Annual Meeting And Maia Quartet On April 6
A special performance by the renowned Maia Quartet will highlight the program at the UIRA Annual Meeting and Luncheon at the University Athletic Club on Tuesday, April 6. There will be a cash bar beginning at 11:30 a.m., with luncheon served at noon. Luncheon reservations are due on March 31. A reservation form was included with the March newsletter.

At the membership meeting following the luncheon, new officers and directors will be elected for 2010-11. The slate recommended by the Nominating Committee is:

President Elect, Ken Kuntz (to become president in 2011-12);
Secretary, Nancy Ross (one-year term);
Treasurer, Joe Joynt (three-year term);
Directors-at-Large, Ruth Dawson and Gene Spaziani (three-year terms).

Nominations also will be accepted from the floor.

The Maia Quartet’s program will follow the business meeting. The quartet, which has been in residence at the University of Iowa since its formation in 1990, has appeared in major concert halls throughout the U.S. and abroad and has been praised by critics for its “sparkling musical intelligence”.

Other 2010 UIRA Spring Programs And Events
These other spring programs and events have been planned for UIRA members:

- Project Art will be the topic on Thursday, April 15, beginning at 10:00 a.m. in the Clasen Board Room at University Hospitals and Clinics. (Details on page 2)

- A program on Creativity and the Arts in Health Care will be presented by Robert and Rebecca Bluestone of Santa Fe, NM, on Friday, May 7, beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Parkview Church. (Details on page 2)

- The Annual Gray Hawk Picnic will be held on Wednesday, June 9, at the Northridge Park Pavilion in Coralville. Save the date. (More details in the May issue of The Gray Hawk newsletter)

UI Senior College
There are still openings in three of the courses being offered by the UI Senior College this spring. (Details on page 3)

Welcome Our New Member
Please welcome the following new UIRA member:

Judy E. Redeker Centralized Transcription service, Health Information Management
Joyce Summerwill will host our April 15th meeting on Project Art in the Clasen Board Room (directions below). The program will include the background of Project Art, how it has enhanced the healing and hospital environment, an overview of the collection and a slide show of major works in it, followed by guided tours of part of the collection. Refreshments (coffee and cookies) will be provided. The program, which begins at 10:00 a.m., should conclude by 11:30 or 11:45 a.m.

More than 30 years ago, the UIHC developed a comprehensive art program to enhance the hospital environment and assist the healing process, the first major academic medical center to do so. Now there are similar – but considerably smaller – programs patterned after the UIHC model in more than 26 other academic medical centers.

Please contact Joyce by e-mail at jsummerwill@mac.com (preferred) or call 338-9616 to let her know that you plan to attend, so she can have enough chairs, refreshments and tour guides available.

Directions: The Clasen Board Room is located on the first floor in the Administrative Office wing of UIHC between elevators F and H. Signs will direct UIRA members to the board room from the Main Lobby, the old Main Lobby and the exterior door leading to Elevator H. Car pooling is encouraged, and attendees may use the $10.00 valet parking service.

The Bluestones’ program on Friday, May 7, will be one of the final stops on their tour of five communities within Iowa as part of a partnership with Hancher Auditorium. Charles Swanson, Director of Hancher, will bring them to our May event as they complete their tour here in Iowa City.

Robert Bluestone is a guitarist and Rebecca is a weaver. Nationally recognized as artists and speakers, the Bluestones have focused on the powerful connection between creativity and healing and the health-care environment because of health-care experiences in their own lives.

The program, beginning at 10:00 a.m., will be at the Parkview Church, 15 Foster Road, directly west of North Dubuque Street. Parking will be available near the building.
Courses Still Open In Senior College

There are still openings in three of the remaining UI Senior College Spring 2010 courses. The three courses still available, listed by title, dates, time, place, and instructor(s), are:

- **An Overview of Common Legal Topics.** Mondays, April 19, 26 and May 3, 10 from 1:30-3:20 p.m., Room 125, Trowbridge Hall. Bruce Haupert.

- **Diabetes Mellitus.** Wednesdays, May 5, 12, 19, 26 from 2:00-4:00 p.m., Room 1117, Medical Education and Research Facility. Robert Bar, Greg Doell, Daryl Granner, William Sivitz.

- **Museums and Art at the University of Iowa.** Thursdays, May 6, 13, 20, 27 from 1:30-3:20 p.m., Various Museums. (Bus trip to Figge Museum in Davenport on May 27 will be from 1:30-5:30 p.m.) Pamela White.

Classes meet for two hours once a week for four weeks and are open to anyone interested. Registration is $30 for the Legal Topics and Diabetes courses and $50 for the Museum course because it includes the bus trip to Davenport.

More information may be obtained from the Alumni Association at [http://www.iowalum.com/srcollege/](http://www.iowalum.com/srcollege/) or by calling 319/335-3294 or 800/469-2586.

Deadline For May Gray Hawk Copy

Friday, April 16, is the deadline for submitting items for the May issue of *The Gray Hawk* newsletter. Please send them to Dwight Jensen by regular mail at 13 Lakeview Drive NE, Iowa City, IA 52240, or via e-mail at dpjensen@mchsi.com.