



**Osher Lifelong Learning Institute @ Brandeis University (BOLLI)**

**Lunch & Learn Speakers**

**Spring Semester 2012**

	<b>Tuesday</b>		<b>Wednesday</b>		<b>Thursday</b>
3/6	<b>Steve Goldstein</b> Provost Brandeis University <b>“Brandeis Today and Tomorrow”</b> 	3/7	<b>Peter Diamond</b> , MIT Professor and 2010 Nobel Prize winner in Economics <b>“Unemployment and Debt”</b> 	3/8	<b>Catherine Mann</b> Barbara and Richard M. Rosenberg Professor of Global Finance, International Business School, Brandeis University <b>“The State of the U.S. and            Global Economies: Looking            through the International            Lens”</b> 
3/13	<b>Marjorie Clapprood</b> , Former member of Massachusetts House of Representatives; former talk show host <b>“Facing the Future            without Fear”</b> 	3/14	<b>Emily Fox-Kales, Ph.D.</b> Professor of Cultural Studies and Media Psychology, Northeastern University; Clinical Psychologist, Harvard Medical School <b>“Body Shots: Hollywood and            the Culture of Eating            Disorders”</b> 	3/15	<b>Samantha Wolfe</b> Americorps VISTA Coordinator of The Massachusetts Faces of Homelessness Speakers’ Bureau <b>“The Faces of Homelessness”</b> 
3/20	<b>William Fowler</b> Distinguished Professor of History, Northeastern University and Author <b>“American Crisis: George            Washington and the            Dangerous Two Years            After Yorktown, 1781-            1783”</b> 	3/21	<b>Jamie Kaplowitz</b> Education Associate and Museum Learning Specialist, The Addison Gallery of American Art <b>“Education at the Addison            Gallery of American Art: At            Historical and Contemporary            View”</b> 	3/22	<b>Henry Lukas</b> Director of Education The Spellman Museum of Stamps and Postal History <b>“Learning Outside The            (Mail) Box”</b> 
3/27	<b>Irving R. Epstein</b> Henry F. Fischbach Professor of Chemistry; Brandeis University; and Howard Hughes Medical Institute Professor, Harvard University <b>“The Brandeis Science            Posse Program”</b> 	3/28	<b>Ellen Schattschneider</b> <b>Brandeis Professor of            Anthropology</b> <b>“The Fetish Goes to War: War            Memory and Material Culture            in Japan”</b> 	3/29	<b>Kay Khan</b> , State Representative for the 11 <sup>th</sup> Middlesex District of MA <b>“My Life in the            Massachusetts Legislature”</b> 
4/3	<b>Samuel Bak</b> Artist, writer, and Holocaust survivor <b>“Is My Art a Testimony            of the Holocaust?”</b> 	4/4	<b>Isaac Krauss</b> Professor of Chemistry Brandeis University <b>“The Chemistry We See Every            Day: From Cleaning Products            to Food and Energy”</b>	4/5	<b>Lawrence Bethune</b> Berklee College of Music Vice President of Student Affairs and Dean of Students  and <b>Dr. Richard Boulanger</b> Creator of Musical Instruments for Music Therapy  <b>“Innovative Programs at            Berklee College of Music”</b>
4/17	<b>Christopher Mayer</b> Publisher, the Boston	4/18	<b>Art Solomon</b> Owner of three minor league	4/19	<b>Christophe Guilhou</b> Consul General of France in



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	<p>Globe</p> <p><b>"Net Gains: The Changing Business of Media"</b></p> 		<p>teams</p> <p><b>"Operating a Successful Sports Franchise: The Inside Story"</b></p> 		<p>Boston</p> <p><b>"The French Elections: What is at Stake?"</b></p> 
4/24	<p><b>Ben Loeterman</b></p> <p>Producer/Director/film maker of historical and current affairs documentaries</p> 	4/25	<p><b>Spiro Veloudos</b></p> <p>Producing Artistic Director The Lyric Stage Company</p> <p><b>"Up Close and Personal: From How I Choose Shows for the Season to Funny and Memorable Moments"</b></p> 	4/26	<p><b>Anne Serafin</b></p> <p>Scholar and Writer</p> <p><b>"African Women Writing Resistance: Contemporary Voices"</b></p> 
5/1	<p><b>Christopher Klein</b></p> <p>Travel, History and Sports Writer, and Author</p> <p><b>"A History of Boston Sports: From Playful Puritans to Football Patriots"</b></p> 	5/2	<p><b>Arthur H. Reis, Jr. Ph. D.</b></p> <p>Visiting Scholar, Department of Chemistry and Senior Research Scientist, Department of Biology Brandeis University</p> <p><b>"Nasty Bacteria and Viruses: Can We Kill Them Before They Kill Us?"</b></p> 	5/3	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Open Forum</b></p>
5/8	<p><b>Anita Diamant</b></p> <p>Author and Essayist</p> <p><b>"My Experiences as an Author of Both Fiction and Non-Fiction"</b></p> 	5/9	<p><b>Pam Garramone</b></p> <p>Executive Director of PFLAG; (Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays)</p> <p><b>"What Do Parents or Grandparents Do When a Child Comes Out as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, or Transgender? "</b></p>	5/10	<p><b>Nick Capasso, Ph.D.</b></p> <p>Deputy Director for Curatorial Affairs, the deCordova Sculpture Park and Museum</p> <p><b>"Understanding Modern and Contemporary Outdoor Sculpture"</b></p> 
5/15	<p><b>Sarah Kornfeld</b></p> <p>Soprano</p> <p><b>"Mozart's Heroines"</b></p> 	5/16	<p><b>Daniel Stepner,</b></p> <p>Professor of Music and First Violinist of the Lydian String Quartet, Brandeis University</p> <p><b>"A musical presentation and demonstration of Bach's Dances"</b></p> 	5/17	<p><b>Scene-iors, BOLLI's Drama Group</b></p>