



MEET CAROL BERNARD ACADEMIC COORDINATOR



As Academic Coordinator, Carol is consulting with Ruth Flexman, Osher Statewide Coordinator, and working with Basil Maas, University Coordinator, Betty Gail Timm, Staff Assistant, and the Curriculum Committee to learn how to plan, develop, and schedule courses and activities. She is also working closely with Joan McMahon, Ellen Saienni, Kathleen DiCamilla, Bon Fong, and Lijia Heckler to learn the details and nuances of a very busy, very complex academic cooperative. "I look forward to helping members have a rewarding and enjoyable experience at UD Lifelong Learning. I have a lot to learn from the experienced office staff and the many members."

Carol was born and raised in Somers Point, New Jersey. She started college at age 42 and first earned an Associate of Applied Science degree from Delaware Technical and Community College in Human Services. This led to a position at the University of Delaware's Center for Disabilities Studies where she was a training coordinator developing and offering trainings in the disability field statewide. While employed at UD, Carol completed her Bachelor of Science degree in Family and Community Services. She then became a full time graduate assistant to earn her Master of Science degree in Human Development and Family Studies. After completing her course

work, Carol became Coordinator of Volunteers at Hagley Museum and Library.

Carol has had numerous employment experiences including serving as interim Executive Director of the Friends of Auburn Heights in Yorklyn, Delaware, which houses the world's largest operating Stanley Steamer collection; program coordinator at Delaware Humanities Forum; and social worker for Children and Families First. Carol also worked for 14 years as a lab technician and supervisor for Bausch & Lomb Optical.

Carol's avocations include historic house renovations, antique car renovations, and gardening. "I love to garden, but I am not great at it. Mostly, I just plant things and watch the deer eat them." Carol was a member of the Plymouth Delaware Valley 4 & 6 Cylinder Owners Club and served as their president. She has restored a 1941 Plymouth Coupe, a 1953 Chrysler, and a 1971 Triumph TR-6.

Carol is married to Richard Bernard. Richard is a teacher at Wilmington Friends School. She has two sons, Ian and Rick. They both have degrees in the computer field. She has two step children, James and Melissa, and three granddaughters, Bailey, Delaney, and Lila. "It is great to have grandchildren!"

ACADEMIC COORDINATOR

Last spring, with Osher affiliation and Ruth Flexman becoming UD's statewide Osher program coordinator, Council authorized hiring a full-time Academic Coordinator. Over the summer a committee (Basil Maas, Don Grimes, Kate Bowen, Irene Farrance and Stu Siegel) examined 137 resumes. Carol Bernard was chosen and she accepted. You can see why she was chosen after reading about her varied experience, talents and enthusiasm for assisting members.

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Schedule for *Lifelong Learning News*

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Mon., Oct. 29	Mon., Nov. 15

Submit articles to rehlich@udel.edu, or place in the Newsletter mail box in the Reception Area.

COMMITTEE FAIR
THURS., OCT. 21, 1:30 P.M
SOCIAL IN THE LOBBY



With the exception of the University of Delaware staff members, most of the “work” done at UD Lifelong Learning is completed by volunteers. Everyone knows that all of the instructors are volunteers, but so are the people who organize plan programs, answer questions, write this newsletter, bake cookies for socials, hang art for shows, price books for the book sales, and sell tickets for travel events. Committees are always looking for people who want to contribute to the on-going success of our program. Please join us at the Social on Thursday, October 21; enjoy beverages and home-made cookies; learn about the various UD Lifelong Learning Committees; and see how your valuable talents and skills can be used! If you are unable to attend this event, but still want to be a part of the success of UD Lifelong Learning, see the volunteer at the Reception Desk for more information!

Susan Arruda

NOTES FROM YOUR NEW PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER

I would like to thank everyone for their very warm welcome on my assignment to the Wilmington Campus. This is not a new detail for me. I have filled in for officers here in Wilmington a few times during my career as a police officer. I have always found it to be a nice change from patrol duty on the Newark campus.

Starting the week of 9/20, Officer Donovan and I began alternating day and evening shifts.

For the safety of everyone, we ask you to abide by the campus speed limit of 10 mph. As you know, there is a lot of pedestrian and vehicle traffic here, as well as a few bicycles. I do not want to see anyone getting hurt while they are here on campus.

The officers working here in Wilmington have been authorized by to operate the traffic light out onto Route 52, during times when many of you are leaving the campus. While we want to get you off campus as quickly as possible, we have to make sure that traffic does not back up on Route 52. In addition, we have to operate the light so that no one, especially big trucks, are slamming on their brakes to stop in time. There is no need for anyone to feel that they have to race to get to the green light. If you don't make one light, you will get the next green light as quickly and safely as we can.

In addition, I would like to thank all of you for abiding by the new Conference Services' Lot Reservation signs. This is deeply appreciated by the Conference Services staff and me. I hope that we can continue to have the same degree of cooperation in future events, when Conference Services needs the parking area for outside groups on campus.

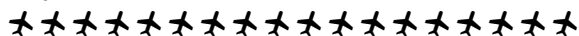
Dennis A. Anderson, Jr.
Investigator, UD Police





- Sat., Oct. 23 – Washington, DC
Folger Theater/**Henry VIII**
- Sat., Nov. 6 – Milton, Milton Museum;
Millsboro, Nanticoke Museum
- Tues., Dec. 7 – Tues., Dec. 14 –
Nashville/Opryland
- Sat., Jan. 15 – Mon., Jan. 24, 2011 –
Bahamas/Celebrity Cruises
- Sat., March 26 – New York/**Spider-Man**
- Sat., May 14 – Washington/Hillwood
- Mon., June 6 – Thu. June 9 – Outerbanks
- Sat., July 16 – Fri., July 29 –
Scandinavia/Russia cruise

For more information on these and other travel opportunities, visit the Travel Desk in the Lobby, Monday through Thursday, 11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.



**COMPUTERS! COMPUTERS!
COMPUTERS AVAILABLE**

At Lifelong Learning we are very fortunate to have classrooms equipped with both Microsoft and Apple computers. These computers are used to teach the various basic computer skills such as word processing, PowerPoint, internet, etc. Recently their use has expanded to include courses in music, electronics and art. However, the computers are not being fully utilized. I would like to ask you, both Lifelong Learning instructors and participants, to consider two things:

- Would you be willing to become an instructor or assistant to teach additional computer classes?
- If you are currently an instructor in subject areas such as languages, science, economics, etc., would your classes be enhanced through the use of computers?

If you are interested, please send me a note using the email address given below.

Kenneth Mulholland
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Curriculum Committee

30TH ANNIVERSARY AWARD WINNERS

In conjunction with the anniversary festivities on Oct.1, awards were given for the best poems and song submitted. The winners are:

Poetry

- 1st: Clare Dunning “Grandma Goes to School”
- 2nd: Betty Marroni “Thirty Years and Growing”
- 3rd: Ellie Munson “The Academy or Rocking Chair”

Song

- 1st Carnetta Smith “Ode to the Academy”
words and music/oboe

GRANDMA GOES TO SCHOOL

My grandma has always been pretty cool
But I just learned she's still in school
She leaves the house with a bag for her lunch
And sits with other grandmas, I have a hunch
Instead of a backpack she carries a tote
And she wrote her name inside her coat
Once I saw grandma carrying a mat
Guess they still make grandmas take a nap
Then I watched her come in from her car
And I think that she was carrying a guitar
Now grandma wears her name around her neck
(Sure hope she is still playing with a full deck)
She is often late coming home, I should mention
I fear that my grandma may have gotten detention
Mom thinks that lifetime learning is pretty nifty
And plans to go to school when she is fifty





Schedule of Events



SPECIAL EVENTS WEDNESDAYS 12:45-1:45 P.M. IN ROOM 105

Announcements at 12:40 p.m.

These programs are for all members. Feel free to attend each week or select the programs that most interest you. Buy your lunch, bring your lunch, or just come and enjoy. See the catalog or Special Events bookmark for the complete schedule.

Oct. 13 **Fortepiano Concert** Susan R. Duer, DMA, Fortepiano Artist
Honoring members born in 1920 or earlier

Susan Duer holds a Doctor of Musical Arts from Peabody Conservatory. She has participated in the Institute for Fortepiano Studies, the Baroque Performance Institute, the 6th, 9th and 11th Aston Magna Academies and the Mozart Bicentennial Symposium and presented solo fortepiano concerts throughout the United States. She has received an Individual Artist Fellowship from the Delaware Division on the Arts and is the first fortepianist to win a direct Solo Recitalist Fellowship from the National Endowment for the Arts.

The performance will open with a Bach Toccata and include a prelude and fugue by Mendelssohn, a sonata by Mozart, and finish with **Carnival Scenes from Vienna** by Schumann.

Oct. 20 **Last Minute Checkup – the 2010 Elections** Ralph Begleiter, Director of UD's Center for Political Communication,

Ralph Begleiter, reviews the bidding for the 2010 mid-term elections, both nationally and in Delaware, paying attention to new trends in campaigning, new uses of the media and, if available, last-minute data from UD's new National Agenda Public Opinion Poll being conducted for the first time this fall.

Oct. 27 **Moonlight Brass** David Aument, Leader

Nov. 3 **What is Moderate Islam and What is Radical Islam?** Muqtedar Khan, associate professor of political science and international relations at UD

Nov. 10 **UD Lifelong Learning Orchestra** Joseph Zimmerman, Conductor

Nov. 17 **Trained Canine Companions Help the Disabled** Tanya MacKeand, Canine Partners for Life



See page 3 for travel programs.

GARDENING SPEAKERS

UD Lifelong Learning members are invited to attend individual programs of interest. The class meets Tuesdays at 2 p.m. in Room 108.

10/12 Carol Long, Winterthur Asst. Curator of the Garden, **Inspired by the Winterthur Garden**

10/19 Tom Maddux, **Vertical Gardening**

10/26 Jeanne Frett, **Native Plant Cultivars**

11/9 Peter Lindtner, **The Golden Autumn of New England**

11/16 Walt Cullerton, **Conifers**

UD LIFELONG LEARNING CALENDAR

2010

Tues., Nov. 2 ..Election day (NO CLASSES)

Wed., Nov. 24.....

.... 1st Call - Summer 2011 course proposals

Thu. Fri., Nov. 25-26.....Thanksgiving

.....NO CLASSES

Fri., Dec. 10Fall Semester ends

2011

Mon. Feb. 7..... Spring Semester begins

Mon. Mar. 28 – Fri., Apr. 1NO CLASSES

Fri., May 13.....End of semester