New Faculty Announcements

We are pleased to welcome Dr. Mark Turin to Department of Anthropology as our newest Associate Professor and Chair of the First Nations Languages Program (UBC FNLG). Mark is an anthropologist, linguist and broadcaster whose work focuses on language endangerment and revitalization. Know more of him, please see http://anth.ubc.ca/faculty-and-staff/mark-turin/

Department of Anthropology is also pleased to welcome Dr. Wade Davis as its newest Professor and LEEF Chair in Cultures and Ecosystems at Risk. Wade is an acclaimed Canadian ethnographer best known for his work among indigenous societies worldwide and his efforts to advance global awareness of culture and ecosystems at risk. Know more of him, please see http://anth.ubc.ca/prospective-students/new-anthropology-courses-for-fall-2014/introduction-to-anthropology-with-wade-davis/

Dr. Sara Shneiderman will begin her UBC appointment as Assistant Professor, tenure-track, effective January 1, 2015 in the Department of Anthropology and Institute of Asian Research

Dr. Daisy Rosenblum will begin her UBC appointment as FNLG Assistant Professor effective January 1, 2015

Thank You

Thanks to our Graduate and Undergraduate representatives this past year for their contributions at the Department meetings and in the department as a whole!

Thanks to Anthropology Graduate Student Association (AGSA) and Anthropology Student Association (ASA) for the great contributions and successful projects this academic year.
Congratulations

Alexia Bloch received an insight grant from SSHRC for her project titled: "Stateless in Russia: Migrant Women, Children, and Social Abandonment".

Alexia Bloch and Ayse Parla (Sabanci University) received a Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies 2014 International Visiting Research Scholar Award to support Dr. Parla's visit to the Institute from August 4 to September 13.

Denise Nicole Green has accepted a tenure-track position as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Fiber Science and Apparel Design at Cornell University effective July 1, 2014.

Jennifer Kramer received US$ 6,500 funding from the Bill Holm Center for the Study of Northwest Coast Art at the Burke Museum to bring Nuxalk language and culture teacher Clyde Tallio and Heiltsuk artist and ceremonialist Ian Reid to the National Museum of the American Indian in Washington, DC.

Jennifer Kramer received US$ 6,000 funding from the Jacobs Research Funds, Whatcom Museum Foundation for "(Re) connecting Nuxalk and Heiltsuk Voices with Historic Material Culture at the Chicago Field Museum of Natural History."

Jennifer Kramer received the Melva J. Dwyer Award, Art Libraries Society of North America - Canadian Chapter for Native Art of the Northwest Coast a History of Changing Ideas (co-edited by Charlotte Townsend-Gault, Jennifer Kramer and Ki-ke-in. UBC Press (2013), May 3 2014

Shaylih Muehlmann has been promoted to the rank of Associate Professor effective July 1, 2014. Congratulations to Shaylih on this well-deserved promotion recognizing her years of wonderful teaching and research as well as her commitment to service within the department.

Ana Vivaldi has been awarded the 2014 UBC Margaret Fulton Award for her outstanding contribution to student life.

Congratulations Darlene Weston’s research project has been recognized as one of the most significant social science projects of 2013 by the Cuban National Academy of Sciences. For more details, see: http://www.archaeology.leiden.edu/news-agenda/national-award-of-the-academy-of-sciences-of-cuba.html

The photo on the right: Dr. Darlene Weston and Liliane de Veth taking measurements
Congratulations to all of our Anthropology graduates! (Doctor of Philosophy, Master of Arts, and Bachelor of Arts)

Congratulations on your successful Doctoral Defence!


Natalie Jean-Keiser Baloy passed her Doctoral examinations on April 1, 2014. Her dissertation is entitled “Spectacle, Spectrality, and the Everyday: Contemporary Settler Colonial Politics, Aboriginal Alterity, and Inclusion in Vancouver”. Supervisor: Jennifer Kramer


Congratulations to the following awardees of UBC Department of Anthropology 2013-2014 Departmental Awards

Cordelia Frewen: Michael AMES Scholarship in Museum Studies
Mascha Gugganig: Sentinel Prize in Anthropology
Catherina Narcisse: Wilson DUFF Memorial Scholarship
Adam Solomonian: Francis Reif Scholarship

Congratulations to the awardees of Arts Graduate Student Research Award!

Congratulations to our ANSO Academic Student Assistants who successfully graduated last May 2014! Jordan Brocato, Bachelor of Arts, Major Geography (Environment and Sustainability) and Yvonne Lee, Bachelor of Arts, Major in English, Emphasis Literature, Minor in Psychology
Congratulations to the following students have been successfully completed their Thesis (May 2013 – April 2014)

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Announcements

Dr. Bruce Miller
Radio interviews with CBC regarding Supreme Court of Canada landmark decision Roger William (Tsilhqot'in), June 26, 2014. Interviews with Calgary (Doug Dirks, host), Victoria (Jo-Ann Roberts), Vancouver (Stephen Quinn), Quebec City (Rachelle Solomon), Kelowna (Rebecca Zandbergen), and Edmonton (Portia Clark). 12:00-3:00.

Renowned linguist Dr. Mark Turin to helm UBC First Nations Languages Program. Know more of him, please see http://anth.ubc.ca/2014/07/02/renowned-linguist-mark-turin-to-helm-ubc-first-nations-languages-program/

Science Magazine talks to Michael Richards. Scientists believe they’ve found world’s oldest human poop. Read more http://ow.ly/yu0Vm

Anth 403B-001 Ethnography of Special Areas

During the January to April, 2014 term (2013 Academic Year Winter Term2) a three credit academic course on the Japanese Tea Ceremony, including classroom lectures and also utilizing the Nitobe Japanese Garden and Japanese Tea House at UBC, was offered for the first time. Created and instituted by Dr. Millie Creighton, it is believed to be the first such university credit course offered in Canada (a select number of such courses began in the US at universities that also had Japanese Tea Houses about 35 years ago). Students sit in seiza style on tatami (rice straw mats) while participating in a Japanese Tea Ceremony as part of the course
Announcements (cont.)

Anth 403B-001 Ethnography of Special Areas (Japanese Tea Ceremony)

The photo on the right: Students receive personalized instruction from one of the volunteers from the Urasenke Vancouver Branch. Pictured clockwise from bottom left are: Bronwyn Oshust, Alana Chan, Madelaine Dumas, and Urasenke Vancouver Branch volunteer Ms. Mitsuko Iohara.

The photo below: A more informal moment in the Tea House as students relax after their finalization of Japanese Tea Ceremony performance.

The photo on the right: Students learn more about Japanese gardens through closer involvement in Nitobe Japanese Garden. Pictured here under the blooming cherry tree are students and instructor; Lina Zdruli, Dr. Millie Creighton (course creator/instructor), Megan Ross, and Lucas Wright.
Graduate Program Studies

The Department of Anthropology at UBC calls for the submission of the Best Graduate Paper and Aberle and Gough Award in Applied Anthropology for the preceding year.

Deadline (both awards): July 31st (Thursday)

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Award:
$50 UBC bookstore gift certificate prize and a notation on our website

Eligibility:
In order to be eligible, the applicant must be a graduate student in the Department of Anthropology and the paper must have been written in the past year, July 1 to June 30. Papers submitted in both terms are eligible.

Details:
If you would like to nominate a paper, there are three ways to submit the paper:
- If you have a copy, submit it to the Graduate Office (c/o Eleanore) for scanning
- Ask the student to leave a copy of the paper to the Graduate Office
- Ask the student to send an electronic copy to Eleanore at anth.grad@ubc.ca

Criteria:
The award will be adjudicated on the basis of the quality of the writing, the clarity of the argument, and the substantive or practical contributions it makes to the field.

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<th>The Aberle and Gough Award in Applied Anthropology</th>
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Award:
$500 Cash

Details:
The award recognizes the work of graduate students in the department that explore the application of anthropological methods and theory to the analysis of contemporary practical and/or social problems. Essays will be considered from any of the sub-disciplines.

Eligibility:
In order to be eligible, the applicant must be a graduate student in the Department of Anthropology and the paper must have been written in the past year, July 1 to June 30.

Criteria:
The award will be adjudicated on the basis of the quality of the writing, the clarity of the argument, and the substantive or practical contributions it makes to the field.
Publications

Kirsten Bell

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Kirsten Bell and Svetlana Ristovski-Slijepcevic

Baines, E., Lara Rosenoff Gauvin.

Lara Rosenoff Gauvin

Lauren Harding

Lauren Harding
Tony Pitcher, Mimi Lam, Cameron Ainsworth, Andrew Martindale, Katrina Nakamura, Ian Perry, and Trevor Ward
2013 Improvements to the 'Rapfish' rapid evaluation technique for fisheries: integrating ecological and human dimensions. Journal of Fish Biology.

Meghan Burchell, Hallmand, Nadine, Andrew Martindale, Aubrey Cannon and Bernd R. Schöne
2013 Seasonality and Intensity of Shellfish Harvesting on the North Coast of British Columbia. Journal of Island and Coastal Archaeology.

Andrew Martindale

Becki Ross and Oralia Gómez-Ramírez

Ana Vivaldi

Rafael Wainer

Clayton Whitt
**Presentations**

**Kamal Arora**  

**Kirsten Bell**  

**Kirsten Bell**  
2014 How anthropologists think: about male circumcision, for example. Paper presented at the annual Canadian Anthropology Society meeting, Toronto, April 30-May 3.

**Carole Blackburn**  

**Sarah Fessenden**  

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**Lara Rosenoff Gauvin**  
Mascha Gugganig
2013-2014 Hawai‘i beyond the Wave, Hawai‘i beyond the Postcard. Traveling research exhibit presented in Chicago (November 22), Vienna (December 19), Vancouver (March 5 – May 16), Bhutan (June 5).

Mascha Gugganig

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Lauren Harding

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2013 Whose Nature? Complicating the Story(s) of Canada’s National Parks Public Seminar, Bamfield Marine Sciences Centre, Bamfield, BC, August 8.

Rich Hutchings

Rich Hutchings and Marina La Salle

Andrew Martindale
2014 The Vulnerability of Archaeological Logic in Aboriginal Rights and Titles Cases in Canada: theoretical and empirical implications. Vancouver Island University Department of Anthropology, Archaeological Society of British Columbia, Vancouver Island University Anthropology Student Club. March.
Andrew Martindale
2013 The Vulnerability of Archaeological Logic in Aboriginal Rights and Titles Cases in Canada. Wall Hour Talk. Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies, Department of Anthropology Colloquia Series, UBC. October.

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Bruce Granville Miller

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**Oralia Gómez-Ramírez**


**Anthony Shelton**

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2014 Tangible, Intangible and Digital Cultures. Presented at the Department of Art History and Architecture Graduate Seminar, University of California, Santa Barbara, May 22.

Anthony Shelton
2014 Discussant, Owning Otherness Roundtable. Department of Art History and Architecture, University of California, Santa Barbara, May 22.

Martina Volfova

Clayton Whitt
2014 Cambio Climático y la Etnografía en el Altiplano Orureño. Paper presented to the staff of el Centro de Ecología y Pueblos Andinos (CEPA), Oruro, Bolivia, April 21.

Clayton Whitt
2014 Climate Change Sticking to Your Boots. Exhibit as part of The Dirt Museum, Lobby Gallery, Liu Institute for Global Issues, UBC.
**Anthropology News - 2014 Summer Edition**

**Museum of Anthropology**

**Without Masks: Contemporary Afro-Cuban Art**

Audain Gallery  
(Until November 2, 2014)

**Claiming Space: Voices of Urban Aboriginal Youth**

O'Brian Gallery  
(Until January 4, 2015)

**New Works in MOA's Multiversity Galleries: "Don't give it up!" The Lives and Stories of the Mabel Stanley Collection**

The Multiversity Galleries  
(Until January 4, 2015)

**Spotlight Taiwan**

(Until January 4, 2015)

To find out more about Exhibitions and Events, please visit: [http://moa.ubc.ca/](http://moa.ubc.ca/)
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