

OSHER LLI COURSE 1005

Man, Woman, Devil: Goethe's *Faust*, Part 1
Mondays, Feb. 4–Mar. 25, 9:30–10:45 am (Victory
Parkway Campus) \$5

Goethe's tragedy *Faust*, Part 1, addresses issues as old as the Garden of Eden—Man, Woman, Devil (and God). In this close-reading discussion of the text, we'll think together, untangling the (apparent) complexity of the ideas and versification, resulting in a complete understanding of this masterpiece of world literature. A cross-disciplinary approach, representational art and literary text, music and text, enhances the appreciation of the profundity of Goethe's achievement. No knowledge of German is needed. We'll use the reasonably priced Bantam Classic paperback edition of *Faust*, First Part.

Moderator: Richard Schade, professor emeritus, came to UC from Yale in 1975. He is widely published in German studies, fluent in German, and most willing to advise on travel. In 1994, he was awarded the all-university best teaching award and in 2007, the Knight's Cross of the Order of Merit of Germany.