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EDUCATION

August 2017-ongoing University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico
Department of Anthropology
Ph.D. Student, Archaeology
Advisor: Dr. Patricia Crown

Sept. 2011-May 2015 University of Wisconsin – La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin
Department of Archaeology and Anthropology
Degree: Bachelor of Science in Archaeological Studies, Summa Cum Laude

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Areas of Interest: Southwestern United States, Northwestern Mexico.

Theoretical and Methodological Interests: Cultural inter- and intraregional dynamics; culture contact and frontiers in prehistory; social organization and complexity in middle-range societies; quantitative analysis in archaeology.

AWARDS AND HONORS

2017-ongoing Hibben Trust Scholarship, University of New Mexico
2015 SAA/IFR Undergraduate Student Paper Award
2015 College of Liberal Studies Recognition of Excellence Award

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Field and Lab Experience

Aug. 2017 – ongoing Research Assistant at the Maxwell Museum of Anthropology, Department of Anthropology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. Analysis of funerary artifacts from the Pottery Mound site (LA416) for NAGPRA consultation.

April 2017 – Aug. 2017 Archaeological Field Technician, Statistical Research, Inc., Tucson, AZ. Contracted for Phase II Data Recovery Excavations in Manned Range 1 on the Barry M. Goldwater Range near Ajo, AZ.

Aug. 2015 – April 2017 Field Archaeologist, Archaeological Consulting Services, Inc., Tempe, AZ. Contracted to Gila River Indian Community – Cultural Resources Management Program (GRIC-CRMP), Sacaton, AZ for Phase I Testing, Phase II Data Recovery Excavations, Archaeological Monitoring, and Class III Survey.

- May – July 2015 Field Archaeologist, Texas A & M University – Center for the Study of the First Americans. Contracted for 2015 Field Excavations at the Debra L. Friedkin Site, Salado, TX.
- Jan. – May 2015 Lab Technician, Mississippi Valley Archaeology Center (MVAC), La Crosse, WI. Contracted for flotation processing and initial macrobotanical analyses.
- May – July 2014 Field Archaeologist, University of Tulsa – Department of Anthropology. Contracted for 2014 Field Excavations at Small Sites in the Casas Grandes Valley, Chihuahua, Mexico and Survey of a 17th Century Franciscan Mission.
- May – July 2013 University of Arizona-Archaeology Southwest Preservation Archaeology Field School at Mule Creek, NM.

Volunteer Experience

Sept. 2011 – Dec. 2014 Mississippi Valley Archaeology Center, La Crosse, WI. Artifact processing, data entry, and lithic, ceramic, macrobotanical analyses.

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

Publications

- In progress Medio and Tardio Period Flaked Stone Traditions and Settlement Patterns in the Casas Grandes Valley, Chihuahua. Paper to be submitted for review to *Kiva* in 2018. Primary author with Elizabeth A. Peterson. Manuscript available.
- In progress Spatial Distribution of Sherds at the Joyce Well Site. Paper to be submitted for review to *Pottery Southwest* in Spring 2018. Co-authored with Lindsay Shepard. Manuscript available shortly.
- In progress Late Formative Chihuahuan Influence and Interaction in Southeastern Arizona. Paper to be submitted for review to the *Journal of Arizona Archaeology* in Spring 2018. Sole author. Manuscript available.
- In progress The Medio Period, Animas Phase, and the Historical Concept of the Casas Grandes Northern Periphery. Paper to be submitted to the 20th Biennial Jornada Mogollon Conference Proceedings in Spring 2018 and published in 2019. Sole author. Manuscript available.
- In review Local and Regional Perspectives on the Gila Crossing Ball Court Village (GR-1112) and Lone Butte Wash along the Middle Gila River. *Journal of Arizona Archaeology*. Co-authored with Teresa Rodrigues and R. Scott Plumlee. To be published in 2018. Manuscript available.
- nd Hohokam-Patayan Cultural Interactions and Meaning in the Middle Gila River Valley, Arizona. Manuscript on file with GRIC-CRMP. Co-authored with Teresa Rodrigues. To be expanded into a paper for submission to *Journal of Arizona Archaeology* in Spring 2019.

- 2015 *Macaws, Mounds, and Mesoamericans: An Examination of Late Medio Period Domestic Architecture and Political Transformation at Paquimé, Chihuabua, Mexico.* Archaeological Studies Honors Thesis.
- 2014 *Proyecto Cartográfico del Ex-Convento de San Antonio de Padua* by Michael E. Whalen, Dolores Dávalos Navarro, Andrew Fernandez, Randee Fladeboe, and Thatcher Rogers. Survey report presented to the Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia (INAH) de México.

Presentations

- 2018 Reviewing the Middle and Late Formative Periods of Southeastern Arizona: A Dynamic Crossroads of Identity, Interaction, and Movement. Paper to be presented at the 20th Biennial Mogollon Conference, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico.
- 2018 Constructing a Social History of the Joyce Well Site and the Animas Phase. Paper to be presented at the 2018 Pecos Conference.
- 2018 The Northern Periphery of the Casas Grandes World: An Assessment of the Animas Phase. Paper to be presented at the 83rd Annual Society for American Archaeology Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 2017 The Animas Phase, Joyce Well Site, and the Concept of the Casas Grandes Northern Hinterland. Paper presented at the 20th Biennial Jornada Mogollon Conference, El Paso, Texas.
- 2017 The Animas Phase and the Casas Grandes World in Southeastern Arizona: A Critical Overview and Update. Paper presented at the 2017 Arizona Archaeological Council Conference, Star Valley, Arizona.
- 2017 From Medio to Missionization: A Comparison of Lithic Technology in the Casas Grandes Valley into the Protohistoric Period. Paper presented in the invited symposium ‘Casas Grandes: Addressing Key Issues of Chronology, Culture Change, Social Organization, and Exchange’ with Elizabeth Peterson at the 82nd Annual Society for American Archaeology Meeting, Vancouver, British Columbia.
- 2016 The Occupational History of Gila Crossing Village on the Gila River Indian Community. Paper presented in the symposium ‘The Archaeology of Queen Creek Drainage from the Phoenix Basin to ‘Top of the World’ with Teresa Rodrigues at the 2016 Arizona Archaeological Council Conference, Mesa, Arizona.
- 2016 Fracture Toughness and Flaked-Stone Raw Material ‘Quality’. Paper presented in the symposium ‘Recent Advances in Arizona Archaeology’ with Chris Loendorf and Brian Huttick at the 2016 Arizona Archaeological Council Conference, Mesa, Arizona.

- 2016 Spatiotemporal Trends in Ceramics and Architecture in Domestic Paquimé, Chihuahua, Mexico. Poster presented at the 81st Annual Society for American Archaeology Meeting, Orlando, Florida.
- 2015 Paquimé and Diablo Phases at Paquimé: An Examination of Architectural Validity of Phase Declarations. Paper presented in the invited symposium 'Moving Forward in Casas Grandes Archaeology' at the 80th Annual Society for American Archaeology Meeting, San Francisco, California.
- 2015 Architecture as Craft Specialization?: An Assessment of Changes in Style at the Archaeological Site of Paquimé, Chihuahua, Mexico. Paper presented at the Celebration of Student Research and Creativity, La Crosse, Wisconsin.
- 2015 Diachronic Changes in Small Scale Medio Period and Post-Paquimé Lithic Assemblages in Chihuahua, Mexico. Paper presented at the 14th Annual UW System Symposium for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- 2015 A Comparative Analysis of Small Scale Medio and Post-Paquimé Lithic Assemblages in Casas Grandes, Chihuahua, Mexico. Paper presented at the Celebration of Student Research and Creativity, La Crosse, Wisconsin.
- 2014 Geophysics as Preservation Archaeology: Mapping Architectural Variability in the Mogollon with Magnetic and Electromagnetic Landscape Surveys. Paper presented with Timothy de Smet and William Sauck at the 27th Annual Symposium on the Application of Geophysics to Engineering and Environmental Problems (SAGEEP), Boston, Massachusetts.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Albuquerque Archaeological Society
 Archaeology Southwest
 Archaeological Society of New Mexico
 Arizona Archaeological and Historical Society
 Arizona Archaeological Council (Technology Officer/Newsletter Editor, 2017)
 New Mexico Archaeological Council
 Society for American Archaeology

REFERENCES AVAILABLE ON REQUEST