



# VSU Continuing Education Welcomes You Back...

August 2010

*Whether your returning to school, to work after vacation, or because your a returning customer, VSU Continuing Education welcomes your interest and business. We pride ourselves in being at the cutting-edge for courses, online and in-class, that will help you excel in this fast-paced globalized world while still enjoying yourself. We believe that learning is at the base of one's personal growth, whether the intention is for professional or personal interests and offer exciting classes for both. Take a moment to see what we're offering this August and we hope to see you this Fall.*

## HIGHLIGHTS FOR ONLINE CLASSES

### 6-week, Instructor-Paced

Month	Course Begins	Last Lesson Released
August	8/18	9/24

Classes restart every month!  
Visit [www.valdosta.edu/conted](http://www.valdosta.edu/conted) for specific start dates.

### Have a Question? Want to Register?

Call our Office:

**229.245.6484**

Visit our Website:

[www.valdosta.edu/conted](http://www.valdosta.edu/conted)

Come by our Office:

**903 Patterson St.  
Valdosta**

### 6-week, Instructor-Paced

**GRE Preparation Online Courses 1 and 2:** Course 1 focuses on the Verbal section, prioritizing comprehension, analytical, and logical reasoning questions. Course 2 focuses on the Quantitative section, teaching techniques for tackling the quantitative comparison, discrete quantitative, and data interpretation questions. Cost: \$89 each

**Writing Effective Grant Proposals:** Learn the fundamental rules of writing a grant proposal; how to format a mission statement, understand the structure of non-profit organizations, locate grant sources, creating a budge and financial statement, and what to do when you receive your grant. Cost: \$89

**Wow, What a Great Event!:** Learn how to create and coordinate successful special events. Develop skills and learn proven tips, tools, techniques, and procedures used by experts and master event planners to help you avoid costly planning errors or production mistakes. Cost: \$89

### Professional Development Highlight:

**Preparation for Human Resource Certification:** We offer this program in partnership with the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM). The curriculum, designed by subject matter experts, covers the HR Certification Institute Body of Knowledge and includes application exercises that develop specific competencies and decision-making skills.

Dates: 12 Wednesdays, **September 1 – November 17**, Time: **6 - 9 PM**  
Location: Regional Center for Continuing Education  
Fee: **\$879; after August 18 - \$950**

**50 years of age or older?**

**Join Learning in Retirement!**

LIR is an organization for individuals 50 years of age and above that provides a unique opportunity for cultural growth, lifelong learning, and recreation.



New LIR classes start this Fall! **Registration opens August 26th.**  
Classes start **September 13th.**

**Registration Fee: \$45 per semester (Fall, Winter, and Spring)  
or \$120 for the whole year.**



Look at [www.valdosta.edu/conted](http://www.valdosta.edu/conted) and click on “Active Adults” for a list of previously offered classes and look for our brochure coming out in August!

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**Continuing Education “Edvantages” 2010  
Courses Starting Soon!**

That’s right! We’re starting a new round of professional development and personal enrichment classes to help you gain necessary skills in this fast-paced economy, foster new interests or hobbies, and have fun doing both!

**Highlights for this Fall:**

*Flavor of Asia Series: Cooking Chinese, Cooking Thai, and Cooking Korean*



*Watercolor Painting: An Introduction*

*Beginning Tennis*

*Beginning Conversational Russian*

*File It, Find It!*



*Essentials for Human Resource Management*

*Spanish for Health Care Professionals*

**Look for our full brochure coming out in August.**

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