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PAST BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Held: October 17, Virtual Meeting

From the Agenda:

- Welcome the new ILR Executive Director
- Census report: current enrollment
- Membership
- Volunteering
- Technological equipment needs
- Spring semester planning

NEXT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

January 16 2023, 2:00 P.M., Virtual Meeting.

Please join, ask questions, and share your thoughts to improve learning to make ILR better.

To join the meeting contact the executive director, preferably by email.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We want to thank the wonderful volunteers who dedicate their time and resources to carry on the ILR mission.

They are the committee chairs and members, directors, president, and instructors/facilitators/organizers.

Special thanks go to those who stepped in during the absence of an executive director to take up new responsibilities preparing for the fall semester.

UPCOMING EVENTS

The Holiday Luncheon, on November 29 will mark the end of the Fall semester.

Place: My Brother's Place, in Grove City

Time: 11:30 until 1:00

You can still sign up for it!



CENSUS REPORT

The ILR members return to classes, after the Covid 19 break, in increasing numbers. There are 98 members and guests registered to take classes/trips this semester. Among them, 15 members signed up for the first time.

This semester, ILR has offered 49 classes in-person and online, and 22 trips/tours. We are grateful to the 48 presenters/trip organizers who volunteered for ILR and you.

Many thanks go to the Curriculum Committee members who, also voluntarily, have worked to bring new instructors and proposals to you.

OFFICE HOURS

for Members and
Non-Members

Monday: 11:00 – 2:00

Tuesday: 10:00 – 12:00

Wednesday: 11:00 – 2:00

Office Hours between semesters may change

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:

Delia Draghiciu

“Before I moved to the USA, in 2012, I lived in Romania, Norway, Denmark. I have a B.A. in Philosophy/Psychology from the University of Bucharest, Romania, and a PhD in Psychology from the University of Bergen, Norway. My experience includes teaching, research, statistical analyses, publishing, computing, and learning.”

CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

The planning of the next semester is unfolding. The forms for Class/Trip Proposals for Spring semester 2023 are available on the ILR website.

A few proposals have been recorded already. Please let us know what you would like to see and do next semester. If you know someone interested in presenting or organizing trips at ILR, please direct them to the website to complete a form or to the ILR office.

BOARD MEMBERS

President: Don Isles (724) 699-2489

Vice-President: Jessie McMenamin - (724) 679-9682

Recorder: Tom Call – (724) 486-2032

Financial Secretary: Sharon Isacco (724) 794-1299

Curriculum Chair: Kathy Flood (412) 398-6241

Publicity Chair: Andy Johnson - (724) 794-6275

Nominating Chair: Sandy Stevenson - (724) 256-0470

Past President: Verna Call – (724) 486-2032

Members at Large (term ends 6/2023):

Dale Doran – (724) 556-9073

Kathy Flood – (412) 398-6241

Members at Large (term ends 6/2024):

Deb Bell – (724) 794-4704

Andy Johnson - (724) 794-6275

ILR VOLUNTEERS

Get involved, have a say!

ILR is a volunteers based organization. Your input is much needed. Participating in the committees or the board of directors is an opportunity to voice your thoughts, to share your experience and to contribute to the great things done by ILR. Bring your knowledge, skills, and point of view to move ILR forward.

We need your feedback on the following matter:

What motivates people to volunteer?

Stay anonymous: drop off your answers in the mailbox by the entrance. Write on top: Volunteers.

Or send your answer by email to the ILR office.

ILR MEMBERS

Remembering the Life of:

Raymond Jovanovich was born on April 2nd 1934 and passed away on September 6th 2022. He was in the US Air Force from where he retired as Lieutenant Colonel. Raymond joined the ILR in the Spring 2010. Besides taking classes he dedicated time and resources to teaching multiple classes between 2013 and 2022 and supporting the ILR mission. His most popular class was “Hot issues: Current Events”. May his memory live forever!

Marie Haines Palmer was born on August 1st 1947 and passed away on August 30st 2022. She was a German teacher and joined the ILR in 2013. Marie volunteered for ILR and organized a number of trips and classes for between 2016 and 2018. Those who worked with her say “When Marie entered a room, she lighted up with her beautiful smile, her positivity, and her sense of humor”. May her memory live forever!

COMMUNICATION PUBLICITY

EMAIL issues

I get emails from all of you, you do not receive all the emails I send to you, even when I send individual emails. Reasons for this situation might be:

- changes made by your email services provider
- settings on your computer.

What you can do:

! Check your spam folder. It is safe to open the spam folder. Look for emails from info@ilretirement.org. If you see one, open it and click on the text: Report NO spam. The email will be redirected to your inbox.

! Open your email address book and add info@ilretirement.org to your contacts

! Check your email on Sunday. If you do not see a Zoom class, you signed up for, let me know right away.

If you need guidance with the recommendations above or email management, please let me know and we can organize a workshop to answer questions or make demonstrations.

Delia

NEW!

- You can still register for classes this semester! Check the catalog online at www.ilretirement.org or at the Fowler building, and send your picks to Delia at info@ilretirement.com
- Now, you can join Zoom meetings at Fowler building. Please contact the ILR office at info@ilretirement.org to make arrangements