pm-3:30 pm
Instructor: Pete Almeida
TUITION & FEE: $30.00

LPS0036-002 Harper Main Campus 04/02/24 TU 6:00 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Pete Almeida
TUITION & FEE: $30.00
Hatha Yoga
This yoga class will focus on developing strength, flexibility and balance through the yoga poses practiced. Additional benefits of this course include breath work, mediation, and conditioning. Posture and poses learned are practiced at a slower pace than other forms of yoga.

LPS0031-003  Harper Main Campus
01/08/24-03/11/24  MO  5:00 pm-6:00 pm
Instructor: Mary Kay Harton
TUITION & FEE: $85.00

LPS0031-004  Harper Main Campus
04/01/24-05/20/24  MO  5:00 pm-6:00 pm
Instructor: Mary Kay Harton
TUITION & FEE: $68.00

Yoga: Next Challenge
Often called, Meditation or Mindfulness in Motion, in this intermediate yoga class you will work on heightening your awareness, deepening your practice, creating balance and strength, thus wellness, within all the layers of your being physically, mentally, emotionally and spiritually. You’ll learn and further refine your practice of yoga postures and healing breath work as to feel more comfortable, fluid, at ease and flexible in mind and body. This energizing, relaxing and transformative class is designed as the next step for those who have taken a beginning Yoga class. Age: 16+ years.

LPE0011-028  ONLINE-Live Meetings
01/08/24-03/11/24  MO  6:30 pm-8:00 pm
Instructor: Mary Beth L. Janssen
TUITION & FEE: $149.00

LPE0011-029  ONLINE-Live Meetings
03/18/24-05/13/24  MO  6:30 pm-8:00 pm
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Join a small group tour of the Art Institute of Chicago and see some of the museum’s most famous exhibits. The Art Institute of Chicago is widely regarded as one of the finest art museums in the world. The museum also boasts an Impressionist collection that rivals many museums around the world. You’ll meet your high caliber guide at the front door then embark on a journey about the museum’s history and the full story about the masterpieces on display and their background. Only eight people are allowed on this intimate tour. Follow your guide to skip the lines at the museum’s best exhibits. The focus of this tour will be the exhibit Picasso: Drawing from Life, ending on April 8, 2024. For more details, visit ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0124-002 Other Locations/Offsite 03/15/24 FR 1:00 pm-3:30 pm
Instructor: Angela Redmond
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Start Your Own Arts and Crafts Business

If you have an art or a craft and you dream about starting your own home-based or small business, this is the course for you! You will learn to start your own arts and crafts business from a professional artist. You will learn to create your own unique business identity, and discover what makes marketing in the arts and crafts business different from marketing in most other enterprises and find a sales approach that fits your personality. You will learn how to find and get into the best craft shows, as well as design booths that really draw customers in. You will discover how to price your work effectively so you can set yourself up for success whether you are selling through craft shows, in galleries, online, or even in your own retail store.

LPL0021-001 ONLINE-Self Paced 02/14/24-04/04/24
Instructor: Shirley George Frazier
TUITION & FEE: $129.00

Animation

Animation Fundamentals

Do you want to give a spark of life to your drawings? The Animation Fundamentals course is an exciting journey into the world of animation, designed to provide students with a solid foundation in animation’s principles, techniques, and creative processes. Whether you’re a budding animator, a storyteller, or simply curious about bringing characters and objects to life, this course is your gateway to the magical world of animation.

LEI0022-002 Harper Main Campus 01/23/24-03/12/24 TU 5:15 pm-7:15 pm
Instructor: Michael Kohler
TUITION & FEE: $299.00

Animation Lip Syncing

Animation Lip Syncing is a specialized course dedicated to the intricate art of synchronizing character lip movements with spoken dialogue. This course is designed for students and aspiring animators seeking to develop their skills in lip-syncing, a fundamental aspect of character animation that brings dialogue, emotion, and believability to animated characters.

LEI0143-001 Harper Main Campus 03/13/24-05/08/24 WE 5:00 pm-7:00 pm
Instructor: Michael Kohler
TUITION & FEE: $329.00

Logo Design and Logo Animation

Logo Design and Logo Animation is a dynamic course that combines the art of creating compelling brand identities with the power of motion graphics. This course is designed for students, graphic designers, and aspiring animators who want to master the creation of logos and take them to the next level by adding animation for enhanced brand recognition and engagement.

LEI0144-001 Harper Main Campus 01/25/24-03/14/24 TH 5:15 pm-7:15 pm
Instructor: Michael Kohler
TUITION & FEE: $329.00

Drawing and Painting

Drawing for Beginners

Learn the fundamentals of drawing and sketching, which you can apply to other mediums. Using a unique and highly effective approach, the instructor will guide you through drawing simple objects from real life. Working primarily with pencil, you will develop composition, shading, and one- and two-point perspective skills. You will develop an understanding of light and shadow while drawing various objects. This course is designed for beginners but also suitable for artists seeking a refresher.

LEI0002-019 ONLINE-Self Paced 01/23/24-03/12/24
Instructor: Nonna L. Mynatt
TUITION & FEE: $225.00
Drawing Studio
Develop your skills through ongoing interaction with our expert instructor. If you have completed Drawing for Beginners or have the equivalent experience, you will enjoy a greater emphasis on rendering and producing a finished piece of work. The class will combine individualized attention with structured lessons that will help you build and refine your fundamental skills, particularly in human anatomy. Additional tools, including colored pencils, ink, pastel, and charcoal, will also be introduced.

LEI0003-013 Harper Main Campus
03/19/24-05/14/24 Instructor: Nonna L. Mynatt
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

"Nonna is enthusiastic and has a trained eye to spot problems and suggests corrections as well as demonstrates personally. She changes up the session with spotlights on artists and books and how they relate to subject matter. J. L."

Oil and Acrylic Painting: Advanced
Are you familiar with painting fundamentals and eager to pursue your unique artistic interests? Using your existing painting expertise as a base, are you interested in learning how to paint portraits, landscapes, and other complicated subject matter in various styles? This course is appropriate for you. This advanced painting course is designed to assist students at all skill levels and painterly comfort levels in developing their projects (landscape, still life, portraits, abstraction) and painting styles.

LEI0138-001 Harper Main Campus
01/18/24-03/07/24 TH 7:00 pm-10:00 pm Instructor: William Blake
TUITION & FEE: $299.00

LEI0138-002 Harper Main Campus
03/14/24-05/16/24 TH 7:00 pm-10:00 pm Instructor: William Blake
TUITION & FEE: $299.00

Gouache Painting
Within this course, you will learn how to paint with gouache; an opaque watercolor. By use of various papers, brush applications, color schemes, and techniques; you will learn how to incorporate the medium into your portfolio. We will view notable artworks in gouache, while also creating studies and final pieces. You will learn about linear placement, capturing light, planes, and color through detailed landscapes, representational objects, animals and insects, portraiture, and abstraction. Watercolor for Beginners is a prerequisite to this course. Completion of Drawing for Beginners is recommended.

LEI0076-009 Harper Main Campus
04/05/24-04/26/24 FR 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Angela Redmond
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Oil and Acrylic Painting: Beginning
While you learn the fundamentals of painting with both acrylic and oil paint, you will be challenged to develop your skills. You will initially work with oil before trying your hand with acrylic paint. Our instructor uses an individualized approach to teaching, which stresses demonstrating and practicing the techniques needed to achieve your desired result. Completion of a drawing class or a similar experience is encouraged.

LEI0001-031 Harper Main Campus
01/23/24-03/12/24 Tu 7:00 pm-10:00 pm Instructor: Angela Redmond
TUITION & FEE: $269.00

LEI0001-032 Harper Main Campus
03/19/24-05/14/24 Tu 7:00 pm-10:00 pm Instructor: Angela Redmond
TUITION & FEE: $269.00

Watercolor for Beginners
This course is designed for the beginning student or those seeking a refresher. It will help you learn the skills and techniques to create beautiful watercolor paintings. You will learn to mix and blend colors, control water, and use brush strokes for different effects. Information about using various watercolor paints, papers, and brushes will also be presented. You should complete a drawing course or have similar skills before taking a watercolor class.

LEI0004-007 Harper Main Campus
03/07/24-04/11/24 TH 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Angela Redmond
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Advanced Watercolor
Within this course, we will explore advanced techniques of watercolor painting. We will work with elements of capturing light, value, linear planes, and color through detailed landscapes, representational objects, animals and insects, portraiture, and abstraction. Watercolor for Beginners is a prerequisite to this course. Completion of Drawing for Beginners is recommended.

LEI0088-005 Harper Main Campus
04/18/24-05/09/24 TH 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Angela Redmond
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Hand Press Embossing
Have fun creating mini embossed papers. Perfect for entertainment, such as place cards, gift tags, greeting cards, and artwork! We will use a pasta maker and other everyday items to emboss heavy printing paper to create beautiful, subtle designs. Please bring a variety of “flat” hard items. Good examples are keys, buttons, string, and tag board cut-outs; anything “flat” with a texture is perfect. We will create mini plates to emboss in class if you have nothing, so don’t worry!

LEI0140-001 Harper Main Campus
03/05/24 Tu 6:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Anna Hess
TUITION & FEE: $49.00

Bronze Casting and Artistic Welding
In this class, you will create elements of your design in steel and copper to make your indoor or outdoor space as individual as you are. This class will provide user-friendly instruction in steel handling techniques, including MIG welding and plasma cutting. These are the easiest and the safest methods to learn. No previous welding experience is necessary, but basic welding safety will be stressed. The instructor will assist with welding parts of your project as required.

LEI0019-016 Harper Main Campus
03/16/24-05/11/24 Sa 9:00 am-12:00 pm Instructor: John Kurman
TUITION & FEE: $435.00

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Pottery for Beginners and Advanced Students

In this course, beginners will learn several hand-building techniques, basic clay terms and techniques, and basic wheel throwing. You'll learn these skills through weekly demonstrations and interaction with the instructor. Advanced students are encouraged to pursue their interests and project development or polish their skills. Both beginners and experienced students will benefit from the instructor's assistance and interaction with other students.

LEI0013-056  Harper Main Campus 01/20/24-03/09/24 SA 9:00 am-11:30 am Instructor: Bettie Gong TUITION & FEE: $410.00

LEI0013-057  Harper Main Campus 01/20/24-03/09/24 SA 12:00 pm-2:30 pm Instructor: Bettie Gong TUITION & FEE: $410.00

LEI0013-058  Harper Main Campus 03/16/24-05/11/24 SA 9:00 am-11:30 am Instructor: Bettie Gong TUITION & FEE: $410.00

LEI0013-059  Harper Main Campus 03/16/24-05/11/24 SA 12:00 pm-2:30 pm Instructor: Bettie Gong TUITION & FEE: $410.00

Pottery Workshop

In this course, a continuation of Pottery for Beginners, you will receive individualized attention for projects that call for more complex techniques. In the context of this workshop, projects involving wheel throwing and hand construction may be completed. A deeper investigation of the ceramic arts will benefit students with a basic understanding of ceramics. Pottery for Beginners, Pottery, Wheel Throwing for Beginners, or a comparable experience level are prerequisites. For the Supply List, go to ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0033-039  Harper Main Campus 01/22/24-03/11/24 MO 3:00 pm-5:50 pm Instructor: Janice C. Kosteln TUITION & FEE: $410.00

LEI0033-041  Harper Main Campus 01/22/24-03/11/24 MO 6:30 pm-9:20 pm Instructor: Janice C. Kosteln TUITION & FEE: $410.00

LEI0033-040  Harper Main Campus 03/18/24-05/06/24 MO 3:00 pm-5:50 pm Instructor: Janice C. Kosteln TUITION & FEE: $410.00

LEI0033-042  Harper Main Campus 03/18/24-05/06/24 MO 6:30 pm-9:20 pm Instructor: Janice C. Kosteln TUITION & FEE: $410.00

Botanical Relief Tiles

Make something a little different that is easy and looks terrific! You do not need to know how to draw or paint to create something beautiful. We will use clay to create an impression and then cast it in plaster. You can use leaves and flowers to develop botanical-inspired tiles, or feel free to impress other objects into the clay, such as gears, sticks, coins, and cardboard shapes; anything with a textured surface will produce a cast. Students should bring an apron.

LEI0141-001  Harper Main Campus 02/20/24 TU 6:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Anna Hess TUITION & FEE: $75.00

Independent Art Lab

Continue developing your technical and aesthetic skills in calligraphy, drawing and sketching, painting, and sculpting as you work on projects at your own pace at our Learning and Career Center campus in Prospect Heights. This open, non-instructional workshop provides you with a set day and time and a studio containing drawing boards, easels, tables and chairs, and a sink for washing up. Bring your project(s) and materials.

LEI0036-035  Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 01/23/24-03/12/24 TU 9:00 am-12:00 pm TUITION & FEE: $25.00

LEI0036-036  Harper Learning & Career Center, PH 03/19/24-05/14/24 TU 9:00 am-12:00 pm TUITION & FEE: $25.00

More Crochet

Are you tired of making long chains and squares? This class is for the beginning crocheter who wants to refine their technique and increase their crochet vocabulary and skill set. We will cover topics such as how to make a magic circle and read a pattern and different types of stitches. Students will have the opportunity to create simple stuffed toys and a stitch sampler blanket. Bring at least two skeins of worsted-weight acrylic or cotton yarn and an H/8 (5.5mm) crochet hook. Previous basic crochet experience is recommended.

LEI0133-001  Harper Main Campus 02/23/24-03/15/24 FR 10:00 am-12:00 pm Instructor: Suzanne Labowicz TUITION & FEE: $125.00
Shibori: The Art of Japanese Indigo Dye Technique

Explore the art of the Shibori dye technique developed in Japan starting in the mid-8th century. Out of the six primary forms of Shibori, we will explore Itajame, Kanoko, Arashi, and Kumo. Students will receive 28 x 28 cotton tea towels for each dying technique. If you wish to dye an alternative item, please contact the instructor at ha14605@harpercollege.edu to ensure dye quantity and pre-treating fabric by washing it in hot water and drying it with no fabric softener.

LEI0142-001  
Harper Main Campus  
01/25/24  
Instructor: Anna Heas  
TUITION & FEE: $75.00

Glass Arts and Jewelry

Beginning Glassblowing

In this class, you can pick out the colors, experiment with specialty glass, and use different techniques. You’ll also start making different paperweights to build your skills and learn how to blow the glass of different shapes and sizes. Each student can expect to make 8 - 12 pieces in this class. This class meets at a local studio; see full details at ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0116-002  
Other Locations/Offsite  
03/13/24  
WE  
6:00 pm-10:00 pm  
Instructor: Patterson Glass  
TUITION & FEE: $165.00

Glass Egg

Create your glass Egg. Pick your colors for the Egg from a wide variety of choices. The artist will instruct you at each step. After completing your project, it will be put into the kiln for three days to cool. You can pick it up after three days or have it shipped for an additional fee. This class meets at a local studio, see full details at ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0136-001  
Other Locations/Offsite  
03/21/24  
TH  
6:00 pm-9:00 pm  
Instructor: Patterson Glass  
TUITION & FEE: $75.00

Glass Flower or Shamrock

Create your own Flower or Shamrock. Pick your colors for the Flower or Shamrock from various choices. The artist will instruct you at each step. After completing your project, it will be put into the kiln for three days to cool. You can pick it up after three days, or you can have it shipped for an additional fee. This class meets at a local studio, see full details at ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0135-001  
Other Locations/Offsite  
03/07/24  
TH  
6:00 pm-9:00 pm  
Instructor: Patterson Glass  
TUITION & FEE: $45.00

Glass Heart

Create your own large Heart. Pick your colors for the Heart from a wide variety of choices. The artist will instruct you at each step. After completing your project, it will be put into the kiln for three days to cool. You can pick it up after three days, or you can have it shipped for an additional fee. This class meets at a local studio, see full details at ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0134-001  
Other Locations/Offsite  
01/29/24  
FR  
6:00 pm-9:00 pm  
Instructor: Patterson Glass  
TUITION & FEE: $85.00

Glass Pendant

Create your glass pendant. Pick your colors for the pendant from a wide variety of choices. The artist will instruct you at each step. After completing your project, it will be put into the kiln for three days to cool. You can pick it up after three days, or you can have it shipped for an additional fee. This class meets at a local studio, see full details at ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0137-001  
Other Locations/Offsite  
04/25/24  
TH  
6:00 pm-9:00 pm  
Instructor: Patterson Glass  
TUITION & FEE: $45.00

Orb Glass

You’ll get to make three different pieces while utilizing various techniques. You can choose your own colors, including one Glo-in-the-Dark. The cost for this class includes all materials. Each person will get a tour of the studio, gallery, and Hot Shop and a short explanation of the instructor’s background. The group will also receive a Demonstration of a Blown Art Glass Piece at the end of class. This class meets at a local studio; see full details at ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0117-004  
Other Locations/Offsite  
01/18/24  
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6:00 pm-9:00 pm  
Instructor: Patterson Glass  
TUITION & FEE: $165.00

LEI0117-005  
Other Locations/Offsite  
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6:00 pm-9:00 pm  
Instructor: Patterson Glass  
TUITION & FEE: $165.00

Sculpture Glass

You’ll get to make three different sculptural pieces while utilizing various techniques. Each person will get a tour of the studio, gallery, and Hot Shop and a short explanation of the instructor’s background. The group will also receive a Demonstration of a Blown Art Glass Piece at the end of class. This class meets at a local studio; see full details at ce.harpercollege.edu.

LEI0118-003  
Other Locations/Offsite  
02/15/24  
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6:00 pm-9:00 pm  
Instructor: Patterson Glass  
TUITION & FEE: $200.00

LEI0118-004  
Other Locations/Offsite  
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6:00 pm-9:00 pm  
Instructor: Patterson Glass  
TUITION & FEE: $200.00

Introduction to Jewelry Making

Learn to hand-fabricate jewelry. Guided projects will introduce you to basic jewelry-making techniques, including sawing, piercing, stamping, surface texturing, making rolling mill patterns, soldering, polishing, finishing, simple stone setting, and more. You will learn to design and produce your creations, making earrings, rings, pendants, and other pieces. Tools and an initial metal supply to complete a basic project are provided. Students with some experience can work at their own pace. Visit ce.harpercollege.edu for the Supply List.

LEI0007-014  
Harper Main Campus  
01/31/24-05/15/24  
WE  
6:30 pm-9:00 pm  
Instructor: Venus Cramer  
TUITION & FEE: $615.00
**Floral Design**

**Floral Design**

Check out what a flower design can do! For each workshop, a variety of options, supplies, and techniques are used. These workshops emphasize creating designs that stand out rather than sticking with conventional floral arrangements. Everyone will design their arrangement to take home and learn how to make a statement with vibrant, preserving bouquets! You’ll get the knowledge necessary to elevate every day to the extraordinary!

Moss Wall Panel, February Floral Design
LEI0107-022
Harper Main Campus
02/03/24
 Instructor: Minhua Liu
TUITION & FEE: $155.00

Terrariums
LEI0107-018
Harper Main Campus
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 Instructor: Minhua Liu
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Waxed Bulbs and Eggshell Candles
LEI0107-019
Harper Main Campus
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 Instructor: Minhua Liu
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Garden Party
LEI0107-015
Harper Main Campus
03/23/24
 Instructor: Anna Hess
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Arrangements for Entertaining
LEI0107-017
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 Instructor: Anna Hess
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Thinking Outside the Vase
LEI0107-014
Harper Main Campus
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 Instructor: Anna Hess
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Mother’s Day Inspired Flowers
LEI0107-016
Harper Main Campus
05/10/24
 Instructor: Anna Hess
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Ikebana for Beginners: The Art of Japanese Flower Arranging

If flowers and simple elegance are your aesthetic, then you’ll love Ikebana. Ikebana is the Japanese art of flower arrangement, which expresses the beauty of nature through transforming plant materials into a work of art. With the principles of Ikebana, you can put together a stunning show using just a few stems. In this course, you will learn basic Ikebana arrangements. All the materials for the workshop will be provided. You will bring home your creative flower arrangement after the class!

LEI0128-001
Harper Main Campus
03/15/24
 Instructor: Minhua Liu
TUITION & FEE: $70.00

LEI0128-002
Harper Main Campus
04/05/24
 Instructor: Minhua Liu
TUITION & FEE: $70.00

**Photography and Videography**

**Beginning Photography**

Get comfortable with how your camera works and get the best photographs possible. This course will help you understand ISO, shutter speeds, f stops, depth of field, exposure, and white balance. You will explore the use of different lenses, good composition and how dramatic lighting can make your photos more exciting. You will be introduced to the concepts of photographing people along with objects. Classroom instruction and hands on practice through assignments will help you learn to get the most from your photographs.

LEI0032-037
ONLINE-Live Meetings
01/28/24-03/14/24
 Instructor: Harold Rail
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

**Intermediate Photography**

Go beyond the basics and discover how to create more compelling photographs. This course will help you further develop your photographic style and skills by focusing on composition, lighting, color, and flash techniques. Telling a visual story through photojournalism, portraits, still life, close-ups, motion, and outdoor composition will be discussed. Classroom instruction and hands-on practice through assignments will help you learn how to get the most from your photographs.

LEI0034-014
ONLINE-Live Meetings
02/21/24-04/06/24
 Instructor: Harold Rail
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

**Challenging Photographic Advanced Assignments Course**

This course is for advanced photography students and explores ways to complete challenging and thought-provoking photographic assignments. It includes photo essay/story assignments, explorative self-image assignments, forced perspective, using alternative light sources, minimalism or abstract photography, multiple exposures, etc. Each week, our online meetings will investigate and research a specific and challenging assignment, discuss means for carrying it out, and allow individual self-exploration to complete the work.

LEI0132-001
ONLINE-Live Meetings
03/14/24-05/09/24
 Instructor: Harold Rail
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

**Immersive Photography Experience: Photographing Chicago Architecture**

Chicago has endless unique and worth-capturing locations to photograph. From its stunning skyline and architectural marvels to its outdoor serenity, lakes, parks, and rivers, capturing the history and tranquility of Chicago is an absolute delight for amateur and professional photographers. This course focuses on Chicago’s architecture. The Photographing Chicago Architecture course is designed for photographers at any experience level. In this class, students can visually explore the nation’s most beautiful city.

LEI0090-006
ONLINE-Live Meetings
03/18/24-04/08/24
 Instructor: Harold Rail
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

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Harold is an excellent photography teacher. His assignments were interesting and helpful in improving my photographic skills. I would highly recommend his teaching skills. M. F.
Immersive Photography Experience: Street Photography Downtown Chicago

Chicago has endless locations to photograph that are unique and worth capturing. Chicago is well known for its diverse population; many well-known and famous photographers have developed their street and people portfolios in this city of characters; think of Vivian Maier, Victor Skrebnieski, Gordon Parks, Garry Winogrand, and even as far back as Walker Evans. Throughout the many architectural marvels and its outdoor serenity, lakes, parks, and rivers, street photography in Chicago is an absolute delight for any photographer.

LEI0091-008 ONLINE-Live Meetings 04/15/24-05/06/24 MO 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Harold Rail TUITION & FEE: $225.00

LEI0091-008 ONLINE-Live Meetings 04/20/24-05/04/24 TH 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Harold Rail TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Fundamentals of Newborn Photography

The course prepares beginner and profession-
al photographers to enter the world of a par-
ticular area: photography of newborn babies. It offers step-by-step instructions on newborn famous poses, best angels, lighting setups, and digital backgrounds for these composi-
tions. The course introduces the usage of the right props and equipment, baby warping, and relaxation techniques. It provides the learning steps for editing and enhancing RAW images.

LEI0094-007 Harper Main Campus 01/19/24-03/08/24 FR 3:30 pm-4:45 pm Instructor: Edyta Pavulska TUITION & FEE: $249.00

LEI0094-008 Harper Main Campus 04/05/24-05/10/24 FR 3:30 pm-5:10 pm Instructor: Edyta Pavulska TUITION & FEE: $249.00

Portrait Photography

This online portrait photography class is designed to teach you everything about taking beautiful images. You will learn how to work with individuals, groups, children, and pets. Learn from professional photographers to understand the effects of lighting and the gear that you will use. Each of your projects will be reviewed and judged by your instructor as you progress. You will have made a portfolio of powerful photos, and you will have the know-
edge and skills to shoot outstanding portraits.

LEI0086-003 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/20/24-05/08/24 WE 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Harold Rail TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Still Life Photography

In this class, you'll create images with complete control over lighting, mood, and composition. Because the photographer directly influences the image creation process, still-life photos reflect the creativity and style of the photographers themselves. The class will discuss photographic equipment, lighting styles, and subject matter and explore the works of well-known photographers. Each session will include a group critique, a study of styles, and a compelling weekly assignment.

LEI0131-001 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/18/24-03/07/24 TH 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Harold Rail TUITION & FEE: $225.00

The History of 20th Century Photography

Photographers working in the 20th century are an excellent source of inspiration, developing photographic styles and influencing creative photographers to expand their skills and meth-
ods. Studying the evolution of photography through the work of innovative photographers and their contribution to the current state of photography opens the door to an informed ap-
proach to one's photographic style. Influential photographers from the turn of the century will be presented and studied weekly.

LEI0073-005 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/19/24-03/08/24 FR 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Harold Rail TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Video Editing for Beginners

Learn to edit videos in our beginner-friendly course. You'll learn to organize your projects and use different editing styles to fit your goals. We'll explore using transitions, working with audio, and adding still images and text to your videos. This course will teach essential tech-
niques for any video editing system, with no expensive software required. Turn any video into a polished piece for personal or professional use. Students should be comfortable using a computer.

LEI0054-004 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/17/24-03/06/24 WE 5:00 pm-6:45 pm Instructor: Daniel McCallum TUITION & FEE: $259.00

LEI0054-005 ONLINE-Live Meetings 03/13/24-05/08/24 WE 5:00 pm-6:45 pm Instructor: Daniel McCallum TUITION & FEE: $259.00

Software for Artists

Adobe for Artists

This course will help you acquire the knowl-
edge and practical skills to utilize digital art software to create artwork in a digital envi-
ronment. You'll learn to create digital images and graphics expressing your artistic thoughts. Such skills can help you conquer challenges and enhance your message. In Photoshop, you'll learn to use brushes, color pickers, and layers; skills necessary for photo editing, ma-
nipulation, and digital composition.

LEI0096-006 Harper Main Campus 01/19/24-03/08/24 FR 5:00 pm-6:30 pm Instructor: Edyta Pavulska TUITION & FEE: $179.00

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Adobe Premiere Pro
Introduction
Adobe Premiere Pro is a powerful and popular tool for editing high-quality video. Whether for business, personal, or educational use, this course will get you started learning the fundamental tools you need to be successful with Adobe Premiere Pro. Learn how to create and organize projects and work with any media. You’ll explore various tools for editing video, adjusting audio, basic color correction, effective transitions, and how to share your video when it’s finished. The course requires access to Adobe Premiere Pro.

LEI0139-002 ONLINE-Live Meetings
01/17/24-03/06/24 WE 7:00 pm-8:45 pm
Instructor: Daniel McCallum
TUITION & FEE: $299.00

LEI0139-003 ONLINE-Live Meetings
03/13/24-05/08/24 WE 7:00 pm-8:45 pm
Instructor: Daniel McCallum
TUITION & FEE: $299.00

Adobe InDesign Essentials Digital Badge
Adobe InDesign is the industry standard page-layout program that works with Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop seamlessly. InDesign allows you to create simple to complex multi-page documents such as brochures, flyers, books and magazines. This course is a comprehensive exploration of InDesign tools and capabilities to create professional documents. You will learn how to manage the InDesign environment, create, setup, design, enhance and finalize multi-page documents. Access to Adobe InDesign software required.

LRN0182-010 ONLINE-Self Paced
04/01/24-04/26/24
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Adobe Illustrator Essentials
Adobe Illustrator is the industry standard computer illustration software. Use Illustrator to draw shapes and design logos, flyers, posters, banners, business cards or any other vector graphics for print or web.

Adobe Photoshop Essentials
This fundamental course covers Adobe Photoshop CC most commonly used tools, menus and panels. You’ll learn all the basics of Photoshop to effectively work with selection and editing tools, layers, and masks to edit, retouch and enhance existing images or create your own composite digital art work. Impress your business organization, friends and family by enhancing their photos and create magazine cover quality enhanced images. Access to Adobe Photoshop software required.

LRN0182-010 ONLINE-Self Paced
04/01/24-04/26/24
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Music Classes
Blues Harmonica Fundamentals
Join with others to make music in a fun, welcoming environment. We focus on the basics from producing single notes to understanding song form. Reading music is not required. You will learn basic harmonica chords, licks, and solo techniques while jamming together and receiving encouraging feedback and having fun socializing. You may repeat repertoire classes as needed. There are dozens of songs to learn at every skill level. Songs change from session to session. Students should bring a diatonic harmonica in the key of C. The Hohner Marine Band, Crossover, or Special 20 models are recommended. ‘If you can breathe, you can play,’ Joe Filisko.

LMU0008-030 ONLINE-Live Meetings
01/18/24-03/07/24 TH 7:00 pm-8:15 pm
Instructor: David Kachalon
TUITION & FEE: $215.00

LMU0008-031 ONLINE-Live Meetings
03/14/24-05/09/24 TH 7:00 pm-8:15 pm
Instructor: David Kachalon
TUITION & FEE: $215.00

In-Person
Live Online
Self-Paced
Training Institute (LLI)
World Languages
Youth & Teens

Online Self-Paced
Graphic Design Software Essentials Digital Badge
The Adobe software tools are the leading software for graphic design. Adobe Illustrator is the industry standard computer illustration software. Adobe InDesign is the industry standard page-layout program that works with Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop seamlessly. Use Adobe Photoshop to effectively work with selection and editing tools, layers, and masks to edit, retouch and enhance existing images or create your own composite digital art work.

This Digital Badge requires completion of three courses:
- Adobe Illustrator Essentials (LRN0181)
- Adobe Photoshop Essentials (LRN0167)
- Adobe InDesign Essentials (LRN0182)

David makes learning the harmonica a fun, challenging and strengthening experience. M.H.
Group Ukulele

Learn how to play the ukulele, the most lovable little four-stringed instrument. You will learn a variety of pieces from different genres including classical, popular, spiritual, blues, jazz, and holiday. Instruments will be provided for the whole duration of the course.

LMU0006-023 01/16/24-03/05/24 5:30 pm-6:30 pm
TUITION & FEE: $159.00
Instructor: Jeremie Witz
Harper Main Campus

LMU0006-024 03/12/24-05/07/24 5:30 pm-6:30 pm
TUITION & FEE: $159.00
Instructor: Jeremie Witz
Harper Main Campus

Class Piano II

This course helps students develop a rudimentary knowledge of the keyboard and playing skills sufficient to cope with simple, practical situations. Emphasis on tonal notation, harmonization, transposition, sight reading, improvisation, ensemble playing, and piano literature. Prerequisite MUS 165 with a grade of C or better or proficiency examination. For more questions, please get in touch with Janice Razaq at jrazaq@harpercollege.edu or 847.925.6487.

LMU0096-008 01/17/24-05/18/24 1:00 am-12:15 pm
TUITION & FEE: $250.00
Instructor: Levonne S. Mrozinski
Harper Main Campus

Piano Pleasure, Beginners 1 and 2

This class is designed for students with little or no previous piano lessons. Students will use the Alfred Piano 101 for Beginners (book 1) to focus on music notation, staff note reading, rhythms, finger exercises, and playing short songs in various styles. Those with previous piano experience will expand on previously learned concepts and focus on advancing staff reading with key signatures, playing with both hands simultaneously, scale and chord techniques, and playing music in a broader range of styles.

LMU0036-022 01/12/24-04/05/24 9:30 am-10:20 am
TUITION & FEE: $204.00
Instructor: Cheryl Lim
Harper Main Campus

LMU0036-023 02/05/24-05/06/24 12:00 am-12:50 am
TUITION & FEE: $204.00
Instructor: Helen L. Chang
Harper Main Campus

LMU0036-024 02/05/24-05/06/24 2:00 pm-2:50 pm
TUITION & FEE: $204.00
Instructor: Helen L. Chang
Harper Main Campus

LMU0036-025 04/12/24-05/10/24 9:30 am-10:20 am
TUITION & FEE: $94.00
Instructor: Cheryl Lim
Harper Main Campus

Piano Pleasure, Beginners 3 and 4

The Beginners 3 and 4 levels of Piano Pleasure will finish Piano 101 Book 1 and begin Piano 101 Book 2. You will continue progressing through more complex staff reading, moving freely about the keyboard, obtaining more technical skills and facility with scales, chords and arpeggios, and moving into intermediate piano repertoire.

LMU0101-011 01/12/24-04/05/24 8:30 am-9:20 am
TUITION & FEE: $204.00
Instructor: Cheryl Lim
Harper Main Campus

LMU0101-012 04/12/24-05/10/24 8:30 am-9:20 am
TUITION & FEE: $94.00
Instructor: Cheryl Lim
Harper Main Campus

The instructor is such an outstanding instructor. I look forward to class because I know that not only will I learn basic ukulele skills, but I will have the most enjoyable time during class. There is a wide range of students in the class, from one student who has the basics down pat to those in the middle and then there is myself, who is challenged by arthritic fingers that are fused with pins. Despite my physical limitations, he has found a way to adapt my hand position so that I can execute the chords. He manages to challenge the top student so that he is not bored while making us more challenged students feel like we can do it! The camaraderie he fosters in class is amazing and we feel like a family despite the difference in our musical abilities. I have taken other community education classes but never had an instructor so knowledgeable and friendly. He is one in a million, and truly an asset to Harper College.
PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS

Registration for private music lessons is open throughout the year - for more information call 847.925.6659.

Private lessons are usually scheduled once a week for 30, 45, or 60 minutes for 8 or 16 weeks. We can also arrange to schedule any number of lessons as desired, arranged on a case-by-case basis.

- 30 minutes per week:
  8 weeks, $325; 16 weeks, $589

- 45 minutes per week:
  8 weeks, $440; 16 weeks, $879

- Available only on request - 60 minutes per week:
  8 weeks, $589; 16 weeks, $1069

Instruments we offer:

- **Ages 5 - 8**
  Piano, Suzuki piano, orchestral percussion, violin, Suzuki violin, cello, double bass*, guitar (including electric*), jazz guitar, ukulele, banjo*, jazz piano mandolin, drums, fiddle, voice*, and hand drum.

- **Ages 9 - 10**
  All of the above plus accordion, flute, clarinet, trumpet, double bass and harmonica*.

- **Ages 11 - 17**
  All of the above plus viola, oboe, saxophone, bassoon, trombone, French horn, voice, euphonium, and tuba.

- **Ages 17+**
  All of the above

*Some instruments require that we meet with younger children for assessment.

**Questions?**

Visit harpercollege.edu/cmac or contact Issa at ioulos@harpercollege.edu for more information.

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**Piano Pleasure, Intermediate**

Students will continue mastering more advanced piano skills with emphasis on musicianship and repertoire. Pieces comparable to the level of Bach Minuets and Clementi Sonatinas will be covered. We will explore repertoire from classical and jazz genres, as well as technique and theory. Prerequisite Piano Pleasure Beginners 1 and 2, 3, and Piano Pleasure Developing, or approval of instructor. Please contact 847.925.6659 for more information.

LMU0040-015  
Harper Main Campus  
01/12/24-04/05/24  
FR  10:30 am-1:20 pm  
Instructor: Levonne S. Mrozinski  
TUITION & FEE: $204.00

LMU0040-016  
Harper Main Campus  
04/12/24-05/10/24  
FR  10:30 am-1:20 pm  
Instructor: Levonne S. Mrozinski  
TUITION & FEE: $94.00

**Slap Bass Lab**

This course aims to introduce students to the Slap Bass Technique. This technique is used in Funk, Soul, Fusion, and R&B. The course covers the process and the methods used by Marcus Miller, Victor Wooden, Alain Caron, etc. Students will learn rhythmic accompaniment, melodic development, and slap & tapping for more complicated harmonic and melodic structures and develop faster tempo skills. Students must have basic experience with the electric bass at the beginning level. All types of electric basses are welcome. Students must bring their instruments and amplifiers.

LMU0142-001  
Harper Main Campus  
01/23/24-04/16/24  
TU  6:00 pm-7:00 pm  
Instructor: Petros Dragoumis  
TUITION & FEE: $260.00

**See our Youth and Teens section on p 68 for youth music classes and lessons.**
Chamber Ensemble
This ensemble explores and performs repertoire from standard chamber music literature, folk melodies, compositions, and arrangements from various musical cultures around the globe. It is open to ages 15 and above studying the violin, viola, cello, or piano. It offers a unique platform for encouraging musicians to improve their musicianship while making new friends! Examples of chamber formations include a string duet, trio, quartet, and a piano trio, quartet, and quintet. The ensemble performs at Harper College’s Performing Arts Center, with Dr. Chia-Ying Hsu as director.
LMU0129-005
01/25/24-05/09/24
TH
5:00 pm-6:00 pm
Instructor: Chia-Ying Hsu
TUITION & FEE: $250.00

Electric Jazz and Fusion Ensemble
This ensemble showcases Jazz music by Miles Davis, Chick Corea, Weather Report, Jaco Pastorius, Tribal Tech, Yellow Jackets, and others. Students will become familiar with Jazz Fusion or Rock Jazz. Instruments welcome are electric bass, electric guitar, electric piano, keyboards, drum set, saxophone or trumpet. Students need to have basic knowledge of their instruments. The ability to read music and familiarity with basic music terms are helpful. Students must bring their instruments and amplifiers.
LMU0143-001
01/18/24-04/18/24
TH
5:00 pm-7:00 pm
Instructor: Petros Dragoumis
TUITION & FEE: $394.00

Jazz Ensemble
The Jazz Ensemble is a traditional big band of 15 to 20 players. It is open to all Harper students regardless of major, faculty, staff, and community members. The band performs a range of jazz music, from standards to contemporary hits. This course focuses on the study of the standard Jazz ensemble. It is an overview of various techniques and interpretations as applied to Jazz ensembles and performances. Each semester, the band performs a concert in the Performing Arts Center. For more information about joining, visit ce.harpercollege.edu.
LMU0015-021
01/17/24-05/15/24
Instructor: Kirby Fellis
TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Greek Bouzouki Ensemble I
This course covers the development of the Greek bouzouki based on the works of Markos Vamvakaris (Father of Rebeliko) and Vasilis Tsalitias. The ensemble welcomes 3-string and 4-string bouzoukis, baglama, tzoura, acoustic guitar, drum set and percussion, accordion, piano, and vocals. Students will learn several pieces leading to a professional recording session and a live performance. Prior experience and ability to read music are not required. Everyone is welcome; you don’t need to be Greek to participate. Students must bring their instruments and amplifiers. Visit ce.harpercollege.edu for more details.
LMU0144-001
01/22/24-04/22/24
MO
6:00 pm-7:00 pm
Instructor: Petros Dragoumis
TUITION & FEE: $260.00

Greek Bouzouki Ensemble II
This course is a continuation of Greek Bouzouki Ensemble I, covering the second half of the 20th century and the works of Giorgos Zabetas, Manolis Hiotis, and Christos Nikolopoulos. Students will learn advanced bouzouki techniques, orchestration methods, Greek rhythms, and 20th century and the works of Giorgos Zabe- taf. The ensemble welcomes all bouzouki instruments (3-string, 4-string, tzoura, baglama), acoustic guitar, bass guitar, drums, piano, accordion, and vocals. At the end of the course, there will be a recording session and a live performance. Prerequisite for bouzouki students: Completion of Greek Bouzouki Ensemble I or by audition. No prerequisites for all other instruments. Students are required to bring their instruments with amplifiers if needed.
LMU0145-001
01/22/24-04/22/24
MO
7:00 pm-8:00 pm
Instructor: Petros Dragoumis
TUITION & FEE: $260.00

I’ve been playing bass with Harper’s Back Porch Revue since it began in the Fall of 2017. Although it’s listed as a class, it’s also a lively performing group of people of all ages, from novice to expert. We learn about and play classic old-time American folk, country, and blues music. Instructors Scott Cashman and Bekr Ali do a great job keeping it fun and letting each player create their own part to fit the songs, with gentle guidance. It’s a group learning process, and the performance vibe is friendly and collaborative. It’s always the best part of my week! R.V.

Back Porch Revue Ensemble
Join the ensemble that explores the music of the American South during the late 19th and early 20th Centuries: early blues and country music, old time, folk, spirituals and more. Looking for string instruments of all sorts: guitars, banjos, fiddles, ukuleles bass, etc., and hand drummers and singers. Players should be able to play in the keys of A, C, D, E, G, at a minimum. Reading music and improvising solos are not required, but not required. Informal auditions are held during the first meeting. Members agree to perform in public at least twice per semester.
LMU0013-031
01/24/24-05/08/24
WE
7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Bekr Ali
TUITION & FEE: $35.00

LMU0013-032
01/25/24-05/16/24
TH
7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Scott Cashman, Ph.D.
TUITION & FEE: $35.00
Piano Ensemble
Provides students with piano proficiency the opportunity to perform in a chamber music ensemble. Stresses sight reading and musicianship. Develops skills, musical understanding and enjoyment. Requires the consent of the instructor Janice Razaq at jrazaq@harpercollege.edu.

LMU0029-015 Harper Main Campus 01/17/24-05/15/24 WE 9:20 am-11:50 am Instructor: Janice L. Razaq TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Steel Band I
This is an intermediate group where most members have played in this band for several years. Students learn new pieces in a relaxed atmosphere and a group setting. By the end of the semester, students will be ready to perform with the steel band at the end-of-semester concert. Reading music equivalent to a high school level is a prerequisite. Permission from the instructor and an audition is required to join this group. Students must be age 15 or older to enroll.

LMU0023-015 Harper Main Campus 01/17/24-05/15/24 WE 6:30 pm-9:30 pm Instructor: Paul Ross TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Steel Band II
Harper’s Steel Band II or intermediate steel band is available for students who have either taken Steel Band I, played in another steel band or have extensive experience on another musical instrument. This ensemble will perform more involved compositions with more sophisticated musical arrangements that incorporate more difficult rhythms than Steel Band I. The goal of Steel Band II is to increase the amount and difficulty of repertoire and to prepare for the concert that takes place at the end of the semester. Permission is required by instructor Paul Ross to join this group, pross@harpercollege.edu.

LMU0027-015 Harper Main Campus 01/16/24-05/14/24 TU 6:30 pm-9:30 pm Instructor: Paul Ross TUITION & FEE: $125.00

String Orchestra for Adults
Have fun playing in an ensemble for amateur adult string players. Open to violin, viola, cello and string bass. This ensemble is for the relatively inexperienced player and music is chosen to accommodate the level of the participants. A concert will be presented by the group at the conclusion of the semester. Taught by Edgar Gabriel, well-known Chicago classical and jazz violinist.

LMU0026-019 Harper Main Campus 01/16/24-04/23/24 TU 7:00 pm-8:00 pm Instructor: Edgar Gabriel TUITION & FEE: $250.00

Symphony Orchestra
The Harper Symphony Orchestra (HSO) includes professional, community, and student musicians performing under the creative leadership of William Anthony Porter. The group’s five-concert season, from October to May, features a fantastic selection of orchestral literature and collaborations with renowned soloists worldwide. Professional Harper College students, teachers, staff, and local musicians can join the HSO. An audition is required.

LMU0051-015 Harper Main Campus 01/22/24-05/13/24 MO 7:30 pm-10:00 pm Instructor: Edgar Gabriel TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Wind Symphony
If you are proficient in playing band instruments the Wind Symphony provides you the opportunity to perform music of various styles and types with your peers. You will work diligently on your sight reading and musicianship. Develop your skills, musical understanding, and enjoyment. May be repeated in subsequent semesters. You must obtain the consent of instructor to enroll.

LMU0044-013 Harper Main Campus 01/18/24-05/16/24 TH 7:00 pm-9:30 pm Instructor: Gregory Tipps TUITION & FEE: $125.00

World Music Ensemble
The World Music Ensemble combines Western and non-Western instruments to create unique interpretations of melodies through performing, composing, (re)arranging, and improvisation. This course is considered a general overview of world music. The course highlights the various techniques and interpretation as applied to the different genres explored. The ensemble will explore repertoire from all corners of the world and offer performance opportunities in diverse world music traditions including the classical music, folk music and popular music of various cultural traditions. Students are expected by the end of the course to be able to perform the ensemble at the Perforen Arts Center once each semester, and the group sometimes tours. Besides performances at Carnegie Hall and on radio and television at home and abroad, the group has sung with the Elgin Symphony, the Chicago String Ensemble, the Harper Symphony Orchestra and the International Festival of Choirs in Sienna and Florence, Italy.

LMU0016-013 Harper Main Campus 01/16/24-05/14/24 TU 7:10 pm-9:40 pm Instructor: Issa Boulos TUITION & FEE: $35.00

Concert Choir
This mixed group performs a wide-ranging classical repertoire, from plainchant through to the twentieth century. The choir appears in concerts and chamber music ensembles in the Wind Symphony, the Steel Band, and Steel Band II. The choir sometimes tours. Besides performances at Carnegie Hall and on radio and television at home and abroad, the group has sung with the Elgin Symphony, the Chicago String Ensemble, the Harper Symphony Orchestra and the International Festival of Choirs in Sienna and Florence, Italy.

LMU0010-019 Harper Main Campus 01/17/24-05/15/24 MO WE 11:00 am-12:15 pm Instructor: Timothy E. Filliman TUITION & FEE: $125.00

Harper College Festival Chorus
The Festival Chorus is a community choral ensemble open to anyone with a love of singing. There are no auditions required. Rehearsals are on Monday nights from mid-August through the first week of May, with a break for the holiday season. The Festival Chorus performs a diverse repertoire ranging from the classics to Broadway standards and is accompanied by a professional orchestra. Concerts at Harper College are generally performed on the first Sunday in December and the first Sunday in May.

LMU0087-013 Harper Main Campus 01/08/24-05/13/24 MO 7:00 pm-9:30 pm Instructor: Gregory Tipps TUITION & FEE: $0.00
Sound Recording III Mixing and Editing Techniques

Students in this course work with previously recorded material, often the material they recorded in Sound Recording II Recording Techniques, and are taught the fundamental principles of good mixing and editing. Each student gets hands-on experience processing the sound using the latest software technology, focusing on blending and balancing the final mix. Discussion of effects processors, such as compression, gating, reverb, and delays also takes place. This course concludes with a discussion of mastering techniques. Prerequisite Sound Recording I and Sound Recording II.

LMU0019-029 03/21/24-04/25/24  TH 7:00 pm-10:00 pm
Instructor: Elliott Ross
TUITION & FEE: $299.00

Sound Recording Digital Badge

Learn audio recording and production and earn a Digital Badge.

Whether our interest is in launching a career in the audio industry or you want to maximize your home, school, or professional recording studio, you will gain the knowledge you need with this program. The Sound Recording Digital Badge program builds your knowledge and expertise in the fundamentals of sound recording and acoustics as well as studio recording technologies and techniques. Gain hands-on experience working with a professional recording engineer in a professional environment. Learn techniques in music recording, post-production, audio for video, voice over, and more.

This Digital Badge requires completion of three courses:
- LMU0018 - Sound Recording I Introduction
- LMU0020 - Sound Recording II Recording Techniques
- LMU0019 - Sound Recording III Mixing and Editing Techniques

Visit CE.HARPERCOLLEGE.EDU for latest course information.
Theater

Play Reading Series

These reading sessions offer an engaging method for comprehending literature that you may be familiar with or are learning about for the first time on a deeper level. Reading can be fun, but plays are designed to be recited aloud, not read by oneself. This is a terrific chance to bring the plays to life. Anyone interested in theater, leisure reading, or simply wanting to meet other community members may find the programs appealing. These sessions will also be helpful to any acting student because they provide a fantastic opportunity to immerse oneself in the playwright's atmosphere. We will examine the plays' themes, plots, literary styles, and historical context in a welcoming and engaging environment.

LFA0003-001
01/25/24-03/14/24
Harper Main Campus
7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Mary Christel
TUITION & FEE: $139.00

Improv for Everyone

Sharpening your improv skills will not only enhance your performances but will also increase your confidence with interacting in the business world. You will practice basic improv techniques as well as more advanced aspects that are utilized in complicated games. Skills including agreement, listening, and being in the moment are useful in both the improv and business worlds. Through exercises and games, you will tap into your creativity while thinking on your feet. Whether you are a beginner or an advanced improv player, join us for a fun, supportive environment where creativity can flourish.

LFA0002-026
01/22/24-03/18/24
Harper Main Campus
7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Deb Quentel and Tracy Boland
TUITION & FEE: $139.00

Introduction to Voice-Overs: Getting Paid to Talk

If you have been told you have a great voice, you rely on your voice in your occupations, or you are simply curious about the voice over field, then this class is for you. Learn what the pros look for and how to prepare for interviews. You will learn what a voice over is, how they are created and who is involved. You will discuss how to find your specific voice niche, where to look for work opportunities and how to avoid common mistakes. You will hear audio examples from working voice over artists, and then you will record a short commercial script for playback at the end of class. This introduction to voice overs is taught by voicecoaches, a collaborative of voice acting and production professionals.

LFA0001-026
01/16/24
Harper Main Campus
6:30 pm-8:00 pm
Instructor: Voice Coaches
TUITION & FEE: $49.00

Business Writing

Digital Badge

Discover the keys to successful writing for the workplace. Whether you are writing a report, memo, letter or publicity notice, business writing has some defined characteristics for success. Successful communicators in the workplace move forward, others move back. Enhance your career by improving this critical communication skill.

Begin with understanding the format, construction, and successful techniques of writing good business reports and proposals. Then improve your skills with editing and proofreading. Finally, discover what good journalists know. Learn how to write a news story, press release or other publicity notice that zings.

LRN0160-014
02/05/24-04/26/24
ONLINE-Self Paced
TUITION & FEE: $495.00

Online Self-Paced Business Writing Digital Badge

Discover the keys to successful writing for the workplace. Whether you are writing a report, memo, letter or publicity notice, business writing has some defined characteristics for success. This certificate will take you to the next level where business writing is a skill for personal and organizational success.

This Digital Badge (LRN0160) requires completion of three courses:

- LRN0161: Business Writing
- LRN0162: Effective Copying
- LRN0163: Writing News and Press Releases
Creative Writing: Fiction and Non-Fiction

Creative Nonfiction Workshop

Often called the fourth genre because of its unique combination of poetry, fiction and journalism, this workshop is designed for beginning writers and will include work on writing essays, memoirs and literary journalism. You will share your work, critique the work of others, study, read and discuss published authors and learn the tenets of each style of creative nonfiction. You will also gain insight on how to submit pieces for publication. Expect to write and receive verbal critiques of a piece of up to 5,000 words.

Instructor: Lincoln Beauchamp
TUITION & FEE: $299.00

Fiction Writer’s Workshop

The Fiction Writer’s Workshop is designed for every level of writer who is seeking to develop the tools needed to write a story or begin a novel. By combining in-class exercises and reading your work out loud, you will gain an understanding of how to shape a compelling story. Everyone has a story. This class will give you the tools to unlock the story in you.

Instructor: Laura Ehrie
TUITION & FEE: $289.00

Writing News and Press Releases

Being able to write a good news story, press release or publicity notice is a skill that can set you apart in the workplace. Getting the word out is an essential activity for every organization. Acquire the skills good journalists have and learn how to craft a news story, press release or publicity notice that will get attention.

Instructor: Allison Gruber
TUITION & FEE: $195.00

Introduction to Short Stories

Short fiction continues to be hugely popular, from the standard short story to flash fiction. In this introductory course, explore the elements of this fascinating genre by studying various published short works, from classic to contemporary. Learn what makes each story work by reading it as a writer and examining its components. Each week, we’ll discuss the overall story and identify examples that illustrate a particular aspect of composition. Visit ce.harpercollege.edu for more details.

Instructor: Laura Ehrie
TUITION & FEE: $199.00

Laura is a wonderful instructor. Creative writing classes can be intimidating, but Laura is generous and supportive. She gives examples and exercises that help you be more creative. She also helped set the tone of the class for the students by being accessible and open-minded.

I recommend her class to anyone who has not taken a class like this before and wants to find encouragement. Highly recommended. P.R.
Writing
One Step at a Time
Whether you want to start writing or refresh your writing routine, this is the place to exercise your creativity. Each week, we’ll explore writing via a virtual walking tour, focusing on sensory awareness of each scenic location. You’ll develop your writing skills and learn to establish effective writing habits through observation, discussion, related readings, and writing exercises. There are no homework assignments except to continue your writing journey as you wish. All genres and experience levels are welcome.
LLA0113-001 ONLINE-Live Meetings
02/01/24-02/29/24 TH 6:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Laura Ehrke
TUITION & FEE: $249.00

Novel Writing
Novel Workshop Intensive
Stay motivated while writing your novel! This intensive novel workshop meets twice a month for five months and will help you reach your goals by providing structure, guidance, support and accountability. Become part of a supportive, creative cohort as we discuss craft, workshop scenes and brainstorm to work out drafting challenges. During at least one class per month, you will meet one-on-one with the instructor, a published novelist, for a ten-minute private coaching session to discuss your book. Writers of all genres and levels are welcome. Class meets on Wednesdays 5/8, 5/22, 6/5, 6/26, 7/10, 7/24 8/14, 8/28 9/11 and 9/25.
LLA0052-003 ONLINE-Live Meetings
05/08/24-09/25/24 WE 6:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Laura Ehrke
TUITION & FEE: $525.00

Personal Coaches for Writers
Work with an online or in-person writing coach to improve the quality of your work. Our coaches use a hands-on approach to improving your writing process and the final product. They guide creative and academic writers in various genres, such as fiction, novel writing, short story, poetry, memoir, essay, creative nonfiction, and thesis. Unlike teachers or editors, our coaches focus on you as a whole, both creatively and intellectually. They collaborate with writers and authors and become your creative partners. They possess an intimate understanding of the creative process and practical knowledge of the publishing industry. Once registered, one of our coaches will reach out to you and build a plan that responds to your needs. A new section will be created reflecting the total number of coaching hours needed and providing details about the overall cost.
LLA0108-002 Harper Main Campus Or ONLINE
01/22/24-12/13/24
TUITION & FEE: $249.00

Poetry
Poetry Appreciation
This class is a great way to learn about poetry and why people love it. We’ll touch on many different types of poetry and talk about what we like, what we don’t like, and what meaning is being conveyed. Think Dead Poets Society, without standing on desks or tragic endings!
LLA0117-001 Harper Main Campus
01/23/24-02/27/24 TU 6:30 pm-7:30 pm
Instructor: Jessica Giurato
TUITION & FEE: $129.00

Poems in Everyday Life
This course will discuss strategies for making writing part of your everyday life. You will experiment with prompts and exercises to take the language and experiences of your every day (whether work, school, family, and everything in between) and bring it onto the page. We will read and learn from poets who have done this well and share and receive feedback on poems written for the course. While many writing exercises will be poetry, writers of all genres and interests are welcome!
LLA0043-001 Harper Main Campus
04/03/24-04/24/24 WE 6:00 pm-7:30 pm
Instructor: Shyretha Brown
TUITION & FEE: $129.00

Add Lyrics to Your Life
Don’t miss our new poetry classes, taught by Shyretha Brown.

I’ve taken two writing classes (Short Story Writing Workshop) and Write a Novel in 30 Days Workshop) with Laura Ehrke, and enjoyed them both. Her exercises and supporting material are helpful and informative. She is a caring instructor, and her classes are just plain fun. P. G.
Harper College Student wins Soon to Be Famous Statewide Author Contest

When Kate Guerrero’s children were little, she rotated among side hustles. Like other stay-at-home moms that she knew, Guerrero tried her hand at small businesses, starting an Etsy shop and selling craft kits.

Little did she know that her experience in the “momfluencer” world of essential oils and online crafts would inspire her first novel – and help her become an award-winning author.

That’s what happened when the Harper College student recently won the 2023 Soon to Be Famous Illinois Author Manuscript Project Contest for “Burn and Balm”. Her manuscript involves the early era of motherhood, along with the specific experiences that come with this period of parenting, tenuous friendships and plenty of stress.

The journey to “Burn and Balm” began in the middle of getting her children through the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020. Seeking a creative outlet for herself, Guerrero enrolled in Harper CE’s NaNoWriMo (National Novel Writing Month) Challenge course.

According to course instructor Laura Ehrke, the goal of NaNoWriMo isn’t to finish with a perfectly completed novel, but to get authors’ ideas out of their heads and onto the page. Guerrero said that the rigorous word count benchmarks, along with the support of Ehrke and her classmates, served as crucial, external motivation.

“This was a lot harder than I expected and Laura is so overwhelmingly encouraging to everyone,” she said. “At first, it’s like when your mom says that kind of stuff. But then you realize she’s right – you can keep going.”

Guerrero continued to enroll in Ehrke’s 180 Day Novel Intensive and Novel Workshop Intensive classes, designed to assist authors as they develop and refine their works.

With her instructor’s encouragement, Guerrero submitted to the manuscript contest, which involves all of the libraries in Illinois. Ehrke was confident “Burn and Balm” would do well; Guerrero wasn’t as sure. Validation of Guerrero’s talent and perspective was solidified when she won the contest for unpublished Illinois authors in September. Prizes include a professional line edit and a professionally designed book cover.

Guerrero expressed gratitude for Harper’s courses and Ehrke’s counsel, as well as the enthusiasm and dedication of the cohort that formed among a handful of Harper writing students. She said that she would have never finished the manuscript without check-ins during classes (held online) and the feedback from her fellow authors. Ehrke agreed that something “magical” happens among her students and she is proud of their success.

“You feel this incredible creative energy generated during class. Ideas are sparked for both the students’ own manuscripts and for their cohorts’ projects,” she said. “Writing is such a solitary road and it’s easy to veer off course, so this engagement keeps authors committed to their work.”

Guerrero now has multiple projects of her own. A freelance copywriter by day, she estimates that she’s more than 70% done with writing her second novel, about a married mother whose high school crush reappears in her life in a way that threatens her future and livelihood. After winning the Soon to Be Famous contest, she plans to explore her options to become published – something that seemed unattainable before took her first Harper course three years ago.

“It’s been a great experience. I never considered doing anything like this before the pandemic, but I’m so glad I did,” Guerrero said. “These courses are just a really great way to get a boost and have support.”

Visit CE.HARPERCOLLEGE.EDU for latest course information.
■ Publishing and Book Marketing

How to Self-Publish - On Demand

This course will start your personal journey to becoming a royalty earning self-published author. Write the next great American novel. Share your professional expertise. Tell your family’s story. Whatever you dream of writing, write and publish it yourself. Learn how to produce e-books and print books through Amazon’s Kindle Direct Publishing, and other online platforms, that will give you worldwide reach for your work from a successful self-published author.

LLA0051-006 ONLINE-Self Paced
01/16/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Roxanne Boersma
TUITION & FEE: $129.00

Submitting to Literary Magazines and Contests

What should you do with your poems, short stories, or creative non-fiction when you are ready to send them out but don’t have enough finished work for a full manuscript? Send your pieces out to literary magazines and contests! In this class, you will learn the basic submission process, how to find literary homes for your work, and how to keep track of your submissions! Class time will be spent learning about literary magazines and contest submissions and having dedicated time to submit.

LLA0116-001 Harper Main Campus
02/05/24-05/06/24 TH 6:30 pm-8:00 pm
Instructor: Jessica Giurato
TUITION & FEE: $289.00

Before meeting Roxanne, I didn’t have a clue on promotion and advertising of my books on Amazon Kindle. After only a few sessions under Roxanne’s tutelage beginning this past February, she has turned a floundering project into a hopeful literary endeavor that has quickly made me over $400 in revenue as of this date. Not only does Roxanne possess the technical know-how, she is a kind and patient teacher who can offer easy to understand guidance to even those of us who are computer illiterate. T.D.

Screenwriting

Hollywood at Harper

Be the Writer/Producer/Director of your short film! All you need are story ideas, a phone that records and edits video (iPhone or Samsung), a kindred regard for collaboration, and the willingness to see your project through from page to stage. Step-by-step, you will learn how to WRITE, SHOOT, and EDIT your three-minute (or less) short film, and then VIEW it—along with your classmates, crew, family, and friends on the big screen at Harper’s Performing Arts Center (date TBD).

LLA0114-001 Harper Main Campus
02/06/24-04/09/24 TU 10:00 am-12:00 pm
Instructor: Terrie B. Hayes
TUITION & FEE: $289.00

LLA0114-002 ONLINE-Live Meetings
02/06/24-04/09/24 TH 7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Terrie B. Hayes
TUITION & FEE: $289.00

Writing the Short Film

Throughout this eight-week class, you will be guided through the basics of Story Development, Character Development, Story Structure, Theme, Conflict, Setting, Dialogue, Scene-Writing, and Screenwriting, all the tools you need to write an impressive first draft in 10 pages or less. Everyone will have the option of doing a Live Reading at ‘Hollywood at Harper - 5 Minute Film Fest’ in May and entering scripts into external film festivals for students.

LLA0115-001 Harper Main Campus
02/01/24-03/21/24 TH 10:00 am-12:00 pm
Instructor: Terrie B. Hayes
TUITION & FEE: $289.00

LLA0115-002 ONLINE-Live Meetings
02/01/24-03/21/24 TH 7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Terrie B. Hayes
TUITION & FEE: $289.00

Writing Essentials: Grammar and Punctuation

Effective Grammar Digital Badge

This digital badge will cover grammar basics to more advanced concepts like parallelism and agreement to the finer points of capitalization and punctuation. After completion of the digital badge, you’ll be the master of commas, complete sentences, common sense writing and more. Everything you will learn will elevate your communication skills and help you present polished, professional writing every time.

LRN0199-006 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-03/29/24
TUITION & FEE: $295.00
Personal Interests

Personal interest courses feed your passions and are just plain fun! Enroll with a friend or meet new friends.

WHAT’S NEW
• Healthy and Delicious Cooking
• How to Buy a Vacation Home or Retirement Property
• How to Sell your Home for Top Dollar

DON’T MISS
• More Than Mere Ghost Stories: Investigating Folklore
• Folklore of American Cemeteries
• Electrical Repair
• First Time Home Buyer: What You Need to Know

Boating

Boating Skills
This introduction to the safe operation of sail and power watercraft is presented by Fox Valley Power Squadron. Topics include: boat handling under normal and adverse conditions, navigation rules and aids, knots and lines, nautical charts, basic piloting techniques, docking, proper use of the marine radio, trailering, safety equipment, personal watercraft usage and relevant state and federal regulations. Course meets standards of National Association of State Boating Law Administrators, includes proctored exam as required by many states and insurance companies for youth/adult certification (for operation of motor driven watercraft without adult supervision) and discounted insurance rates. Includes all materials.

LPA0001-010 Harper Main Campus
04/09/24-05/02/24 TH 6:30 pm-9:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $89.00

Do It Yourself and Woodworking

Electrical Repair
It is shocking, but true: you can easily handle your own minor electrical repairs. If you do not want to pay an electrician hundreds of dollars you can learn to safely test and replace light switches, outlets, light fixtures, and ceiling fans. Be trained in the basics of home electrical systems and how you can make informed decisions concerning repairs, purchases and maintenance. This presentation is taught by Ernie Hagenow Jr., a licensed electrician and president of Genuine Electric, Inc., a local contractor.

LHF0003-015 Harper Main Campus
04/25/24 TH 6:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Ernie Hagenow
TUITION & FEE: $99.00

Bicycle Maintenance Basics

I’ve had some experiences doing my own home repair, which is the reason I signed up to take this class -- to further my knowledge in that area. I found Ernie to be quite personable, knowledgeable, and prepared. As he moved the class through the various electrical areas he was presenting, he was always willing to accept questions as they came up and answer them satisfactorily. I appreciated his preparation for the class, the pacing he provided, and his personal connection with us in class. I am very happy I took the class and recommend him highly. J. S.

LHF0003-015 Harper Main Campus
04/25/24 TH 6:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Ernie Hagenow
TUITION & FEE: $99.00
Introduction to Woodworking

The skills you learn in this class transfer between fine woodworking projects. You will develop basic knowledge of wood materials, products for construction, framing, and safety as we cover techniques for measuring, layout, and the use of hand tools. After demonstrations, you will also use portable power tools.

LHF0006-014 Harper Main Campus 01/17/24-03/06/24 WE 6:30 pm-10:00 pm Instructor: Phil Rybarczyk
TUITION & FEE: $299.00

LHF0006-015 Harper Main Campus 03/13/24-05/08/24 WE 6:30 pm-10:00 pm Instructor: Phil Rybarczyk
TUITION & FEE: $299.00

Welding Fundamentals

We will utilize a user friendly approach to introduce you to a potentially intimidating craft. You will practice various steel handling techniques, including MIG welding and plasma cutting, as we stress basic welding safety. You will complete a project which utilizes your new skills and allows you to develop a basic comfort level with welding and project work.

LHF0002-013 Harper Main Campus 02/03/24-03/09/24 SA 9:00 am-12:00 pm Instructor: Scott Nelson
TUITION & FEE: $409.00

International Study Trip to London

Visit London with the guidance of two of Harper College's outstanding faculty members. More than just an opportunity to be a tourist, you'll gain international experience, cross-cultural communication skills, and global awareness, that are all becoming increasingly important in work and study.

This spring, you can choose from a course specifically developed for Community Education students or the specially tailored Sociology 101. Both have a focus on cross-social comparison between the US and UK and include a 10-day site visit to London (May 22 to June 2, 2024).

You'll attend a Shakespearean play at the Globe, take a Canal Cruise, visit the Migration Museum and Westminster, and engage in a London Scavenger Hunt. You will also visit the neighborhood markets of Borough, Brick Lane, and Camden.

Course tuition varies depending on the course you enroll in.

In addition, the travel portion of the class is estimated at $2,477 (which is subject to change) and includes transport from/to airport in London; accommodation (10 nights); 14 meals and local transport pass (zones 1-3). It does not include Harper tuition (attending a 3 credit class or a CE only class), airfare (approx. $1,000) and miscellaneous expenses.

An application, registration in class and the downpayment on the travel portion of the program will be due in early February.

For more information:
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Travel Abroad: A US and UK Comparative Experience

You will analyze the structure and dynamics of human society through classroom study and 10 days of travel to London, accompanied by Harper College sociology and theatre professors. Attend a Shakespearean play at the Globe Theatre, a canal cruise, the Migration Museum, Westminster, and a London scavenger hunt. Visit neighborhood markets in Borough, Brick Lane, and Camden. You’ll examine the sociological concepts of gentrification, immigration, demographic and economic change, inequality, social movements, and civic disengagement. Enhance your learning with a cross-social comparison between the US and UK.

LAA0029-001 Harper Main Campus 04/16/24-04/23/24 TU 6:30 pm-8:30 pm
TUITION & FEE: $375.00

Travel Abroad and Introduction to Sociology – US and UK Society and Culture

This experience allows you to utilize a sociological perspective to analyze the interrelations among human societies, individuals, organizations, and groups to understand human behavior and human societies. Define and analyze social structure, culture, social interaction, social institutions, social stratification, community, and various social change strategies. You’ll discuss contemporary social problems and issues including racial and ethnic relations, sexism, and class inequality. Your study will be enhanced by a 10-day visit to London led by Harper College sociology and theatre professors. Activities include a Shakespearean play at the Globe Theatre, a canal cruise, the Migration Museum, Westminster, a London scavenger hunt, and visits to neighborhood markets in Borough, Brick Lane, and Camden. Registering in this class puts you in the for-credit class offered by the Sociology Department, however you will not be graded.

LAA0030-001 Harper Main Campus 04/01/24-06/02/24 MO WE 5:30 pm-7:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $1,000

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# Food and Wine

## Baking and Cooking

### Apple Galette

This course focuses on making a simple, yet rich apple galette with multiple layers of flavor. Join us and learn the secrets to a flaky crust with perfectly sweet and tart apple filling. Following along with Chef Susan, this free from tart will delight your friends and family. Make sure to have the ice cream on hand!

**LFS0002-013**
Harper Main Campus
01/21/24-01/16/24
TH 6:00 pm-9:30 pm
Instructor: Charlene Kaufman
TUITION & FEE: $340.00

### Cake Decoration

Create beautiful cakes for all occasions. Try your hand at creating fancy cake borders, flowers to adorn your cake, sugar molding and much more. Work with buttercream and royal icings plus chocolate paste and rum sugar using the tools of the trade.

**LFS0002-013**
Harper Main Campus
01/18/24-01/16/24
TH 6:00 pm-9:30 pm
Instructor: Charlene Kaufman
TUITION & FEE: $340.00

### Healthy and Delicious Cooking

Whether you want to experiment with new recipes beyond your usual or elevate your family meals or date nights, this course is for you. Learn new techniques from an experienced chef such as: how to cook from scratch and make real food with whole, natural ingredients and what to stock in your pantry. Together we will prepare a variety of soups, pasta sauces, salad dressings, breads, and make foods that are both healthy and delicious.

**LFS0006-003**
Harper Main Campus
04/03/24-04/08/24
WE 6:30 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Samantha Segura
TUITION & FEE: $239.00

## Mexican Fiesta Series

**LIVE**

### Mexican Fiesta 1st

Join us for a delicious Mexican meal in the comfort of your home. We will prepare flour tortillas with traditional duck or vegetables and a rich easy pasilla sauce.

All ingredients, shopping list, equipment and recipe will be sent to you in advance.

**LFS0006-002**
Online Live Meetings
03/05/24-03/19/24
TH 6:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Susan Taves
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

### Mexican Fiesta 2nd

Join us for a delicious Mexican meal prepared by you at home. We will start with a charred salsa favored by Mayans, followed by Snapper Veracruzano that features the Spanish and African influence of foods from Veracruz. We will pair it with Spanish rice and a refreshing drink with Flor de Jamaica.

All ingredients, shopping list, equipment and recipe will be sent to you in advance.

**LFS0007-002**
Online Live Meetings
03/12/24-03/20/24
WE 6:30 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Susan Taves
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

### Mexican Fiesta 3rd

Join us for a delicious Mexican meal prepared by you at home. We will start with a charred salsa favored by Mayans, followed by Snapper Veracruzano that features the Spanish and African influence of foods from Veracruz. We will pair it with Spanish rice and a refreshing drink with Flor de Jamaica.

All ingredients, shopping list, equipment and recipe will be sent to you in advance.

**LFS0007-002**
Online Live Meetings
03/12/24-03/20/24
WE 6:30 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Susan Taves
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

## American Wine Series

**NEW!**

### American Wine History

You will be provided an overview of the history of American wines, focusing on the various wine-making regions and grape varieties in the United States. The North American continent is home to several native species of grape, but the industry is now based almost entirely on the cultivation of the European Vitis vinifera, which was introduced by European settlers. While California now produces 84% of all U.S. wine, you will also explore other rich areas of production including Oregon, Washington, New York, and Virginia.

**LFS0076-001**
Harper Main Campus
03/16/24-03/20/24
TH 7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Marcel G. Flori
TUITION & FEE: $49.00

### California Wines

You will be introduced to California wines, with a focus on the grape varieties present. You will start your journey with a history of wine production in California. You will then move into an examination of the geography and varieties of California wines including, Napa Valley, Sonoma County, Mendocino, paso Robles, Santa Barbara and Monterey.

**LFS0077-001**
Harper Main Campus
03/13/24-03/20/24
WE 7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Marcel G. Flori
TUITION & FEE: $99.00

### American Wine Series

Explore the major wine regions of the United States, including California, Oregon and Washington. Develop your wine tasting skills and learn how to pair American wines with different types of food. Gain insights into the current trends in American winemaking and the future of the industry. This series course enrolls you in LFS0076, American Wine History, LFS0077, California Wines, LFS0078, Oregon Wines and LFS0079, Washington Wines. Each class includes a tasting.

**LFS0075-001**
Harper Main Campus
03/06/24-04/10/24
WE 7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Marcel G. Flori
TUITION & FEE: $229.00
Oregon Wines
You will be introduced to Oregon’s wines, with a focus on the grape varieties present in the region. Learn about the unique climate and geography of Oregon’s wine regions, and how these factors influence the characteristics of the wines produced there. You will be introduced to the types of wine produced in Oregon, including red, white, and sparkling wines with grape varieties of Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Pinot Gris, and Riesling. You’ll hear about the characteristics of each variety, including flavor profiles, growing conditions, and ideal food pairings.
LFS0078-001 Harper Main Campus
04/03/24 WE 7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Marcel G. Flori
TUITION & FEE: $49.00

Washington Wines
You will get an in-depth understanding of the wines produced in Washington State. You’ll examine the history, geography, and culture of Washington’s wine industry. You’ll learn about and taste the major grape varieties grown in Washington State, including Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Syrah, Chardonnay, Riesling, and Sauvignon Blanc while exploring the regional variations in grape varieties grown in the Yakima Valley, Walla Walla Valley, and Columbia Valley.
LFS0079-001 Harper Main Campus
04/10/24 WE 7:00 pm-9:00 pm
Instructor: Marcel G. Flori
TUITION & FEE: $49.00

■ Makerspace Workshops

Introduction to Mosaic
Learn everything you need to create a beautiful mosaic artwork. With special attention placed on techniques and skills, this 3 hour class includes the patterns and materials to construct a small panel.
LLM0056-007 Harper Main Campus
02/02/24 FR 10:00 am-1:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $20.00
LLM0056-008 Harper Main Campus
03/01/24 FR 10:00 am-1:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $20.00

Miniature Fairy Book Nook
Create a whimsical and decorative fairy book nook complete with small miniatures, paint, moss, plants, stones, and more. Add a miniature book to complete the display, then add it to your bookshelf.
LLM0084-001 Harper Main Campus
03/08/24 FR 10:00 am-1:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $15.00

Sewing 101
Interested in learning how to sew? Join us for an introductory 2-hour sewing workshop where you will learn about mending and try it yourself out on jeans. Materials and sewing machines will be provided.
LLM0086-001 Harper Main Campus
02/13/24 TU 2:00 pm-4:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $10.00
LLM0086-002 Harper Main Campus
03/12/24 TU 2:00 pm-4:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $10.00
LLM0086-003 Harper Main Campus
04/16/24 TU 2:00 pm-4:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $10.00

■ Paranormal Studies

Occult Aspects of the UFO Enigma
Join thirty-year paranormal investigator, historian, and author Ursula Bielski for a look into the strange personalities and practices behind the UFO enigma. We’ll look at the ties between Alistair Crowley, L. Ron Hubbard and Jack Parsons—the brain trust of the Jet Propulsion Laboratories. We’ll look at how some of the most compelling phenomena of the UFO movement—including the explosion of ‘contactee’ and ‘abduction’ experiences—were reportedly initiated by Ouija boards and ancient conjuring. And we’ll delve into the shrouded myth of the so-called Collins Elite: a group of government agents who reportedly vowed to stop the American government from a diabolical pact with fraudulent extraterrestrials.
LAA0028-002 ONLINE Live Meetings
04/10/24-04/24/24 ONLINE Live Meetings
04/19/24 FR 10:00 am-12:00 pm
TUITION & FEE: $69.00

Spectral Studies by Renowned Paranormal Expert Ursula Bielski
Don’t miss your chance to add some spirit to the season with our new paranormal classes taught by Ursula Bielski, the founder of Chicago Hauntings, Inc. and the host of PBS “The Hauntings of Chicago” (WYCC). An historian, author, and parapsychologist, Ursula has been writing and lecturing about Chicago’s supernatural folklore and the paranormal for nearly 20 years, and is recognized as a leading authority on the Chicago region’s ghostlore and cemetery history. She is the author of ten popular and critically acclaimed books, including the Chicago Haunts series and Graveyards of Chicago,
TUITION & FEE: $29.00
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closing costs, inspections, down payments, your first home; getting familiar with contracts, learning to make owning your second/retirement property in this course. Discussion will include the market driving trends, how to do a market analysis, determining the value of your property, getting your home sale ready, advertising and showing your home, and handling an offer, including the basics of required paperwork. You'll get insight on appraisals, home inspections, and what to do or not to do to get your home ready to sell.

How to Sell Your Home for Top Dollar
Instructor: Michael Olach
TUITION & FEE: $29.00
LPF0004-021 01/31/24 WE Harper Main Campus 6:30 pm-8:15 pm
LPF0004-022 05/08/24 WE Harper Main Campus 6:30 pm-8:15 pm
Instructor: Michael Olach
TUITION & FEE: $29.00


Students with Intellectual Disabilities
Career Skills Institute II
The Career Skills Institute provides an educational experience for students with mild cognitive disabilities, age 18 and above. Career Skills Institute II is the second semester of the program and builds on the skills the students mastered in the first semester. Acceptance into the Institute and completion of LDD8001 or equivalent as determined by the program coordinator is required for registration. Career Skills Institute II is composed of 3 modules: English Composition, Self Management, and Workplace Communication. These modules are designed to build skills that will create success in this program and, later, in the workplace. Students will learn a combination of academic and work related competencies such as how to write formally, how to manage oneself and cope in the workplace, and how to effectively communicate on the job.

Please contact Eric Wiebe at we38933@harpercollege.edu for further information on these courses.

Career Skills Institute IV
Career Skills Institute IV is the fourth and final semester of the Career Skills Institute program and builds on skills the students have mastered in the first three semesters. Career Skills Institute IV is composed of two modules: Career Exploration II and Workplace Experience. Career Exploration II focuses on creating resumes, finding work opportunities, filling out applications and interviewing tips. Workplace Experience gives students the opportunity to apply learned skills in a workplace setting. These modules allow for discussion of experiences and workplace practices. They are designed to build skills that will create success in the workplace. Prerequisites: acceptance into the Institute and completion of Levels 1-3 or equivalent as determined by the program coordinator.

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How to Buy a Vacation Home or Retirement Property
Ready to spend some time in the sunshine, or ski slopes or the beach? Learn the best way to purchase your second home or vacation property in this course. Discussion will include learning to make owning your second/retirement home a reality. During the class, we will also go over the minimum down payments, credit requirements, affordability and the underwriting criteria needed for your purchase. This is not a class on buying or renting a timeshare.

How to Buy a Vacation Home or Retirement Property
Instructor: Michael Olach
TUITION & FEE: $29.00
LPF0005-008 02/13/24 TU Harper Main Campus 6:30 pm-8:00 pm

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Art

Edouard Manet and Modern Beauty

Depicting the Paris of his day, the French artist Edouard Manet has been considered as the most modern among his peers. Manet frequented the city’s cafes, and admired its modern fashions, making sketches of what inspired him and turned them into ‘realist style’ oil paintings.

Manet’s life was cut short due to a painful illness from which he could not recover and died at the age of 51. It was especially his last 2 years to which the Art Institute of Chicago dedicated a recent exhibition. Considered as his last works, that also included pastels, these are rendered with detail and delicate brushwork. They are not considered lesser paintings, but a full expression of this man, whose final works demonstrate his fierce embrace of beauty and pleasure in mid-19th century Paris.

Norman Rockwell: America’s Premier Artist/Illustrator

Norman Rockwell (b. 1884), 20th-century American illustrator, painter, and author, has enjoyed a broad popular appeal for his depictions of American culture. He began studying painting at age 14. Seven years later he submitted his first successful cover painting to the Saturday Evening Post Magazine, which published 323 original Rockwell works during a period of 47 years. Rockwell’s covers, which show Americans of all ages working and playing, at prayer and in meetings, in times of stress and in times of triumph, offer profound commentaries on American life.

The Fabulous Dale Chihuly Glass Artist and the Studio Glass Movement In America

Our focus is on the greatest living master of the ancient medium of glass. Dale Chihuly has breathed new life into a traditional art form through his technical innovations and extravagant, large-scale, glass installations. Chihuly has sought new challenges to stimulate his creativity and imagination. The fantastic multi-shaped, colorful glass towers and temples he creates with his students incorporate out-of-doors natural settings and existing architecture into indoor glass conservatories.

The Master Builders - Gang, Gehry, Jahn, and Friends

First views, rare entries, and detailed descriptions of the latest designs by Chicago’s modern master architects and the expert who inspired them. See Gang’s skyline - dominating 101 floor St. Regis and its plush new hotel, her curvaceous five-part 82-floor Aqua and more. Revel in Frank Gehry’s ever-evolving styles, and Helmut Jahn’s last work, Michigan Avenue’s 1000M, plus conversion of the celebrated Thompson Center. Re-connect with Louis Sullivan through an insiders tour of the one-time Auditorium Hotel (Roosevelt University, assisted by Jerome O’Connor, a decades-long architectural tour guide and author.

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Current Events

Great Decisions Discussion 2024
You will engage in a lively exchange of opinions on world events led by Gary Midkiff. Participants will be provided the topics list when it becomes available. Class meets twice a month, visit website for dates.

LLI0008-012  Harper Main Campus
02/05/24-05/20/24  MO  9:00 am-11:00 am
Instructor: Gary E. Midkiff
TUITION & FEE: $312.00

Health and Wellness

Helpful Tools for Plant Based Food from a Professional
Americans are moving more towards plant-based meals, but they don’t want to move into the kitchen! Worried that preparing healthy food means more effort and less time for your preferred activities? Joan Davis, RN and self-admitted reluctant cook, will present the reassuring message that cooking plant-based need not involve excessive time in preparing and cooking those plant-based foods. Helpful tools, plant-based food alternatives, and cooking tips will be reviewed with numerous resources and recipes. Students will leave feeling confident they get in and out of the kitchen while still mastering plant based cooking.

LLI0612-001  Harper Main Campus 02/15/24  TH 1:00 pm-2:30 pm
Instructor: Joan Davis
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

Herbs for Winter Blues
Learn which herbs and foods can bring more sunshine into your world and keep you buoyant and enlivened when the temperatures dip and the skies are gray. We’ll discuss an array of herbs including lemon balm, St. John’s wort, holy basil, and motherwort—and creative ways to use them in food and well-being.

LLI0618-001  ONLINE-Live Meetings 02/06/24  TU  6:00 pm-7:30 pm
Instructor: Dawn Petter
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

Should or Could You Be Your Loved Ones Caregiver
Given the huge shortfall of qualified caregivers, the Baby Boomer generation will face significant unmet care needs. As a result, family members may be directly responsible for taking on the caregiving role.

This course will help you to: gain insight into care challenges and transitions, understand the legal/financial parameters, and assess your own strengths as a potential family caregiver.

Participants will benefit from sharing with each other in a setting that aims for cultural sensitivity and appreciation for the complexities of family relationships and the caregiving experience.

LLI0620-001  ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/10/24-1/31/24  WE  6:00 pm-7:30 pm
TUITION & FEE: $156.00

History

Barbie the Doll
She might be the most famous doll in the world. For more than sixty years, Barbie has been played with, analyzed, collected, criticized, and loved. In this illustrated lecture, historian Leslie Goddard delves into the history of Barbie and her inventor, the passionately creative and intensely competitive - - Ruth Handler. Learn what inspired Handler to develop Barbie in 1959, how Barbie helped make Mattel one of the world’s most successful toy companies, and what Barbie’s impact has been on American culture.

LLI0605-002  ONLINE-Live Meetings 10/23/24  MO  6:00 pm-8:00 pm
Instructor: Leslie Goddard
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

Comedy Gold on the Silver Screen
Join us for a guided tour through the past 100 years of outstanding comedies in John LeGear’s film history presentation Comedy Gold on the Silver Screen. Witness the evolution of humor on film since the arrival of Charlie Chaplin in Hollywood in 1914 and enjoy a taste of television comedy in this swift-moving tribute to outstanding writing, direction, and performance. In addition to laughs, you’ll learn of little-known insights and fresh perspectives on some of film history’s comedy classics.

LLI0420-002  ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/24/24  WE  6:00 pm-7:30 pm
Instructor: John LeGear
TUITION & FEE: $39.00
Joseph Goebbels-
The Man Who Seduced a Nation

This year’s 85th anniversary of the beginning of World War II presents a fitting occasion to take a closer look at Hitler’s mouthpiece, Joseph Goebbels. Through his perfidious use of propaganda, this quintessential Nazi was not only able to turn the Dictator into a worshipped god-like figure, but he also seduced a whole nation and made many stubbornly believe in an essentially unwinnable war. German Historian Anette Isaacs presents fascinating insights into the life and mind of this powerful manipulator.

LII0604-001 ONLINE-Live Meetings
02/20/24 TU 1:00 pm-3:00 pm
Instructor: Anette Isaacs
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

Mission to Moscow - and St. Petersburg

“A riddle wrapped in a mystery inside an enigma,” spoken in 1939 by Churchill in describing Russia, resonates from then to now. Jerome M. O’Connor, author of The Hidden Places of World War II, and a three-time visitor covering the Soviet Union era to the Russian Federation, describes the famous and overlooked sites. Descend into the world’s deepest and extravagantly decorated Stalin-era subway, the challenges in obtaining a visa, and view Soviet era housing alongside Western-style towers. Stay along with the instructor in Moscow’s Metropol Hotel, made famous in A Gentleman in Moscow by Amor Towles.

LII0613-001 Harper Main Campus
04/23/24 TU 10:00 am-12:00 pm
Instructor: Jerome O’Connor
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

The History of Sears, Roebuck, and Company vs Amazon

Long before there was Amazon, there was Sears, Roebuck, and Company - where you could purchase any product or service available on the face of the earth at fabulously low prices. Just how did this retail icon influence architecture, commerce, merchandise, lifestyle, and popular culture? Come and explore the rich and fascinating history of the World’s Largest Store (WLS) from its humble beginning in 1866 to the present.

LII0622-001 Harper Main Campus
04/10/24 WE 10:00 am-11:30 am
Instructor: Barbara Barrett
TUITION & FEE: $39.00
The Atomic Age and Its Chicago Beginnings

Learn about the extraordinary scientists of Chicago who were instrumental in developing the atomic bomb. Discover how the Atomic Age began in Chicago with Enrico Fermi in 1942, as he oversaw the first human-caused, self-controlled nuclear chain reaction. Learn how this discovery would untimely lead to the Arms Race and the Cold War. Instructor Jay Sternickle

LLI0611-001 ONLINE-Live Meetings 02/27/24 TU 10:00 am-12:00 pm TUITION & FEE: $39.00

Earth's Exotic Creatures

Let’s take a look at some of the more unusual creatures that have evolved on our planet! What about a hot pink snail? Or a snail that is larger than some dogs! Birds that have a hypnotic iridescent dance to attract females. How about a crab that could fill up your hot tub? Or one with the arms that look like a gorilla? Fish that are bigger than humans or one that looks like ...a blob? Or a bat that looks like it has the face of a mouse? NO...these are not photo shopped! These are critters that share this planet with us! Join us in touring the more unusual...the weirdest of the weird in the animal kingdom!

LLI0345-002 Harper Main Campus 03/19/24 TU 1:00 pm-2:30 pm Instructor: Suzanne Rausch TUITION & FEE: $39.99

Personal Interest

An Introduction to the East Asian Garden

Educator, Yvonne Wolf gives a short background on the aesthetics of the Japanese and the Chinese gardens. Discover Confucian symbolism expressed in gardens and how they are used to relieve stress and cultivate inner peace. Learn the cultural history of the East Asian Garden and its carefully composed scenes of ponds, paths, and pavilions. Yvonne will use examples from the Japanese Garden at the Chicago Botanic Garden and Ping Tom Park in Chicago Chinatown. After attending this presentation, you will have a greater understanding and appreciation of East Asian gardens.

LLI0616-001 Harper Main Campus 01/12/24 FR 10:00 am-12:00 pm Instructor: Yvonne Wolf TUITION & FEE: $39.00

Extreme Hauntings in American History

America has no shortage of true hauntings among the nation's colorful supernatural tales, but some of these authentic tales are deeply disturbing, featuring phenomena far beyond ordinary ghost stories. Talking animals, disembodied voices, "hands of death," letters dropping from thin air, and even a pair of phantom hair clippers that terrorized a tiny West Virginia town: These and other bizarre incidents will keep you up long after class time when you explore the strange world of extreme hauntings with ghostlorist Ursula Bielski.

LLI0586-002 Harper Main Campus 01/10/24 WE 1:00 pm-3:00 pm Instructor: Ursula Bielski TUITION & FEE: $39.00

Ghosts of Route 66

For generations Americans have sought adventure on one of the world’s most famous roads: Route 66. But there’s a dark side to the neon diner signs and sunshine-soaked stretches of desert highway. Author and Ghostlorist Ursula Bielski is your driver for a haunted, historic trip down the Mother Road, where you’ll search for ghosts at an uncanny Chicago hotel, the notorious Joliet Prison, Meramec Caverns, Santa Monica Pier and many more of the old road’s most notorious sites, meeting some of America’s most infamous characters along the way.

LLI0626-001 ONLINE-Live Meetings 05/03/24 FR 1:00 pm-3:00 pm Instructor: Ursula Bielski TUITION & FEE: $39.00

Graveyards of Chicago

From ‘death chairs’ and moving monuments to some of the nation’s most famous ghosts, America’s cemeteries host some of the country’s most enduring and intriguing folklore. Explore the strange tales from America’s burial grounds with Ursula Bielski, author of ‘graveyards of Chicago’ and eleven other books of supernatural history.

LLI0585-002 ONLINE-Live Meetings 02/22/24 TH 1:00 pm-3:00 pm Instructor: Ursula Bielski TUITION & FEE: $39.00

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Spanish Course for Brain Stimulation and Wellness Experience

The benefits of learning a foreign language at an older age go beyond exercising the brain. Like learning any other skill, learning a new language provides a sense of reward and boosts confidence. In turn, this tends to give many seniors a boost in their social lives. Plus, the actual process of learning a new language provides plenty of opportunities to socialize. Taking classes with other like-minded people and practicing a newly learned language with native speakers are the best ways to become fluent, make friends, and stimulate your mind.

LLI0595-002  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  
03/06/24-04/24/24  WE  11:00 am-12:00 pm  
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos  
TUITION & FEE: $312.00

The Moon Race Part 2
Project Gemini

While Project Mercury proved that NASA could successfully launch astronauts into orbit and recover them, many lessons still needed to be learned before landing on the moon. Taking place between 1965 and 1966, Project Gemini featured a 2-man spacecraft and a more powerful rocket. Project Gemini set out to practice many of the maneuvers and techniques required to travel to and land on the moon such as learning to intercept and dock with other spacecraft, learning how to perform outside the spacecraft in a spacesuit, and testing astronauts’ endurance to survive in space for weeks at a time. This is the second class of a series outlining NASA’s race to the moon, but you do not have to have attended the previous session.

LLI0608-002  ONLINE-Live Meetings  
04/17/24  WE  10:00 am-11:30 am  
Instructor: Mike Frederiksen  
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

Science and Technology

The Gospel of Mary of Magdalene

According to the second century Gospel of Mary of Magdala, Mary is Jesus’ confidante, his interpreter, and his replacement. She supports Jesus’ ministry financially and may have been ‘the beloved disciple’ mentioned in John’s Gospel. Jesus divulges to her teachings unknown to other disciples, and after the resurrection she occupies the position he leaves vacant. And yet early in Christianity, Mary of Magdala becomes a woman dishonored and discarded. This talk examines the woman, the myth, and the gospel that bears her name.

LLI0577-002  Harper Main Campus  
03/12/24  TU  10:00 am-12:00 pm  
Instructor: Jerrol Leitner  
TUITION & FEE: $39.00

AI Artificial Intelligence
How This Technology Became a Household Topic

The beginning of AI can be traced to the early 1950’s when programmers made checkers and chess playing computers. Then came Shakey, the first AI robot, which was basically a box on wheels. What are some other AI breakthroughs? What is the current status of AI development? What do scientists envision for the future of AI? This course will present a timeline on the scientific development of artificial intelligence and uses in our world.

LLI0593-002  ONLINE-Live Meetings  
02/13/24  TU  1:00 pm-2:30 pm  
Instructor: Suzanne Rausch  
TUITION & FEE: $39.00
TELL YOUR STORY

CREATIVE AND NOVEL WRITING COURSES

Have you thought about writing your story and sharing life-altering events? Dreaming of writing a book? Now is the time! Our writing courses help you achieve your goals, whether you just have an idea or started and can’t get to the finish line. Instructors and fellow writers provide guidance, support, and accountability to reach your goal.

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“As a result of taking CE writing classes, I can confidently call myself a writer and proudly tell people that I am writing a novel. I believe in my writing abilities, and a lot of that has to do with the encouragement I have received from my instructor, Laura.” — Ann, CE Student

LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE
OPEN HOUSE
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17,
10:00 AM – 3:00 PM
WHERE: WOJCIK CONFERENCE CENTER
PARKING: LOT 14

Join us at our Lifelong Learning Institute Open House for a showcase of what you can expect from our spring class schedule. This year’s theme is “Open a New Mental Stimulating Door in 2024.” Discover what LLI courses offer this spring and giveaways including:

1. Instructor will present a synopsis of their classes.
2. Beverages, Food, and Raffle Prizes
3. LLI Membership Discounts
4. Free Class Give Aways
5. Free Massage from Harper’s Massage Therapy Clinic

RSVP for event at harpercollege.edu/lli

FITNESS AND WELLNESS CLASSES
IN THE HEALTH AND RECREATION CENTER
– BUILDING M

Through a partnership with Palatine Park District, fitness and wellness classes will now be offered through the Community Education Department in Building M. The Foglia Foundation Health and Recreation Center was fully renovated in 2018 and features excellent facilities and programming.

A sample of the classes to be offered includes:

• Dance
• Yoga
• Self Defense
• Martial Arts

Learn more on p. 28

Visit CE.HARPERCOLLEGE.EDU for latest course information.
One Book One Harper Spring 2024: Book Discussions

Meet with others who share a passion for reading and learning. Book discussions are sponsored by the Harper College Library's One Book One Harper program. Book discussion will be held in the Library.

Please contact Christine Kuffel (847.925.6859) (ckuffel@harpercollege.edu) with questions, or to register.

The Trackers: A Novel by Charles Frazier

This descriptive historical fiction introduces us to Depression-era Wyoming, and folks with roving hearts and an interest in the arts. A stout plot and seedy characters add to the dramatic tone of this title.

LLM0089-001
Friday, April 5, 2024
2:00 pm-3:00 pm
FREE

Virtual Presentations

Join us to learn more about a variety of fascinating topics.

Please contact Christine Kuffel (847.925.6859) (ckuffel@harpercollege.edu) with questions, or to register. All programs will be hosted virtually using WebEx.

And A Bottle of Rum: A History of the New World in Ten Cocktails by Wayne Curtis

There's more than one way to view history. This time, it's through the lens of Rum, so pull out your (reading) glasses and let your perception of American history be shaken and stirred. A creative telling for a captivating story. Facilitated by Tom Goetz.

LLM0087-001
Harper Main Campus, Building F
Friday, February 9, 2024
2:00 pm-3:00 pm
FREE

Barbie: The History of America’s Most Famous Doll w/ Leslie Goddard

Barbie. Some love to love her. Some love to hate her. Ranging from fanaticism to criticism, no other doll has evoked such a wide range of emotions. Learn her story and how she lifted and shifted women’s place in society.

LLM0090-001
Thursday, February 15, 2024
7:00 pm-8:00 pm
FREE

How the Post Office Created America: A History by Winifred Gallagher

Many of us get something in the mail six days a week. Yet, most know very little about the origin of the Post Office, its leaders, and its impact on major historic events. A rich and engaging tribute to this omnipresent but often overlooked service. Facilitated by Jim Edstrom.

LLM0088-001
Harper Main Campus, Building F
Friday, March 8, 2024
2:00 pm-3:00 pm
FREE

Hollywood Style: Icons of Fashion w/ Dr. Annette Bochenek

Nothing beats the aesthetic and allure of Golden Age Hollywood glamour. Learn about the imaginations and innovations that created the icons we remember today. These were the original influencers.

LLM0091-001
Thursday, March 14, 2024
Online-Live Meeting
7:00 pm-8:00 pm
FREE
One Book One Harper: Virtual Presentations, continued

**Masterpiece Mysteries: History Unraveled w/ Jennifer Scavone**

There is more to art than what the eye can see. Learn about the role conservation work has played in discovering the underlying secrets behind the showpieces. This program will definitely have you looking at things differently…

LLM0092-001  
Thursday, April 11, 2024

Online-Live Meeting  
7:00 pm-8:00 pm  
FREE

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Spring 2024 Workshops: Library Make Shop

**Introduction to Mosaic**

Learn everything you need to create a beautiful mosaic artwork. With special attention placed on techniques and skills, this three-hour class includes the patterns and materials to construct a small panel. Make Shop will provide all tools and materials.

LLM0056-007  
Harper College, Make Shop (F222)  
Friday, February 2, 2024

Fee: $20

Instructor: Urii and Nataliya Guchenia from Nathalie Art Studio

LLM0056-008  
Harper College, Make Shop (F222)  
Friday, March 1, 2024

Fee: $20

Instructor: Urii and Nataliya Guchenia from Nathalie Art Studio

**Miniature Fairy Book Nook**

Create a whimsical and decorative fairy book nook complete with small miniatures, paint, moss, plants, stones, and more. Add a miniature book to complete the display, then add it to your bookshelf. Make Shop will provide all tools and materials.

LLM0084-001  
Harper College, Make Shop (F222)  
Friday, March 8, 2024

Fee: $15.00

Instructor: Kat Bowman

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Library Make Shops, continued

**Watercolor Basics**

Start with watercolor exercises to get the brush strokes down, then make your own set of greeting cards to take home. Make Shop will provide all tools and materials.

LLM0085-001  
Harper College, Make Shop (F222)  
Friday, April 19, 2024

Fee: $10.00

Instructor: Rebecca Beneditz

LLM0085-002  
Harper College, Make Shop (F222)  
Friday, April 19, 2024

Fee: $10.00

Instructor: Rebecca Beneditz

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**Sewing 101**

Interesting in learning how to sew? Join us for an introductory 2-hour sewing workshop where you will learn about mending and try it yourself on jeans! Make Shop will provide materials and sewing machines.

LLM0086-001  
Harper College, Make Shop (F222)  
Tuesday, February 13, 2024

 Fee: $10.00

Instructor: Jessica Prus

LLM0086-002  
Harper College, Make Shop (F222)  
Tuesday, March 12, 2024

 Fee: $10.00

Instructor: Jessica Prus

LLM0086-0032  
Harper College, Make Shop (F222)  
Tuesday, April 16, 2024

 Fee: $10.00

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Conversational French I

Conversational French I is for beginners. Start with the alphabet, numbers and greetings to learn the essentials of pronunciation as well as basic grammar and vocabulary needed to greet people, talk about yourself and express needs. By the end of the course you will have some knowledge of the culture and should be able to speak at least 10 percent of your conversation in this language.

LLL0008-024  Harper Main Campus 01/18/24-03/07/24  TH 6:30 pm-8:30 pm  Instructor: Chantal E. Rainey  TUITION & FEE: $199.00

LLL0008-025  Harper Main Campus 03/13/24-05/08/24  WE 6:30 pm-8:30 pm  Instructor: Chantal E. Rainey  TUITION & FEE: $199.00

Conversational French II

After you complete Conversational French I, or if you learned basic skills in this language from prior study, take Conversational French II. You are comfortable with some grammar and especially present tense and will now learn how to communicate what you have done via past tense. Build on your basic linguistic skills as you explore more topics related to life and travel. By the end of the course you will possess from 10 percent to at least 25 percent of your conversation.

LLL0009-017  Harper Main Campus 01/16/24-03/05/24  TU 6:30 pm-8:30 pm  Instructor: Chantal E. Rainey  TUITION & FEE: $225.00

LLL0009-018  Harper Main Campus 03/14/24-05/16/24  TH 6:30 pm-8:30 pm  Instructor: Chantal E. Rainey  TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Intermediate French II

Further develops reading, writing, speaking and listening skills in French. Students learn more complex structures of French grammar, fine-tune pronunciation, gain more advanced skills in composition, and continue to expand their vocabulary. Attention is given to complexity, accuracy, and fluidity. Fosters expanded knowledge of and appreciation for the cultural heritage and history of French-speaking areas.

LLL0029-005  ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/17/24-05/15/24  MO WE 6:00 pm-7:40 pm  Instructor: Linda Schumacher  TUITION & FEE: $500.00

Introduction to French Literature

Provides an introduction to literature from the French-speaking world and exposes students to a variety of literary genres and eras. Focuses on the development of more complex use of the language and addresses speaking, listening, writing, and reading. Attention is given to complexity, accuracy, and fluency.

All students who have prior experience with or have taken classes in French must take the placement exam before registering for a course.

LLL0035-003  ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/17/24-05/15/24  MO WE 5:00 pm-6:15 pm  Instructor: Linda Schumacher  TUITION & FEE: $305.00

Elementary German I

This is an entry-level course for students with no prior knowledge of German. Develop your listening, speaking, reading and writing skills in German. You will be introduced to the cultures and people of the German-speaking world. Students enrolled in this class will receive all the instruction and complete the activities that for-credit students engage in but will not be required to take quizzes or exams and will not be graded. This is a flex course and may be taken in person or online.

LLL0020-014  Harper Main Campus 02/14/24-05/15/24  MO WE 12:00 pm-1:40 pm  Instructor: Kimberly Jaeger  TUITION & FEE: $500.00

Elementary German II

Those ready to continue beyond beginning German will develop listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills in German. You will delve deeper into the cultures and people of the German-speaking world. All new students who have prior experience with or have taken classes in German should consult with Professor Kim Jaeger - kjaeger@harpercollege.edu, before registering.

LLL0021-013  ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/17/24-05/15/24  MO WE 6:00 pm-7:40 pm  Instructor: Kimberly Jaeger  TUITION & FEE: $500.00
Intermediate German II
Focuses on a more in-depth study of history, geography, literature, and culture of German-speaking people. Includes analysis of daily life and current events. Students practice more complex structures of German grammar, fine-tune pronunciation, gain more advanced skills in composition, and continue to expand their vocabulary. Attention is given to complexity, accuracy, and fluency. Students enrolled in this class will receive all of the instruction and complete the activities that for-credit students engage in but will not be required to take quizzes, exams or receive a grade. This is a flex course and may be taken in person or online.
LLL0032-006 Harper Main Campus 01/16/24-05/16/24 TU TH 12:00 pm-1:40 pm Instructor: Kimberly Jaeger TUITION & FEE: $375.00

German Civilization and Culture
Introduces students to multiple aspects of German culture and civilization from the 20th century to today. Familiarizes students with history, political institutions, economic development, literature, art and culture of Germany. Gives students an overview of the German-speaking regions of Austria, Switzerland and Liechtenstein.
Knowledge of the German language is not required since the course is taught in English.
LLL0032-006 Harper Main Campus 02/13/24-05/14/24 TU 6:00 pm-7:40 pm Instructor: Kimberly Jaeger TUITION & FEE: $375.00

Conversational Italian I
Conversational Italian I is for beginners. Start with the alphabet, numbers and greetings to learn the essentials of pronunciation as well as basic grammar and vocabulary needed to greet people, talk about yourself and express needs. By the end of the course you will have some knowledge of the culture and should be able to speak at least 10 percent of your conversation in this language.
LLL0012-016 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/22/24-04/22/24 MO 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Pieranna Fanella TUITION & FEE: $275.00

Conversational Japanese I
Conversational Japanese I is for beginners. Start with the Japanese syllabary hiragana, numbers and greetings to learn the essentials of pronunciation as well as basic grammar and vocabulary needed to greet people, talk about yourself and express needs. By the end of the course you will have some knowledge of the culture and should be able to speak at least 10 percent of your conversation in this language.
LLL0012-016 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/18/24-04/25/24 TU TH 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Setsuko Hanaoka TUITION & FEE: $275.00

Conversational Japanese II
After you complete Conversational Japanese I, or if you learned basic skills in this language from prior study, take Conversational Japanese II. You’re comfortable with some grammar and especially present tense. Now learn how to communicate what you have done via past tense. Build on your basic linguistic skills as you explore more topics related to life and travel. By the end of the course you will possess an increase in ability to speak the language, from 10 to at least 25 percent of your conversation.
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LLL0012-016 ONLINE-Live Meetings 01/22/24-04/22/24 MO 7:00 pm-9:00 pm Instructor: Pieranna Fanella TUITION & FEE: $275.00
Spanish

Conversational Spanish I

Conversational Spanish I is for beginners. Start with the alphabet, numbers and greetings to learn the essentials of pronunciation as well as basic grammar and vocabulary needed to greet people, talk about yourself and express needs. By the end of the course you will have some knowledge of the culture and should be able to speak at least 10 percent of your conversation in this language.

LLL0002-045  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  01/08/24-03/11/24  MO  6:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $199.00

Conversational Spanish II

After you complete Conversational Spanish I, or if you learned basic skills in this language from prior study, take Conversational Spanish II. You’re comfortable with some grammar and especially present tense. Now learn how to communicate what you have done via past tense. Build on your basic linguistic skills as you explore more topics related to life and travel. By the end of the course you will possess the ability to speak the language, from 10 percent to at least 25 percent of your conversation.

LLL0003-035  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  01/16/24-03/05/24  TU  6:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

LLL0003-036  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  03/12/24-05/07/24  TU  6:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Conversational Spanish III

You’ve completed Conversational Spanish I and II or from another program you’ve become comfortable engaging in a simple dialogue by using proper grammar with present and past tense. Enroll in Conversational Spanish III for proficiency in past tense and begin to learn future tense. By the end of the eight-week course you will be comfortable in conjugating new words and you should be able to compare how your knowledge in the language grew from 25 percent to at least 45 percent of your conversation.

LLL0004-028  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  01/17/24-03/06/24  WE  6:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

LLL0004-029  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  03/13/24-05/08/24  WE  6:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Conversational Spanish IV

Complete the lessons and build upon the fundamentals you’ve learned with longer dialogues and translations in Conversational Spanish IV. At the end of this course you should feel superior to your initial skill by now speaking at least 70 percent of the language during conversations. Follow up Conversation- al Spanish IV with the immersion environment of a Discussion course to hone your skills and avoid losing what you’ve gained in your language studies.

LLL0005-027  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  01/18/24-03/07/24  TH  6:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

LLL0005-028  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  03/14/24-05/16/24  TH  6:30 pm-8:30 pm
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $225.00

Digital Badge in Spanish - Online Component

This component of the Digital Badge in Spanish incorporates audiovisual exercises, quizzes, and tests to hone speaking, listening, reading and writing skills via an online multimedia Supersite. Instructor works with you in the background assigning, correcting, and providing feedback. This course requires enrollment in Conversational Spanish I, II, III or IV each time, and cannot be taken alone. The purchase of a Supersite Plus Code is required to access the online site for assignments. Attendance to an orientation session is mandatory where course requirements will be explained.

LLL0006-031  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  01/16/24-03/08/24
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $129.00

LLL0006-032  Flex: In-Person and ONLINE  03/11/24-05/10/24
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $129.00

Say Sí to Success
Earn the Conversational Spanish Digital Badge

Understanding and speaking Spanish has become increasingly important in the job market. Many employees see these skills as a preferred or even a necessary job requirement. Proficiency in Spanish might give you that competitive edge as you seek your next job or promotion.

Completion requirements:

- Conversational Spanish I
- Conversational Spanish II
- Digital Badge in Spanish - Online Component
- Conversational Spanish III
- Conversational Spanish IV

Digital Badge in Spanish - Online Component

As always your Spanish classes are packed with new information about the language. You make it easy to learn Spanish and keep it very interesting. Every student I talked with previously said “Professor Castellanos teaches with energy and presents information about grammar, new vocabulary and pronunciation, and keeps it easy to learn.” Online class is just the same. Thank You. SP
Discussion En Español

¿Usted ya se siente a gusto con su habilidad de hablar en español, pero todavía no tiene la fluidez deseada? If you have recently completed Conversational Level III or Accelerated Level II at Harper College, join the Discussion En Español course. In this eight week course, the presence of the teacher will ensure that you are correctly using what you have learned and will help you gain additional knowledge into the cultural aspects of the people and countries that use Spanish. Submerge yourself in Spanish conversation with current events and incorporation of lectures, movies, art and other cultural subjects. Inscribe hoy.

LLL0018-021 Flex: In-Person and ONLINE
01/16/24-03/07/24 TU TH 5:30 pm-6:30 pm
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $199.00

LLL0018-022 Flex: In-Person and ONLINE
03/12/24-05/14/24 TU TH 5:30 pm-6:30 pm
Instructor: Rene E. Castellanos
TUITION & FEE: $199.00

Spanish for Medical Professionals

Are you frustrated by the communication gap that can occur between you and your Spanish speaking patients? This Spanish class, designed specifically for healthcare professionals, will help you bridge that gap. Practice the basic, practical language skills needed to effectively communicate with your Spanish speaking patients and their families. Learn the basics, gain an understanding of the culture, and know how to ask the questions crucial to quality healthcare. For those who speak some Spanish and need a refresher or speak no Spanish, you will gain the skills to effectively communicate with your Spanish speaking patients.

LRN0028-021 ONLINE-Self Paced
02/05/24-03/29/24
TUITION & FEE: $290.00
Youth Music

Family Music with Kathy
This course is for children and siblings of different ages who live in the same home, accommodating up to three children. It consists of a combination of music games and some beginning piano pieces. It is an excellent gift from parents and grandparents to give children some exposure to music and piano after school. It is a great way to engage in the arts and potentially transition to private lessons and music classes. There are six sessions total, thirty minutes each.

LMU0118-017 Harper Main Campus
01/29/24-05/11/24
Instructor: Kathlyn Sbarboro
TUITION & FEE: $120.00

Sing and Play Piano (Ages 4-6)
Join us for this fun introduction to piano! Creatively designed for young children, ages 4-6, this approach combines singing, listening, small and large movement, and learning to play songs on the piano. Sing and Play Piano lays a solid foundation for future piano lessons or instrument study. A piano or keyboard at home is recommended, materials purchased separately.

LMY0124-006 Harper Main Campus
02/01/24-05/02/24
TH 5:15 pm-5:55 pm
Instructor: Kathlyn Sbarboro
TUITION & FEE: $189.00

Youth Preparatory Piano Program
30 Minutes Private Lessons and 50 Minutes Group Sessions for 15 Weeks
This private and group instruction bundle consists of a combination of group and private instruction for children ages 6 to 15. Group lessons offer peer reinforcement, social interaction, ensemble experience and group activities. Private lessons provide the necessary individual attention for technical development and interpretive and expressive insights. By combining these two approaches you receive a comprehensive 15 week curriculum. Participate in one 30 minute private lesson and one 50 minute group lesson each week. Students are grouped according to age and level. Using the Celebrate Piano Method, developed by Dr. Cathy Albergo and Dr. Mark Mrozinski of Harper College, and the Celebration Series of intermediate through advanced literature, students learn music reading, rhythm, theory, listening skills, finger and hand development, improvisation and composition through fun classroom activities. Children progress through varied and progressive musical repertoire from leading contemporary and traditional classical composers.

LMY0029-097 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Cheryl Lim
TUITION & FEE: $685.00
LMY0029-098 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Helen L. Chang
TUITION & FEE: $685.00
LMY0029-099 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: SuYi Yu
TUITION & FEE: $685.00
LMY0029-102 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Peng Krol
TUITION & FEE: $685.00
LMY0029-103 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Janice L. Razaq
TUITION & FEE: $685.00
LMY0029-104 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Victoria Tsangari
TUITION & FEE: $685.00
LMY0029-105 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Kenneth N. Spurr
TUITION & FEE: $685.00
LMY0029-106 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Kathlyn Sbarboro
TUITION & FEE: $685.00

Youth & Teens

DON’T MISS
• ACT/SAT Practice Test
• Family Music with Kathy
• Sing and Play Piano (Ages 4-6)
• Suzuki Method Violin Group Class
• Sylvan ACT Exam Prep
• Sylvan SAT Exam Prep
• Youth Chamber Ensemble
• Youth String Orchestra

Scan me to learn more about Youth and Teens

Learn more at ce.harpercollege.edu, “Youth and Teens”
PIANO PREPARATORY PROGRAM
30 MIN PRIVATE LESSONS & 50 MIN GROUP LESSONS FOR 15 WEEKS

The program consists of a combination of group and private instruction. Group lessons offer peer reinforcement, social interaction, ensemble experience, and group activities. Private lessons provide individual attention for technical development and interpretive and expressive insights. Combining these approaches give you a comprehensive 15-week curriculum. Participate in one 30-minute private lesson and one 50-minute group lesson each week. In addition to learning an instrument, students will enhance playing technique and develop listening skills, intonation, rhythmic accuracy, and expression. Returning students must receive the CRN from their instructors. New students must complete the First-Time Student Application at bit.ly/cmacprivatelessons. You may register after the Piano Facilitator reviews their application and assesses their level. For more information, contact Kathy Sbarboro at ksbarbor@harpercollege.edu.

PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS

Registration for private music lessons is open throughout the year - for more information call 847.925.6659.

Details can be found in the Music, Arts & Writing section, p 42.

STRINGS PREPARATORY PROGRAM
30 MIN PRIVATE LESSONS & 50 MIN GROUP LESSONS FOR 15 WEEKS

This private and group instruction bundle combines group and private instruction for children ages 6 to 15. Group lessons offer peer reinforcement, social interaction, ensemble experience, and group activities. Private lessons provide individual attention for technical development and interpretive and expressive insights. By combining these two approaches, you receive a comprehensive 15-week curriculum. Participate in one 30-minute private lesson and one 50-minute group lesson each week. Students are grouped according to age and level. Instructors will use the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music – ABRSM theory Method, delivering over 650000 music exams and assessments annually in 93 countries. Students learn music reading, rhythm, theory, listening skills, finger and hand development, improvisation, and composition through fun classroom activities. Children progress through varied and progressive musical repertoire from leading contemporary and traditional classical composers.

Group Preparatory Strings,
50 Minutes for 15 Weeks

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LMY0134-006 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Chia-Ying Hsu
TUITION & FEE: $685.00

LMY0134-007 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Edgar Gabriel
TUITION & FEE: $685.00

LMY0134-008 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Jessica Bieniarz
TUITION & FEE: $685.00

LMY0134-009 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: William (Tony) Porter
TUITION & FEE: $685.00

LMY0134-010 Harper Main Campus
01/22/24-05/17/24
Instructor: Cory Biggerstaff
TUITION & FEE: $685.00
Benefits of Music Education for Children

Why study music?
The benefits of studying music are many and extend well beyond the joy of learning an instrument, particularly for young students. Participation in musical activities has been found to enhance:

- **Intellectual and Cognitive Growth**
  - Through music experience, the learner is involved in perceiving, making judgments and comparisons, evaluating, analyzing and synthesizing, creating and reflecting.

- **Creativity and Self Expression**
  - Music is an essential way of communicating ideas and feelings with other people, developing a better understanding, appreciation, and perception.
  - Music education engages and enhances imagination.

- **Coordination**
  - Playing musical instruments can improve gross motor skills, hand-eye coordination, balance and enhance long-term memory and recognition patterns.

- **Social Skills**
  - Social behaviors such as cooperation, collaboration, team-building, and sensitivity to social and cultural beliefs and practices are promoted.
  - Personal growth, such as self-discipline, self-esteem, independence, and self-knowledge, are also addressed.

- **Retention**
  - Studies over the past 20 years have shown that students who study music achieve better in mathematics, reading, and learning foreign languages.
  - The ability to listen actively is a benefit in all subjects.

CMAC’s Fundamental Beliefs
- Music Education is preparation for life.
- Music Education is a lifelong process.
- Everyone can engage with and enjoy music.

Learn more at harpercollege.edu/cmac
Sylvan ACT Exam Prep

It’s proven that students can increase their ACT scores in a matter of weeks. Harper partners with Sylvan Learning to offer the ACT exam prep at Sylvan locations within the Harper community. With small group instruction, practice tests, and the SylvanPrep online tool, students cover all areas of the ACT exam. Sylvan guarantees increased scores when students attend a minimum of 80% of scheduled in-class time and complete eight hours of online instruction. Students are awarded six complimentary hours of Sylvan instruction if they do not meet this goal. Prerequisite: LAS 0003 ACT/SAT Practice 101.

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ACT/SAT Practice Test

In this three-hour prerequisite class, students take a full-length ACT or SAT practice exam to establish their baseline score. Sylvan analyzes the score, reviews the results with students and parents, and makes recommendations about preparation options. If a student would like to take both the ACT and SAT in a Practice 101 class, they should enroll in two separate ACT/SAT Practice 101 classes. Students must complete a Practice 101 class to be eligible to enroll in an ACT or SAT Exam Prep course. Classes may meet at Sylvan Centers in Schaumburg or Lake Zurich.
Community Education Registration

Books/Supplies
Supply lists for courses are on individual course pages at ce.harpercollege.edu.

Tuition Waivers
Do not apply to classes offered by third parties, including courses that begin with the prefixes LRN and LPL.

Drops/Withdrawals/Refunds
A student must drop a class at least 3 days or more before it begins in order to receive a full refund. There are no refunds for withdrawals. The College reserves the right to cancel any section of any course for any reason. If a class is cancelled, a full refund will be given reflecting the original payment method.

Student Discounts (Age 65+)
These discounts apply to tuition only (fees are not discounted) for certain Community Education courses. Discounts can’t be combined with other discounts and don’t apply to courses delivered through a partnership or by a third-party providers (i.e. courses that begin with the prefix LPS, LRN or LPL). If a discount is available, it will appear as an option in the shopping cart during checkout. For details, visit ce.harpercollege.edu or call 847.925.6300.

Register Online
Visit ce.harpercollege.edu
1. Select your course and click ‘add to cart’
2. At checkout, log into the student portal or create a new account
3. Provide payment and complete checkout
4. You will receive a confirmation email with details
5. Enjoy your class!

Register by Phone
Call 847.925.6300
We can register you over the phone.

Questions?
Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Phone: 847.925.6300  Chat: ce.harpercollege.edu  Email: ce@harpercollege.edu

Course information may change. You will receive an email a few days prior to the start of your class which includes the exact dates, times and location. Log onto your Harper CE account (sign in at ce.harpercollege.edu) or call 847.925.6300 for up-to-date information.
TELL YOUR STORY
CREATIVE AND NOVEL WRITING COURSES

Have you thought about writing your story and sharing life-altering events? Dreaming of writing a book? Now is the time! Our writing courses help you achieve your goals, whether you just have an idea or started and can’t get to the finish line. Instructors and fellow writers provide guidance, support, and accountability to reach your goal.

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“As a result of taking CE writing classes, I can confidently call myself a writer and proudly tell people that I am writing a novel. I believe in my writing abilities, and a lot of that has to do with the encouragement I have received from my instructor, Laura.” - Ann, CE Student

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Harper College has partnered with Google and Coursera to provide a transformative learning experience to the Community. Advance your skills and prepare for high-demand career opportunities through this online self-paced training program. There is no experience required and for three to six months you will get professional training designed by Google, along with the opportunity to connect with top employers that are currently hiring. You may even want to continue your education at Harper College after finishing your certification. Register and get started today!

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SAY Sí to SUCCESS
EARN THE CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH DIGITAL BADGE

Understanding and speaking Spanish has become increasingly important in the job market. Many employees see these skills as a preferred or even a necessary job requirement. Proficiency in Spanish might give you that complete advantage as you seek your next job or promotion.

Find out more on p. 66

Completion requirements:
- Conversational Spanish I
- Conversational Spanish II
- Conversational Spanish III
- Conversational Spanish IV
- Digital Badge in Spanish - Online Component
INTERNATIONAL STUDY TRIP TO LONDON

Visit London with the guidance of two of Harper College's outstanding faculty members. More than just an opportunity to be a tourist, you'll gain international experience, cross-cultural communication skills, and global awareness, that are all becoming increasingly important in work and study.

This spring, you can choose from a course specifically developed for Community Education students or the specially tailored Sociology 101. Both have a focus on cross-social comparison between the US and UK and include a 10-day site visit to London (May 22 to June 2, 2024).

You'll attend a Shakespearean play at the Globe, take a Canal Cruise, visit the Migration Museum and Westminster, and engage in a London Scavenger Hunt. You will also visit the neighborhood markets of Borough, Brick Lane, and Camden.

For more details, see p. 52