The past five years have seen many accomplishments leading to a virtual transformation of the Department. The period began with the grand re-opening of the Museum of Anthropology and Laboratory of Archaeology, with state of the art display, storage and research facilities. That event establishes the renewing spirit for what was come: 60+ anniversary celebration, milk & cookies, Anthropology Week, Archaeology Lab Nights, the annual graduate student conferences and debate, the international ethnographic film festival, the Immigrant Vancouver Ethnographic Field School, archaeological field schools in Musqueam, Bamfield, Jordan and China, the renewed Hawthorn Lectureship (Strathern, Sahlins and Abu-Lughod), among other initiatives. We have welcomed seven new faculty members to our ranks, adding to the Department’s considerable strengths and areas of expertise. Our faculty conduct cutting edge research that is attracting world attention. At the same time, the Department remains committed to the highest standards of teaching and mentorship. Our graduate students have established an extraordinary record of achievement as measured in SSHRC, Vanier, Trudeau and other scholarships—amongst the best at UBC and the country as a whole. Our standards and achievement attract new talent, as reflected in an amazing record of Killam and other post-doctoral fellows, visiting scholars and research associates who come to work with us.

I’m looking forward to a period of research and writing intermixed with a healthy dose of walking, gardening and traveling over the next year or so. I’m delighted that Sue Rowley and Pat Moore will be taking up the reins in (typically for this Department) innovative co-Headship. I know that you will give them your full support as the Department moves into the next phase of its distinguished history.
Congratulations

Kirsten Bell (Principal Grant Applicant): has been awarded the CIHR Population Health Intervention Research Operating Grant titled: “Confronting cigarette packaging: a comparative study of the ethics and effects of fear-based warning labels”

Millie Creighton received a travel grant of Euro 1220 ($1560) from the German Institute for Japanese Studies (DIJ) in Tokyo, Japan and the Werner Reimers Foundation in Bad-Homburg, Germany.

Denise Nicole Green has been selected as a 2013-2014 Library Resident Research Fellow at the American Philosophical Society, and will receive a François André Michaux Fund Fellowship.

Eric James Guiry has been awarded the Craig Dobbin Scholarship from Ireland Canada University Foundation. ($7000 CAD)

Jennifer Kramer has been made a Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies Early Career Scholar and Fellow for 2013-2014

Marlee McGuire has been awarded a Doctoral Research Award from the Canadian Institutes of Health Research along with a CIHR Douglas Kinsella Doctoral Research Award in Bioethics.

Clayton Whitt has been awarded a Dissertation Fieldwork Grant from the Wenner-Gren Foundation in support of his PhD research project Climate Change and Spatial Transformations in the Bolivian Highlands.

Arts Graduate Research Awardees
Brenda Fitzpatrick
Daniela Oliverio-Lauderdale
Gillian Farnell
Jordan Philip Henry Wilson
Lorenzo Lane
Vishala Parmasad

Chris Arnett
Danielle Good
Huma Mohibullah
Kamal Arora
Mascha Gugganig

Clayton Whitt
Diana E. Marsh
Jasmine Sacharuk
Lauren Elizabeth Harding
Melinda Ogden

Announcements

Dr. Sara Shneiderman, Yale University
Presentation to the UBC Department of Anthropology,
Tuesday, May 14, 2013, 11:30-1pm, ANSO 2107 (Conference Room)
Title: Reframing Ethnicity: Academic Tropes, Political Desire, and Ritualized Action in Nepal and India
2013 May Graduation
Anthropology Ph.D., M.A., B.A.
Thursday, May 23, 2013, 4:00 pm, Chan Centre for the Performing Arts

Presentations

Millie Creighton
2013 'Visiting a Foreign Fictive Past, Shifting Values for the Future: Japanese Consumption of Canadian Heritage and Japanese Community Traditions via Anne of Green Gables Tourism' on Friday, April 5, 2013 for the 'International Conference on Tourism and the Shifting values of Cultural Heritage: Visiting Pasts, Developing Futures,' held at the Chiang-kai Shek Memorial Hall, Taipei, Taiwan.

Millie Creighton
2013 'Back to the Future or Backwards to the Origin Myths: Backing Contestations via Obama, Nagano's Spcial Olympics, and Sapporo's 2013 Snow Festival' on Sunday, April 21, 2013 for the Anthropology of Japan in Japan (AJJ) Spring Conference, in Miyazaki, Japan.

Paul Ewonus

Eric J. Guiry, Smith, C., Grimes, V., and Salazar-Garcia, D.C.,
2013 Dogs as Dietary Proxies for Humans in the Spanish Copper Age: A Case Study Using Bulk and Compound Specific Stable Carbon Isotope Analyses. Invited for presentation at the 78th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, 3-7 April.

Eric J. Guiry
2013 Swine husbandry and pork flavour at an English 17th C. fishing station in Newfoundland: An intraindividual stable carbon and nitrogen isotope analysis of pig diet. Presented at the UK Archaeological Science Conference 2013, Cardiff, UK, 11-15 April

Grimes, V., Fuller, B.T., Fahrni, S.M., Guiry, E.J., and Smith., C.

Vinay Kamat
2013 four lectures on Ethnographic Methods in Global Health at the two-week workshop on Qualitative Methods in Global Health organized by the Copenhagen School of Global Health, Denmark, April 8 to April 19.
Vinay Kamat
2013 “Pharmaceutical Humanitarianism and the Depoliticization of Malaria Control in Tanzania” at the University of Copenhagen on April 12, 2013. The talk was sponsored by the Centre for Medical Parasitology, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Copenhagen, Denmark.

Vinay Kamat
2013 “Silent Violence: Global Health, Malaria, and Child Survival in Tanzania” on April 14 at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (LSHTM). The talk was jointly organized by the Department of Global Health & Development, LSHTM; and the Centre for Research in International Medical Anthropology (CRIMA), Brunel University.

R.G. Matson

Bruce Granville Miller
2013 SFU Department of Archaeology Graduate Seminar Series, talk entitled “The Law, Oral History and Archaeology,” April 11.

Rodrigues, Antonia, Iain McKechnie and Dongya Y. Yang

Anthony Shelton

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Darlene A Weston, Roberto Valcárcel Rojas, Menno LP Hoogland, Corinne I Hofman

Film Presentation

Denise Nicole Green
2013 Film premier, ‘Mamuu: To Weave/To Work’ (22 minutes). Davis Feminist Film Festival, Davis, CA, April 11.
Publications

Kirsten Bell

Kirsten Bell
2013 Tobacco control, harm reduction and the problem of pleasure. Drugs and Alcohol Today 13(2).

Kirsten Bell and Simone Dennis

Kirsten Bell

Eric G. Guiry

Tatiana Nomokonova, Losey, R.J., Goriunova, O.I. and A.W Weber

Anthony Shelton

Alida E Van der Merwe, Darlene A Weston, Roelof-Jan Oostra, George JR Maat
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I N A P R I L

University Golf Club
West Coast Buffet Lunch

Department of Anthropology UBC – Retirement Lunch
Honouring Radicy Braletic
(Administrative Manager)
Patricia Ormerod and Judy Ramsum presenting the flowers, card and gifts.

You will surely be missed Radicy!

The Anthropology and Sociology Staff

From left to right: Patricia Ormerod, Joyce Ma, Kristin Sopotiuk, Radicy Braletic, Eleanore Asuncion, Lynda Callard, May Chan and Judy Ramsum
Honouring Neil Guppy
(Sociology Department Head)
Kristin Sopotiuk and May Chan
presenting the flowers, card and gift.

Honouring John Barker
(Anthropology Department Head)
Eleanore Asuncion and Joyce Ma
presenting the flowers, card and gift.
Radicy’s Gift

More gifts…
John’s Gift

Flowers, cards and gifts ……

And more gifts…
Neil’s Gift
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New Works in MOA's Multiversity Galleries

Publication
Safar/Voyage: Contemporary Works by Arab, Iranian and Turkish Artists
Fereshteh Deifiali and Sih Baird

This book was inspired by the Safar/Voyage exhibition on display at the UBC Museum of Anthropology.

April 20, 2013 – September 15, 2013
Audain & O’Brien Galleries

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