

# Welcome to the Undergraduate Newsletter!

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<http://www.uvic.ca/socialsciences/anthropology/>



Archaeologists discover Maya 'melting pot'

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## NEWS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2015

### Events in April

What's happening?

- **Anthropology 2014-15 Honours Students Presentations**  
Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2015, 11:30 – 13:00, COR B250

- ~ 11:30 Introductory Remarks ~
- ~ **Aaron Cathers** ~ Differential Screening Recovers from a Comparative Sample of Pacific Herring and Northern Anchovy: The Emergence of Clupeiformes in Pacific Northwest Coast Archaeology
- ~ **Nicholas Healey** ~ Controlling Celtic Pasts: Analysing Representations of Celts and Nationalism in Popular British Archaeology
- ~ **Hana Mildemberger** ~ Reclaiming Representation: Indigenous Broadcasting, Multiculturalism, and Language Revitalization in Canada and New Zealand
- ~ **Lindsay Shaw** ~ Contested Constructions of Indigenous Oral Tradition in Contemporary Canada
- Everyone Welcome. Papers will be 10 minutes each, with discussion after each presentation.



- **Dr. Peter Stephenson: Zombie factory: Culture, stress and sudden death**  
Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2015, 7:00 pm, David Turpin Building A120

- Failing to recognize our patterns of stress can turn us into virtual zombies—or lead to unexpected death. Using narratives of a spy, an executive and a refugee camp worker, author Peter Stephenson draws on his research as a medical anthropologist to talk about how to shake the grip of stress.



- **Currents in Anthropology: Congratulations to the winners:**

- Best undergraduate podium presentation:
  - **Nicolas Healey**
  - Honourable mentions: **Hana Mildenberger, Holly Cecil**
- Best Graduate podium presentation:
  - **Stella Wenstob**
- Best undergraduate poster presentation:
  - **Arden Clay, Aviva Lessard, and David Harding**
  - Honourable mentions: **Kelly Joyce and Mark McIntyre, Mariana A. Núñez Silva**
- Best graduate poster presentation:
  - **Stephanie Calce**
- People's Choice Award:
  - **Bradley Clements**



- **Exams:** The exam period for 2015 Winter Session is from Tuesday, April 7 to Wednesday, April 22. The final exam timetable for April 2015 is now posted [online](#).

- Uvic will be closed for Easter: Friday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> and Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

- Anthropology Graduate [Colloquia](#) will resume in September.

- Anthropology [Events calendar](#) and [Facebook page](#)



## UVic Anthropology In the news...

- **CBC radio showcases Genevieve von Petzinger's Eureka Moment!**
  - [Genevieve von Petzinger](#), Uvic Anthropology PhD candidate, describes her Eureka Moment on CBC's [Eureka! Mapping the Creative Mind](#) documentary.
- **CBC "On the Island" interviewed Tara Clarke about lemurs**
  - [Listen](#) to [Tara Clarke](#), who successfully defended her PhD in March, talk about why lemurs need our help.
- **CHEK news reports on Anthropology's IdeaFest event: Hands-on Anthropology**
  - See the [video](#).



## Student Awards and Financial Aid (SAFA)

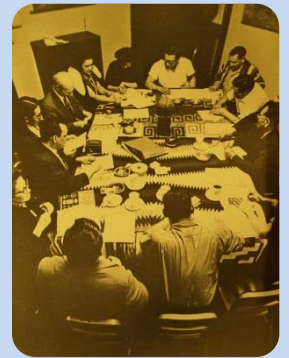


- **Student Loans:** remember to check with SAFA regarding summer registration and student loan eligibility.
- **Bursaries:** The next round of bursaries is for the summer with a June 1st deadline. The summer online application will open in the beginning of May.
- **Scholarships:** UVic students can now apply for two valuable scholarships from the AUCC (Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada): [The ConocoPhillips Canada Centennial Scholarship](#) and [The Mattinson Scholarship Program for Students with Disabilities](#).

## Anthropology Summer Courses

A new anthropology course has been added in the last few days...

- **ANTH 393 A02: ANTHROPOLOGISTS IN INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES:** CRN: 31534
  - Dr. Rob Hancock
  - 6. July – 21. August, 2015
  - TR 12:30 – 14:20, F 12:30 – 1:20
  - How have anthropologists conceptualized their work in and with Indigenous communities in North America? How have Indigenous peoples responded to the presence of anthropologists in their communities? Drawing on theoretical and historical perspectives alongside a number of case studies, this course will examine the ethical and political implications of anthropological research.
- For all summer (and tentative fall 2015 & spring 2016) courses, please see our [website](#).



## Miscellaneous

### Funding and Internship Opportunities

- São Paulo Research Foundation call for proposals: [More details](#)
- Premier's International Scholarship: [More details](#)



### eAnthroGuide

- The AnthroGuide [www.aaanet.org/guide](http://www.aaanet.org/guide) is a print and online searchable database, published annually by the American Anthropological Association.
- It represents the definitive reference to help students (and anthropologists) locate educational programs, certificates, field schools, internships, and anthropological experts.
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- Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/46351343418/>

## Happy Easter



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