



**What  
Summer College  
alumni say**

*“Excellent. Entertaining and  
presented in an original and  
informative way.”*

*“... A fantastic experience!”*

Whitman College presents  
**Summer College 2009**

# Survival

**June 7-12, 2009**



*“We never stop investigating.  
We are never satisfied that  
we know enough to get by ...  
This has become the greatest  
survival trick of our species.”*

*Desmond Morris, zoologist,  
artist and author*

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**Summer College** is a week of intellectually challenging classes, lively discussions and entertaining experiences on the Whitman College campus. Best of all – no tests! Join us **June 7-12, 2009**, to connect with the Whitman experience of today. Enjoy stimulating talks by professors, a field trip and social events — all in the beautiful campus setting.

**Life is extreme. What have we done to survive through crisis? Biology, history, classics and more tell the story of how and what we do to survive. Here are just a few of this summer's lectures that explore this fascinating subject:**

***Shipwrecks of the Imagination***

*Ancient Roman Poetry of Survival*  
Dana Burgess, Professor of Classics

***How to Mend a Massacre***

*Race, Class, Tragedy, Survival and Reconciliation in Greensboro, 1979*  
Bob Withycombe, Professor of Rhetoric and Film Studies

***Don't Panic!***

*A Guide to Financial Survival*  
Denise Hazlett, Professor of Economics

***The Evolution of Our Atmosphere***

*A Four Billion Year Exposé*  
Allison Calhoun, Associate Professor of Chemistry

**Afternoon sessions**

Participants will have several options to choose from in the arts, fitness and more. Sessions will occur Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

Visit <http://www.whitman.edu/alumni/summercollege2009.htm> for a complete list of lectures.

## REGISTRATION FORM

**Registration is due by May 1. Summer College begins with an evening reception Sunday, June 7.**

**Prices:**

**Full registration:** \$595 per person/dormitory-style housing in Prentiss Hall, all events and meals through lunch on Friday. **Optional Friday night in Prentiss** add \$40 per person.

**Day student:** \$450 per person/full program without housing and breakfasts.

**Lectures only option:** \$190/Sunday reception, morning sessions and field trip.

**Additional information on Summer College will be sent in May upon receipt of registration form.**

To pay by credit card, contact the Alumni Office at 1.800.835.9448, ext. 1.

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Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Any special needs – dietary, access, etc.? \_\_\_\_\_

**To register, sign up for one of the programs below (fully refundable until May 22\*):**

Regular registration \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$595 = \_\_\_\_\_  
Day student regular registration \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$450 = \_\_\_\_\_  
Lectures only \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$190 = \_\_\_\_\_  
Extra night \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$40 = \_\_\_\_\_  
Total \_\_\_\_\_  
\*After May 22, your registration will be refunded, less any deposits already made for the field trip and other Summer College events.  
Check enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

**Return registration to:**  
Whitman College/Alumni Office  
345 Boyer Ave.  
Walla Walla, WA 99362  
**Questions?**  
Call 1.800.835.9448, ext. 1,  
or 509.526.4794.