Welcome to Anthropology Undergraduate Newsletter!
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Oldest Decapitated Head in New World Found in ‘Vogue’ Pose
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NEWS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2015

Events in November
What’s happening?

Anthropology Honours Program Information Session
Thursday, November 5th, 2015, 3:30 - 4:30, Cornett A319
- Come learn about our honours program.
- Snacks provided.

Double premiere: Fabrik Funk and The Eagle
Thursday, November 5th, 2015 – 7:00 pm – 10:00 pm, David Lam Auditorium (MAC A144)
- UVic anthropologist and filmmaker Dr. Alexandrine Boudreault-Fournier, with her two Brazilian colleagues, Dr. Sylvia Caiuby Novaes and Dr. Rose Satiko Gitirana Hikiji, co-directed both documentary films with funding from a FAPESP (São Paulo Research Foundation) grant between UVic and the University of São Paulo.
Both films are short documentaries:

- **Fabrik Funk** features a young woman from São Paulo, Brazil, who dreams of becoming a funk MC;
- **The Eagle** focuses on a fascinating character, Miguel Aguíla, a Cuban outcast and free spirit expatriated in Victoria.

- Food and refreshments provided. Monetary donations will be accepted in support of Our Place Community Centre in Victoria.
- Trailer of Fabrik Funk: [https://vimeo.com/125810860](https://vimeo.com/125810860)
- Trailer of The Eagle: [https://vimeo.com/131225714](https://vimeo.com/131225714)
- Brought to you by B.O.A.S.

**Cuba Field School applications due November 2nd, 2015**

- Cuba Ethnographic Field School 2016: Media and Visual Anthropology under Transformation
- Applications are due on November 2nd, 2015 by 4:00pm in the Anthropology office - Cornett B228.
- More information and the application package can be found on our Field schools webpage.

**Coffee with... Dr. Lisa Mitchell.**
Thursday, November 26th, 2015
COR B250
Drop in between 11:30 – 12:30

- Come meet with a faculty member outside the classroom and office hour settings. Come hear the stories of how individual faculty became anthropologists: What was their route here? Where is their research taking them? What advice do they have for you? What stories do you have to tell?
- This month, please join Dr. Lisa Mitchell and other ANTH students in a relaxed conversation over coffee, tea and cookies and find out what it’s like being a medical anthropologist.

**Anthropology Graduate Colloquia – everyone welcome:**

- Monday, November 2nd, 2015, 11:30 – 12:50, COR A129
  - Dr. Rob Hancock, LE,NONET Academic Coordinator, Office of Indigenous Affairs, University of Victoria. Adjunct Professor, Anthropology, University of Victoria
  - Title: Franz Boas Lives on the North Pacific Coast
- Monday, November 16th, 2015, 11:30 – 12:50, COR A129
  - TBA
- Monday, November 23rd, 2015, 11:30 – 12:50, COR A229
  - Dr. Thomas Heyd, Philosophy, University of Victoria
- Check the Colloquia website or calendar closer to dates for titles.

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Important dates

- November 9-11th, 2015 – Reading Break
- November 9, 10th, 2015 – Fall convocation
- November 11th, 2015 – University Closed (Remembrance Day)
- For all academic year important dates click here.
- Also check out Anthropology Events calendar and Facebook page

In the news...

Congratulations to Nicholas Healey

- Congratulations to Nicholas Healey (one of our last year’s honours students), who was awarded this year’s Undergraduate Student Prize by SUNTA (The Society of Urban National and Transnational/Global Anthropology).

For more news and events please check out our News and Events website or our Facebook page.

Field Schools

Geology and Paleoanthropology Field Course at Olduvai Gorge, Tanzania

- Summer 2016 field course in geology and paleo-anthropology in the world famous Olduvai Gorge of Tanzania.
- The course is targeted towards beginning to intermediate undergraduate students in geology, archeology and anthropology. For more information, please visit: http://geology.indiana.edu/njau/tanzania/index.html

Miscellaneous

Currents in Anthropology 2016 - Save The Date

- Anthropology Student Research Conference: Currents in Anthropology: will be in March 2016.
- Please consider submitting your research (including term projects from your courses).
- Call for papers will go out later in the term and again in early January, with abstracts due in early February.
- This conference is for both undergrads and graduate students.
- If anyone has questions, please direct them to me – hkurki@uvic.ca or anthua@uvic.ca.
Social Justice Studies – Uvic

- [http://web.uvic.ca/socialjustice/](http://web.uvic.ca/socialjustice/)
- [@UVicSJS](https://twitter.com/UVicSJS) on Twitter, [UVicSJS](https://www.facebook.com/UVicSJS) on Facebook, [UVicSJS](https://www.youtube.com/UVicSJS) on YouTube
- To be added to the Social Justice News & Events, please email: [sjs@uvic.ca](mailto:sjs@uvic.ca)

AAA AnthroGuide Newsletter

- American Anthropological Association (AAA) is the world's largest organization of individuals interested in anthropology
- To read the fall newsletter, please click [here](http://web.uvic.ca/socialjustice/) or to visit their website, please click [here](http://web.uvic.ca/socialjustice/)

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Undergraduate Anthropology Course Union

- **Double premiere: Fabrik Funk and The Eagle**: November 5th, 2015 – 7:00 pm – 10:00 pm, MAC A144
- **Co-op and Career Info Session**: November 19th, 2015, 11:30 – 1:00, COR B250 (TBC)
- **Christmas food drive/raffle**: details coming
- If you think you’re interested don’t hesitate to get in touch with us – just send us an email at [uvicboas@gmail.com](mailto:uvicboas@gmail.com) or check out our [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/UVicSJS) page.

Happy Fall!

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