



Lifelong LEARNING

Summer 2021 · Frederick Community College





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Events and experiences for inquisitive minds.

Welcome to Lifelong Learning at Frederick Community College. This program offers courses of all types for all ages. It's a special assortment of old favorites and new requests. For 2021, we have assembled the most in-demand classes, events, and experiences, based on the feedback of our community.

From whiskey tastings to watercolor, the 2021 lineup of Lifelong Learning courses is an opportunity for you to discover something new, revisit a favorite hobby, or share a memorable experience with friends and family members. All courses are delivered by expert instructors who provide hands-on learning, doing, and growing opportunities for every participant. Browse 2021 offerings to find a learning experience for you.

Courses for personal enrichment, artistic growth, and self-discovery.

Learn more and sign up at frederick.edu/lifelong.

Contact 301.624.2888 or CEInfo@frederick.edu for registration questions or more information.



COVID-19 UPDATE

We thank our students for all they have done during this difficult time related to the coronavirus (COVID-19). Student success remains our top priority.

Please note that as we continue to follow the recommendations outlined by the State of Maryland and the Frederick County Health Department to ensure the health and safety of our College community, the course offerings included in this schedule remain subject to change. For the most current information regarding course offerings, visit frederick.edu/schedules

For important FCC updates and COVID-19 information, visit frederick.edu/coronavirus

Course Options | Updates for Summer & Fall 2021

FCC is working to increase the number of in-person classes while continuing to comply with public health and safety standards. Classes will be offered using the following learning formats:

Online Courses (ONL)

The course is entirely online.

The class does not meet at a scheduled time.

Students will meet all expected deadlines and expectations outlined by the professor.

Students complete work

Structured Remote Courses (SR)*

The course is entirely online but has scheduled class times.

Scheduled class times will be used for real-time virtual sessions, which may include virtual lectures, group discussion, or other class activities.

Real-time virtual sessions will occur a minimum of once per week during scheduled class times. Scheduled real-time virtual session dates will be designated on the syllabus.

Students are expected to attend realtime virtual sessions. However, these sessions will be recorded and made available for students unable to attend.

If graded assessments are provided during a real-time virtual session, students not in attendance will be provided an opportunity to make up work or be provided with a comparable alternative assessment without penalty.

Hybrid Remote Courses (HYR)*

The course requires in-person and virtual participation.

In addition to participating in realtime virtual sessions, students will be expected to come to main campus, clinical sites, or the Monroe Center for in-person class sessions during the scheduled time. In-person and real-time virtual session meeting dates will be designated on the syllabus.

Students are expected to attend all in-person and real-time virtual sessions. Students unable to commit to regular attendance should consider courses designated as Online (ONL) and/or Structured Remote (SR).

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Please contact your advisor for help or emailadvising@frederick.edu to answer any questions.

* IMPORTANT NOTE FOR STRUCTURED REMOTE (SR) AND HYBRID REMOTE (HYR) COURSES: When registering for classes, please consider the **course format**, **meeting dates and times**, **and location**(s) for in person participation, as well as requirements for real-time virtual instruction. Students must allow appropriate transition times between classes to account for different meeting requirements and/or locations.

There will be limited physical access to buildings, classrooms, labs, and College offices. Specific protocols will be in place to ensure the safety of students, employees, and community members. Guidelines and instructions for physical access will be provided to students and community members and made available at frederick.edu once they are finalized. Comprehensive student resources remain available remotely to deliver College services to students.

ARTS & CRAFTS

Happy Little Trees: The Bob Ross Painting Class Foundations Of Watercolor Drawing for the Absolute Beginner

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HAPPY LITTLE TREES

Bob Ross Painting

Instructor: Denise Sullivan

You've seen him before. He's the soft-spoken guy who paints happy clouds, mountains, and trees in about 26 television minutes using big, house painting-type brushes while cooing "you can do it" to the audience. His Joy of Painting program is the most recognized, most watched TV art show in history. Although Bob Ross is no longer with us, a Bob Ross certified instructor will teach you the magic behind painting happy little trees when you recreate one of Bob's masterpieces in this five-hour class. All materials including brushes, Bob Ross paints, and canvases will be provided. Class will take a 30-minute lunch break so be sure to bring a packed lunch.

Choose from two available sessions. June 5 | August 14 Saturday • 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Visual & Performing Arts Center/F131 • \$89

This **Face to Face Course** is taught at designated locations during scheduled times. An email will be sent prior to the first class with detailed course information and class details.







MAKE A SPLASH

Foundations of Watercolor (SR)

Instructor: Jennifer Littleton

The Foundations of Watercolor series provides students a strong theoretical and practical knowledge of realistic watercolor through discussion, demonstration, and practice. Students will learn how to select an image to paint from, complete and transfer a preliminary drawing, pre-wet watercolor paper, and create flat washes using various brushes. While utilizing these skills, students will complete one monochromatic painting. Returning students will continue to learn and develop their color theory skills to complete a full color painting. A list of supplies will be provided prior to class start date.

Six-Course Series: Students complete each of six sessions. June 10 | June 17 | June 24 | July 1 | July 8 | July 15 Thursdays • 2:30 - 5:00 p.m. • Online • \$149

This **Structured Remote Course (SR)** is entirely online. The course does meet as a real-time online session during the scheduled class time. This course is offered in an online format only. Students must be able to access the course from your own computer/tablet using a link that will be emailed at least one business day prior to the course start. FCC will not be able to provide individual technical support to students during the class sessions. Should you experience difficulties and not be able to access the course, please contact the program office. Only students who have paid the course fee and are officially on the class roster, may join the online class session. To learn more about this class and instructor, please visit <u>www.JMLittletonart.com</u>.



FRESH PERSPECTIVE

Drawing for the Absolute Beginner (ONL)

Have you always been interested in drawing, but never really knew how to get started? If so, this is the course for you! Gain a solid foundation and understanding of the basics to drawing and become the artist you've always dreamed you could be. Learn the many tools of the trade. Become intimately familiar with paper types, drawing styles, rendering techniques, and the basic principal of perspective, layout, design, lighting, volume, and space. Even discover how best to get in touch with your right brain. If you have an interest in learning what it's like to draw or would love to increase your current knowledge in the field of art and illustrating, then this course aims to fulfill all of your needs.

Twelve Sessions: Students complete new lessons as they are released.

June 16 - July 23 Online • 24/7 • \$129



FOOD & DRINK

Maryland Whiskey 101



SOMETHING STRONG

Maryland Whiskey 101

Instructor: McClintock Distilling

We're teaming up with McClintock Distilling to give you a beginner guide to everyone's favorite nutty, oaky, and smoky spirit – whiskey! You'll learn how whiskey is made, the different types, and the history of the barrel aging process. This class will have a special focus on Maryland Rye Whiskey and what makes it so special.

June 24 Thursday • 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. • \$34

JUNE

Must be 21 to register.

This **Face to Face Course** is taught at designated locations during scheduled times. An email will be sent prior to the first class with detailed course information and class details.

HOME & HOBBY

DIY Home Maintenance for Beginners A Beginner's Guide to Machine Sewing Iris Paper Folding - Flowers & Butterflies Introduction to Interior Design Beginning Calligraphy: Italic The Homesteading Series: Preserving and Cooking with Herbs

The Homesteading Series: Basic Water Bath Canning



HOME SWEET HOME

DIY Home Maintenance for Beginners

Instructor: James Thuman

If you live under a roof and four walls, this class is a must. Join us to learn the DIY maintenance skills everyone should master. Learn how to do simple drywall repair; hang a perfectly straight picture; mount a TV; locate a stud; fix leaky faucets, toilets, and drains; master the use of common tools, and so much more.

June 5 Saturday • 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Monroe Center/MC147 • \$99

This **Face to Face Course** is taught at designated locations during scheduled times. An email will be sent prior to the first class with detailed course information and class details.





SIMPLE STITCHING

A Beginner's Guide to Machine Sewing (SR)

Sewing is not only incredibly money-saving, but it also provides a tremendous sense of self-satisfaction, knowing that you did it yourself. It all starts with knowing the basics. In this introductory course, you will learn the basic information required to operate a sewing machine for both practical and creative projects. Students will need a sewing machine. A list of supplies will be provided prior to the first class.

Three-Course Series: Students complete each of three sessions.

June 7 | June 14 | June 21

Mondays • 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. • Online • \$59

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Instructor: Terry Leitma

JUNE



PERFECT FOLDS

Iris Paper Folding - Flowers & Butterflies

Instructor: Kathy Barylski

Iris Paper Folding is a wonderful technique that looks difficult but is fairly easy to master. It makes gorgeous greetings cards and can be incorporated into scrapbooking and other crafts. All materials are included in the course fee and directions are provided to you so you can create additional projects on your own.

June 8 Tuesday • 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Conference Center/E140 • \$29

JUNE

This Face to Face Course is taught at designated locations during scheduled times. An email will be sent prior to the first class with detailed course information and class details.



DECORATING YOUR WAY

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Introduction to Interior Design (ONL)

Discover how to transform plain living spaces into beautiful and functional rooms. Delve into color theory, industry trends, spatial arrangements, floor plans, traditional and modern interior design ideas, and other basics. Explore a range of careers in interior design and get insider tips for entering this exciting field. Because interior design is constantly evolving, you'll also learn about some of the latest trends affecting the industry. Investigate green" sustainable design, and find out how to modify your designs for people with special needs. As you master design skills step-by-step, you'll complete a fully developed room design with spatial layout, lighting, and finish selections. Your new knowledge and hands-on practice will give you the confidence you need to start creating beautiful residential interiors for yourself and others.

Twelve Sessions: Students complete new lessons as they are released.

June 16 - July 23 Online • 24/7 • \$129





WHIRLS & SWIRLS

Beginning Calligraphy: Italic

Instructor: Jodie Lide

Join us to discover the basics of the Italic hand. In this course, students will become familiar with the tools and methods of hand lettering while gaining knowledge of basic letter forms through hands-on experience. Learn the tools of the trade, practice basic lettering strokes, and leave with your own finished calligraphy piece at the end of the class! A list of supplies will be provided prior to class start date.

Eight-Course Series: Students complete each of eight sessions. June 18 | June 25 | July 9 | July 16 | July 23 | July 30 | August 6 | August 13 No Class: July 2 Fridays • 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Visual & Performing Arts Center/F131 • \$139

This **Face to Face Course** is taught at designated locations during scheduled times. An email will be sent prior to the first class with detailed course information and class details.

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PRACTICAL SUSTAINABILITY

The Homesteading Series: Preserving and Cooking with Herbs

Instructor: Don Ludke

We no longer live in a time when we can be totally self-sufficient, we can only be practically" self-sufficient and sustainable. This multi course series is designed to prepare a family to "practically" provide sufficient food from a medium sized suburban home garden, a not-for-profit homestead, or a small farm. The series includes elements of composting, food preservation, caring for small animals, reducing energy consumption, and living a lifestyle in a more responsible way. The single topics will address many of the questions and issues you may have in pursuing such a lifestyle."

June 30 Wednesday • 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Conference Center/E125 • \$19

This Face to Face Course is taught at designated locations during scheduled times. An email will be sent prior to the first class with detailed course information and class details.





PRACTICAL SUSTAINABILITY

The Homesteading Series: Basic Water Bath Canning

Instructor: Don Ludke

We no longer live in a time when we can be totally self-sufficient, we can only be practically" self-sufficient and sustainable. This multi course series is designed to prepare a family to "practically" provide sufficient food from a medium sized suburban home garden, a not-for-profit homestead, or a small farm. The series includes elements of composting, food preservation, caring for small animals, reducing energy consumption, and living a lifestyle in a more responsible way. The single topics will address many of the questions and issues you may have in pursuing such a lifestyle."

August 10 Tuesday • 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Conference Center/E125 • \$19

This **Face to Face Course** is taught at designated locations during scheduled times. An email will be sent prior to the first class with detailed course information and class details.



LANGUAGES

American Sign Language I American Sign Language II - Intermediate Discover Sign Language Beginning Conversational French Speed Spanish Speed Spanish II Instant Italian



LEARN TO SIGN

American Sign Language I (SR)

Instructor: Martha Pugh

Learn the basic conversational skills used in American Sign Language (ASL). Topics include basic grammar structure related to the exchange of personal information, introductions, negotiation with the environment, calendar, and commands. Learn basic survival signs through demonstration. Students practice what is covered in class. This course uses *A Basic Course in American Sign Language* (ISBN 978-0932666420) which will be available for purchase in the FCC bookstore. This textbook is used for American Sign Language I and II.

Six-Course Series: Students complete each of six sessions. June 7 | June 14 | June 21 | June 28 | July 12 | July 19 No Class: July 5

Mondays • 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. • Online • \$169

JUNE

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CONTINUE TO SIGN

American Sign Language II - Intermediate (SR)

Students will continue to learn and practice conversation skills used in American Sign Language I. They will learn more about ASL grammar structure, visual gestural, descriptive, negotiation with the environment, and deaf and hard-ofhearing culture. This course uses *A Basic Course in American Sign Language* (ISBN 978-0932666420) which will be available for purchase in the FCC bookstore. This textbook is used for American Sign Language I and II.

Six-Course Series: Students complete each of six sessions. July 26 | August 2 | August 9 | August 16 | August 23 | August 30 Mondays • 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. • Online • \$169

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SAY HELLO!

Discover Sign Language (ONL)

It's truly amazing that we can communicate just by using our hands! Add different facial expressions, and you have a conversation - the language of Deaf people. In this course, you'll discover how to use this graceful, expressive language to communicate with Deaf people. Begin with an introduction to the language itself and learn to create the signs for numbers and master the sign alphabet to fingerspell proper names. Continue on to sign phrases and expand to complete sentences and see how to put it all together so you can introduce yourself and start a conversation. Along the way you'll learn signs for colors, where you live, family, and the activities you like to do. Throughout, you'll learn by watching videos that demonstrate how to make the signs and how to incorporate facial expressions to communicate in this beautiful language.

Twelve Sessions: Students complete new lessons as they are released.

June 16 - July 23 Online • 24/7 • \$129





PARLEZ-VOUS FRANÇAIS?

Beginning Conversational French (ONL)

This course will teach you how to communicate easily and comfortably with those who speak French. You'll learn practical, common phrases that will make your trip to the many French-speaking regions of the world more pleasant. Each lesson introduces a scenario, presented in short dialogues. You'll be able to practice and learn both sides of the conversation, so you'll easily understand and expect common responses. Every lesson also has cultural tips, which will make you more comfortable in a foreign setting. Since proper pronunciation is important to good communication, this course will help you master the best pronunciations. Simply click on each word to hear it spoken! Every word and sentence is also written out phonetically using sounds that you are already very familiar with from English words.

Twelve Sessions: Students complete new lessons as they are released.

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¿HABLAS ESPAÑOL?

Speed Spanish (ONL)

Imagine yourself speaking, reading and writing Spanish. Now you can with Speed Spanish! This course is designed for anyone who wants to learn Spanish pronto. You'll learn six easy recipes for gluing Spanish words together to form sentences. In no time at all, you'll be able to go into any Spanish speaking situation and converse in Spanish.

Twelve Sessions: Students complete new lessons as they are released.

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iQUÉ BUENO!

Speed Spanish II (ONL)

Have you ever seen a non-native speaking Spanish fluently? Were you impressed? Would you like to become more conversational and more comfortable in Spanish-speaking situations? Now you can. Our Speed Spanish courses are unlike any other Spanish classes you may have ever taken. You'll see words, hear them pronounced properly, and be granted plenty of opportunities to practice your pronunciation. Then, you'll learn several clever recipes that you can use to glue the words together into sentences. Enroll in Speed Spanish II, and you'll see an immediate improvement in your Spanish fluency from the very first lesson.

Twelve Sessions: Students complete new lessons as they are released.

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PER FAVORE

Instant Italian (ONL)

This dynamic course will teach you how to express yourself comfortably in Italian by learning everyday words and phrases. Read, hear, and practice dialogues based on typical situations you're likely to encounter while staying in Italy. Essential words and phrases are written phonetically by using sounds that are familiar to you from English words. The course audio feature lets you hear the words and phrases spoken aloud with just a click of your mouse. Short exercises are included with each lesson to help you reinforce what you've learned and gauge your progress. The exercises also give you immediate feedback—you'll know whether you answered correctly as soon as you finish. You'll be pleased at how quickly this course helps you build your skills, and prepares you for your next adventure in Italia.

Twelve Sessions: Students complete new lessons as they are released.

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PHOTOGRAPHY

Frederick County Photo Shoot - Covered Bridges Frederick County Photo Shoot - Lilypons Frederick County Photo Shoot - Baker and Carrol Creek Parks Photographing Nature with Your Digital Camera Introduction to InDesign CC Introduction to Lightroom CC



OUT AND ABOUT | TAKE 1

Frederick County Photo Shoot - Covered Bridges

Instructor: Howard Clark

Join an instructor for a photo shoot in Frederick County. You'll be provided with a meeting location where you'll spend some time examining the surroundings. The instructor will then help you to identify better points of view for photographing the location. The instructor will also review your results on the spot and help you to optimize the settings on your camera. You'll get expert advice that is sure to enhance your skill with a camera. Following the on-location session, you'll have the opportunity to submit some sample photos for an expert, on-line, live critique.

Two-Course Series: Students complete each of two sessions.

June 12 | June 24

Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. & Thursday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. • \$59

Students will meet on the first class session at Roddy Road Covered Bridge for one hour and then drive to nearby Loy's Station Covered Bridge, and finally Utica Covered Bridge. Rain date is 6/19.

JUNE

This **Hybrid Remote Course (HYR)** is primarily online, but students will meet for the first class session at Roddy Road Covered Bridge.



OUT AND ABOUT | TAKE 2

Frederick County Photo Shoot - Lilypons

Instructor: Howard Clark

Join an instructor for a photo shoot in Frederick County. You'll be provided with a meeting location where you'll spend some time examining the surroundings. The instructor will then help you to identify better points of view for photographing the location. The instructor will also review your results on the spot and help you to optimize the settings on your camera. You'll get expert advice that is sure to enhance your skill with a camera. Following the on-location session, you'll have the opportunity to submit some sample photos for an expert, on-line, live critique.

Two-Course Series: Students complete each of two sessions.

July 10 | July 22

Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. & Thursday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. • \$59

Students will meet on the first class session at Lilypons Water Garden parking lot near Buckeystown. Rain date is 7/17.

JULY

This **Hybrid Remote Course (HYR)** is primarily online, but students will meet for the first class session at Lilypons Water Garden.



OUT AND ABOUT | TAKE 3

Frederick County Photo Shoot - Baker & Carrol Creek Parks

Instructor: Howard Clark

Join an instructor for a photo shoot in Frederick County. You'll be provided with a meeting location where you'll spend some time examining the surroundings. The instructor will then help you to identify better points of view for photographing the location. The instructor will also review your results on the spot and help you to optimize the settings on your camera. You'll get expert advice that is sure to enhance your skill with a camera. Following the on-location session, you'll have the opportunity to submit some sample photos for an expert, on-line, live critique.

Two-Course Series: Students complete each of two sessions.

August 14 | August 26

Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. & Thursday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. • \$59

Students will meet on the first class session at the Carillon in Baker Park. Then students will crossover the nearby Carroll Creek Park. Rain date is 8/21.

AUGUST

This **Hybrid Remote Course (HYR)** is primarily online, but students will meet for the first class session at the Carillon in Baker Park.



CAPTURE BEAUTY

Photographing Nature with Your Digital Camera (ONL)

Nature photography can be a fun, relaxing, and exciting hobby! Learn about the many aspects of outdoor photography as well as how to master your digital camera's controls and features. Explore composition and lighting issues and find out how to take beautiful photos of landscapes, flowers, trees, and water. Along the way, delve into your camera's shutter speed and aperture controls so that you'll be able to capture the photos you really want. Discover how to use your computer to process your photos and digitally correct the most common problems. See how your photos can become works of art rather than just snapshots of nature.

Twelve Sessions: Students complete new lessons as they are released.

June 16 - July 23 Online • 24/7 • \$129





MASTERFUL GRAPHICS

Introduction to InDesign CC (ONL)

Have you ever seen a terrific-looking brochure or newsletter and wondered how it was made? Chances are the designer used Adobe InDesign CC, the industry-standard desktop publishing software now available through the Creative Cloud. The course is applicable to any version of InDesign CS4 or newer. In each lesson, we'll cover an important aspect of InDesign CC as you prepare a range of print and online products for a fictional company, Natalie's Nautical Emporium. You'll get dozens of files to work with and use the downloaded graphics, images, fonts, and other content to complete the project.

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FILES ORGANIZED

Introduction to Lightroom CC (ONL)

Do you have a lot of images to manage? Adobe Photoshop Lightroom is a fantastic tool for digital photographers at any skill level who need to manipulate and organize photos images. This course will teach you how to use Lightroom Classic CC, Adobe's easy-to-use software that prepares, edits, and organizes photos quickly and effectively. Through hands-on exercises, you will learn to use Lightroom Classic CC like a pro and perfect your digital photos!

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PIXEL PERFECT

Introduction to Photoshop CC (ONL)

Photoshop is the world's most popular photo-editing program. Artists, photographers, designers, and hobbyists all rely on Adobe Photoshop for image creation and editing. You'll learn how to use Photoshop while accessing it from the Creative Cloud (CC). The course provides detailed, step-by-step instructions that you'll have no trouble following—even if you've never used a computer graphics program before! And you'll have a lot of fun doing it.

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JUNE

WRITER'S INSTITUTE

Research Methods for Writers Introduction to Internet Writing Markets Publish and Sell Your E-Books Beginning Writer's Workshop Writing Essentials How to Make Money From Your Writing



GETTING STARTED

Research Methods for Writers (ONL)

Attention all writers! Learn how to efficiently and effectively conduct research for any writing project: fiction, nonfiction, business ... even term papers and dissertations. Research has progressed far beyond a visit to the library. Today, myriad sources provide almost anything a writer might need to know on any subject. Learn how to identify and access every information source imaginable.

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DIGITAL PLATFORM

Introduction to Internet Writing Markets (ONL)

The Internet provides unlimited opportunities if you're a writer, whether you just have a few hours a week to blog or want a full-time publishing career or just plan to promote your books or business on the Web. There is no single way to become successful writing for the Web, so this course shows you the hundreds of different choices you have, and helps you set your own goals. In fact, by the end of the course, you'll have your very own publishing plan, from the steps to take in developing your writer's platform or brand, to the markets that will help you accomplish your goals.

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LUCRATIVE WRITING

Publish and Sell Your E-Books (ONL)

If you can use a word processor, have a book written (or have an idea for one), and want to see your name in print, you just might have what it takes to succeed in self-publishing. This course introduces you to everything you need to know to do a professional job of turning your manuscript into a book that will help you make money on the Internet. Learn how to format your e-book and get it ready to sell through bookstores like Amazon and Apple. By the end of the course, you could have your e-book published in over 100 countries worldwide and available to libraries and book clubs. This course and its follow-up Introduction to Writing Markets, take you step-by-step through publishing your own e-books and building your writer's platform or brand, to be successful selling them.

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PEN TO PAPER

Beginning Writer's Workshop (ONL)

Some of the best works of fiction and nonfiction were crafted in a writer's workshop. This online course will help you write your own creative piece. Like a true writing workshop, you will learn literary techniques, peer review a classmate's work, and receive constructive criticism on your work. In addition, you will learn how to move your work from the prewriting stage to editing and final revision. You will also learn how to use literary devices, meaningful dialogue, and imagery in your different drafts. By the end of this online workshop, you will have a thoroughly developed creative writing piece. You might even be ready for publication!

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COMMUNICATE CLEARLY

Writing Essentials (ONL)

In this course, you'll develop the skills you need to excel at business communications, express yourself clearly online, and take your creative literary talents to a new level. Whether you're hoping to get a better job, write for a blog, or publish your short story, this course will give you the writing tools you need for success. You'll improve your writing skills by learning to select strong and persuasive words, spell correctly, and choose the right punctuation. Then you'll find out how to put it all together by crafting well-written sentences, building effective paragraphs, and organizing your material logically. And finally, you'll explore ways to make the most of e-mails and other forms of electronic communication.

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GETTING PAID

How to Make Money From Your Writing (ONL)

You really can make money with your writing. Whether you want to create your own business, add to your income, supplement your retirement, or boost what you're earning as a writer, you'll find the how-to's here. In just six weeks, you will learn secrets, methods, and tips to help you generate income with your writing. You'll explore a dozen genres that can help you establish a sometime, part-time, or full-time career as a writer. You will also get facts on ghostwriting, collaboration, writing for the Web, and writing for new technologies, copywriting, article and essay writing, and novel and nonfiction book writing, plus tips for finding publishers and agents. A fulfilling (and lucrative) writing work is waiting for you!

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GET STARTED

Learn more and sign up at frederick.edu/lifelong. Space is limited.

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