Anthropology Newsletter

Department of Anthropology

University of Victoria

Archaeology: Medieval treasure unearthed at the Abbey of Cluny

Read article

Events in December

Anthropology Graduate Colloquia – everyone welcome

- Anthropology colloquia will start again in January in Cornett B135 (New location from fall term)
- For upcoming (and past) colloquia please see our colloquium or our Facebook page.

Important dates

- Friday, December 1st – Last day of classes
- Monday, December 4th – Exams begin
- Monday, December 18th – Exams end
- Monday, December 25th to Monday January 1st – University closed
- For all 2017/2018 academic year important dates click here.
- Also check out Anthropology Facebook page
Currents in Anthropology 2018
Call for Papers & Save the Date
Conference date: Friday, April 6th, 2018
Apply by: Friday, Friday, March 9th 2018

- Our 4th annual conference to celebrate the research and academic excellence of our students. Podium and poster presentations will highlight the research activities of both our Undergraduate and Graduate Students.
- Please consider submitting your research (including term projects from your courses).
- Applications and more information here.
- Questions? Please contact Dr. Kurki: hkurki@uvic.ca or anthua@uvic.ca.

Anthropology Spring 2018 classes

- Below are our new or not recently offered Spring 2018 classes. To see all courses and their descriptions see our website.
Dr. Katherine Cook and ANTH 392 & 485: Pop-up Exhibit at the Royal BC Museum
Artifacts uncovered at Johnson Street Bridge construction site have been exhibited in a pop-up exhibit at Royal BC museum - a collaboration between the museum, UVic and about 30 students. CHEK news, Audioguides, RBC learning portal. Times Colonist.

Dr. Alexandrine Boudreault-Fournier: professor of Canada’s first course on the anthropology of sound
Dr. Boudreault-Fournier teaches Canada’s first and only anthropology course focused on how people use and experience sound as they relate with their environment. Times Colonist.

Anthropology grad heading towards Indigenous health career
Cheyenne Smith is determined to do her part to improve the health of Canada’s Indigenous populations, especially HIV/AIDS rates, after she graduates this month with an undergraduate degree in anthropology and a minor in French. UVic News – Ring.

Congratulations to Dr. April Nowell
Congratulations to Dr. April Nowell and Dr. Nancy Gonlin (Bellevue College, WA) on their new book: Archaeology of the Night: Life After Dark in the Ancient World

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

B.O.A.S.

Undergraduate Anthropology Course Union
- The Bureau of Anthropology Students (B.O.A.S.) is an undergraduate course union for the Department of Anthropology at UVic. We organize fun and inclusive events – social and academic – to bring anthropology students together throughout the year.
- Events: Winter Needs Drive
  - Collecting items for Our Place Society: Winter/warm clothes, Blankets, Backpacks, Toiletries
  - Drop off at the ANTH office COR B228 before the end of December.
- 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.

Happy Holidays!

Questions or comments: anthtwo@uvic.ca