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Thank You!

Administrative Staff, Anthropology

Maxwell Museum of Anthropology

University of New Mexico Foundation

Melanie E. Magdalena, Anthropology

Joann Comerford, Arts & Sciences

Mad Robin Ensemble



The Maxwell supports collections-based research and public education. Its holdings include artifacts from the European and African Paleolithic, Arctic, Middle East, and Latin America, with major strengths in the US Southwest, particularly among our Native groups. 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 an endowment of nearly \$1 million the Ortiz Center supports public anthropology and community-based research in New Mexico and elsewhere in the US and internationally.

Today, the Department's 29 tenure-track faculty teach in three subfields with graduate programs and undergraduate concentrations in Ethnology, Archaeology, and Evolutionary Anthropology. The annual 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, now in its 70th year of publication, is edited by Leslie Spier 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 and is ranked among the top Interdisciplinary journals in the country.

Donor support for Anthropology includes the Frank Hibben Trust, which funds recruitment fellowships for graduate students. Former faculty and students, and friends of the Department have also contributed to endowments that support undergraduates and graduate students, as well as faculty.

UNM Anthropology is a highly regarded, affordable program at both graduate and undergraduate levels of study. Located in the American Southwest, the school is well placed to take advantage of the region's cultural diversity, deep historic roots, and remarkable archaeology. The Department's faculty work here, as well as throughout the Americas, Europe, Africa, Asia, and the Pacific. Students have an opportunity to participate in a variety of field training and laboratory programs, develop their professional skills, and contribute to Anthropology's distinctive perspective.



The University of New Mexico was founded in 1889, more than 20 years before the territory became the forty-seventh state in January 1912. Its Department of Anthropology was established by archaeologist Edgar Lee Hewett in 1928, among the first in the western US. That summer, Anthropology sponsored its first in-state archaeological field school at Chaco Canyon. Hewett also established the School for American (now, Advanced) Research in Santa Fe. The Museum of Anthropology, the first public museum in Albuquerque, was founded in 1932 by the Department.

The first baccalaureate and graduate degrees in Anthropology were conferred in 1931-32. John Adair, a notable visual anthropologist, was awarded the first PhD in 1948. Since then Anthropology has awarded more than 340 doctorates, and another 3500 baccalaureate degrees. Our graduates teach at more than 100 universities and colleges in the US and internationally.

Notable faculty members hired in the first 20 years were Leslie Spier, Florence Hawley Ellis, Frank C. Hibben, William W. Hill, Stanley Newman, and Clyde Kluckhohn. Other prominent anthropologists who taught in the Department include: Keith Basso, Lewis Binford, Jane Buikstra, John (Jack) Campbell, Linda Cordell, Henry Harpending, Louise Lamphere, Alfonso Ortiz, Jeremy Sabloff, James Spuhler, and Erik Trinkaus.

In 1972, the Museum of Anthropology was renamed the Maxwell Museum of Anthropology in honor of Dorothy and Gilbert Maxwell. The Office of Contract Archaeology, founded in 1974 is now a research division of the Museum.

Welcome

to the

Department of Anthropology Convocation Ceremony

May 17, 2014 1:00 pm

Anthropology Building, Lecture Hall 163

Anthropology Reception

For graduates and their guests at the Maxwell Museum following the ceremony

Music by Mad Robin

Tom Hunter ● Mandolin

Bill Litchman ● Clarinet

Gary Mayhew ● Guitar

Sherilyn Urben ● Violin and Cello

Convocation Program

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Michael Graves

Professor Chair, Department of Anthropology

E. James Dixon

Professor Director, Maxwell Museum

Special Guest Speaker Les Field

Professor
Incoming Chair, Department of Anthropology

Presentation of Awards

Keith Hunley

Associate Professor and Undergraduate Director

Frances Hayashida

Associate Professor and Graduate Director

Presentation of Graduates

Professor Michael Graves, Presiding Associate Professor Keith Hunley

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science Honors

Associate Professor Frances Hayashida

Master of Arts and Master of Science Doctor of Philosophy

Procession

Please let graduates proceed out of the hall first, followed by faculty.

Affiliated Faculty

Robert Dello-Russo

Director Office of Contract Archaeology Faculty Associate-Associate Professor University of New Mexico, 199x

David Phillips

Archaeology Curator Adjunct Research Associate Professor Maxwell Museum of Anthropology University of Arizona, 1979

Emeriti Faculty

Anita L. Alvarado

University of Arizona, 1974

Richard Barrett

University of Michigan, 1970

Garth L. Bawden

Harvard University, 1977

Philip K. Bock

Harvard University, 1962

Richard C. Chapman

University of New Mexico, 1980

Larry Gorbet

University of California, San Diego, 1974

Louise Lamphere

Harvard University, 1968

Carol Nagengast

University of California-Irvine, 1985

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

Marta Weigle

University of Pennsylvania, 1971

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

Student Awards and Fellowships

Krisztina Kosse Memorial Scholarship

The Kosse Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually by the Maxwell Museum to an outstanding senior in archaeology.

Recipient in 2014-15: Samantha Ascoli

Barbara MacCaulley Endowment Scholarship

The MacCaulley Scholarship is awarded annually to an outstanding undergraduate with a concentration in archaeology.

Recipient in 2013-14: Lyra Helms

John M Campbell Undergraduate Research Scholarship

The Campbell Research Scholarship is awarded to support students who undertake independent research.

Recipient: in 2013-14: Shannon Bungart

Ortiz Indigenous Scholarship

Established in honor of Alfonso Ortiz, former Professor of Anthropology, to support Native American and Indigenous undergraduate students majoring in Anthropology.

Recipient in 2013-14: Alicia Becenti

Ann Ramenofsky Honors' Students Award

The Ramenofsky Scholarship is awarded to support undergraduate students in the Anthropology Honors Program.

Recipients in 2013-14: Cybele Carpenter

Frieda D. Butler Award

The Butler Award is given to an outstanding master's student who delivers a public lecture during the year.

Recipient in 2013-14: Jillian Jordan

Lecture: "Ceramic Analyses in the Maya Periphery: Establishing a Chronology and Evaluating Intersite Relationships at the Maya Site of Uxbenka, Belize"

Student Awards and Fellowships

Karl H. Schwerin Graduate Fellowship in Ethnology

The Schwerin Fellowship is awarded annually to an Ethnology graduate student on the basis of scholastic ability and research potential.

Recipient in 2013-14: Daniel Shattuck

Frank Broilo, Harry and Margaret Basehart Scholarship

The Broilo and Basehart Scholarship is awarded annually to a graduate student, alternating between Archaeology and Ethnology.

Archaeology Student Poster winners at the SAAs Recipients in 2013-2014: Will Taylor, Cyler Conrad

Ruth E. Kennedy Award

The Kennedy Award is given annually by the Maxwell Museum to an outstanding doctoral candidate in Anthropology.

Recipient in 2013-14: Louis Alvarado

Lecture: "Paternal investment, testosterone levels, and body composition among rural Polish men"

Frank C. Hibben Trust Graduate Fellowships

The Hibben Trust awards recruitment and senior fellowships to Native American and other doctoral students in Anthropology.

Recipients in 2012-2013:

Doctoral Recruitment : Jacqueline Kocer, Blaire Rodriguez, Dianna Doublehead, Matthew Schwartz, Rafael Guerra, Kevin Brown, Jillian Jordan

Senior Awards: Hanna Matson, Erin Hudson

David Stuart Scholarship in Public Anthropology

The Stuart Scholarship is given to graduate students who demonstrate excellence in Public Anthropology.

Recipients 2013-2014: Samantha Sonntag

Faculty

Suzanne Oakdale

Associate Professor Ethnology University of Chicago, 1996

Osbjorn M. Pearson

Associate Professor Evolutionary Anthropology State University of New York, Stony Brook, 1997

Keith Prufer

Associate Professor Archaeology-Evolutionary Archaeology Southern Illinois University, 2002

Lindsay Smith

Assistant Professor Ethnology Harvard University, 2008

Beverly Singer

Associate Professor and Director, Alfonso Ortiz Center Ethnology University of New Mexico, 1996

Lawrence G. Straus

Leslie Spier Distinguished Professor Archaeology University of Chicago, 1975

New Emeritus Faculty 2014 Patrick Hogan

Research Associate Professor

David E. Stuart

Professor of Anthropology Archaeology-Ethnology University of New Mexico, 1972

Melissa Emery Thompson

Assistant Professor Evolutionary Anthropology Harvard University, 2005

Loa Traxler

Assistant Professor and Director, Museum Studies Program Archaeology University of Pennsylvania, 2004

Cristobal Valencia

Assistant Professor Ethnology University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, 2011

Wirt H. Wills

Professor Archaeology University of Michigan, 1985

Faculty

James L. Boone

Professor Archaeology-Evolutionary Anthropology State University of New York, Binghamton, 1980

Ronda Brulotte

Assistant Professor Ethnology University of Texas, Austin, 2006

Patricia L. Crown

Distinguished Professor Archaeology University of Arizona, 1981

Erin Debenport

Assistant Professor Ethnology University of Chicago, 2009

David W. Dinwoodie

Associate Professor Ethnology University of Chicago, 1996

E. James Dixon

Professor and Director, Maxwell Museum Archaeology Brown University, 1979

Heather Edgar

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

Steven Feld

Distinguished Professor Ethnology Indiana University, 1979

Frances Hayashida

Associate Professor Archaeology University of Michigan, 1995

Bruce B. Huckell

Associate Professor and Research Scientist, Maxwell Museum Archaeology University of Arizona, 1990

Keith L. Hunley

Associate Professor Evolutionary Anthropology University of Michigan, 2002

Emily Jones

Assistant Professor Archaeology University of Washington, 2004

Hillard S. Kaplan

Professor Evolutionary Anthropology University of Utah, 1983

Jane B. Lancaster

Distinguished Professor Evolutionary Anthropology University of California, Berkeley, 1967

Jeff Long

Professor Evolutionary Anthropology University of Michigan, 1984

Martin Muller

Associate Professor Evolutionary Anthropology University of Southern California, 2002

Student Awards and Fellowships

Louise Lamphere Ortiz Center Policy Fellowship

The Lamphere Policy Fellow is awarded to a doctoral student in Ethnology whose expertise includes policies.

Recipient in 2013-2014: Elise Trott

Latin American and Iberian Institute Fellowship

Awarded to doctoral students pursuing research in Latin America, Spain, or Portugual.

Recipients 2013-14: Corey Ragsdale, Margaret Watson

UNM-Mellon Dissertation Completion Fellowship

This fellowship is to awarded to doctoral students working in the humanistic social sciences and whose dissertation research is focused on issues of relevance to Native American and/or Hispano communities.

Recipient 2014: Andrea Lopez

Office of Graduate Studies Excellence Teaching Assistantship

To support excellence in teaching, this scholarship is offered to a Graduate Student in good standing.

Recipients 2014: Christine Snyder, Cyler Conrad

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Fellowship

This Fellowship is awarded to doctoral students whose research will help shape the future of our nation's health care and health policy for Native Americans and Hispanic groups in the United States.

Recipient 2014: Louis Alvarado

Program in Interdisciplinary Biological & Biomedical Science (PIBBS) Fellowship

PIBBS recruits outstanding graduate students with diverse backgrounds and skills who are trained to use collaborative, interdisciplinary approaches to address specific scientific questions of broad significance.

Recipient 2014: Sara Niedbalski

Anthropology Graduates

Fall /Summer 2013 Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science

Caitlin S. Ainsworth (BA)
Melinda Bahe-Gallagher (BA)

Don R. Bennett (BS) Holly M. Bennett (BS) Melanie K. Bishop (BA)

Alicia B. Chavez (BS)

Liliana S. Chavez (BA)

Lorraine L. Colunga (BS)
Robert A. Cushman (BS)

Shannon L. Dobbins (BA)

Luke R. Fields (BS)
Alyce J. Garcia (BA)

Brandon J. Harrie (BA) Nicolas D. Hostetter (BS)

Elliot D. Hubbard (BA)
Grady W. Jaramillo (BA)

Holly F. Jenkins (BA)

Bryant E. Johnson (BA)

MaraLee Kamstra (BS)

Jocelyn R. Kreitinger (BA)

Ariana T. Mancino (BA)

Joseph A. Martinez (BA)

Katrina L. Newburn (BS)

Sheldon R. Nez (BA)

Kelsey E. Norris (BS)

Skyler R. Pendleton (BA)

Marlon O. Peseke (BA)

Curtis P. Randolph (BS)

Erica A. Rees (BS)

Paloma L. Sena (BA)

Charity D. Tod (BA)

Kimberly L. Wilson (BS)

Kourtney R. Wright (BS)

Anthropology Graduates

Spring/Summer 2014 Master of Arts and Master of Science

Travis Altomonte (MA) Public Archaeology

Joseph M. Birkmann (MA) Archaeology

Daniel Cummings (MS) Evolutionary Anthropology

Caitlin M. Davis (MA) Ethnology

Dianna Doublehead (MA) Ethnology

Grant T. Florian (MA) Ethnology

Jacqueline M. Kocer (MA) *Archaeology (with Distinction)*

Anna Medendorp Rautman (MS) *Evolutionary Anthropology*

Sara D. Niedbalski (MA) Evolutionary Anthropology

Samantha T. Olivas (MA) Archaeology

Paulina F. Przystupa (MA) Archaeology

Blaire K. Topash-Rodriguez (MA) Ethnology

Gandhi Yetish (MA) Evolutionary Anthropology

Spring/Summer 2014 Doctor of Philosophy

**Helen Davis Evolutionary Anthropology

Dissertation: Variable Education Exposure and Cognitive Task Performance Among the Tsimane' of Central Bolivia

Hillard Kaplan, Chair

Lisa A. Hogan *Ethnology:*

Dissertation: Maturing Temporal Bones as Non-Neural Sites for Transforming the Speech Signal during Language Development Larry Gorbet, Chair and Hillard Kaplan, Co-Chairs

Stephanie Sanchez *Ethnology:*

Dissertation: Women and Cultural Production: Fiestas, Families, and Foodways in San Rafael, New Mexico
Louise Lamphere and Beverly Singer, Co-Chairs

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Anthropology Graduates

Fall 2013 Master of Arts and Master of Science

Jessica M. Gross (MS) Evolutionary Anthropology
Anthony J. Koehl (MA) Evolutionary Anthropology
Madison E. Schaeffer (MS) Evolutionary Anthropology

Fall 2013 Doctor of Philosophy

Sean Gantt Ethnology

Dissertation: Nanta Hosh Chahta Immi? (What are Choctaw Lifeways?): Cultural Preservation in the Casino Era

Beverly Singer, Chair

Miria Kano Ethnology (with Distinction)

Dissertation: Storied Lives in a Living Tradition: Women Rabbis Building

Communities in 21st Century New Mexico

Suzanne Oakdale, Chair

Sean Bruna *Ethnology*

Dissertation: Sowing Seeds for the Future with Tigua History and Tradition: Type 2 Diabetes Prevention and Management Practices at Ysleta del Sur Pueblo

Les Field and Louise Lamphere, Co-Chairs

Gwendolyn W. Saul Ethnology

Dissertation: Tsehootooi baa hane; Emergent Oral Histories from Navajo Community Based Oral History Project in Fort Defiance
Beverly Singer, Chair

Anthropology Graduates

Spring /Summer 2014 Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science

Priscilla Aguilera (BS)
Sabrina Alderete (BA)
Chandi U. Aran (BS)
Zachary T. Barnes (BS)
Katherine B. Boggess (BA)
Aubree D. Boivin (BA)
Julie M. Boyette (BA)
Marie A. Chavez (BS)

Susannah L. Clary-Drake (BS) Marron A. Cooney (BA)

James S. Deregorio (BA)

Sierra B. Donovan Cushing (BS)

Susan Ellison (BA)

Jose-Pierre A. Estrada (BS).

Alicia M. Fajardo (BA)

Ariana M. Feltenberger (BA)

Rafael A. Fernandez-Mancha (BS)

Christopher G. Firor (BA) Pablo G. Flores (BA) Tara A. Freelander (BA)

Leslie G. Gast (BA)

Rebecca S. Hansana (BS)
Lauren C. Hasely (BS)
Jocelyn A. Hauenstein (BA)

Diego Guevara Beltran (BS)

Jamie M. Hensley (BA)

Jason A. Henson (BS) Liana G. Hernandez (BS) Yvette C. Holmes (BS)

Lucien E. Horowitz (BA) Cole L. Howard (BA)

Matthew J. Hunt (BS)

Julie M. Jennings (BS)

Valerie B. Jojola (BS)

Glenn R. Jordan (BS)

Nickolas A. Koontz (BS)

Miranda C. Lee (BS)

Kiara W. Low Dog (BA)

Melanie E. Magdalena (BS)

Bridget L. McKenney (BA)

Morgan R. Montano (BS)

Marissa B. Moore (BA)

Memi K. Moore (BS)

Laura M. Morris (BS)

Tara C. Mota (BS)

Michael S. Papirtis (BA)

Havana C. Posa (BS)

Hilary R. Post (BA)

Katelyn R. Quiroz (BS)

Jamie Rael (BS)

Caitlin M. Remes (BA)

Brianne I. Reynolds (BA)

Melanie C. Salazar (BA)

Tania Silva (BA)

Sarah E. Story (BS)

Kateyn S. Sweeney (BA)

Sydney N. Thayer (BA) Jessica A. Thornhill (BS)

Marca A. Torras (BS)

Marco A. Torres (BS)

Jennifer E. Trujillo (BS) Jesse D. Trujillo (BS)

esse D. Hujillo (BS)

Margo L. Tucker (BA) Aminda L. Vaughan (BA)

Kandi A. Voss (BA)

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Anthropology Graduates

Spring/Summer 2014 Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science with Honors

Lauren B. Alberti (BA) Archaeology

Honors Paper: Visigothic Cultural Identity in the 5th-7th Centuries in

Hispania.

Level of Honors: Magna Cum Laude

Mentor: James Boone

Jessica A. Alden (BS) Archaeology

Honors Paper: Neighborhood Clustering at Blue Creek, Belize: Spatial

Organization, Density, and Visibility. Level of Honors: Summa Cum Laude

Mentor: Keith Prufer

Cybele Carpenter (BA) Evolutionary Anthropology

Honors Paper: Measuring Cranial Development in Wild Chimpanzees Using Photogrammetry, with Implications for Reconstructing Hominin

Life History Evolution.

Level of Honors: Cum Laude

Mentor: Sherry Nelson

Danielle M. Kabella (BA) Ethnology

Honors Paper: Addiction Treatment Paradox: Combining Holistic and

Biomedical Interventions in New Mexico.

Lever of Honors: Magna Cum Laude

Mentor: Lindsay Smith

Anthropology Graduates

Spring/Summer 2014 Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science with Honors

Rachel F. Ladany (BA) Ethnology

Honors Paper: *Interested In: Expression of Identity through Facebook.*

Level of Honors: Summa Cum Laude
Mentor: Erin Debenport

Jazlyn A. Mooney (BS) Evolutionary Anthropology

Honors Paper: An Investigation of the Evolutionary History of AIMS.

Level of Honors: Summa Cum Laude

Mentor: Jeffery Long

Sonnie M. Williams (BS) Evolutionary Anthropology

Honors Paper: The Biology of Cooking: How Does Cooking Implicate

Physical and Mental Health.

Level of Honors: Cum Laude

Mentor: Melissa Emery-Thompson

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