

The best way to learn about LIFE is to GET INVOLVED!

**Membership: Zalpha Hashem, Chair**

This committee is the most visible of all committees since they are the ones who man the Welcome Table each week. Committee members answer questions and make nametags for visitors. During the months of March and April they collect dues from current LIFE members for registration for the next year and assist with new member orientation.

**Curriculum: Bob Shannon, Chair**

This committee is responsible for the weekly programming we experience during our Tuesday meetings/classes. They gather suggestions and contact possible speakers for our fall and spring semester. This committee is always looking for more involvement from LIFE members.

**Trippin' through LIFE: Gail Agor, Chair**

LIFE members enjoy taking Lifelong Learning on the road. Gail her committee plan and execute field trips for our members at local places of interest.

**Knights Helping Knights Pantry: Deb Barton, Chair**

Students who incur large accommodation expenses, sometimes have difficulty affording food. The University maintains a place they can go where food can be obtained for free. LIFE conducts two large food drives each year.

**Toys for Tots: Kim Bowers, Chair**

Late fall, LIFE members contribute toys to be distributed to needy children in our community over the holiday season.

**Gerontology Research Grants: Bill Myers, Chair**

Some of our dues go to help benefit valuable research at UCF. With so many worthwhile requests, this incredible committee has the difficult job of deciding on distribution for each year's funding.

**Diversity and Inclusion: John Cooper, Chair**

The Diversity and Inclusion Committee meets monthly to discuss and create collaborations and initiatives that support the goal of enhancing the environment for diversity and inclusion within LIFE at UCF. The committee ensures that these initiatives are consistent with the university's goal of becoming more diverse and inclusive.

**Public Relations: Rich Sloane, Chair**

Public Relations is the lifeblood of any organization. It provides the opportunity to “tell our story” to a host of audiences. From preparing press releases, drafting collateral materials, coordinating photography and just plain reaching out in different directions, the Public Relations Committee shines the spotlight on LIFE at UCF.