UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO ANTHROPOLOGY DEPARTMENT



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A Brief History of the Anthropology Department

The University of New Mexico was founded in 1889, more than 20 years before the territory became the forty-seventh state on January 6, 1912. Its Department of Anthropology was established by archaeologist Edgar Lee Hewett in 1928 and that summer conducted its first in-state archaeology field school. The first baccalaureate and graduate degrees were conferred in 1931-32. A Museum of Anthropology, the first public museum in Albuquerque, was founded in 1932 under the Department's aegis. The first PhD was awarded in 1948. Notable faculty members hired in the first twenty years were Leslie Spier, Florence Hawley Ellis, Frank C. Hibben, William W. Hill, Stanley Newman, and Clyde Kluckhohn. Other prominent anthropologists who have taught in the Department are: Keith Basso, Lewis Binford, Jane Buikstra, John (Jack) Campbell, Linda Cordell, Henry Harpending, Louise Lamphere, Alfonso Ortiz, Jeremy Sabloff, James Spuhler, and Erik Trinkaus. 300 doctorates have been earned in Anthropology at UNM, along with more than 3,000 undergraduate degrees.

Today, the Department's 27 tenure-track faculty teach in three subfields with graduate degree programs and undergraduate concentrations in Archaeology, Ethnology, and Evolutionary Anthropology (this latter formed in 2008). The annual summer New Mexico archaeology field school continues and faculty and students conduct field research projects throughout New Mexico and the Southwest, Mexico, Central and South America, Canada, Europe, Africa, Asia, and the Pacific Basin. The Department's *Journal of Anthropological Research*, begun in 1945, is edited by Distinguished Professor Lawrence G. Straus. The journal publishes problem -oriented articles of general interest in all branches of anthropology. A second journal, *Human Nature*, has been edited by Professor Jane Lancaster since its founding in 1989.

In 1972, the Museum of Anthropology was renamed the Maxwell Museum of Anthropology in honor of Dorothy and Gilbert Maxwell. Since 1973 it has been accredited by the American Association of Museums. The Office of Contract Archaeology, founded in 1974 is now a research division of the Museum. The Maxwell supports collections-based research and public education. Archaeological holdings including artifacts from the European and African Paleolithic, Arctic, Middle East, and Latin America, with major strength in the US Southwest. The Museum also supports a human Osteological collection, one of the largest in the country.

In 1999, the Department and the Museum received a National Endowment for the Humanities Grant to establish and endow the Alfonso Ortiz Center for Intercultural Studies, named for Professor Ortiz who died in 1997. With funding from its endowment, the New Mexico legislature and UNM, the Center now supports public anthropology and community-based research in New Mexico and elsewhere in the US and internationally.

UNM Anthropology is one of the largest programs in the country, ranking among the best in graduate education, providing diverse student opportunities for field and laboratory training, and producing new and exciting research, scholarship, and creativity. As a recent external review noted, Anthropology is a premier program at UNM, central to the University's mission, and serving to enhance and strengthen public education in the State.

WELCOME

TO THE ANTHROPOLOGY CONVOCATION CEREMONY

MAY 14, 2011 1:00 PM ANTHROPOLOGY BUILDING LECTURE HALL 163

ANTHROPOLOGY RECEPTION

FOR GRADUATES AND THEIR GUESTS MAXWELL MUSEUM (FOLLOWING CEREMONY)

Music by

Peter Esherick (Hammered Dulcimer) Pat Aruffo (Fiddle) Bill Balassi (Guitar)

Convocation Program

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Michael Graves

Professor Chair, Department of Anthropology

E. James Dixon Professor Director, Maxwell Museum

Special Guest Speaker Louise Lamphere, Distinguished Professor Emeritus Speech Title: "Becoming an Anthropologist"

Presentation of Awards Professor Les Field

> Professor Suzanne Oakdale Graduate Director

Presentation of Graduates Professor Michael Graves, Presiding

> Professor Les Field *Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science *Honors

Professor Suzanne Oakdale *Master of Arts and Master of Science *Doctor of Philosophy

Affiliated Faculty

Richard C. Chapman Director, Office of Contract Archaeology Associate Professor of Anthropology University of New Mexico 1980

Anita L. Alvarado

Keith H. Basso

Richard Barrett

Garth L. Bawden

Lewis R. Binford

Philip K. Bock

University of Arizona 1974

Stanford University 1967

Harvard University 1977

Harvard University 1962

Harvard University 1968

University of California, Irvine 1985

John M. Campbell

Yale University 1962

Louise Lamphere

Carol Nagengast

University of Michigan 1970

University of Michigan 1964

Patrick F. Hogan Associate Director Office of Contract Archaeology Research Assistant Professor of Anthropology Washington State University 1987

Emeriti Faculty

Joseph F. Powell Texas A&M University 1995 Ann F. Ramenofsky University of Washington 1982 Sylvia Rodríguez Stanford University 1981 **Stanley Rhine** University of Colorado 1969 Mari Lyn Salvador University of California, Berkeley 1976 Karl H. Schwerin University of California, Los Angeles 1965 James M. Sebring University of California, Berkeley 1968

Administrative Personnel

Jennifer George Department Administrator

> JoNella Vasquez Accountant II

Erika Gerety Coordinator, Program Advisement (Graduate Advisor)

Carla Sarracino Coordinator, Educational Support (Undergraduate Advisor)

> Joanne Kuestner Administrative Assistant

Matthew Tuttle Computer Technical Support

Ann Braswell Coordinator of Technical Publications Business Manager, Journal of Anthropological Research

<u>Student Awards & Fellowships</u> <u>Undergraduate Student Awards, 2010-2011</u>

Krisztina Kosse Memorial Scholarship

The Krisztina Kosse Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually by the Maxwell Museum of Anthropology to honor the memory of Dr. Krisztina Kosse, an archaeological scholar of the European Iron Age and for many years the Curator of Collections at the museum until her death in 1995. The scholarship is a cash award of \$500 given to an outstanding graduating senior concentrating in archaeology, preferably with a special interest, in or focus on, Old World complex societies.

Recipient in 2010-2011: Katherine Addington

Barbara MacCaulley Endowment Scholarship

The Barbara MacCaulley Endowment Scholarship is awarded annually by the Department of Anthropology to honor the memory of Barbara MacCaulley, who graduated from the university in 1951 and then pursued a career in the Foreign Service until her death in 1984. The scholarship is a variable cash award up to \$500 given to two outstanding undergraduates with a concentration in archaeology who are full-time students entering their senior year with high motivation to pursue a career in Archaeology.

Recipients in 2010-2011: Lauren Alberti

John Campbell Undergraduate Research Scholarship

Dr. John Martin Campbell, former Chair of the Department of Anthropology, has established a research scholarship for undergraduates. The funding of \$250 designated to support travel for undergraduate students who are attending and participation in professional meetings or research projects. **Recipients in 2010-2011: Christine DuBois & Pactrick Harjo**

Undergraduate Indigenous Scholarship

This scholarship was established in honor of Alfonso Ortiz, former Professor of Anthropology, to support Native American and Indigenous undergraduate students majoring in Anthropology. This scholarship is awarded to two students within the academic school year.

Recipients in 2010-2011: Spring 2011 Anjetta Hawk Fall 2011 Eudora Claw

<u>Student Awards & Fellowships</u> Graduate Student Awards, 2010-2011

Frieda D. Butler Award

The Frieda D. Butler Award is given annually by the department of Anthropology to honor the memory of Mrs. Butler, who established an endowment in 1975, when her grandson, Dr. Richard A. Barrett, was a member of the department faculty. In 1981 Butler's daughter Margaret A. Barrett requested that a portion of the fund's income be used for "a small award to a promising graduate student in anthropology." The Butler Award of \$650 is given to an outstanding master's student who has not yet taken the doctoral specials examination. The recipient delivers a public lecture during the Fall semester.

Recipient in 2010-2011: Kelly Monteleone Lecture: Lost Worlds: Locating Submerged Archaeological Sites in Southeastern Alaska

Karl H. Schwerin Graduate Fellowship in Ethnology

The Karl H. Schwerin Graduate Fellowship in Ethnology is awarded annually by the Department of Anthropology. Professor Schwerin of the department faculty endowed the fellowship, which was first awarded in 1999, for an ethnology graduate student who has not yet begun dissertation research and has not received other support. The recipient of \$800 is selected on the basis of scholastic ability, research potential, and financial need.

Recipient in 2010-2011: Erin Tooher

New Mexico folklore Scholar in Anthropology Award

The New Mexico Folklore Scholar in Anthropology is given annually by the Department of Anthropology to a graduate student involved in investigative research and writing in the area of New Mexico Folklore. The New Mexico Folklore Society, founded by UNM faculty members in 1931, established the New Mexico Folklore Archive Fund in 1970. In 1986 it was renamed the New Mexico Folklore Scholars Endowment in order to make annual awards for a New Mexico Folklore Scholar in Anthropology and a New Mexico Folklore Scholar in English. The recipient of the \$1,000 award delivers a public lecture during the spring semester.

Recipient in 2010-2011: Elise Trott **Lecture:** *We are People of the Land: Identity, and Agricultural*

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Activism in New Mexico

FACULTY

Jeff Long

Professor

Martin Muller

Sherry Nelson

Suzanne Oakdale

Ethnology

Osbjorn M. Pearson

Brook 1997

Joseph F. Powell

Keith Prufer

Archaeology

Evolutionary Anthropology

Assistant Professor

Assistant Professor

Associate Professor

Associate Professor

Associate Professor

Associate Professor

University of Michigan 1984

Evolutionary Anthropology

Evolutionary Anthropology

University of Chicago 1996

Evolutionary Anthropology

Evolutionary Anthropology

Texas A&M University 1995

Southern Illinois University 2002

State University of New York, Stony

Harvard University 2002

University of Southern California 2002

Keith Prufer

Associate Professor Archaeology Southern Illinois University 2002

Beverly Singer

Associate Professor, Director Institute for American Indian Research Ethnology University of New Mexico 1996

Lawrence G. Straus

Distinguished Professor Archaeology University of Chicago 1975

David E. Stuart

Professor of Anthropology University of New Mexico 1972

Marta Weigle

Regents Professor Ethnology University of Pennsylvania 1971

Wirt H. Wills

Professor Archaeology University of Michigan 1985

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James L. Boone Professor Archaeology/Evolutionary Anthropology Ecology, SUNY-Binghamton 1980

Ronda Brulotte Assistant Professor Ethnology University of Texas 2006

University of Texas 2006

Patricia L. Crown

Distinguished Professor Archaeology University of Arizona 1981

Erin Debenport

Assistant Professor Ethnology/Linguistics University of Chicago 2009

David W. Dinwoodie

Associate Professor Ethnology/Linguistics University of Chicago 1996

E. James Dixon

Professor, Director, Maxwell Museum Archaeology Brown University 1979

Heather Edgar

Curator of Human Osteology, Maxwell Museum of Anthropology Research Assistant Professor Evolutionary Anthropology Ohio State University 2002

Steven Feld

Distinguished Professor Ethnology/Music Indiana University 1979

Les W. Field

Professor Ethnology Duke University 1987

Larry P. Gorbet

Associate Professor Ethnology/Linguistics University of California, San Diego 1974

Michael Graves

Professor and Department Chair Archaeology University of Arizona 1981

Frances Hayashida

Associate Professor Archaeology University of Michigan 1995

Bruce B. Huckell

Senior Researcher Maxwell Museum Research Associate Professor Archaeology University of Arizona 1990

Keith L. Hunley

Assistant Professor Evolutionary Anthropology University of Michigan 2002

Hillard S. Kaplan

Professor Evolutionary Anthropology University of Utah 1983

Jane B. Lancaster

Professor Evolutionary Anthropology University of California, Berkeley 1967

<u>Student Awards & Fellowships</u> Graduate Student Awards, 2010-2011

Ruth E. Kennedy Award

The Ruth E. Kennedy Award is given annually by the Maxwell Museum of Anthropology and the department of Anthropology to honor the memory of Ruth E. Kennedy, wife of Edwin L. Kennedy, a major donor to the museum. Initiated in 1981, the award recognizes Mrs. Kennedy's abiding interest in public education. The Kennedy Award of \$900 is given to an outstanding doctoral candidate chosen by the department faculty. The recipient delivers a public lecture during the Spring semester.

Recipient in 2010-2011: Bonnie N. Young Lecture: Effects of Genetic Ancestry and Sociocultural Factors on

Active Tuberculosis Susceptibility in a Northeastern Mexican Population

Frank J. Broilo, Harry W. and Margaret Basehart Memorial Endowment Scholarship

The Frank J. Broilo, Harry W. and Margaret Basehart Memorial Endowment Scholarship is awarded annually by the Department of Anthropology to honor the memory of Frank J. Broilo, the first director of UNM's Office of Contract Archaeology until his death in 1979, Professor Harry W. Basehart, professor emeritus of anthropology until his death in 1988 and editor of the Department's *Journal of Anthropological Research* from 1962 to 1974 and 1981 to 1982, and his wife Margaret Basehart, who died in 1992. The scholarship is an award of \$850 given to deserving graduate students who are pursuing a course of study in Archaeology or Ethnology. The scholarship alternates annually between Archaeology and Ethnology graduate students, and this academic year has been awarded to three archaeologists.

Recipients in 2010-2011: Olga Glinski

Department Graduates

Summer/Fall 2010

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science

Michael A. Abatemarco (BA)
**Jessica E. Abbott (BA)
**Venancio F. Aragon (BA)
Jim S. Chanel (BS)
Aaron C. Chavez (BA)
Rebecca J. Clark (BA)
Thomas A. Depree (BA)
Amy E. Efurd (BA)
Andrea A. Faeth (BA)
**Melanie A. Fortgang (BS)
Lauren E. Guilmette (BA)
**Alice M. Hollow Horn (BA)
**Valerie J. Horton (BS)
Shana A. Juarez (BS)
**Pieter M. Leffers (BS)
Taylor B. Lewis (BS)

Patricia Ann Lorenz-Ray (BA) Katie E. MacCallum (BA) Rebekah C. Montgomery (BA) Jason R. Neel (BA) Leonard P. Perez (BA) Pamela G. Price (BA) Daleen D. Raynor (BS) Daniell Reyna (BA) ****Jesse H. Schimmel (BA)** Matthew R. Schwartz (BS) ****Timothy B. Shaw (BS)** Aaron J. Smith (BA) **Agatha J. Weatherbie (BA) Sarah L. Wilebski (BS) Steven M. Williams (BA) Rachel L. Zakrzewski (BA)

Department Graduates

Spring/Summer 2011 Doctor of Philosophy

Kristen Adler (PhD)	
tation: Making Modernity: Ideological Pluralism and	Disser-
	Politi-
cal Process in Zinacantán	Chair:
David Dinwoodie	
**Connie Constan (PhD)	
tation: Ceramic Resource Selection and Social Violence in Gallina Area of the American Southwest	Disser- the
Patricia Crown	Chair:
**Shamsi Rebecca Daneshvari (PhD)	
tation: Predicting body mass from the	Disser-
ton with an application to the Georgia coast	5
Chair: Osbjorn Pearson	
**Lois Ellen Frank (PhD)	
tation: The Discourse and Practice of Native American	Disser-
·	Cui-
sine: Native American Chefs and Native American Cooks in	Con-
temporary Southwest Kitchens	

Department Graduates

<u>Spring/Summer 2011</u>

Master of Arts and Master of Science

Catherine Mitchell (MS) **Daniel Gene Shattuck II (MA) Ashley Elizabeth Sherry (MA) Amy Thompson (MS) **Natasha M. Tworoski (MS)

Summer/Fall 2010 Doctor of Philosophy

John Y. Anderson (PhD)

Dissertation: *The Human Skull: Definition by Integrationist and Modular Models* **Chair:** Joseph Powell

Ruth B. Jolie (PhD)

tation: We're Parents, Too: An Urban Ethnography of	Disser-
Involvement Among Middle Class Dual-Worker Couples	Father
Louise Lamphere, Co-Chair: Ronda Brulotte	Chair:
**Philip B. Laverty (PhD)	
tation: Recognizing Indians: Place, Identity, History and the al Acknowledgment of the Ohlone/Costanoan-Esselen Nation	Disser- Feder-
	Chair:

Field

Wendy E. Potter (PhD)

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Department Graduates

Spring/Summer 2011 Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science

Jeffrey D. Aiken (BS) **Crystiana M. Baca-Bosiljevac(BA) **Shannon Bermea (BS)** Jenny O. Bick (BA) **Ben R. Bowen (BA) Jesse I. Brundige (BS) Keary T. Buttrill (BS) ****Julian C. Chavez (BS)** Ashlev Davis (BS) Danvelle L. Dosunmu (BA) Miriam P. Duncan (BA) Stephanie A. Fincke (BS) **Amy E. Foust (BA)** Ann M. Gamache (BA) Alfred A. Garcia (BA) ****Lindsay E. Gillenwater (BA)** Christina M. Glick (BA) **Ariana D. Goertz (BS) Danielle L. Griego (BA) ****Tricia L. Gunther (BS)** Adele N. Hartswick (BA) ****Takeo Ichihara (BA)** Alexander E. Jacobs (BA)

Julia Jurado (BA) Monika M. Kubicek (BS) Valerie A. Lipinski (BS) Samantha M. Lorenz (BS) Amanda C. Macewen (BA) **Courtney J. Martin (BS)** Holly A. Mares (BA) Brittany L. Marfia (BA) **Jessica E. Mavnard (BA) ****Tylor S. Nelson (BA)** Eva A. Padilla (BS) Emmett J. Paul (BA) **Shahana Sophie Rjan (BS) **Elizabeth S. Rodriguez (BS)** Travis G. Simis (BA) Samantha T. Sonntag (BA) Erica R. Stamm (BA) Jamie A. Stephens (BS) ****Jennifer M. Verranault (BS)** Kandi A. Voss (BA) Rvan P. Wienpahl (BA) Amanda F. Wilson (BA) Christina M. Wolf (BA)

** Indicates requirements met for Summer 2011

Department Graduates

<u>Fall 2010</u>

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science with Honors

Stefanie Ilana Michaels (BS) Biological

Honors: Forgotten Valor on the Western Frontier: Identification

of Union Army Soldier Remains at the old Military Cemetery, Fort Craig, New Mexico

Spring 2011

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science with Honors

Ahmed Fethi Benhalim (BA) Ethnology

Honors Paper: *Rhetorics and Ideologies of Non-Acknowledgment: The Case of Palestine* **Mentor: Les Field**

Felice A. Lamoreux (BA) Ethnology

Honors Paper: Making the American Dream Achievable For All: Educational Reform Through Culture Creation **Mentor: Les Field**

Heather L. MacInnes (BS) Evolutionary Anthropology

Honors Paper: Dimensions of the Birth Canal and Age at Death

in Prehistoric New Mexican Women: A test of Evolutionary Optimality Mentor: Osbjorn Pearson

Arielle Rose Nylander (BA) Ethnology

Honors Paper: *Purity and Danger? Reframing Spirituality, Puriand Practice Among a South Indian Community in Diaspora*

ty, and Practice Among a South Indian Community Mentor: Les Field

Raoul Justis Paisner (BA) Ethnology

Honors Paper: Shrimp & Oil: The BP Disaster and a Way of Life Risk

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Mentor: Ronda Brulotte

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Department Graduates

Spring 2011

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science with Honors

Clayton Dean Pilbro (BS) Biological

Honors Paper: New Mexico Proto-Prosimians and True Primates: A study of the variation in NM fossil teeth showing trends in early Prosimian and Primate Evolution **Mentor: Sherry Nelson**

Roudina Rajha (BA) Ethnology

Honors Paper: *What will people say? Social Reputation in a Damascus Community* **Mentor: Les Field**

Summer/Fall 2010 Master of Arts and Master of Science

Zachary E. Braun (MA) Jagna Cyganik (MA) Felipe J. Estudillo Colon (MA) **Michael R. Gibbons (MS)

<u>Spring/Summer 2011</u> <u>Master of Arts and Master of Science</u>

Valorie V. Aquino (MS) **Kevin Brown (MA) **Anna Cabrera (MA) Natalie Farrell (MA) Lisa M. Fontes (MA) Lillian Greenawald (MS) Lara Michele Gunderson (MA) Sarah R. Joyce (MA) Katina Krasnec(MS)

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