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Events in April

Anthropology Graduate Colloquia – everyone welcome

- Cornett A225
  - April 3rd, 2017: Anthropology Honours Students presenting their research projects
    - Suzanne Kroeger: "Perceptions of Repatriation in Anthropological Literature"
    - John Mclver: "The Migrant Other: A Visual and Textual Analysis of Migration in UK Media"
    - Anna Lorraine Thompson: "'The INS Cannot Simply Send Them Off into the Night': The Legal Language of Child Detention in the United States"

- This is a last colloquium this term. Colloquia will resume again in September.
- For past colloquia please see our colloquium or our Facebook page.

Paleoanthropology Outreach Fair
Tuesday, April 4th, 2017 in Cornett B250
Drop in between 2:30pm-4:20pm

- ANTH 351 (Human Origins) students have designed original public education pieces and will showcase them Tuesday April 4.
- We invite you to watch and/or participate in various interactive activities, and to hopefully learn something about human evolution from our creative undergrads.
Theater of Life
Wednesday, April 5, 2017 at 7:00 pm
Young Building auditorium (Y216), Camosun college

- Join Camosun’s Food Anthropology students for a screening of this new film.
- Free or by donation which will go to stocking the pantry in the Shelbourne Community Kitchen

Sonoptica Film Festival 2017
Friday, April 7th, 2017
David Lab Auditorium

Sonoptica Film Festival will show case 10-short-length films produced by Anthropology students.

1:30pm
The filmmaker Peter Campbell from Gumboots Productions will present his documentary film “Killer Whale and Crocodile” about carvers from two of the world’s great carving traditions who come together. A Coast Salish carver from Canada travels to the jungles of Papua New Guinea and a New Guinea carver journeys to urban Canada.

6:30pm
Students from the Applied Ethnographic (ANTH 409) course will showcase their short-length film produced during the semester. Films topics range from: surf in Tofino, living in a van, martial arts, arts and design, sound perception and sonic memories, Victoria music scene and Indian dance. The Sonoptica Film Festival is a great event to celebrate the end of the semester and watch amazing films!!!

Join our Facebook page!

Excavating Royal Jubilee: A Pop-Up Exhibit
Saturday, April 8th, 2017
Drop in between 11:00 am – 2:00 pm
Royal BC Museum – off the main lobby - free

- ANTH 392 (Historical & Contemporary Archaeology) students are doing a pop-up exhibit event at the Royal BC Museum
- See full description on the RBCM webpage here.

ASBC: Archaeological Society of British Columbia
Tuesday, April 18th, 2017, 7:30 pm
COR B135

- Callum Abbott: “Lithic Technologies of the Discovery Islands: Materials, Stone Tool Production, and Communities of Skilled Practitioners.”
- https://www.facebook.com/ASBCVictoria

Exams

- The spring exam period will take place from Friday, April 7th through Tuesday, April 25th, 2017.
- The final exam timetable is now available online. Read more about exam policies.
Important dates

- For all academic year important dates click [here](#).
- Also check out Anthropology Events calendar and Facebook page.

Anthropology Honours Program

Students planning a professional career should consider the department’s honours program.

The honours program offers an opportunity to undertake, in the third and fourth years, a concentrated program designed specially for your interests in Anthropology.

For more information and to apply please see our [webpage](#).

UVic Anthropology in the news...

Archeological find affirms Heiltsuk Nation's oral history

- BC First Nation village among the oldest in North America, more ancient than the Great Pyramid - PhD student Alisha Gauvreau's research on the Heiltsuk First Nation village, conducted with Duncan McLaren and Quentin Mackie of UVic's anthropology department, has now been published widely. [National Post](#), [CBC](#), [Vancouver Sun](#)

'It was a shock': Residential school survivor sees her painting more than 50 years later

- Gina Laing was recently reunited with paintings she created in an extracurricular residential school art class. Dr. Andrea Walsh helped reunite residential school survivors with their artwork. Read [here](#).

Sur les traces des premiers Canadiens


2017 Provost’s Engaged Scholars

- Dr. Andrea Walsh (anthropology), Dr. Cecilia Benoit (sociology) and Dr. Jay Cullen (earth and ocean sciences) have been named the 2017 recipients of the [Provost’s Engaged Scholar Award](#).

For more news and events please check out our News and Evens website or our [Facebook page](#).
Undergraduate Anthropology Course Union (B.O.A.S.)

- If you’re interested don’t hesitate to get in touch with us – just send us an email at uvicboas@gmail.com
- For any upcoming events, please check out our Facebook page.

All the best on your exams!

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