

APS Education Course goes “On the Road”

The American Philatelic Society is offering the *Collecting United States Revenues* course, taught by APS Instructor Ron Leshner, **July 14 - 15, 2010** prior to the Minnesota Stamp Expo as part of its continuing education series.



The course is intended for the beginning collector of revenues, but there will be enough depth in the topics that collectors with some experience will learn something new. The first day’s approach will be to give a broad overview of collecting revenues. The breadth of United States revenues, including federal, state, and local revenues, will be explored. On the second day special attention will be given to ways of collecting revenues, e.g., plate blocks, precancels, perfins, and covers.



Ronald E. Leshner is a former government bureaucrat, retiring from the New Jersey Department of Education after more than twenty years of service. Having flunked retirement, he currently teaches physics and calculus at a small private secondary school. His philatelic collecting interests include U.S. revenue stamped paper and alcohol related federal and state tax stamps. He is a nationally and internationally accredited judge. His writings have been published in *The American Philatelist*, *The American Revenuer*, *Scott Stamp Monthly*, and *the State Revenue News*.

The cost of the course is \$195 for APS members and \$295 for nonmembers and will be held at the Radisson Hotel and Conference Center, 3131 Campus Drive, Plymouth, Minnesota 55441. [Register online](#) or by contacting Gretchen Moody, 814-933-3803. **A \$15 discount is available until June 23, 2010.** The [Minnesota Stamp Expo](#) is July 16-18, 2010 at the Crystal Community Center. Learn about [other “On the Road” courses](#) at the APS website.