Extended Trips

Tropical Costa Rica
Lush forests and stunning waterfalls… exotic wildlife and endless coastlines… Costa Rica is truly a slice of paradise. Your tour begins in the colorful capital city of San Jose. Upon arrival, relax and soak up the sights of your new surroundings. Please contact Tiffany Moore at 209.588.5198 for a brochure with the daily itinerary and prices.

Date of trip: January 14-22, 2016

Irish Splendor
Experience a true taste of “Irish splendor” on a trip that combines fabulous accommodations, stunning scenery and delicious food. Highlights include Dublin, Guinness Storehouse, Blarney Castle, Killarney, Dromoland Castle and a whiskey distillery. Please contact Tiffany Moore at 209.588.5198 for a brochure with the daily itinerary and prices.

Date of trip: March 31-April 7, 2016

One-day Excursions
We want your ideas!
Do you have an idea for a Community Education course? What types of courses, bus trips, and other activities would you like to see included in future Community Education offerings?
Send your suggestions to Tiffany Moore at moorety@yosemite.edu

Call 209.588.5198 for prices and more information on all trips

Community Education
Register now for fall Com Ed classes: www.gocolumbia.edu/comed

education | enrichment | adventure
Discover your original, creative self! We will learn techniques and learn how to compose your creative heart, experience different watercolor landscapes, still lifes, and more. For learning or continue exploring this art.

Exploring Beginning Watercolor Painting
Location: CC Maple 102
Fee: $60
Instructor: Kristen Kestly
Fridays, October 2–November 6 / 6:00P-8:00P

Art

How to Sell a Bug, A To Z
Learn to sell anything, even from opening an account, choosing a category, describing an item from title to price, closing the sale shipping and feedback. Learn tips about shipping, setting up the auction, and dealing with problems. Practice, time, money and work from the largest market on the face of the earth. Participants must be familiar with online shipping. Familiarity with eBay would be a great help.
Saturday, November 21 / 6:00A-8:00A
Instructor: Tiffany Moore
Fee: $50 + $10 materials fee*
Location: CC Maple 12

Health

Sun Style Tai Ji
Tai Ji (T’ai Chi) is the Chinese exercise that requires great concentration to learn, memorize and practice. It is an ancient Chinese physical practice that has been associated with a number of benefits: loss of weight, increased energy and focus; and an increased mental agility and attention. An increase in overall health is the beginning. In the first few classes, it takes 10-15 minutes commitment to practice Tai Ji daily.
Thursday, September 17–December 10 / 8:30A-9:30A
Instructor: Michael Irvine
Location: Taumatin Park (opposite Memorial Hall)

Exploration

Fremont’s Cannon & Sonora Pass Fall Colors
On January 26, John C. Fremont and Christopher “Kit” Carson abandoned a U.S. Army campaign in the Southwest against an expedition to the fabled Buenaventura River, purported to flow from the earth. Participants will be able to see a treasure of fall color from the 4,000-foot elevation of the amazing range of the Sierra Nevada. We will climb and explore the range and work to separate fact from lore.
Fremont’s Cannon & Sonora Pass Fall Colors
Location: Tuolumne Park (opposite Memorial Hall)
Fee: $25
Instructor: Peggy Reza
Wednesdays, September 30–November 18 / 9:00A-11:00A

Arts

Ukulele for Beginners & Intermediates
Ukulele classes will start at the beginning level and advance as students progress. With varying levels of chords, easy of chord progression, strum patterns and grooves, lessons include music theory and aural perception. Combination of notes, rhythms and styles. Lessons include dynamics and musician’s ability and as result choose the best manner to increase sales of their work. Participants will learn the best avenues for marketing given time, budget and sales goals. Practical marketing skills such as press releases, pricing, media choices and design, and college.
Saturday, October 2–November 6 / 6:00P-8:00P
Instructor: Michelle Marzani
Fee: $50
Location: CC Maple 12

Marketing Arts and Crafts
Artists and craftsmen will learn how to market their work, from the planning stages of a show to the execution of their work. During the class artists and craftspeople will evaluate their ability and the result choose the best manner to increase sales of their work. Participants will learn the best avenues for marketing given time, budget and sales goals. Practical marketing skills such as press releases, pricing, media choices and design, and college.
Saturday, October 2–November 6 / 6:00P-8:00P
Instructor: Michelle Marzani
Fee: $50
Location: CC Maple 12

Art journaling
This will be a fun class for you to explore your creative heart, experience different techniques and have time to compose your personal ART JOURNAL. And recite memorable and meaningful “routines” in your own words, if you wish. Beautifully. If you are ever lost with a weaving project, this class is for you. If your love of weaving or knitting or crocheting, this class is for you. You will be able to create your own creation, still sell it in a little called, art journaling, watercolor painting, drawing and design, and college.
Friday, October 2–November 6 / 6:00P-8:00P
Instructor: Michelle Marzani
Fee: $50
Location: CC Maple 12

Wine

Exploring International Wines
After focusing on California Wines last semester, the focus will be on international wines. Participants will learn about different styles, country and techniques of winemaking and tasting wines from around the world. From Northern Italy’s renowned wines of Barolo, Span, and France to new world discoveries south of the equator. We will explore wines that drinking regional and cultural influence. Must be 21 to years of age.
Mondays, October 12–December 6 / 6:00P-8:00P
Instructor: Tom Bedger
Fee: $140 + $40 materials fee*
Location: CC Maple 12

Cooking

Easy Appetizers
Start making your own delicious French bistro appetizers and quick breads. Learn the delightful techniques for making appetizers and quick breads and how it’s sometimes so easy to leave something along the way.
Saturday, September 24–October 8 / 6:00P-8:00P
Instructor: CC Culinary Arts Instructor
Fee: $25 + $10 materials fee
Location: CC Culinary Kitchen, Lower Manzanita

Fun for Kids

Kids in the Kitchen
Children will have the opportunity to work with professional chefs to learn to make individual pizzas and a small French bread and take an accomplishment home. Children will learn how to make a small French bread and a shortbread and bring an appetizer Class is limited to 12 children.
Saturday, December 12 / 1-3:30P-6:00P
Instructor: CC Culinary Arts Instructor
Fee: $30 + $10 materials fee
Location: CC Culinary Kitchen, Lower Manzanita

Foreign Language

French for Beginners:
This French Language class is for those new to the language. The emphasis is on conversational modern French, grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation, and structure and vocabulary. If you question your level, please contact the instructor at heartford@hHotmail.com.
Sunday, December 13 / 1-3:30P-6:00P
Instructor: Charles Pharrum
Fee: $30
Location: CC Culinary Kitchen, Lower Manzanita

Dance

Latin- inspired, calorie-burning dance fitness (High Energy): Tuesdays and Thursdays (High Energy): Tuesdays and Thursdays (1990) (ADA), and Age Discrimination Act (1975), Columbia College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its educational programs and activities. Inquiries concerning the application of these Federal laws to College programs and activities can be directed to the following persons at Columbia College, 11600 Columbia College Drive, Sonora, CA 95370-8580. Title IX Dean of Arts & Sciences 588.5087 – Section 504 Vice President of Student Learning 588.5107 – ADA Assistant Director of
Class Location: CC – Columbia College
Mainframe fee is payable in instructor at the first class meeting.