

# LIFE (Spring, 2025) Curriculum Schedule (3/25/25)

P: Pegasus Ballroom, SU 1st Floor  
 CF: Cape Florida Ballroom, SU 3rd Floor  
 KW: Key West Ballroom, SU 2nd Floor

Date	Time	Room	Lecture	Speaker
1/14	9:00AM	P	Rosen College Hospitality 2.0: The Future Starts Here	Dr. Cynthia Mejia
	10:30AM		Exploitation and the Exploitable Brain	Shannon Miller
1/21	9:00AM	P	The Virtue of Embellishment: Home and Middle-Class Identity in Victorian America	Kristian Steel
	10:30AM		Canine Companions project at UCF	Adam Goldman and Bailey Trinder
1/28	9:00AM	P	Emotional Intelligence at Work	Dana Joseph, Ph.D.
	10:30AM		"...TIME WILL NOT DIM: THE STORY OF THE AMERICAN BATTLE MONUMENTS COMMISSION"	Mark Hertling, Lt. General (Ret)
2/4	9:00AM	P	Triumph of the 30 Minute Cities	Joshua A. Harris, Ph. D., CRE
	10:30AM		Quilted News in the 1950s and 1960s: Florida Women Journalists, Food, Fashion and Politics	Dr. Kimberly Voss
2/11	9:00AM	P	Live Long and Prosper: New Immunotherapy Boosters and the Potential for Life Extension Medicines	Dr. Otto Phanstiel
	10:30AM		Science Fiction to Science Fact: The increasing role of Artificial Intelligence in our daily lives, political process, and military decision making	Ted Reynolds, Ph.D.
2/18	9:00AM	KW	Saudi Arabia: Friend or Frenemies?	Wayne H. Bowen, Ph.D
	10:30AM		Pompeii: the Traditional Classification of Roman Frescoes	Dr. Margaret Zaho
2/25	9:00AM	P	Virtuoso Pianism at UCF: Experience the Magic of Music at our Virtuoso Pianism at UCF	Dr. Sun-A Park
	10:30AM		Reflections on the New Middle East: What Lies Ahead	Mehmet Gurses
3/4	9:00AM	P	Exploring the Clarinet: A Journey Through History, Family, and Ensemble Traditions	Dr. Rie Suzuki
	10:30AM		A Republic of Scoundrels: The Shadow Side of Early America	Dr. David Head
3/11	9:00AM	P	Fiddler on the Roof	Michael Wainstein
	10:30AM		The Effectiveness of Foreign Aid in Conflict Resolution and Crisis Management.	Owen Kirby
3/18	9:00AM	P	What Makes Online Services Tricky and Deceptive? Exploring Common Dark Patterns and Their Impact on User Experiences	Brandon Wang and Dr. Li
	10:30AM		Where Exactly Is the Middle East?	Dr. Hakan Özoğlu
3/25	9:00AM	P	Miracles Magic Music	Thomas Potter
	10:30AM		International Space Station (ISS) - Cancer Research in Micro Gravity	Dr. Michael Roberts
4/1	9:00AM	CF	Adventures on the HI-SEAS: Living and Working on the Moon as an Analog Astronaut	Sharife Gacel
	10:30AM		Polyvagal Theory: The Evolution of Mental Health Therapies	Princessa Long
4/8	9:00AM	P	Culinary Medicine for Arthritis	Dr. Neha Bhunasali
	10:30AM		The Exoneration of Nathan Myers and Clifford Williams	Bruce Horowitz
4/15	9:00AM	CF	How to Stay Active as You Age	Dr. Caitlin Cheruka
	10:30AM		OUC—The Reliable One: Empowering the Future	Clint Bullock
4/22	9:00AM	CF	Annual Meeting	Annual Meeting
	10:30AM		Orlando Shakes	Jim Helsinger