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## *News & Announcements*

### Ethnography Lab Awarded ATLAS Funding

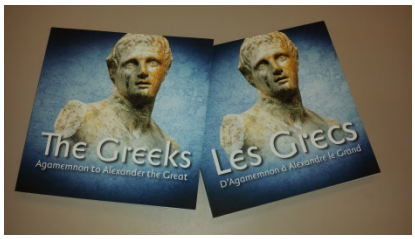
We are pleased to announce the Ethnography Lab has been awarded two years of funding from U of T Advancing Teaching and Learning in Arts & Science (ATLAS). The Teaching and Learning Initiatives Committee agreed the Ethnography Lab will increase students' opportunities for experiential learning and research training. Be sure to check out the Ethnography Lab's exciting speaker series this term. Further information is available at http://ethnographylab.ca/calendar-2/

Anthropology PhD student Lukas Ley giving the inaugural Ethnography Lab talk on January 9, 2015

### Monica Heller Publishes Article and Co-Edits *Langage & Société* Issue

No. 150 of Langage et Société *on John J. Gumperz: De la dialectologie à l'anthropologie linguistique* is co-edited by Prof. Monica Heller and Josiane Boutet. The issue also features an article written by Prof. Heller titled "Gumperz et la justice sociale." For further information, please click here.

### Terrence Clark Publishes New Book on Greek Culture



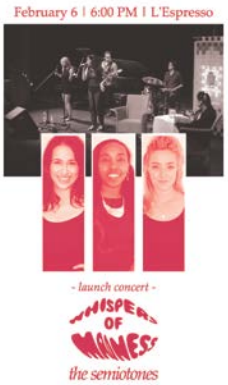

Anthropology PhD Alumnus and Status-Only Appointment Terrence Clark published a book last month, in both English and French. *The Greeks – Agamemnon to Alexander the Great* or *Grecs – D'Agamemnon à Alexandre le Grand* was published by the Canadian Museum of History and explores 5000 years of Greek culture. The book is a souvenir of the most comprehensive exhibition on Ancient Greece to tour North America in a generation. The artefacts are currently being showing at the Montréal Museum of Archaeology and History.

### *Teleologies of Structuralism* – Three- Campus Consortium

Prof. Alejandro Paz has teamed up with Michael Silverstein (U of Chicago) and Chris Ball (U of Notre Dame) to coordinate a three-campus consortium around the topic of *Teleologies of Structuralism*. The centennial in 2016 of the posthumous publication of Ferdinand de Saussure's *Cours de linguistique générale* offers the opportunity to review structuralism's first century and its future prospects. This consortium aims to explore contemporary academic debates about human phenomena which still invoke classic structuralist positions in discussing universalism versus relativism, cognitivism versus socio-cultural science, semiotics or hermeneutics versus deconstruction, and the like. Is this an inevitable yet ironic teleology that is itself a structural form in time? Learn more at https://teleologiesofstructuralism.wordpress.com/

### The Semiotones Launch New Album February 6

Marcel Danesi's band The Semiotones will be launching their new (and Marcel swears, their last) album, *Whispers of Madness* with a concert on February 6, 6:00pm at L'espresso Bar Mercurio (321 Bloor St. West.) Don't miss this chance to see this amazing band play - it might be your last! Copies of the album will be available for purchase. All proceeds go to Sick Kids Hospital.




### February 19 is National Anthropology Day!

Celebrate Anthropology! Help inspire intellectual curiosity and spark questions on campus during National Anthropology Day. Learn more at http://bit.ly/NationalAnthropologyDay

# *Upcoming Anthropology Events*

## Friday, January 23, 2015

Prof. Susanne Soederberg (Queen's University)
**Debtfare and Financial Enclosures: The Case of the Payday Loan Industry**
Development Seminar, 12:00-2:00pm, SS 5017A, 100 St. George St. Click here for further info.

Prof. Yiching Wu (UofT EAS, ANT cross-appointment)
**Book Launch: The Cultural Revolution at the Margins: Chinese Socialism in Crisis**
East Asian Seminar with. 2:00-4:00pm, 208N, 1 Devonshire Pl. Further info: http://munkschool.utoronto.ca/ai/event/16995/

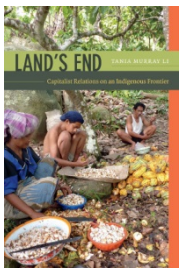
Prof. Francis Cody (UTM/Asian Institute)
**The Varieties of Digital Experience in Anthropology: An Autoanalysis**
Ethnography Lab Seminar, 3:00pm, AP 330. Further details here.

## Tuesday, January 27, 2015

**Food and Subsistence Interest Group Meeting**
6:00pm, AP 140. Further info: lindi.masure@mail.utoronto.ca

## Wednesday, January 28, 2015

Matthew Resendes Medeiros (Anthropology Graduate Student)
**Redefining Space and Self: A look at Street art, Ideology, and Banksy**
Got Anthropology? Series, 7:00pm, AB 107, 50 St. George Street. Click here for further info.




## Friday, January 30, 2015

***Land's End: Capitalist Relations on an Indigenous Frontier* Book Launch**
Presentation and discussion session with Tania Li, Derek Hall, Christopher Krupa and Katharine Rankin. Sponsored by the Development Seminar and Asian Institute. 10:00am-12:00pm, AP 246, 19 Russell St. Further info and registration here.

Prof. Audra Simpson (Columbia U)
**The State is a Man: Theresa Spence, Loretta Saunders and the Gendered Costs of Settler Sovereignty in Canada**
Inaugural Krystyna Sieciechowicz Memorial Lecture/Anthro Colloquium Series co-sponsored by SJE ( Department of Social Justice Education, OISE) and the Aboriginal Studies Program. 2:00-4:00pm, UC 140, 15 King's College Circle. Followed by Reception in Croft Chapter House, UC 183. Further info here.

## Friday, January 30, 2015

Anne Brackenbury (University of Toronto Press)
**The Three Ps: Publishing, Pedagogy, and Production in Contemporary Anthropology**
Ethnography Lab Seminar, 5:00pm, AP 330. Further details here.

## Wednesday, February 4, 2015

Carsten Knoch (U of T)
**Using Zotero for Bibliography and Citation Management**
Ethnography Lab Workshop, 12:00-2:00pm, AP 246. Further details here.

## Friday, February 6, 2015

Prof. Julie MacArthur (Historical Studies, UTM)
**Hidden Histories: The Trial of Dedan Kimathi**
Africanist Seminar, 12:00-2:00pm, WI 2053 (New College Boardroom).

Prof. Lucinda Ramberg (Cornell)
**Who and What is Sex for? Notes on Theogamy and the Sexuality of Religion**
Anthropology Colloquium Series, co-sponsored by The Religious Genealogies of Contemporary South Asia Colloquium, Department for the Study of Religion, 2:00-4:00pm, AP 246, 19 Russell St. Click here for further info and registration.

Sharon Kelly (Anthropology PhD Candidate)
**On Sharing Discoveries**
Ethnography Lab Seminar, 5:00pm, AP 330. A discussion about the dissemination of research, in varied forms, for non-academic audiences. Further details here.

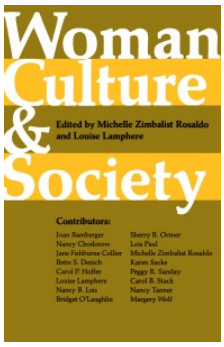
## Monday, February 9, 2015

Sibel Baykut (UTSC Centre for Ethnography Visiting Scholar)
**The Martyrs of the Gallipoli Campaign, Turkey: Victims, Heroes or Companions of the Prophet**
UTSC Centre for Ethnography Speaker Series, 2:00-4:00pm, MW 296, UTSC.

*More Anthropology Events are listed at http://anthropology.utoronto.ca/departmental-events/*

# *Awards & Funding Opportunities*

**Michelle Rosaldo Book Prize**




The Association for Feminist Anthropology is pleased to announce the Michelle Z. Rosaldo Prize, a new honor in our field. The prize will be awarded to a first book that draws on and makes a significant contribution to feminist anthropology. Prizes will be awarded every two years, with the first to be presented at the 2015 American Anthropological Association meetings in Denver.

Submissions must be first books that engage feminist anthropological thought and help move the field in bold new directions. Books must have a publication date of 2014 or 2015. Submissions must be received by the committee by **May 1, 2015.** Further info at http://www.aaanet.org/sections/afa/announcing-michelle-rosaldo-book-prize/

**TATP Teaching Excellence Awards for TAs and Course Instructors**

Nominations are open for the 2015 Teaching Assistants' Training Program Teaching Excellence Awards. Students and instructors can **nominate a TA** via online forms: http://uoft.me/ta-awards

Departments can **nominate a graduate student Course Instructor** by submitting a nomination package. More information is available online: http://uoft.me/ci-award

*Nominations close on **March 2, 2015.***

These awards recognize the valuable contributions of TAs and graduate student Course Instructors to undergraduate education at the University of Toronto and seek to honour those who exhibit exceptional leadership in their teaching. Winners receive a framed certificate and monetary award. The **TA Teaching Excellence Award** winners are invited to participate in a panel during the 2015 Tri-Campus TA Day. The **CI Teaching Excellence Award** winner will be invited to attend the 2015 Teaching & Learning Symposium.

We sincerely appreciate your help in promoting awareness of these awards. Please see attached for posters to include in your communications. Information regarding eligibility and the nomination process is available online http://www.teaching.utoronto.ca/gsta/ta-awards.htm

**Call for Nominations - 2015 UNHCR's Nansen Refugee Award**

Across the globe colleagues in the international community encounter countless heroes who work tirelessly to support, protect, save and improve the lives of the refugees, internally displaced or stateless persons. Most of the time they work in the shadows, not waiting for recognition – saving lives, providing clean water and food, teaching a language or skill.

UNHCR's Nansen Refugee Award, established in 1954, is named after Fridtjof Nansen, an intrepid polar explorer and humanitarian who went to serve as the first High Commissioner for Refugees for the League of Nations. Fridtjof Nansen won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1922.The award consists of commemorative medal and US$100,000 monetary prize donated by the governments of Norway and Switzerland to support a project of the winner's choice to benefit displaced people.

The strongest candidates are those who have compelling personal stories and whose work directly impacts refugees, internally displaced or stateless people. Successful nominees could be individuals or groups (e.g. NGOs), whose work:

- goes beyond the call of duty;
- demonstrates courage – and might at times face personal risk for their work;
- undertakes work that has a direct and positive impact on the lives of refugees, internally displaced or stateless people.

PLEASE NOTE: Each year UNHCR receives a large number of nominations for its annual Nansen Refugee Award. Anyone can nominate a candidate – the process is public. Each nomination is systematically researched. UNHCR does not endorse any candidate. The annual winner is selected by the independent Nansen Refugee Award selection committee, and is announced in September of each year. For more information on UNHCR's Nansen Refugee Award, please visit www.unhcr.org/nansen or send an email to nansen@unhcr.org.

**International PhD Studentship in Anthropology: Queen's University Belfast**

Queen's University Belfast invites applications to an International PhD Studentship in Anthropology. The award includes payment of full fees (Overseas/EU only).

The closing date is **27 February 2015.**

Research projects must be compatible with the research themes of the Institute for Collaborative Research in the Humanities and/or the Institute for the Study of Conflict Transformation and Social Justice.

Full details can be found here, under the heading 'International PhD Studentship':

# *Upcoming Conferences & Workshops*

### Centre for the Anthropology of Sustainability Inaugural Conference, February 12-14, 2015, University College London

What distinctive critical approach can anthropology bring to the sustainability paradigm? What could an anthropological agenda for sustainability look like? The CAOS Inaugural Conference will take place on February 12-14 2015. Confirmed participants include: Bill Adams, Mauro Almeida, Laura Bear, Hugh Brody, Manuela Carneiro da Cunha, Arturo Escobar, James Fairhead, Caroline Garaway, Keith Hart, Kirsten Hastrup, Katherine Homewood, Alf Hornborg, Signe Howell, Caroline Humphrey, Bruno Latour, Melissa Leach, Henrietta Moore, Laura Rival, Veronica Strang, Anna Tsing.

The closing event will be a unique performance of Gaia: Global Circus, conceived by Bruno Latour.

Conference registration opens at the UCL online shop (this will be accessible via the CAOS website, http://www.ucl.ac.uk/anthropology/caos).

Tickets for Gaia: Global Circus are available online from the Bloomsbury Theatre, https://www.thebloomsbury.com/event/run/14020.

### Canadian Harm Reduction 2015 Professional Development Workshops

**Integrating Mindfulness & Meditation into Clinical Practice**
Date: April 16-17, 2015 Time: 9am – 4pm
Location: Arden Park Hotel, 552 Ontario Street, Stratford, ON
Early Bird Cost: $319 +HST by March 15, 2015
Regular Cost: $339 +HST after March 15, 2015
*Includes lunch, morning and afternoon refreshments*
Instructor: Bill Gayner, MSW, RSW, Mt Sinai Hospital
Workshop Details and Registration Information >

**When The Body Says No: Mind/Body Unity and the Stress-Disease Connection**
Date: May 28, 2015 Time: 9am – 4pm
Location: Arden Park Hotel, 552 Ontario Street, Stratford, ON
Early Bird Cost: $189 +HST by April 28, 2015
Regular Cost: $199 +HST after April 28, 2015
*Includes lunch, morning and afternoon refreshments*
Instructor: Dr. Gabor Maté
Workshop Details and Registration Information >

**Beyond the Medical Model: A Biopsychosocial View of Attention Deficit Disorder and other Childhood Developmental Disorders**
Date: May 29, 2015 Time: 9am – 4pm
Location: Arden Park Hotel, 552 Ontario Street, Stratford, ON
Early Bird Cost: $189 +HST by April 28, 2015
Regular Cost: $199 +HST after April 28, 2015
*Includes lunch, morning and afternoon refreshments*
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Workshop Details and Registration Information>

### Unity and Resistance, 3rd Annual University of Toronto Centre for Ethics Graduate Conference, March 6-7, 2015

Keynote Speaker: Saba Mahmood
This conference explores unity and resistance in ethics and politics. Visions and enactments of unity as well as oppositions to or rejections of unity continue to animate politics, philosophy and ethics today. What can we say about the problem (as well as the promise) of unity in the 21st century? How is unity enacted through resistance? How do political activists, ethicists, philosophers, and citizens understand the one and the many, monism and pluralism, unity and disunity? Click here for further info. CFP deadline January 30, 2015.

### Social Movements and Contentious Politics: Theories and Methods of Local Protest and Global Activism, March 7-8, 2015, U of T Multifaith Centre.

The Comparative Politics Student Group (CPSG) of the University of Toronto is organizing a morning of workshops, and an afternoon of panel presentations, that address social movement and contentious politics from multi-disciplinary perspectives. We invite participants and presenters to attend the workshops and deliver papers on the following themes:

- Protest movements and the interconnections between different local, regional, and international symbols and strategies of resistance;
- The moral and legal implications of political action and dissent in democratic and authoritarian contexts;
- Social movement theories and methodologies, as well as lessons "from the field;"
- Comparisons between varieties of contentious episodes.

Other topics that address the broad theme of social movements and contentious politics are most welcome.

Saba Mahmood (UC Berkeley, Anthropology) will deliver the keynote address on Saturday March 7, 2015. Workshops and paper presentations will take place the following day on Sunday March 8, 2015.

Further info, including Call for Papers, can be found at https://cpsg2015.wordpress.com/

### Make Bread and Take Notes, Workshop of the Off the Beaten Track Field School

Food Studies and Anthropology workshop on Bread Baking and Consumption in Gozo, Malta. Bakeries are institutions central to the lives of many Gozitan families. Gozo is an engaging, beautiful, and safe place to do and learn about fieldwork. The fieldschool provides guidance and opportunity for students to plan and conduct their own research projects. This is one of the few schools in the world where students are taught ethnographic fieldwork skills in the field. Further info on this workshop at http://anthropologyfieldschool.org/optionalcourses/page13/index.html

# *Job Postings & Fellowship Opportunities*

**CRM Archaeologist Wanted**
Archaeological Assessments Ltd. is looking for Cultural Resource Management Field Crew for full-time work (5 days a week) during the Spring/Summer of 2015.

Fieldwork will be conducted in Southern Ontario, focused mainly in the Greater Toronto Area. Some previous archaeological experience is required, with CRM experience preferred.

Potential start date is April/May 2015, weather/availability depending. Please contact Christopher Brown with a resume at c.m.brown@sympatico.ca

**Resident Assistant Professor in Medical Anthropology, Creighton University**
Posted: January 9, 2015
http://www.medanthro.net/job-resident-assistant-professor-in-medical-anthropology-creighton-university/

**Jerome Hall Postdoctoral Fellowship, Indiana University-Bloomington**
Deadline: February 6, 2015
http://www.law.indiana.edu/centers/lawsociety/postdoctoral-fellowship.shtml

**Postdoctoral Research Associate, Intergenerational Justice, Consumption and Sustainability in Comparative Perspective (INTERSECTION) project, University of Sheffield**
Deadline: February 12, 2015
http://www.jobs.ac.uk/job/AKI416/postdoctoral-research-associate/

**Associate Senior Lecturer in Social Anthropology, Lund University**
Deadline: February 13, 2015
http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/erek/job/652657

**Open Rank, Industrial Archaeology, Michigan Technological University**
Deadline: February 15, 2015
https://www.jobs.mtu.edu/postings/2486

**Centre for International Governance Innovation (CIGI) Chairs at the Associate Professor Level, Wilfrid Laurier University**
Deadline: February 16, 2015
http://bit.ly/1CBmvNd

**Assistant/Associate Professor, Korean Studies, University of Toronto**
Deadline: February 20, 2015
https://utoronto.taleo.net/careersection/10050/jobdetail.ftl?job=1402447

**Post-Doctoral Fellowships in Global Governance, McGill University**
Deadline: February 23, 2015
http://www.mcgill.ca/isid/global-governance/postdoctoral-fellows-global-governance

**Newton International Postdoctoral Fellowship, The British Academy and the Royal Society**
Deadline: February 25, 2015
https://royalsociety.org/grants/schemes/newton-international/

**Open Rank Faculty Position, Interdisciplinary Studies, National University, Porterville, CA.**
Deadline: February 28, 2015
https://chroniclevitae.com/jobs/0000866840-01

**12 Early Career Fellowships in the Humanities and Social Sciences, 2015-17, University of Göttingen**
Deadline: March 2, 2015
http://bit.ly/1DxYKqv

**Research Fellow in Dialogue on International Law and Human Security, Simon Fraser University**
Deadline: March 23, 2015
http://www.sfu.ca/content/dam/sfu/internationalstudies/documents/employment/2015-16%20SRF%20ad.pdf

**Postdoctoral and PhD Positions, Financialization Research Group, Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology**
Deadline: April 30, 2015
http://bit.ly/Xbt0qJ

*More Job Postings & Fellowship Opportunities are listed on our website at*
*http://anthropology.utoronto.ca/home/job-postings/*

# *Calls for Papers*

**Unity and Resistance, 3rd Annual University of Toronto Centre for Ethics Graduate Conference, March 6-7, 2015**
Deadline: January 30, 2015, http://bit.ly/1woU0h4

**Language and Impact, i-mean 4 Conference, April 9-11, 2015, University of Warwick**
Deadline: January 31, 2015, http://bit.ly/1sYFK3s

**Digital Literary Studies International Conference, May 14-15, 2015, University of Coimbra**
Deadline extended to January 31, 2015
https://eld2015.wordpress.com/call-for-papers/

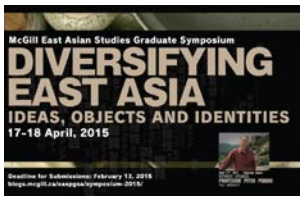
**Theory and Method in Child and Youth Research, 3rd International Conference of the International Childhood and Youth Research Network, June 10-12, 2015, European University Cyprus**
Deadline: January 31, 2015,
http://bit.ly/1xyDhJM

**Historical Materialism Conference: Returns of Capital, April 24-26, 2015, New York University**
Deadline extended to February 1, 2015
http://bit.ly/1xXyX5z

**The influence of American NGOs, Proposed Panel for the American Historical Association Meeting, January 7-10, 2016, Atlanta, Georgia**
Deadline: February 1, 2015, http://bit.ly/1yrOoIj

**Frontiers: AGSU MEDUSA Colloquium, March 19-20, 2015, University of Toronto**
Deadline: February 9, 2015
http://anthropology.utoronto.ca/medusa-call-for-papers/

**Diversifying East Asia: Ideas, Objects, and Identities, McGill East Asian Studies Graduate Symposium, April 17-18, 2015**
Deadline: February 13, 2015,
http://bit.ly/1CBqfhv




**IUAES Inter-Congress 2015: Re-imagining Anthropological and Sociological Boundaries, July 15-17, 2015, Thammasat University, Bangkok**
Deadline: February 15, 2015, http://bit.ly/15tT7hg

**Platform Ukraine Conference, June 5-6, 2015, University College London**
Deadline: February 15, 2015, http://bit.ly/1t2Cxzz

**ASAP/7: Arts & the Public, September 24-27, 2015, Clemson University, Greenville, SC**
Deadline: February 15, 2015
http://www.clemson.edu/asap7/

**Social Justice in the City, Criminology & Sociolegal Studies Graduate Student Workshop, March 7, 2015, U of T**
Deadline Extended to February 16, 2014
Click here for further info

**Landscapes of Knowledge, CASCA 2015, May 13-16, 2015, Université Laval**
Deadline: February 16, 2015,
http://bit.ly/1Ag69sQ

**30th Annual Middle East History and Theory Conference, May 1-2, 2015, University of Chicago**
Deadline: February 20, 2015, http://bit.ly/15tSyE1

**Upholding Gendered Peace at a Time of War: Academics and Activists Speak Out on the Shifting Places of Women in the Arab World, June 2-4, 2015, Beirut**
Deadline: February 20, 2015, http://bit.ly/1CPOo4k

**Call for Panels: Anthropology and Global Health: interrogating theory, policy and practice, September 9-11, 2015, University of Sussex**
Deadline: February 26, 2015, http://bit.ly/1xXA2dF

**Trans-Atlantic Dialogues on Cultural Heritage: Heritage, Tourism and Traditions, July 13-16, 2015, Liverpool, UK**
Deadline: February 27, 2015, http://bit.ly/1yLGuLM

**UNICONFLICTS in spaces of crisis: Critical approaches in, against and beyond the University, June 11-14, 2015, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Greece)**
Deadline: March 1, 2015, http://bit.ly/1umcDlW

**Cultural, social, and political issues of current improvisation practices in music, *Critical Studies in Improvisation* special issue**
Deadline: March 1, 2015, http://bit.ly/1sYJAtl

**Volume 23, *NEXUS: The Canadian Student Journal of Anthropology***
Deadline: March 1, 2015
http://journals.mcmaster.ca/nexus

*More Calls for Papers are listed on the Anthropology Department website at http://anthropology.utoronto.ca/community/calls-for-papers/*

# *Field & Summer Schools*

## U of T 2015 Archaeology Field Schools

Archaeological fieldwork is a great way to gain hands on research experience and participate in the process of archaeological discovery. The University of Toronto offers a range of opportunities for students. Updated information can be found under the 'students' tab in the 'about' section of the Archaeology Centre website. See also the Field School & Research Opportunities of the Anthropology website.

Prof. Ed Swenson and students who participated in his 2012 399 Field Course in Peru, at the temple of Huaca de la Luna, site of Moche in Northern Peru (near Trujillo).

### *Huqoq, Israel*

This is an excavation of a Roman/Byzantine site in northern Israel with spectacular synagogue with mosaic floors. This project is directed by Jodi Magness of the University of North Carolina and U of T is part of the consortium working at the site. U of T students receive credit through ARH 361. The cost of the program is pending dependent on the results of a grant application. If you are interested in the project you should visit http://huqoqexcavationproject.org/ to learn more and fill out the application form. For U of T students the application form should be sent to archaeology@utoronto.ca, not to the University of North Carolina. This excavation is particularly valuable for students interested in the classical world, Near Eastern archaeology, and religion—but all can learn from this experience. The dates for the excavation are May 31-June 28. Pending funding U of T students will participate in a one week orientation course before the excavation held at the Hebrew University, Jerusalem.

### *Quillcapampa la Antigua, Peru*

U of T's Summer Abroad Program is offering an archaeological field school at Quillcapampa la Antiqua, an important Middle Horizon (600-1000 BC) settlement in southern Peru. Excavations of this well-preserved site will occur from mid-July to mid-August. More info will soon be available from the summer abroad program and those interested can also contact Prof. Justin Jennings

### *ARH 306: Archaeological Field Methods*

ARH 306 is an intensive three week course offered in the summer term between May and June 2015. Working on the U of T campus students learn the basic skills of archaeological excavation and mapping. This course is excellent preparation for students interested in archaeology in Ontario or in gaining skills without a large financial cost.

### *399 Research Excursion Program*

The 399 program is intended for students at the end of their 2nd year. Students participate in faculty research and pay only the cost of course enrollment. Carl Knappett is applying to take students to work with him at the site of Palaikastro on Crete and Michael Chazan is applying to take students to participate in fieldwork in Kathu and Wonderwerk Cave, South Africa. Please contact Prof. Knappett or Prof. Chazan if you are interested in learning more.

### *ARH 361 Y/H: Archaeological Fieldwork*

This course was created to enable students to receive credit for participation in fieldwork on projects not offered through an accredited institution. You need a faculty advisor. The faculty adviser will assign written work that is required to receive credit and will provide a grade based on this work. For questions about ARH 361, you may contact Josie Alaimo. Please consult with faculty BEFORE committing to a field project, their experience can help to assure a valuable experience.

### *Spitzkloof, South Africa*

Prof. Genevieve Dewar of the U of T Scarborough is planning to offer a field school at the Paleolithic site of Spitzkloof, South Africa through the Institute for Field Research July 20-August 22, 2015. To learn more please visit http://www.ifrglobal.org/academics/programs-past/2014-programs/af/south-africa-spitzkloof-rockshelter.

## Decolonizing Knowledge and Power: Postcolonial Studies, Decolonial Horizons, July 6-16, 2015, Barcelona, Spain

Application Deadline: February 5, 2015

This international Summer School is an undertaking that aims at enlarging the scope of the conversation (analysis and investigation) of the hidden agenda of modernity (that is, coloniality) in the sphere of knowledge and higher education. This course is offered through the Center of Study and Investigation for Decolonial Dialogues, in Barcelona, Spain, in collaboration with the Ethnic Studies Program at the University of California, Berkeley. The seminar will be held at the UAB-Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona, Casa de la Convalescencia (Hospital de Sant Pau) . Further info at http://www.dialogoglobal.com/barcelona/

## Maderas Rainforest Conservancy Primate Field School at La Suerte, Costa Rica

Are you looking for a primate field school this summer? Spend summer in the rainforest! Several different sessions are available:
June session runs June 21 (fly in) to July 19 (fly out)
July session runs July 19 (fly in) to August 14 (fly out)

There are still spots available in Maderas Rainforest Conservancy's 4-week Primate Behaviour and Ecology course, taught by U of T graduate Dr. Laura Bolt. La Suerte is home to mantled howler monkeys, white-faced capuchin monkeys, and spider monkeys. Students will spend mornings observing and collecting data on monkeys, and afternoons attending daily lectures, participating in group discussions, and working on assignments. The course will culminate with independent projects on primate behaviour, and is excellent preparation for graduate work in primatology. For more information, visit www.maderasrfc.org or contact Dr. Bolt at laura.bolt@mail.utoronto.ca. Other MRC field courses with other start dates are also available.

# University of Toronto Events

## January 22, 2015

**Objects & Affects: Wollesen Memorial Graduate Symposium**
9:00am-6:00pm, UTAC, no registration required. Keynote Lecture by Dr. Matthew Hunter (McGill), 4:30pm. For complete schedule see https://gustasymposium.wordpress.com/

**Free and Accessible Canada: Chinese Travellers in Victoria, British Columbia (1909-1925)**
Canadian Studies Graduate Student Network presents PhD Candidate Jennifer J. Lau, 1:30-3:30pm, UC 185.

**From University Access to Engagement? A Report on the Two Promises of Free Culture**
CDTS presents Prof. Aaron Shaw (Northwestern U), 4:00-6:00pm, JHB100A, 170 St. George St.

## January 23, 2015

**Recasting Modern Chinese Intellectual History: Ideological Moments, Intellectual Worlds and Enduring Ideas**
East Asia Seminar Series with Prof. Timothy Cheek (UBC). 12:00-2:00pm, 208N, 1 Devonshire Pl. Further info and registration: http://munkschool.utoronto.ca/ai/event/16707/

## January 24, 2015

**Pixel to Pellicule to Projection: Mega-Sport and the Spectating Body-Politic**
Toronto Semiotic Circle with Dr. Sean Smith, 10:30am-12:30pm, NF205, 73 Queen's Park Circle.

## January 26, 2015

**The Foreign Mother Tongue**
Author and Journalist Sayed Kashua will discuss what it's like to be a stranger in his own land in an interview with Janice Stein. 2:00-3:30pm, Campbell Conference Facility, 1 Devonshire Pl. Further inof: http://munkschool.utoronto.ca/event/17759/

**Documentary Film Screening: *Trick or Treaty?***

Hart House Conscious Activism Documentary Series presents this documentary exploring the tangled history of Treaty No. 9, the 1905 agreement in which First Nations communities allegedly relinquished sovereignty over their traditional lands. 6:00-9:00pm, Hart House Debates Room. Further info here.

## January 28, 2015

**The World Needs More Canada – Celebrating Canadian Scholarship and Publications at U of T**
Presented by Canadian Studies, 4:00-6:00pm, West Hall, University College, 15 King's College Circle. Click here for further info.

## January 29, 2015

**Living Legal Traditions: Indigenous Law in Practice**
The 2014-15 Harney Lecture Series in Ethnicity presents Prof. John Borrows (University of Victoria). 12:00-2:00pm, Campbell Conference Facility, 1 Devonshire Pl. Further info: http://munkschool.utoronto.ca/event/17640/

## January 30, 2015

**Stories, Skills, and Next Steps: Preparing for your Career in Social Justice**
Working for Change workshop for students to learn about strateiges for finding work and volunteer opportunities within the non-profil/social justice field, with an emphasis on transferable skills and personal "branding." Facilitated by the U of T Career Centre, 2:00-4:00pm, 2007D, Wilson Hall, 40 Willcocks St. Click here to register.

## February 2, 2015

**Posthuman Critical Theory**
The Centre for Comparative Literature presents a public lecture by 2015 Northrop Frye Professor Rosi Braidotti. 4:00pm, Isabel Bader Theatre, 93 Charles St. W. Further info: http://complit.utoronto.ca/events/professor-braidottis-lecture-posthuman-critical-theory/

## February 10, 2015

**The Myth of Slacktivism**
Jennifer Hollett defines and dissects slacktivism in the 2015 Hancock Lecture, 7:00pm, Hart House Theatre. Reception to follow in Hart House Debates Room. Register online at http://harthouse.ca/events/2015-hart-house-hancock-lecture/

## February 27, 2015

**Arabic Modernism in Translation: Adonis, Elegy, and World Literature**
Institute of Islamic Studies lecture with Prof. Robyn Creswell (Yale University). 1:00-3:00pm, Room 200B, 4 Bancroft Ave.