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Fall 2015

Look For NEW Classes!
Discover something new!

Whether you enroll in a class for career or personal development, learning is all about discovering new ways of doing, understanding and experiencing. Here at UW-BC, you can learn how to speak Spanish, plan for your financial well-being, play ukulele, become a basketball official, dance ballroom style, create spreadsheets in Excel, paint watercolor and even defend yourself! Or, sign up to be in the area’s most popular band – the Communiversity Band, or the outstanding Red Cedar Choir that fills the house for their performances. But wait, there’s more! 100’s of classes are available 24/7/365 online, a great way for the busy person or night owl to learn. Look inside - you’ll discover even more. And, you can enroll online, by phone, or at the college.

We Are Northwest Wisconsin’s UW Campus!

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Ballroom Dance Level I

Don’t just watch the stars dance, learn how to move around the dance floor in this fun dance class. Whether you’re just beginning ballroom dancing, or would like to brush up on your basic dance moves, this dance class is for you. You’ll learn the swing, waltz and rumba, while you stay in shape and socialize. Register early as class size is limited.

Tuesdays // Nov 3, 10, 17, 24 and Dec 1 // 6:00-7:15 PM
Meggers Hall Commons // $59 per person

Ballroom Dance Level II

This class is designed for those with some ballroom dance experience. Time will be spent on emphasizing leading and following skills along with adding new patterns. Enhance the movement of your dancing by learning to develop the advanced techniques used by the experts. Dances covered will be chosen by the participants.

Tuesdays // Nov 3, 10, 17, 24 and Dec 1 // 7:15-8:30 PM
Meggers Hall Commons // $59 per person

Your Ballroom Dance instructors are Dave & Karen Goggin from the Eau Claire area. They have over 30 years of combined professional teaching experience in Ballroom & Latin dancing. They teach a combination of private and group lessons in the Eau Claire, Chippewa Falls, and Marshfield areas. Dave and Karen welcome singles and couples into their classes and take a personal interest in making sure everyone, including novice and experienced participants, have fun while learning.

Popular Instrument Lessons for Beginners

See how easy it can be to learn to play popular songs in these small group lessons for guitar, ukulele, mandolin or banjo. You will be introduced to the beginner chords, scales, and playing techniques. Plus you will learn proper instrument position, study basic music theory and start to understand why and when notes are played.

Your instructor, Roger Harrison, is a seasoned and versatile musician. He joined the Musicians’ Union at the young age of 13 and has been teaching others to make music for many years. Playing in his family band, Roger has performed as the opening act for Conway Twitty, Jerry Lee Lewis, Hank Williams Jr. and other nationally known performers.
Red Cedar Choir

Be part of an amazing choir – considered one of the best in NW Wisconsin! The Red Cedar Choir is a partnership with the UW-BC Music Department and surrounding communities. It is open to all community members, high school age and older. There is no required audition to participate. The choir is under the direction of Beth Joosten. Joosten has been a resident of the area since 1974. She presently teaches vocal and general music at Cameron Middle School and High School, and has directed the Red Cedar Choir since 2012.

*Thursdays // Sept 10 – Dec 3 // 7:00-9:00 PM*
*UW-BC Fine Arts Music Room // $10 per semester*

Communiversity Band

Communiversity Band is a joint effort of the UW-BC Music Department and the adult musicians of the surrounding communities. The Communiversity Band rehearses on Mondays during the first and second semesters. The band performs one concert during each semester and will perform special concerts in neighboring communities. This ensemble is open to any student or community member. Mike Joosten is the director of the Communiversity Band.

*Mondays // Sept 14 – Nov 16 // 7:00-9:00 PM*
*UW-BC Fine Arts Music Room // $10 per semester*

Instrument Lessons Meet on Mondays in the Student Center – Cedarside Room

- **Beginning Guitar**
  *5:30 – 6:00 PM*
  *Sept 14, 21, 28, Oct 5, 12, 19, 26 & Nov 2*
  *$129 + $19 Book Including Audio Track*

- **Beginning Mandolin**
  *6:30-7:00 PM*
  *Sept 14, 21, 28, Oct 5, 12, 19, 26 & Nov 2*
  *$129 + $19 Book Including Audio Track*

- **Beginning Ukulele**
  *6:00 – 6:30 PM*
  *Sept 14, 21, 28, Oct 5, 12, 19, 26 & Nov 2*
  *$129 + $19 Book Including Audio Track*

- **Beginning Banjo**
  *7:00-7:30 PM*
  *Sept 14, 21, 28, Oct 5, 12, 19, 26 & Nov 2*
  *$129 + $19 Book Including Audio Track*
Beginning Drawing: A Four Week Wednesday Series

Can’t draw a stick figure? No worries, this class will start with basic line drawing, move on to value, and easy techniques for perspective. Learn “how to see,” observe objects around you, and translate them to a piece of paper. We will be working with graphite pencils.

All supplies will be provided by the instructor and are included in the class fees. You need only bring a desire to learn, a willingness to have fun, and your creative imagination!

Wednesdays // Sept 16, 23, 30 and Oct 7 // 6:00-8:00 PM
Fine Arts Building - Lab Room 601 // $79 (Includes over $15 in materials)

Watercolor Wednesdays: Alternative Techniques

Beginner to Intermediate level. Learn how to paint with watercolors using a variety of papers and techniques. This will include abstract watercolor methods, Chinese brush painting, and splatter painting.

All supplies will be provided by the instructor and are included in the class fees. Just bring your creative spirit!

Wednesdays // Nov 4, 11, 18 // 6:00-8:00 PM
Fine Arts Building - Lab Room 601 // $69 (Includes over $15 in materials)

Jessica Mongeon is an art lecturer at UW-Barron County. She earned a Master of Fine Arts degree from Montana State University in painting and a Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree from the University of North Dakota. She has exhibited her paintings regionally and nationally and has actively participated in artist residencies at the Vermont Studio Center, the Anderson Center in Red Wing, Minnesota and the Sam and Adele Golden Foundation Artist Residency in upstate New York. Visit Jessica’s website to learn more about her artistry at: www.jessicamongeon.com

Charger Chess Club

Do you enjoy chess? Want to learn or improve your strategies? Join the Charger Chess Club. Our club allows you to cultivate your chess playing skills in a casual, fun environment. Not only can you become a better player, but this is a great way to meet other chess players from the local area. Players of all skill levels are welcome, as are those who simply want to learn how to play. For more information contact club advisor Quentin Vieregge at Quentin.vieregge@uwc.edu.

Thursdays // Begins Sept 10 // 4:00 PM
UW-BC Commons // Free and open to the public
Beginning Spanish

Do you want to learn to speak and understand Spanish for business or pleasure? We’ll get you started. The class will introduce you to everyday situations like:

- Engaging with others in simple, everyday conversation
- Asking for directions or about the weather, and understanding the answers!
- Introducing yourself and meeting others
- Learning the names of foods and how to order in a restaurant
- Making purchases and doing business with a bank

Plus – you’ll learn a basic vocabulary along with some of the most-used verbs and other parts of speech so that you can read simple materials and write basic sentences.

Mike Borstad is an Associate Lecturer of Spanish at UW-BC. He lived in Latin America for 20 years where Spanish was his primary language. While living in Argentina he served with a mission organization and taught, counseled, and did administrative work all in Spanish. His four children attended Spanish-speaking schools. Mike, his wife Sheryl and children live in Cameron. He has diverse interests in camping, hunting, trombone, piano and carpentry.

Tuesdays // Sept 15, 22, 29, Oct 6, 13, 20, 27, Nov 3 // 6:00-8:00 PM
Ritzinger Hall Room 205 // $139 (Includes text and materials)

Self-Defense - Protect Yourself!

Learn how to listen to your inner voice to recognize a threat and react automatically before it becomes a full blown attack.

Regardless of your size, speed, or athletic skills learn how to: avoid being a target, assess your surroundings, react to a confrontation, conduct yourself in a crisis, anticipate your attacker’s next move, break an attacker’s grasp and, how, when, and where to strike if you have no other choice. A mix of classroom instruction and hands-on training to build skills and confidence. Great fun and exercise! This class is designed for adult women and men. Youth 14-17 years welcome with accompanying adult.

Master Lloyd A. Brown is a 7th degree Black Belt in Karate and a 6th degree Black Belt in Okinawan weaponry. With over 45 years of experience in the Martial Arts he was inducted into the USA Martial Arts Hall of Fame in 2009 and 2012. He is an instructor at UW-Barron County and owns Brown’s Karate Academy in Barron, WI. For more information on Master Brown go to: www.brownskarateacademy.com

Saturday //Oct 3 // 8:00 – 12:30 PM
UW-Barron County Gymnasium // $39 per person (Includes pizza lunch)
NEW! Financial Fitness Series
Am I saving and investing enough for retirement?
How do I determine what are good from bad investments?
Who can I trust for advice?
What about my estate – how do I make intelligent choices today?
The Financial Fitness Series is open to everyone who wants to learn more about making smart decisions with their money and their future.

Fact-Based Investing
Take what you’ve learned about investing and throw it out the window. Investing as we know it has changed. The focus of Fact-Based Investing is on careful measurements of ‘What Is’ rather than emphasizing the predictions of what ‘might’ happen tomorrow, or the theories of what ‘ought’ to happen tomorrow. With just two tools of measuring, you can confidently see where and when to invest. Simply put, be defensive and protected in Bear Markets, and fully-invested during Bull Markets.

Tuesday // September 8 // 6:00-7:00 PM
Ritzinger Hall Room 228 // $19 per person or $29 for 2 people in same household

How Can Smart People Be So Dumb
Learn from mistakes of others and avoid pitfalls! Explore “Red Flags for Bad Advice.” Engineered to give real-life examples of how easy it is to be misled into harmful situations. Find out how to spot a salesman clothed in financial advisor clothing, and tell the difference between “friendly & likeable” and “competence & integrity.” Highlighted questions: Aren’t all planners and advisors the same? What characteristics should I look for? And avoid? Where can I research advisors on the internet? Which ones are reputable?

Tuesday // September 15 // 6:00-7:00 PM
Ritzinger Hall Room 228 // $19 per person or $29 for 2 people in same household

The Permanent Vacation
Looking to find a way to take your last vacation from your work - retirement? Do you wonder how to recreate the income you’ll need to be able to afford this vacation? If you want to know some “tricks-of-the-trade” from experienced money guys, we have proven ways to put your mind at ease. This class can be the first step toward allowing you to sleep at night and focus on the enjoyment of your vacation. Brought to you by CFP’s and nationally award-winning advisors from the area.

Tuesday // September 22 // 6:00-7:00 PM
Ritzinger Hall Room 228 // $19 per person or $29 for 2 people in same household
Estate Planning

While nobody wants to think about death or disability, establishing an estate plan is one of the most important steps you can take to protect yourself and your loved ones. Proper estate planning not only puts you in charge of your finances, it can also spare your loved ones the expense, delay, and frustration associated with managing your affairs when you pass away or become disabled. Topics include: providing for incapacity; avoiding probate; providing for minor children; planning for death taxes; charitable bequests - planned giving.

Tuesday // September 29 // 6:00-7:00 PM
Ritzinger Hall Room 228 // $19 per person or $29 for 2 people in same household

Register for all four classes at a reduced price
$69 for one person or $99 for 2 people in same household - to attend all 4 classes

Instructor Brian Niemann is President and Owner of Wealth Management Group, LLC in Cumberland, Wisconsin. Brian currently holds series 6, 7, 24, 31, 53 and 63 securities registrations with LPL Financial. He is fully registered as General Securities Principal, an Investment Advisory Representative (IAR) and is registered in 16 states. Brian attend UW- Eau Claire and University of Minnesota. He received his CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER (CFP®) degree and designation from the College for Financial Planners in Denver, CO and the Chartered Financial Consultant (ChFC®) degree and designation from The American College in Bryn Mawr, PA.

Brian regularly gives back to the communities that he has lived in by volunteering his time to civic and charitable organizations. He currently serves as a board member on the UW- Barron County Foundation, Cumberland Chamber of Commerce, The Cumberland Youth Hockey Association, and the Cumberland Kiwanis.

A portion of the proceeds from this class will be given to UW-Barron County Foundation, whose mission is to enhance student and community educational opportunities through the direct support of scholarships and campus initiatives at the University of Wisconsin-Barron County.

Register online at barron.uwc.edu/ce
OR Call 715-234-8176, Ext. 5403

Financial Fitness
Computer Basics for Beginners

Whether you want to refresh your computer skills or learn for the first time, this course is for you! The agenda covers fundamentals of computers including mouse usage, keyboarding, word processing basics (MS Word), navigating the internet, and email basics. This course offers hands-on experience in a supportive learning environment. This class is free to the public, but you must register in advance because class size is limited.

Your instructor, Kelly Haugen, is an Employment and Training Specialist with Wisconsin Job Service. Kelly works with customers on a daily basis at the Barron County Job Center, helping them in their job search, connecting them to helpful resources, and teaching them valuable employability skills. In today’s job market, computer literacy is not only valued by many employers, but it has become a necessary skill to find job leads, apply for jobs, and connect to employers. Job seekers are especially encouraged to attend.

Class is offered on 3 Fridays // Sept 18, Oct 16 or Nov 13 // 1:00-4:30 PM
Ritzinger Hall Computer Lab Room 237

FREE Class – Class size is limited - To register call Continuing Education Director – Doug Edwardsen at 715-234-8176 Ext 5403, or email at doug.edwardsen@uwc.edu, or register online at barron.uwc.edu/ce

Excel Basics

The Excel® spreadsheet program is one of the most widely used desktop business tools today. You will master the essential skills to build an effective spreadsheet. Set up fully formatted worksheets quickly and efficiently. Practice using tabs, formulas, create graphs, and work with ranges of data. After the first session, students will be encouraged to learn at their own speed through a self-paced method.

Optional: You can bring examples of typical applications from your workplace to see how your information can be arranged on the spreadsheet to effectively organize and analyze your work.

Your instructor, Ted Simpson, has taught at the college level for over 25 years. He holds a Master’s Degree in Information Technology and has written numerous textbooks on computer networking and operating systems. Ted owns and operates a local computer business and has travelled extensively. His diverse life and work experience is reflected in his teaching methods and enriches the learning environment.

Tuesdays // Sept 8 & 15 // 6:00-8:30 PM
Ritzinger Hall Computer Lab Room 202 // $59 (includes text & materials)
Leadership Conference
Dare to Grow®
How to Become an Authentic Leader

Thursday, October 15, 2015
7:30AM–3:30PM

Featuring nationally-known keynote motivational speaker
Byrd Baggett
and other dynamic leadership speakers

This day-long leadership conference is intended for current and future leaders within business, government and non-profit organizations. Through dynamic speakers and hands-on workshops, discover new ideas and tools to enhance your leadership skills.

For more information: Doug Edwardsen, 715-234-8176, Ext. 5403
Basketball Officiating

Do you love the game of basketball and want to learn how to get in on the action as an Official? Through classwork, films, rules review, and quizzes – you’ll learn what it takes to become a Licensed WIAA Basketball Official. We’ll spend time in the classroom and on the court to help you develop the knowledge and skills you need. Plus, you’ll learn how to successfully manage what takes place on the court, the sidelines, and in the stands. Both experienced officials wanting to sharpen their skills and aspiring officials looking to learn how to get on the court are encouraged to register. Successful completion of the course will result in advancing one level (max of L-4) within the WIAA system.

Tim Bassett was born and raised in Indiana where high school basketball is more than just a pastime, it is a passion. Tim has fueled his passion as a licensed basketball official for over 25 years working in Indiana, Georgia, and Wisconsin. Tim is a WIAA Master Level basketball official in Wisconsin and has been selected to work the State Championships in Madison seven times, most recently this past March. Tim and other veteran officials from the Arrowhead Officials Association will be leading the coursework both in the classroom and on the court.

Jeff Prince has been a WIAA registered official for 26 years. Since becoming registered for three-person officiating at sectional and regional games, he has officiated a total of 39 tournament games for boys and girls. Of those 39, he has been an official at seven Regional Finals, nine Semi Sectionals, two Sectional Finals and he has been a three state Tournament Official in 2011, 2013, and 2015.

Tuesdays // Oct 6, 13 and 20 // 6:00 – 8:30 PM
Student Center Room 403
$75 High School Students // $125 Adults // Course fee Includes rule books and WIAA Certification

Customized Training to Address Your Company’s Unique Needs

Do your employees need to improve their skills in business writing and communication, public speaking, critical thinking and problem-solving, or teamwork? We can address these areas and more. Let us combine our expertise with your goals and develop the customized training program that brings change and results. For more information, contact Continuing Education Director, Doug Edwardsen, at doug.edwardsen@uwc.edu or 715-234-8176 Ext 5403.
With online courses, you can study at your convenience in your preferred learning environment. Our courses and programs are highly engaging and relevant, and our instructors are interactive and support you through the curriculum. Choose from our growing catalog of instructor-led courses designed to teach you a new skill or refresh a current one.

Just a few of the popular classes for personal and professional development:

**Creating Web Pages**
Learn the basics of HTML so you can design, create, and post your very own site on the Web.

**A to Z Grant Writing**
Learn how to research and develop relationships with potential funding sources, organize grant writing campaigns, and prepare proposals.

**Medical Terminology: A Word Association Approach**
Prepare for a career in the health services industry by learning medical terminology in a memorable and enjoyable fashion.

**Introduction to QuickBooks**
Learn how to quickly and efficiently gain control over the financial aspects of your business.

**Real Estate Investing**
Build and protect your wealth by investing in real estate.

**Introduction to Microsoft Access**
Store, locate, print, and automate access to all types of information.

**Introduction to Dreamweaver**
Harness the broad range of capabilities Dreamweaver brings to Web development.

**Introduction to PowerPoint**
Build impressive slide presentations filled with text, images, video, audio, charts, and more.

**Going Green at Home**
Step into a green lifestyle as you discover simple, cost-effective ways to make your home environmentally friendly.

**Discover Digital Photography**
An informative introduction to the fascinating world of digital photography equipment.

Classes start at $89

Consider a career as a paralegal!

UW – Barron County has teamed up with The Center For Legal Studies to offer two online courses:

**Paralegal Certificate Course**
The Paralegal Certificate Course © includes lectures on how to work as a full-time or part-time paralegal or how to open your own freelance business. This intensive, nationally acclaimed curriculum is designed for beginning as well as advanced legal workers.

Tuition: $1,289 (Excludes textbooks)

**Advanced Paralegal Certificate Course**
These classes build upon the Paralegal Certificate Course©. This course will greatly enhance your understanding of many of the substantive law areas, your legal knowledge and skills.

Tuition: $1,800 (Excludes textbooks)

For more information or to enroll, go to: [http://barron.uwc.edu/community/continuing-ed/online](http://barron.uwc.edu/community/continuing-ed/online)
Certificate in Customer Service
Take two courses and earn a certificate
Learn to improve your customer service skills to enhance your career skill set, improve productivity, and increase your organization’s success. You will also take away some extraordinary customer service techniques you won’t find anywhere else.
Two courses - Take one course or take both and earn a certificate
Keys to Customer Service - Through this course, you will discover the direct relationship between service skills and career achievement. You will become skilled at being an exceptional service provider.
Extraordinary Customer Service - Extraordinary customer service comes from focusing on the few essential elements that yield big results. Discover how easy it is to tweak your customer service from the ordinary to the extraordinary.
$145 for each individual course / $245 when you enroll for both courses and earn a certificate

Certificate in Workplace Communication
Take one course, two, or take all three and earn the certificate
Good communication in the workplace is more important than ever, and critical to your career advancement and success. Come get a comprehensive and intensive preparation with skills and techniques you can put to use on Monday morning.
Conflict Management - Discover a workable conflict management model, discuss case studies in conflict management, and then take away successful conflict management strategies to apply in your workplace.
$245 – One month course
Negotiation: Get What You Want - Negotiation is a key skill for success in business and everyday life. Knowing strategies to clarify what you want and how to prioritize needs will ensure you get more of what’s essential.
$195 - One month course
Using Personality Profiles for Better Work Performance - Understanding yourself and others will increase your overall effectiveness at work, home, and in all of your relationships. Learn how to improve your communication with others, convey your ideas effectively, and improve your ability to understand what is important to those who don’t share your same style. Course fee includes your own DiSC Behavioral Personality Profile assessment and review.
$295 - One month course (Includes DiSC Behavioral Personality Profile assessment and review).
$595 for all 3 courses and earn a certificate

Supervisory and Leadership Certificate
Take one course and earn a certificate
Your employees are your most valuable resources. Ensuring the efficiency of your team is the key to your success and is your most important responsibility. Get practical, easy to understand, and insightful methods for new and even experienced supervisors and managers.
Learn about effective delegation, performance management, and writing performance reviews. Discuss the specifics of the supervisor’s role and responsibilities, and strategies for improving your overall effectiveness as a leader.
Take home practical information along with tips and techniques that can be applied at your job immediately.
$395 – Two month course with certificate

We have 100’s of online options. Visit our website for course descriptions and fees.
NEW! Just a few of the many courses added in Fall 2015

**Accounting and Finance for Non-Financial Managers**
Every successful person in the workplace utilizes financial information to aid effective decision-making. Accounting and Finance for Non-Financial Managers explains the financial concepts and accounting processes used in most businesses and will provide practical techniques that will increase your effectiveness and career. One-month course // $195

**Using Surveys to Improve Business and Work Productivity**
Help your organization design successful surveys to improve business and workplace effectiveness. Surveys are an increasingly common and important way to understand your audience’s wants and needs. With this course, you will come away with how-to practical information that you can use throughout your career, boosting your effectiveness and that of your organization. One-month course // $195

**Introduction to Project Management**
Project management is one of the fastest paths to promotion by increasing your network through greater exposure. You will have the skills, tools, and templates to confidently develop and maintain a project. One-month course // $195

**Your Workplace, Your Employees & The Law**
This four-unit course will provide business owners, managers, supervisors, and HR professionals with a roadmap for effectively handling complicated employee-related issues that affect today’s legal-prone work environment. Each class is filled with valuable legal guidelines, step-by-step compliance instructions, and practical leadership skills, methods, and techniques plus proven strategies for successfully managing employees, and for complying with state and federal workplace laws. One-month course // $195

**For Parents of Boys**
Boys learn differently than girls, get worse grades than girls, and face certain challenges in school. Find out how you can help your son succeed more in school. Discover why males do 30% less school work than females, fidget more, like new and hard challenges, and more. Then take home nine tips for helping your boy learn and succeed more in school. You’ll also find out something new about how you learn. One-month course // $95

For more information or to enroll, go to: http://barron.uwc.edu/community/continuing-ed/online
Discover UW-Barron County - Open House

Visit Northwest Wisconsin’s UW campus and find out why this U could be for you!
For high school students and their parents

Tuesday, October 27
6:00 PM Campus Tour
6:30 PM Program
UW-Barron County, Meggers Hall Commons

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Now You Can Complete Your Bachelor’s Degree at UW-BC

Build on your UW Colleges or Wisconsin Technical College associate degree with a Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences degree from the University of Wisconsin-Barron County. Tailor your degree to personal and professional goals or concentrate on business, communication, leadership/organizational development, health/wellness, or sustainability.

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Kelli Coller (kelli.collier@uwc.edu) or Deb Neuheisel (deborah.neuheisel@uwc.edu)

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Saturday, September 26, 2015
6:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Ritzinger/Meggers Hall
University of Wisconsin-Barron County
1800 College Drive • Rice Lake

Gourmet Specialties prepared by Faculty/Staff & Featured Restaurants

Silent Auction
Music
Raffles
Live Auction

General Admission
$35 per person in advance • $40 per person at the door

Contact Barb Ritzinger, UW-BC Foundation Executive Director
online: barron.uwc.edu (see Spotlight section on home page)
email: barbara.ritzinger@uwc.edu
phone: 715.234.8176 ext. 5503
to make a reservation for this unique event today.
ALL (Adventures in Lifelong Learning)

Are you part of the baby boomer generation? ALL is a new group for active adults who are seeking educational, intellectual and cultural engagement through a self-guided organization that promotes social involvement. UW-Barron County will serve as a facilitator and resource to ALL and its members. As the organization grows, ALL will generate numerous possibilities for activities and benefits, for example:

- Take trips to plays, concerts, or day-long learning excursions to historic landmark locations.
- Create special interest sub-groups for hiking, golf, kayaking, bridge, bird-watching and other activities that interest the group.
- Develop a lecture series on subjects that the group wants to learn more about such as estate planning, Wisconsin history, living a Green life and much more.

For more information contact Doug Edwardsen, Director of Continuing Education, 715-234-8176 Ext 5403 / doug.edwardsen@uwc.edu

Thursdays @ The U

A weekly lunchtime lecture and performance series presenting speakers with expertise in a broad range of subjects that always stimulate thought and broaden perspective.

Beginning September 3, 2015

Every Thursday throughout the semester 12:30-1:20 PM

UW-BC Blue Hills Lecture Hall

Open to UW-BC students and the community. Free.
Community Connections

With its growing number of international students on campus, UW-Barron County invites community members to participate in the Community Connections program. You can make a small or large commitment by taking students out to a movie, a concert, a walk by the Red Cedar River, or a meal in your home with your family. Some have shared canoe rides, ice-fishing, BBQ and holiday parties with our students. Befriending an international student is a great way for your family to get to know someone from another culture and to share your own. We especially need people to reach out to students in late August and September and then in December and January. For more information, contact the International Program Coordinators, Mary Hankins (mary.hankins@uwc.edu) or Lee Friederich (lee.friederich@uwc.edu).

Come Hear the Band! Communiversity Band Fall Concert

Tuesday, November 17 // 7:00 PM, UW-BC Fine Arts Theatre

Hear the Amazing Choir... Red Cedar Choir Holiday Concert

Sunday, December 6 // Concerts at 2:00 PM and 4:00 PM // St. Joseph’s Catholic Church

The Red Cedar Symphony, founded in 1983, is an independent organization collaborating with the UW-Barron County Music Department to provide orchestral performance opportunities to the surrounding communities. The Red Cedar Symphony is comprised of professional and amateur musicians and performs two concerts per year. The orchestra is under the direction of Kevin Peters and is open to any student or community member. Strings are always welcome and needed. Brass and wind players will be accepted if a vacancy exists. Please contact the orchestra at Personnel. Director@RedCedarSymphony.org if you are interested in joining.

Visit our website at www.RedCedarSymphony.org for more information on the symphony and a schedule of upcoming performances.
It’s Happening On Campus

**Artist Exhibitions and Lectures**

- **September 1 - October 5**  
  Joel Hayden Salter Gallery  
  **Local Perspectives:** A curated exhibition of unique paintings and sculptures by Barron County artists.  
  September 15 / 12:30-1:30 PM  
  Meet the Barron County Artists

- **October 14 - December 1**  
  Joel Hayden Salter Gallery  
  **Hooked:** An art installation by visiting artist Carol Cunningham  
  October 14 / 12:30-1:30 PM  
  Artist Lecture: Carol Cunningham

- **Thursday, October 15 / 12:30 - 1:20 PM**  
  Blue Hills Lecture Hall  
  Thursdays at the U series  
  **Illustration, Is That a Thing?:** Exploring the Blurry Lines that Define a Unique Art Form  
  Artist Lecture: Ned Gannon

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**Experience Live Theatre!**

The UW-BC drama department presents two productions a year including dramas, children’s theatre, and comedies. Fall production: November 5, 6, and 7, 2015 at 7:30 PM. More information will be announced in local media and on campus. Sit back and enjoy the show!

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**Alliance**

Alliance is a social, emotional, and educational support group for gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, queer and ally populations on campus and in the surrounding communities. Alliance also acts as an educational student organization to provide greater awareness of the issues that concern the members, the university, and surrounding communities. For more information, contact the UW-BC student advisor, Nichole Kathol at nichole.kathol@uwc.edu
Associate & Bachelor’s Degrees

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Start your associate degree here and now you can finish your bachelor degree at YOUR University of Wisconsin in Northwest Wisconsin, too.

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Creative Writing
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(Pre-requisite Creative Writing I)
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Human Impact on the Environment
Mondays, 5:30 – 8:15 PM

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Elementary Algebra
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Quantitative Reasoning
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Orchestra – Mondays, time TBA
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Modern Physics
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