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Fall 2017
Jane Austen:
REMEMBERED AND REVISITED

Pride and Prejudice, Sense and Sensibility, Persuasion, Emma: Jane Austen's books are a powerful force, now more than ever. Whether you see Austen as a quiet chronicler of life's little dramas, a feisty social critic, or an inspiration for your own creative work, reflect on her legacy in 2017, the 200th anniversary of her death.

Learn more about Austen's world, delve into movies, novels, and other types of adaptations inspired by her work, study other examples of women's persistence in literature, or try your own hand at novel writing with UW–Madison Continuing Studies.

LECTURES, WORKSHOPS, AND CONVERSATIONS

Tuesday Morning Booktalks: She Persisted
Sep 12-26 (Tuesdays)

Join other book lovers for exciting discussions of world literature. You'll discuss *The Handmaid's Tale* by Margaret Atwood, *Antigone* by Sophocles, and *Persuasion* by Jane Austen.

A Lady's Education:
Women's Arts During the Era of Jane Austen
Sep 19-Oct 10 (Tuesdays)

Learn how arts literacy was a critical component of upper-class women's education in Regency England, drawing from the expertise of scholars in literature, dance, music, and the visual arts.

Pride and Prejudice: An Abundance of Adaptations
Oct 17-Nov 7 (Tuesdays)

Pride and Prejudice has inspired numerous dramatic, film, and literary adaptations. Explore how others have retold this story in a variety of forms, from page to stage to screen and beyond.

Take Your Characters to Dinner
Learn online, start anytime

Jane Austen's novels are full of colorful characters. Learn how to write stories featuring equally captivating people. You'll have fun and strengthen your storytelling skills as you pen character sketches and profiles that really work for your own writing.

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