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IN THE NEWS

Charles Menzies, Feature interview, CBC, Daybreak North
Daybreak North with Carolina de Ryk - Jan. 6, 2022: The All Native Basketball Tournament is iconic in the Northwest. And now it’s getting the star treatment, with a new short documentary. Read more

New Film Released: Basketball Warriors (A Production of the Ethnographic Film Unit at UBC)
Basketball is a big thing in most coastal aboriginal villages in British Columbia and Alaska. Every community has at least one gym where you can hear the sounds of the ball bouncing, kids shouting and screaming, and the swish of the ball through the hoop. This film tells the story of basketball players from Gitxaala Nation, the importance of the game, its history on the north coast, and tales of big games past and present at the BC All Native Basketball Tournament held each year for more than 50 years in Prince Rupert, BC. https://vimeo.com/662325744
Hugh Gusterson was interviewed by The Intercept for a story on the Biden Administration and drone warfare [Read more](#)

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**THE MYSTERIOUS CASE OF JOE BIDEN AND THE FUTURE OF DRONE WARS**

The handling of the Kabul strike is an ominous sign that while Biden has pledged to review the drone program, a long-standing mechanism for self-exoneration remains entrenched.

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**PROJECTS**

Sabina Magliocco collaborated with Dr. Patrick Pennefather (Department of Theatre and Film) and Dr. Greg Mackie (Department of English) to help create a virtual exhibit on the works of Shakespeare at the Vancouver Art Gallery. The exhibit highlights UBC’s recent acquisition, thanks to generous donors, of a First Folio -- the only publicly-owned one in Western Canada. Framing the Folio in its broader historical, cultural, and social contexts using virtual reality, the exhibit features the witches from "Macbeth" as they would look and speak today. Sabina wrote their script in iambic pentameter, and served as a consultant on the appearance of contemporary witches. For more information on this extraordinary gift to UBC, see [here](#) and [here](#).
Please see **THE EVENTS** page of the Department of Anthropology for events’ registrations (if required).

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**Term II 2021-2022**  
**Anthropology Colloquia & Co-sponsored Talks**

**Dr. Gurminder Bhambra (University of Sussex)**  
January 28 | 12:30-2:00  
Virtual  
Title: “Colonialism and Modern Social Theory: Decolonizing an Absence”  
[Register Here](#)

**Dr. Kathryn Graber (Indiana University, Bloomington)**  
February 3 | 12:30  
Virtual (co-sponsored with CENES)  
Title: “Mixed Messages: Mediating Native Belonging in Asian Russia”  
[Register Here](#)

**Dr. Ann-elise Lewallen (U Victoria)**  
February 10 | 12:30-2:00  
Location: TBA  
Title: TBA  
Co-sponsored with Asian Studies but Anthropology colloquium with ANTH 506 students

**Dr. Abdoulaye Kane (U Florida)**  
February 17 | 12:15-1:45  
Location: TBA  
Title: “Villages Gone Digital: The Use of WhatsApp Groups by Transnational Villagers from the Senegal River Valley”  
Co-sponsored with and held at the Centre for Migration Studies

**Dr. Michael Hathaway (Simon Fraser University)**  
March 31 | 12:30-2:00  
Location: TBA  
Title: TBA  
Anthropology colloquium with ANTH 506 students

**Dr. Kim TallBear**  
September 27 | 12:30-2:00  
Location: TBA  
Title: TBA  
Harry Hawthorn Biannual Lecture

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For more information regarding the talk by Dr. Abdoulaye Kane on February 17 please [see here](#):  

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**UBC Archaeology Day**  
**Living Together**

**Call for Papers - Deadline Feb 14th**  
Abstract Submission Form:  
[https://forms.gle/5Dv5RALRF5NKFT2V9](https://forms.gle/5Dv5RALRF5NKFT2V9)

**Meeting Date:** Saturday, 19 March 2022, 9:30am to 4pm  
**Location:** On Zoom & in person  
UBC Anthropology Sociology Building,  
Located on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the Musqueam [xʷməθk̓əy̓əm] people.

Hosted by the UBC Laboratory of Archaeology, and the Departments of Anthropology and Classical Near Eastern & Religious Studies

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Join us for a day of research presentations and lightning talks under the theme  
“Living Together”  
with keynote speech by  
**Dr. Bruce Routledge**,  
Department of Archaeology, Classics and Egyptology, University of Liverpool.
Coffee, Cookies, and Conversation (3Cs) continues this term with informal presentations from faculty, post-docs, and research associates. Dr. Vinay Kamat will speak on February 1 and Dr. Camilla Speller on February 8.

PUBLICATIONS


Fitzpatrick, Brenda J. 2021 “Studying Across: Anthropology, Conflict Transformation and Cultural Violence in Environmental Conflict.” In Stephen Baines and Bruce Granville Miller, eds., Indigenous Peoples, tribunals, prisons,


**PRESENTATIONS**


https://courseguides.trincoll.edu/National_Indigenous_Peoples_Month?fbclid=IwAR0BU0Rs5za2TwaSYoKi5puHcg5L3DbX_tUEL6yFM6o9uplaoLoDb71pe0#s-lg-page-section-8722308

Magliocco, Sabina. "Cultural Appropriation in Neopagan and New Age Religions: A Conversation with Sabina Magliocco," at the Center for the Study of World Religions at Harvard Divinity School on December 1, 2021. A link to the recorded talk can be found at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DDJUTUAJvsE
The Department of Anthropology and the University of British Columbia are located on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Musqueam people.

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