Do you want to learn more about topics such as indoor gardening, sharing your values through personal messages, America betrayed, and American education and its Future? Then UNI’s Lifelong University is the program for you. Courses and class formats include four-week, three-week and one-time workshops. UNI’s Lifelong University is one example of our commitment to serving Iowans of all ages. The program, geared toward the lifelong learner, will offer non-credit courses taught by retired and current UNI faculty and staff. The courses will be taught on campus on weekdays.

UNI offers a world-class university education, providing personalized experiences and creating a lifetime of opportunities. So come join us for the adventure, and take a class just for the fun of it!
Indoor Gardening
Join us for a 3 day course which will answer all your questions about growing beautiful house plants. Participants will enjoy a guided tour through the Botanical Center. We will discuss many of the Botanical Center’s collection of tropical plants and how they can thrive in the average home. Participants will learn about the best lighting, soil types, fertilizer options & pruning techniques to make houseplants look their best. Participants also will get hands on reporting experience using their own personal house plant and have the ability to get expert growing advice from Botanical Center Staff. Participants should dress for growing success; we will be playing in the dirt!

Instructor: Stephanie Witte, UNI Botanical Center Horticulturist
Dates: Wednesday, February 19, 26 and March 5
Time: 10:00 to 12:00
Location: UNI Botanical Center
Cost: $30.00

Legacy Letters: Sharing your Values through Personal Messages
Legacy letters offer a way to reflect upon and express our values and life lessons. They become treasured gifts for our family and friends:
- Learn the history of this ancient tradition
- Learn the difference between memoir and legacy letters
- Draw from life experiences to pen values, wisdom, insight, life stories and special messages
- Discover the components of a legacy letter

Instructor: Susanna Schuerman
Dates: Tuesday, March 4, 11, 25
Time: 1:00 to 2:30
Location: Windcove, Western Home Communities
Cost: $30.00

America Betrayed
The course presents an introduction to the history of spying in America. The focus is on the motivations that drove Americans to betray the nation’s secrets, the damage inflicted, and the temper of the times.

Instructor: Hal Wohl
Dates: Tuesday, April, 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
Time: 10:00 to 12:00
Location: Windcove, Western Home Communities
Cost: $40.00

American Education and its Future
The need for strong educational preparation has never been greater. Disruptive technologies, the rise of a global economy, changing demographics, socio-economic differences and the increasing role of government in education have combined with other factors to create a chaotic environment for education. The workplaces of today and tomorrow all demand new skills, knowledge and abilities. Come to this class to see how schools, colleges and universities must meet those demands with shrinking resources.

Instructor: Steve Carignan
Dates: Thursday, February 6, 13, 20, 27
Time: 10:00 to 12:00
Location: Windcove, Western Home Communities
Cost: $40.00

Western Home Communities is now a proud partner of Lifelong University at the University of Northern Iowa, providing space and funding for the services offered through the program.

For More Information
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