Welcome

Welcome to Dr. Sara Shneiderman and to Dr. Daisy Rosenblum who both joined our Department January 1, 2015. Dr. Shneiderman will be traveling between Vancouver and Nepal this term to conduct research. Dr. Rosenblum will be teaching courses in the First Nations Languages program.

Congratulations

Michael Andrew Shepard has passed his Doctoral examinations on December 1, 2014. His dissertation is entitled “The Substance of Self-Determination:” Language, Culture, Archives and Sovereignty”. Research Supervisor: Dr. Patrick Moore. Committee members: Drs. Bruce Miller and Shaylih Muehlmann

Michael Andrew Shepard and his wife Minh Nguyen had their second child. His name is Holden Nico Nguyen Shepard. He was born on December 16th and weighed 8 lb 9oz. Congratulations Michael and Minh!
Announcements

Several members of the Department of Anthropology at UBC were invited guests to the reception hosted by the Consulate General of Japan in Vancouver in recognition of the birthday of the Emperor of Japan held in Vancouver on December 8, 2014. Appearing in this photograph taken at the reception in honour of the Emperor of Japan’s birthday, are left to right: Mr. Evan Koike, Ph.D. student in Anthropology at UBC, Dr. Millie Creighton, Associate Professor in Anthropology at UBC, Mr. Seiji Okada, Consul General of Japan in Vancouver, and wife Yasuko Okada, and Ms. Chizuru Kinjo, undergraduate student in Anthropology at UBC from Okinawa, Japan. Ms. Kinjo was present as one of the volunteers from the Urasenke Vancouver Branch who were performing the Japanese Tea Ceremony for the event.

(Photo by Koichi Saito, Photographer).

Publications

John Barker

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Millie Creighton
Jennifer Kramer

Jennifer Kramer

Andrew Martindale

Andrew Martindale and George Nicholas

Andrew Martindale and Natasha Lyons (Guest Editors)
2014 Community-Oriented Archaeology. *Special Section of the Canadian Journal of Archaeology*. 38(2).

Andrew Martindale and Natasha Lyons

R.G. Matson

R.G. Matson and M.P.R. Magne

Grants

Jennifer Kramer
2014 Faculty of Arts Research Grant "Building Collaborative Research Relations in order to (Re)connect Contemporary Nuxalkmc with Nushhiixwta (Family Treasures) in Museum Collections", $1,200

Mark Turin
2014 Arts Undergraduate Research Award (AURA) for ‘The Thangmi Wedding Ritual: Endangered Oral Literature from Nepal.’ $3,000
Presentations

Millie Creighton

Jennifer Kramer

Jennifer Kramer

Andrew Martindale
2014 A Line in Time: archaeological evidence of Tsimshian narratives of the “War with the Tlingit.” Simon Fraser Department of Archaeology Graduate Seminar Series.

Jenna Battillo, Karen Lupo, Jaime Mata-Miguez, Deborah Bolnick, William Lipe and R.G. Matson

Collet, J.P. & William McKellin.

Sarah G. Fessenden