Sixth Annual Emeritus College Symposium
Arizona in 2020

Saturday, November 5, 2011
Memorial Union
Arizona State University, Tempe Campus

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

We are pleased to announce the Sixth Annual Emeritus College Symposium, “Arizona in 2020,” to be held on Saturday, November 5, 2011.

The Annual Symposium of the Emeritus College provides an opportunity for members of the College to share with their colleagues, through papers and other forms of presentations, their work, activities and interests.

All members of the College are cordially invited to submit contributions to the program. These may be in the form of papers on research or other topics of interest, performance, or display of creative works. The theme of the symposium will be “Arizona in 2020”, giving us a perspective of where our state may find itself a decade from now, especially in light of rapidly changing local economics and politics. Contributions that address this theme are encouraged, but they need not do so. Contributed presentations may be on any topic. The theme will be reflected primarily in the plenary sessions, including the banquet luncheon.

Oral and performance presentations will be allotted 20 minutes, including time for questions and discussion, in parallel sessions. Displays will be provided space in the Symposium meeting area throughout the day. A limited number of informational booths will be made available to interested organizations. A full program and registration materials will be published in October, with information on plenary speakers forthcoming at an earlier date.

To contribute a presentation to the Symposium, please fill out and return the enclosed submission form. The Symposium organizing committee will respond to you shortly after receiving your submission.
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PRESENTATION SUBMISSION

Deadline for submission is Friday, September 23, 2011

Name: __________________________________________________________

Address: ________________________________________________________

Telephone: __________________________ Email: _______________________

Presentation Title: __________________________________________________________________

Presentation Type:   ___ Paper   ___ Reading   ___ Performance   ___ Display

Abstract or Description (50 words or less) ____________________________________________

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Special Requirements (projection, sound, etc.) _________________________________________

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Submit to:
Organizing Committee
Emeritus College Symposium
Old Main, Room 102
P. O. Box 873002
Tempe, AZ 85287-3002
June 6, 2011

Dear Colleague,

The Emeritus College’s Center for Writing has, for more than five years, sponsored programs for its members and friends in creative writing. At a recent meeting of those interested in sustaining this activity, it was decided to move in a different direction than in the past. Rather than continue our program of Creative Writing Workshops, which we have offered in conjunction with the Virginia G. Piper Center, we will, beginning with the Fall, 2011 Semester, organize several workshops of topical natures under the leadership of members of the College themselves.

It is expected that each workshop will provide an experience to its participants, in a particular area of creative writing, designed to assist authors at all levels to improve their crafts. Workshops will have no more than six participants each, with one of them as coordinator. Workshops will meet when, as often and for as long as their members desire. Most will meet in the Emeritus Center Conference Room. There will be a $25 per semester charge to cover printing and copying costs; no other tuition will be charged.

In addition to the topical workshops, the Center for Writing will continue to sponsor Writers Groups, whose purpose is to assist members with major projects destined for publication. In all of these workshops and groups, the source of improvement and instruction is the members, themselves, rather than an instructor. However, external expertise may be called upon as opportunities develop.

Participation in these workshops and groups is open to members of the Emeritus College, their spouses or partners, members and spouses of ASURA, and “friends” of the Emeritus College. There will be enrollment periods prior to each semester.

We encourage all to take advantage of this valuable Emeritus College opportunity. To help us to organize the first slate of workshops, we ask that you respond to a simple survey below by mailing or dropping it by the Emeritus College office. (A postage paid envelope is enclosed.)

With best regards,

Dick Jacob
Founding Dean

Please Indicate the workshops or groups in which you would likely be interested.

_____ Fiction: Short Story
_____ Poetry
_____ Science Fiction
_____ Memoir
_____ Biography

_____ Fiction: Novel and novella
_____ Fiction: Mystery
_____ Historical fiction
_____ Feature writing
_____ Writers Group

Name _____________________________________________
Teaching Opportunities

All funds will be deposited with the ASU Foundation for a New American University a separate non-profit organization that exists to benefit ASU.

The amount may be considered a charitable contribution. Please consult with your tax advisor regarding the deductibility of charitable contributions.

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Please return this membership card along with your initial voluntary annual contribution of $50 or more payable to the ASU Foundation, Inc.
The Emeritus College at ASU
Emeritus Academy for Continued Learning

Application to Offer a Lecture or Performance

Lectures and performances are offered through the Emeritus Academy for Continued Learning to various organizations in the greater Phoenix area that are committed to bringing contemporary subjects from the sciences, humanities and arts to the general population. To give a lecture or a performance under the Emeritus College's auspices, an individual must be a member, associate member or affiliate member of the Emeritus College. Lectures and performances are presented gratis to service and other non-profit groups, although honoraria are appreciated.

Submitter's Name: ___________________________ Date __________________

Academic Area: ___________________________

Address: _________________________________

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Telephone number: ______________ E-mail: _____________________________

Suggested title for lecture or performance:
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Description, including principal topic or theme:
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Equipment and special facilities needed: ___________________________________
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Available in: _____ Fall _____ Winter _____ Spring
(Select any or all)

Comments: ________________________________________________
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Submit form to The Emeritus College, P.O. Box 873002, Tempe, Arizona 85287-3002