

Lifelong Learning Seminars

**THE JOY IS IN THE LEARNING!
AN ALL-INCLUSIVE EDUCATIONAL VACATION**



HILLSDALE COLLEGE

A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT



Hillsdale College has been dedicated to high learning since its founding in 1844. High learning demands deep knowledge of a tradition that is old and great. It requires a community in which to study, discuss, and disagree in a civil and courteous manner. It asks us to commit ourselves to these practices all our lives long.

High learning also brings great rewards. Civil dialogue, friendship, and freedom are foremost among them. Our world has a great need for these. If we want to keep them, all of us must know our heritage, and know it well.

Perhaps you have already experienced this kind of education by enrolling in one of Hillsdale's online courses. Now I invite you to join us on our campus, at our Rockwell Lake Lodge in northern Michigan, or at our Kirby Center in Washington, D.C., for one of our Lifelong Learning Seminars.

Friends of Hillsdale gather to study politics, history, literature, economics, religion, and other topics with Hillsdale's best professors. Children and grandchildren are welcome to join you for our special family seminar on the Constitution and American history since World War II.

I hope you will consider participating in one of the College's 2019 Lifelong Learning Seminars.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Larry P. Arnn". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

Larry P. Arnn

President

Hillsdale College



Lifelong Learning Seminars provide a learning vacation unlike any other. Spend time with some of Hillsdale College's most distinguished professors, sharing insights and joining in lively conversation. Enjoy the camaraderie of others who share your interest in continued learning and the preservation of liberty.

In addition to intense educational discussions with Hillsdale faculty members and other program participants, guests may take advantage of many opportunities for fun and recreation!

HOW TO REGISTER

- Complete the attached form and mail it in with your deposit.
- Call 888-886-1174 to register by telephone.
- Email lls@hillsdale.edu with your name, contact information, and the name of the seminar you wish to attend.



SCHEDULE HIGHLIGHTS

MAIN CAMPUS, HILLSDALE, MI

- Recently renovated on-campus accommodations
- Multiple daily lectures by Hillsdale College professors
- Campus tour
- Luncheon speakers
- Evening Q&A with professors
- Group excursion
- Daily catered meals

KIRBY CENTER, WASHINGTON, DC

- Daily catered meals
- Accommodations included
- Shuttle service provided
- Six lectures by Hillsdale College professors
- Group excursion

ROCKWELL LAKE LODGE, LUTHER, MI

- Daily catered meals
- Two 90-minute lectures each day by Hillsdale College professors
- Classically trained on-site chef
- 10.3-mile trail system with eight distinct trail loops and an old railroad grade
- Guided pontoon tour of Rockwell Lake
- Enjoy numerous activities, including a game room and kayaking
- Wagon tour of extended property
- Performance by “The Unforgettables”

Make your reservation now!



RESERVE your place at a 2019 Lifelong Learning Seminar. Fill in the information requested on the enclosed reply envelope and return it along with your deposit of \$100 per person.

**ALL-
INCLUSIVE,
LECTURES,
LODGING, MEALS
& ACTIVITIES!**

CHOOSE FROM THREE GREAT SEMINAR LOCATIONS:



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**HILLSDALE COLLEGE
HILLSDALE,
MICHIGAN**

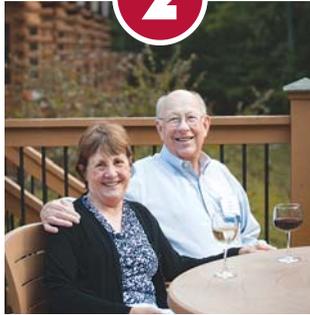
\$1,099 per person*

*THE FEE FOR THE FAMILY SEMINAR IS

\$650 per person

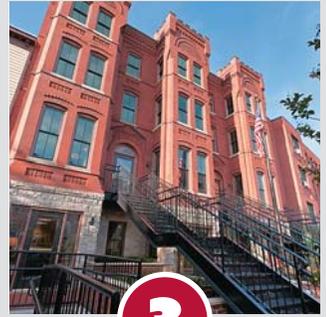


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**ROCKWELL LAKE
LODGE
LUTHER, MICHIGAN**

\$850 per person



3



**KIRBY CENTER
WASHINGTON, D.C.**

\$850 per person

ALL-INCLUSIVE:

Price includes lectures, lodging, meals, and recreational activities, based on double occupancy. Single and commuter rates are also available.

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT
DIRECTOR OF LIFELONG LEARNING SEMINARS PEGGY
YOUNGS AT (888) 886-1174 OR LLS@HILLSDALE.EDU.**

A photograph of two men in business suits. The man on the right is older, with grey hair and a beard, wearing a dark pinstriped suit, white shirt, and a dark red tie with white polka dots. He is looking towards the man on the left. The man on the left is younger, wearing a light grey suit, white shirt, and a patterned tie. He is looking up at the older man. The background is a blurred indoor setting, possibly a conference room or seminar hall, with a blue screen visible on the left.

**EXPLORE GREAT
IDEAS AT A
LIFELONG
LEARNING
SEMINAR.**

**BEGIN YOUR VISIT TO OUR NATION'S
CAPITAL AT THE**

Kirby Center

Washington, D.C.



Kirby Center seminars feature stimulating lectures and a group tour of a Washington landmark, museum, or historical site. Take advantage of the special room rate and arrive a day early, or stay over an extra day, for further independent exploration of Washington's rich history.

THE FEDERALIST PAPERS

April 10-13, 2019

Written between October 1787 and August 1788, *The Federalist Papers* is a collection of newspaper essays written by Publius—the pen name of Alexander Hamilton, James Madison, and John Jay—in defense of the Constitution. This seminar will explore such important themes as the problem of majority faction, the separation of powers, and federalism.

Accommodations included!

THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

November 6-9, 2019

The Constitutional Convention of 1787 was tasked with revising the Articles of Confederation, but instead produced a plan for a new government. This seminar will consider why the Convention was called, the debates over the Constitution, and the Convention's lasting significance.

Accommodations included!

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VACATION
LIKE NO
OTHER**



**CHOOSE FROM
AMONG SEVEN
SEMINARS ON
THE BEAUTIFUL**

**Hillsdale
College
Campus**

Discover your home-away-from-home on our beautiful 400-acre campus, while learning from Hillsdale's best professors. Enjoy lively, informal conversations with your teachers and other like-minded guests during cocktail receptions and meals. Recreation options include the College's Olympic-size pool and modern fitness facilities, the John Anthony Halter Shooting Sports Education Center, and hiking and biking trails.

“The talks were so enjoyable; it felt like they were telling stories rather than lecturing!”



THE CIVIL WAR

June 2-8, 2019

The principal cause of the Civil War, fought from 1861 to 1865, was the crisis over slavery, which had its roots in the American Founding.

This seminar will consider the Founders on slavery, the “positive good” school, the rise of sectionalism, the statesmanship of Abraham Lincoln, the Constitution in wartime, and Reconstruction.

Accommodations included!

THE MODERN RELEVANCE OF THE ANCIENT WORLD

June 16-22, 2019

A close study of the ancient world reveals timeless lessons that are applicable in any age.

This interdisciplinary seminar will consider the ancient world and its relevance today in terms not only of history, but also religion, philosophy, and literature.

Accommodations included!



CONSTITUTIONAL ISSUES AND CONTROVERSIES

June 16-22, 2019

For 229 years, the American Constitution has served as a bulwark of limited government. In recent decades, numerous issues and controversies related to the Constitution have arisen.

This seminar will contrast the Founders' view with the contemporary view of topics such as the family, civil rights, free speech, foreign policy, and religious liberty.

Accommodations included!

THE GREAT CONVERSATION IN WESTERN LITERATURE

July 7-13, 2019

Great literature reflects and shapes the character of a civilization and of its citizens. Thus Homer was called the "schoolteacher of the Greeks." Who have been the schoolteachers of America, and more generally, of the citizens of the West?

This seminar will examine the great conversation in Western literature, beginning in ancient Greece and Rome and continuing through Renaissance Europe, Elizabethan England, and the United States.
Accommodations included!

Hillsdale College Campus

Hillsdale, Michigan

“The classes were interesting, the teachers just marvelous! We all had a great time, and you made it fun!”



ECONOMIC THEORIES AND CONTROVERSIES

July 7-13, 2019

The idea that the free market is the best way to arrange the exchange of goods and services in a free society, an idea embraced by the American Founders, is not without controversy.

This seminar will consider the theories of free market economics, theories that oppose the free market, and important economic controversies of the 20th century and of today.

Accommodations included!

ISLAM AND THE WEST

July 21-27, 2019

As one of the world's great monotheistic religions, Islam has been worthy of Western notice and study since its inception. In recent years, with the rise of Islamic terrorism and increased Islamic immigration to the West, greater understanding has become an urgent necessity.

This seminar will investigate Islam from historical, religious, and political perspectives, as well as consider Islamic art and architecture.

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“I am now fully convinced the principles of America do transcend time.”

**EXPERIENCE HIGHER EDUCATION
AS IT USED TO BE, IN A PLACE
WHERE IT STILL IS.**





Enjoy a unique learning vacation with your children or grandchildren at this family seminar. Attend classes together, as well as special activities, including a treasure hunt and evening entertainment. Teens can experience dormitory life and activities with their peers, while adults can take full advantage of the amenities of the Hillsdale campus.

A FAMILY SEMINAR **AMERICAN HISTORY SINCE WORLD WAR II**

July 28-31, 2019

Since WWII, the federal government has grown dramatically, as have divisions in American politics and culture. Abroad, America has continued to be engaged in world affairs. This family seminar will consider the Cold War, LBJ's Great Society, the civil rights movement, Vietnam, the administrative state, post-1960s liberalism, and the Reagan revolution.

Accommodations included!

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Escape to northern Michigan for a learning retreat! Study with our distinguished faculty in the comfort of our Rockwell Lake Lodge. Go boating on beautiful Rockwell Lake or hike the Lodge's tranquil grounds. Then spend a relaxing evening by the firepit.

HEAD NORTH FOR A SEMINAR AT THE

**Rockwell Lake
Lodge**

**Luther,
Michigan**

HISTORICAL ISSUES AND CONTROVERSIES

August 5-8, 2019

or

August 9-12, 2019

Held at the College's Rockwell Lake Lodge in Luther, Michigan, overlooking Rockwell Lake on Hillsdale's G. H. Gordon Biological Station, this seminar offers a chance to combine outstanding lectures with the many leisure activities that the Lodge has to offer.

This seminar will examine topics related to the history of America and the world since the turn of the 20th century, with a special emphasis on statesmen such as Calvin Coolidge, Winston Churchill, Charles de Gaulle, Ronald Reagan, and Margaret Thatcher.

Accommodations included!

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“The food was superb, the grounds so beautifully manicured, wonderful professors—Hillsdale gets an A!”



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