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Welcome

Welcome to **Dr. Sara Shneiderman** and to **Dr. Daisy Rosenblum** who both joined our Department January 1, 2015. Dr. Shneiderman will be traveling between Vancouver and Nepal this term to conduct research. Dr. Rosenblum will be teaching courses in the First Nations Languages program.

Department Event

Anthropology Colloquia

Dr. Paul Ewonus:

“The Temporality of the Seascape in the Southern Strait of Georgia”

15th January, Thursday,
11:30 – 1:00, ANSO 134

Congratulations

Michael Andrew Shepard has passed his Doctoral examinations on December 1, 2014. His dissertation is entitled “The Substance of Self-Determination:” Language, Culture, Archives and Sovereignty”. Research Supervisor: Dr. Patrick Moore. Committee members: Drs. Bruce Miller and Shaylih Muehlmann

Michael Andrew Shepard and his wife Minh Nguyen had their second child. His name is Holden Nico Nguyen Shepard. He was born on December 16th and weighed 8 lb 9oz. Congratulations Michael and Minh!

Anthropology in the News

Dr. Mike Richards featured in Vancouver Sun, Health December 29, 2014

Please check this out: Q&A with Mike Richards: It’s possible we are still trying to adapt to the food we learned to grow?

<http://www.vancouversun.com/health/Stone+diet+good+then+switched/10688019/story.html>



Announcements



Several members of the Department of Anthropology at UBC were invited guests to the reception hosted by the Consulate General of Japan in Vancouver in recognition of the birthday of the Emperor of Japan held in Vancouver on December 8, 2014. Appearing in this photograph taken at the reception in honour of the Emperor of Japan's birthday, are left to right: Mr. Evan Koike, Ph.D. student in Anthropology at UBC, Dr. Millie Creighton, Associate Professor in Anthropology at UBC, Mr. Seiji Okada, Consul General of Japan in Vancouver, and wife Yasuko Okada, and Ms. Chizuru Kinjo, undergraduate student in Anthropology at UBC from Okinawa, Japan. Ms. Kinjo was present as one of the volunteers from the Urasenke Vancouver Branch who were performing the Japanese Tea Ceremony for the event

(Photo by Koichi Saito, Photographer).

Publications

John Barker

2014. "The One and the Many: Church-Centered Innovations in a Papua New Guinea Community," *Current Anthropology* 55(S10): S172-S181

John Barker

2014. "Fashioning Rebirth: Mourning and Memory in a Papua New Guinea Village," *Vestoj – the Journal of Sartorial Matters*, Issue 5: 189-197.

Millie Creighton

2014. 'WE SHALL NOT FORGET: Rendering, Remembering, and Commemorating Tohoku's and Japan's 3.11 *Triple Disasters in Local Cities and Communities*,' pp. 33-40, in *Japan: Major Natural and Political Challenges in the 21st Century* (Selected conference paper proceedings of the 25th and 26th [2012 and 2013] Japan Studies Association of Canada conferences) ed. by Jacob Kovalio. Japan Studies Association of Canada. (first accessible at: www.jsac.ca/jsac_web_pub/jsac2012-12_pub.pdf).

Jennifer Kramer

2015 “Exhibiting Kesu’: The Art and Life of Doug Cranmer” in *Northwest Coast Representations: New Perspectives on History, Art, and Encounters*. Andreas Etges, Viola König, Rainer Hatoum, Tina Brüderlin (eds.) Reimer Press: Germany 189-197.

Jennifer Kramer

2014 “Heiltsuk Moon Mask” Essay for *Otsego Institute Alumni Review*. Uploaded October 31, <http://www.otsegoinstitute.org/jennifer-kramer.html>

Andrew Martindale

2014 Archaeology Taken to Court: Unraveling the Epistemology of Cultural Tradition in the Context of Aboriginal Title Cases. IN *Rethinking Colonial Pasts through Archaeology*. Neal Ferris and Rodney Harrison, eds. pp. 397-422. Oxford University Press.

Andrew Martindale and George Nicholas

2014 Archaeology as Federated Knowledge. *Canadian Journal of Archaeology*. 38(2):434-465.

Andrew Martindale and Natasha Lyons (Guest Editors)

2014 Community-Oriented Archaeology. *Special Section of the Canadian Journal of Archaeology*. 38(2).

Andrew Martindale and Natasha Lyons

2014 Introduction: Community-Oriented Archaeology. *Canadian Journal of Archaeology* 38(2):425-433.

R.G. Matson

2014 Cedar Mesa Basketmaker II: The story continues. *Archaeology Southwest* 28(3&4): 24-30.

R.G. Matson and M.P.R. Magne

2015 North America: Na Dene/ Athapaskan archaeology and linguistics. In *The Global Prehistory of Human Migration*, ed. by Peter Bellwood, pp. 333-339, Chichester, UK: WileyBlackwell (a republication).

Grants

Jennifer Kramer

2014 Faculty of Arts Research Grant "Building Collaborative Research Relations in order to (Re)connect Contemporary Nuxalkmc with Nuslhiixwta (Family Treasures) in Museum Collections", \$1,200

Mark Turin

2014 Arts Undergraduate Research Award (AURA) for ‘The Thangmi Wedding Ritual: Endangered Oral Literature from Nepal.’ \$3,000

Presentations

Millie Creighton

2014. 'Visualizing Japan's Department Stores 21st Century Shifts to Malltplexes and Showcasing Asia.' Paper presented at the American Anthropological Association annual meetings on Friday, December 5, 2014 in Washington, DC.

Jennifer Kramer

2014 Roundtable Participant "What Role Can Museums Play in the Revitalization of Endangered Languages and Knowledges?" American Anthropological Association Meetings. Washington, DC, Dec 6.

Jennifer Kramer

2014 Panel Organizer "Repatriation Relations" American Anthropological Association Meetings, Washington, DC December 4.

Andrew Martindale

2014 *A Line in Time: archaeological evidence of Tsimshian narratives of the "War with the Tlingit."* Simon Fraser Department of Archaeology Graduate Seminar Series.

Jenna Battillo, Karen Lupo, Jaime Mata-Miguez, Deborah Bolnick, William Lipe and **R.G. Matson**
2014 No Bones About It: aDNA sequencing of dietary remains from human paleofeces. Paper Presented at the 12th ICAZ (International Council for Archaeozoology) International Conference at San Fafael, Argentina, Sept. 26.

Collet, J.P. & William McKellin.

2014. Evidence Based Medicine (EBM) in Crisis: From EBM to Individualized Care. Advances in Pediatrics, BC Children's Hospital, Vancouver, B.C., November 28, 2014.

Sarah G. Fessenden

2014 Tasting Waste: Affects, Moralities, and Materialities from Dumpster to Table. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC. December 6.



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