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OLLI Text Messages

We now have the ability to mass text all members. We would use texts to notify members of class cancellations, building issues, event reminders,

Final Feedback

After finishing the last session for each class you're attending, **please take time to complete the anonymous final feedback form that is available online.** You can access it through the link in the e-mail that was sent on Monday or, by clicking [here](#).

Holiday Party

OLLI's annual holiday party will take place on **Wednesday, December 12 from 4:00 to 6:00 PM on the sixth floor of the Spring Valley building. The cost is \$30 per person.** It will also include an art exhibit from two of our study groups. To register, please click [here](#).

Study Group Proposals

We are still accepting study group proposals for both February Shorts and Spring Semester 2019! February Shorts are February 4-8 and the Spring Semester is March 4-May 10. OLLI's Curriculum Committee and Board of Directors review proposals for each

etc. **To opt in for inclusion on this contact list, login to your account and select *Text Messaging* from the menu on the left.** Please check your member record to make sure you have included your cell phone number. We can text all members or a specific group of members, for example, the members of a study group. You can opt out of OLLI Texts at any time.

Come Hear OLLI Members Sing!

Several OLLI members are singing in a concert of Puccini's mass with the Georgetown Chorale on **Saturday, December 1 at 3:00 PM.** This event will take place at the Church of the Epiphany, 1317 G Street NW (13th & G, Metro Center) Washington, DC 20005.

**AU
Temperature**

academic session and approve the final list of classes. For more information about leading a study group, please click [here](#).

If you would like to propose a study group, please click one of the links below. You will be prompted to login with your OLLI username/password or create an account if it's your first time. **The proposal deadline for both sessions is November 25.**

- [February Shorts 2019 Proposal Form](#)
- [Spring 2019 Proposal Form](#)

70th Anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights

There is space in the celebrating of the 70th Anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, **taking place on Monday, December 10.** The conference will include two panels and a film. **The moderators and panelists are all OLLI study group leaders.** For information and to register, click [here](#).

Upcoming Events at American University

NOTE: For any AU-specific event, **please contact the sponsoring department directly.**

Films Across Borders: Stories of Women is a multi-cultural series of cinematic works by and about women. Showcasing **50+ films in 14 venues throughout the DC area currently through December 18**, the series highlights the importance of gender-balanced perspectives and gives voice to vital and diverse female viewpoints through dramatic features, documentaries and shorts. Hosted by the School of Communication. For more information and to purchase tickets, click [here](#).

Policy

Please be aware that according to AU policy, the temperature range in all its facilities is set anywhere between 68-78 degrees year round. This is outside of OLLI's direct control, so we suggest members dress in layers for their comfort.

Parking Guidelines

Parking is available in **the garage beneath 4801 Massachusetts Ave at the rate of \$2 per hour**. All members are required to park in AU lots while attending OLLI. **Parking on the street while attending OLLI likely will result in a \$200 parking ticket from AU.** For full parking information, click [here](#).

For Your Safety

Please be aware that when traveling to our building, it is

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Sine Nomine

Date: Saturday, November 17

Time: 7:30 PM

Location: AU Museum at the Katzen Arts Center

Cost: \$25

In a singular collaboration between the AU Museum at the Katzen Arts Center and Experiential Orchestra, audience members will be invited to experience the provocative art of **Jim Sanborn** through a curated soundscape that pairs the simulated antiquities in *Without Provenance: The Making of Contemporary Antiquity* with millennia-old musical compositions, all of which are "*sine nomine*," or "without a name."

To register, click [here](#).

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Scarlet Diva

Date: Saturday, Nov. 17, 10:30 PM;

Tuesday, Nov. 20, 9:20 PM

Location: AFI Silver Theatre and Cultural Center

Actress-turned-filmmaker Asia Argento (QUEEN MARGOT, THE STENDHAL SYNDROME, xXx) made her directorial debut with this semi-autobiographical portrait of a young actress (Argento) who, despite her popularity and success, experiences despair and degradation at the hands of an abusive industry.

For more information and to purchase tickets, click [here](#).

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Jeanne Dielman, 23 Commerce Quay, 1080 Brussels

Date: Sunday, November 18

Time: 7:30 PM

Location: AFI Silver Theatre and Cultural Center

A singular work in film history, Chantal Akerman's JEANNE DIELMAN, 23, QUAI DU COMMERCE, 1080 BRUXELLES meticulously details, with a sense of impending doom, the daily routine of a middle-aged widow — whose chores include making the beds,

safest to utilize the crosswalks. We are located on a very busy street and your safety is our foremost concern.

cooking dinner for her son and turning the occasional trick.

For more information and to purchase tickets, click [here](#).

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Faces Places

Date: Wednesday, December 5

Time: 7:00 PM

Location: Malsi Doyle and Michael Forman Theater, McKinley Building

Light refreshments in theater lobby at 6:30 pm before program begins.

Legendary filmmaker Agnès Varda Director and photographer/muralist J.R. enjoy a series of meandering road trips through rural France in this poignant and charming documentary.

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