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The Department of Anthropology and the Office of the President hosted the President's Lecture Series on January 24, 2019. The title of the talk was, "Capacity, corporeality, containment: Boundary maintenance and social exclusion in Malaysia and Australia."

The speaker, Dr. Lenore Manderson, is a Distinguished Professor of Public Health and Medical Anthropology in the School of Public Health, University of the Witwatersrand and Distinguished Visiting Professor of Environmental Science, Institute at Brown for Environment and Society.

Manderson is known internationally for her work on inequality and social exclusion, the social context of infectious and chronic disease, gender, sexuality and caregiving; in the US, her work focuses on art/science intersections relating to climate change.

The President's Talk event photos can be found [here](#).



Lenore Manderson

# Voices of Ethnobiology



Society of  
Ethnobiology

This conference will be held in  
Vancouver, B.C., May 8-11, 2019



Daisy Rosenblum



Conference co-organizer

## Archaeology Lab Nights are Back!

Starting Thursday  
January 17, 2019



Borden Research Room (in MOA by the café) @ 5:00 PM

### Join us for archaeology lab nights!

Research 'open house' starting  
January 17th, and continuing every  
Thursday of the Winter Term.

Calling all undergrads, grad students,  
faculty and researchers who are:

- *engaged in lab research or*
- *interested in helping out or*
- *learning more about archaeological research at UBC.*

These informal get-togethers provide  
structure and socialization to the oft-  
lonely work of lab analysis!

Newcomers, especially undergrads,  
are welcome. Get to know  
archaeologists at UBC, learn about

current archaeological research  
projects, and find ways to volunteer.

We have a range of research projects,  
but there is room for more. If you are a  
researcher with a project that could  
benefit from student help, contact  
Patricia Ormerod or David Pokotylo.

If you are a student interested in  
learning more, just show up! Enter by  
the door to the east (right) of the café.

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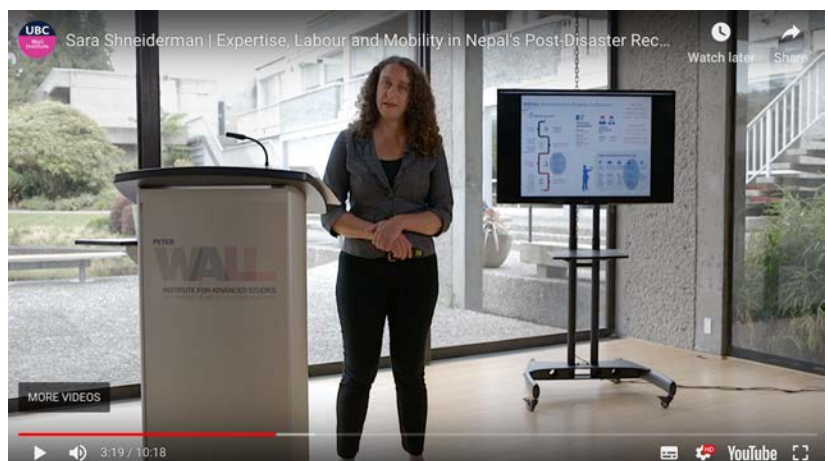


# Congratulations to **Sara Shneiderman** for receiving a **SSHRC** **Explore Grant**

**Sara Shneiderman** received a **SSHRC Explore Grant** from the Faculty of Arts for the project “Nepal's Post-Earthquake Reconstruction Outcomes: A Quantitative Survey in Conjunction” with the SSHRC PDG "Expertise, Labour and Mobility in Nepal's Post-Conflict, Post-Disaster Reconstruction.”

Shneiderman will work collaboratively with Dr. Ratna Shrestha of UBC's Vancouver School of Economics, Professor Philippe Le Billon of Geography/ SPPGA, and Dr. Jeevan Baniya of Social Science Baha in Nepal, with additional support from Sampada KC, to conduct and analyze a 400-household quantitative survey in two districts of Nepal. The survey will ask whether funds invested in reconstruction after the country's massive 2015 earthquakes have led to the desired outcomes, both in terms of physical completion of reconstructed homes, and homeowner satisfaction.

Shneiderman also gave an online lecture about her current research, “Expertise, Labour and Mobility in Nepal's Post-Conflict, Post-Disaster Reconstruction” in the Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies Speaker Series. [Click here to watch the video online.](#)





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# ANTHROPOLOGY COLLOQUIA



January 24 • 4:00-5:30 • MATH 100

**Capacity, corporeality, containment:**  
Boundary maintenance and social exclusion in Malaysia and Australia

President's Lecture with Lenore Manderson

Professor of Medical Anthropology in the Faculty of Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences,  
and the School of Political and Social Inquiry at Monash University, Australia



January 31 • 11:30-1:00 • AnSo 134

**Cave Rituals**  
Brian Hayden

Professor Emeritus of Archaeology, SFU



March 14 • 11:30-1:00 • AnSo 134

**But is it really Anthropology?**  
Decolonization and Accommodation in Contemporary Participatory Research

Mike Evans

Professor of Anthropology, UBC Okanagan



March 28 • 11:30-1:00 • AnSo 134

**The Clam Garden Network**  
Exploring the social and ecological contexts of  
clam management in the past, present, and future

Dana Lepovsky and Anne Salomon

Professor of Archaeology, SFU

Associate Professor of Resource & Environmental Management, SFU



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# Congratulations to **Alexia Bloch**

for being promoted to the rank  
of **Professor**, effective July 1

Congratulations Alexia on this well-deserved promotion recognizing your many years of wonderful teaching and research as well as your commitment to service within the department.

# Congratulations to **Mark Turin** for receiving a **UBC Killam Faculty Research Fellowship**



**Graduate Student and Postdoctoral Fellow Research Day**  
UBC Language Sciences Initiative  
Abstracts due: February 25th

Theme: Language Lenses: Mind, Body, Society, Technology

[languagesciences.ubc.ca](http://languagesciences.ubc.ca)

## Awards, Recognitions & Grants:

Congratulations to Basant Ahmed Sayed who received an MA SSHRC Fellowship.

Congratulations to Elias Alexander who received a grant from the Centre for Korean Research to pursue research in Korea in the summer of 2019.

## Publications

### Dan Small

2018. "Creating Zones of Acceptance: Fitting Services to People rather than People to Services." *Criminalização ou Acolhimento?* Edited by Bruce Alexander, Emerson Elias Murphy, and Paulo Silveira. p. 429-68. Porto Alegre, Brazil: Editora Redeunida.

### Camilla Speller

2019. Toffolo, Michael B., Morgan Ritchie, Ian Sellers, Jesse Morin, Natasha Lyons, Megan Caldwell, Rosa M. Albert, Bryn Letham, and Francesco Berna. "Combustion features from short-lived intermittent occupation at a 1300-year-old Coast Salish rock shelter, British Columbia: The microstratigraphic data." *Journal of Archaeological Science*, 23: 646-61.

2019. Morales-Arce, Ana Y., Geoffrey McCafferty, Jessica Hand, Norma Schmill, Krista McGrath, and Camilla Speller. "Ancient Mitochondrial DNA and Population Dynamics in Postclassic Central Mexico: Tlatelolco (ad 1325–1520) and Cholula (ad 900–1350)." *Archaeological and Anthropological Sciences*, January. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12520-018-00771-7>.

2019. Radini, A., M. Tromp, A. Beach, E. Tong, C. Speller, M. McCormick, J. V. Dudgeon, et al. "Medieval Women's Early Involvement in Manuscript Production Suggested by Lapis Lazuli Identification in Dental Calculus." *Science Advances*, 5 (1): eaau7126.

2019. Thompson, TQ., MR Bellinger, SM O'Rourke, DJ Prince, AE Stevenson, AT Rodrigues, MR Sloat, CF Speller et al. "Anthropogenic Habitat Alteration Leads to Rapid Loss of Adaptive Variation and Restoration Potential in Wild Salmon Populations." PNAS: <https://doi.org/10.1073/pnas.1811559115>.

### Mark Turin

2019. "Review of *White Sun* 'सेतो सूर्य'." *Pacific Affairs*, 92 (3).

# Presentations

## Millie Creighton

“Ainu Internationalizing Towards Recognition of Indigenous Status and Its Relevance for Okinawan Claims to Indigeneity.” Paper presented for an invited/funded workshop on Indigenous Internationalism at The Arctic University of Norway, Tromsø, Norway, Oct 18, 2018.

## Sara Shneiderman

“Restructuring Life: Political, Social, and Material Transformation in Post-Conflict, Post-Disaster Nepal.” International Institute for Asian Studies, Leiden University, The Netherlands, October, 2018.

“The Irony of Open Borders: Mobility, Citizenship, and Ethnicity in Himalayan South Asia.” UBC Migration Research Excellence Cluster. November, 2018.

Ramjee Parajulee, Sara Shneiderman, and Ratna Shrestha. “Forging community through disaster response: Nepali-Canadians and the 2015 Earthquakes.” Annual Symposium of the South Asian Studies Institute, University of the Fraser Valley, Abbotsford, BC, November, 2018.

“Restructuring Life: Political, Social, and Material Transformation in Post-Conflict, Post-Disaster Nepal.” Keynote lecture for the conference “Epicentre to Aftermath: Political, social, and cultural impacts of earthquakes in South Asia,” South Asia Institute, SOAS University of London, UK, January, 2019.

Sara Shneiderman, Bina Limbu, Jeevan Baniya, Nabin Rawal, Prakash Chandra Subedi, and Manoj Suji. “Householder, Homeowner, or Landowner? Rethinking Ownership and Kinship through Nepal’s Reconstruction Process.” Presentation at the conference “Epicentre to Aftermath: Political, social, and cultural impacts of earthquakes in South Asia,” South Asia Institute, SOAS University of London, UK, January, 2019.

“Community Contributions’ and Perceptions of Corruption: Reflections on Reconstruction, Road-Building, and the Labour of Infrastructural Development in Post-Earthquake Nepal” presented at the workshop Corruption and Communities in South Asia, Christian Michelsen Institute (CMI), University of Bergen, Bergen, Norway, January 2019.



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