



Newfound primate teeth take a big bite out of the evolutionary tree of life

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Events in March

Anthropology Graduate Colloquia – everyone welcome

- **Cornett A225**
 - **March 6th, 2017:** Dr. Robert Hogg (Lansdowne Speaker)
 - Title: Growing Old with HIV
 - March 8th, 2017: Lansdowne Lecture: Emergence of HIV in Africa and Beyond
 - **March 13th, 2017:** [Dr. Pamela Downe](#), University of Saskatchewan
 - **March 20th, 2017:** [Dr. James B. Waldram](#), University of Saskatchewan
 - **March 27th, 2017:** [Dr. Sarah Marie Wiebe](#), UVic, Political Science
- For upcoming (and past) colloquia please see our [colloquium](#) or our [Facebook](#) page.



Improve your flintknapping skills!

Thursday, March 2nd, 2017

COR B250 @ 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

UVIC FLINTKNAPPING CLUB



- Interested in trying flintknapping? Want to work on your skills?
- We provide assistance, knowledge, and resources for learning how to flintknap safely!
- Membership is open to all.
- Questions? Contact us at uvicflintknapping@gmail.com

IdeaFest: [Visual storytelling: A glimpse into world-changing research](#)

Bob Wright Centre (BWC) A104

March 6 @ 7:00pm - 8:30pm

Close to home and around the globe, social sciences researchers tackle challenges and find solutions that make our world a better place. Using visual storytelling techniques, researchers from the Faculty of Social Sciences will take you around the globe with their short photo stories about community-engaged research. Victoria city councillor and spoken-word poet Jeremy Loveday hosts the evening, introducing you to community-engaged researchers from anthropology, economics, environmental studies, geography, political science, psychology and sociology.



Presenters: [Alexandrine Boudreault-Fournier \(Department of Anthropology\)](#), Elisabeth Gugl (Department of Economics), Jim Tanaka (Department of Psychology), Darcy Matthews (School of Environmental Studies), Cecilia Benoit (Department of Sociology and UVic's Centre for Addictions Research BC), Sarah Wiebe (Department of Political Science) and Maycira Costa (Department of Geography)

IdeaFest: [On being here to stay, together](#)

Bob Wright Centre (BWC)B150

March 7 @ 5:30pm - 7:30pm

Reconciling a regrettable colonial past with a respectful future is a challenge and an opportunity for governments and peoples around the world. As we celebrate Canada's 150th, how do we reconcile the past and participate in an inclusive and diverse future? Join us for a conversation on the impact of universal aspirations for the rights of Indigenous peoples and of national calls for reconciliation. What can we do as individuals and within our communities to support these goals?



Presenters: [Michael Asch \(Department of Anthropology\)](#), Neilesh Bose (Department of History), Erynne Gilpin (Centre for Global Studies and PhD candidate, Indigenous Governance), Anita Girvan (Centre for Global Studies/School of Environmental Studies), and Val Napoleon (Faculty of Law)

IdeaFest: [Reconciliation and resurgence: How Indigenous artists are re-imagining the story of Canada](#)

Alix Goolden Hall (907 Pandora Ave)

March 7 @ 7:00pm - 9:00pm

Reconciliation and resurgence: How Indigenous artists are re-imagining the story of Canada

Join university chancellor and celebrated broadcast journalist Shelagh Rogers for an intimate conversation with Indigenous visual artists Rande Cook and Carey Newman and [UVic visual anthropologist Andrea Walsh](#). Across Canada, contemporary Indigenous artists are using images to explore place, truth and identity and challenging us to transform our perspectives, conversations and ideas. Collectively, this great imagining is playing a unique and pivotal role in understanding our past and determining our shared future.

Registration is required for this FREE event: [Register](#)



Host: Shelagh Rogers (UVic Chancellor and Honorary Witness to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada)

Speakers: Carey Newman (Visual artist of Kwagiulth, Salish and British descent and creator of the nationally acclaimed monument, The Witness Blanket), Rande Cook (Kwagiulth visual artist and UVic's Audain Chair in Contemporary Art Practice of the Pacific Northwest) and [Andrea Walsh \(UVic visual anthropologist and curator\)](#)

JCURA: Jamie Cassels Undergraduate Research Awards

Wednesday, March 8th, 2017 @ 11:30am - 3:00pm

Student Union (SUB), Michele Pujol Room, Upper Lounge & Hallway



- Connect with the next generation of Canadian researchers! UVic's Jamie Cassels Undergraduate Research Awards (JCURA)

offer exceptional undergraduate students the opportunity to carry out research in their field of study.

- The JCURA Research Fair will feature over 100 of these inspiring projects, ranging from the latest in biomedical technologies to the politics of decolonization
- **Anthropology Students:**
 - **Graeme, Michael** (Supervisor: Dr. Margo Matwychuk): "The Agroforestry Antidote: Enacting Biocultural Restoration in Ecuador". [Full abstract.](#)
 - **Heizer, Melanie** (Supervisor: Dr. Erin McGuire): "Grave Monument RTI Photography: Uncovering Lost Inscriptions". [Full abstract.](#)
 - **Pagani, Dalton** (Supervisor: Dr. Ann Stahl): "Archives, Museums, and Public Space in the Production of History". [Full abstract.](#)

Lansdowne Lecture: Dr. Robert Hogg: Emergence of HIV in Africa and beyond

Wednesday, March 8th, 2017 @ 18:30

David Turpin Building A110

Dr. Hogg is a Senior Research Scientist at the British Columbia Centre for Excellence for HIV/AIDS, and a Professor in the Department of Public Health at Simon Fraser University. His BA and MA were from the Department of Anthropology at the University of Victoria, and his Ph.D. was in Demography from the Australian National University. He has been instrumental in British Columbia's Treatment as Prevention strategy for HIV/AIDS, and in this role serves as Principal Investigator for CANOC, a national cohort study of Canadians living with HIV/AIDS that includes over 13 institutions from 4 provinces.



IdeaFest: [Sound and the sea](#)

Harry Hickman Building (HHB)105

March 9 @ 7:00pm - 8:30pm

What are the sounds of the sea? From the haunting songs of marine mammals to the ear-piercing noises of shipping traffic and sonar, the ocean is a 24-hour orchestra. Join Ocean Networks Canada, UVic researchers, and Cowichan knowledge holders to learn about recent research on the marine soundscape, the cultural importance of sound in place-based knowledge, and how bioacoustics are being incorporated into the classroom, as we explore a noisy world beneath the waves.



Presenters: Maia Hoeberechts, Jessica Brown and Natasha Ewing (Oceans Networks Canada), Kristen Kanes (Oceans Networks Canada and UVic School of Earth and Ocean Sciences), Luschiim Arvid (Quw'utsun [Cowichan]), [Alex Boudreault-Fournier \(Department of Anthropology\)](#) and Jenni Schine (Salmon Coast Field Station)

We Are All One Gala

Friday, March 10th, 2017

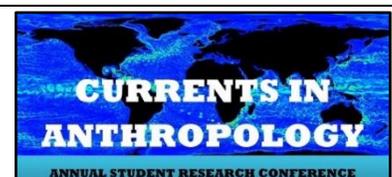
- Join us for dinner, silent auction, door prizes, entertainment and a residential school art exhibition followed by stories from the survivors.
- Fundraiser to support Alberni Indian Residential School Survivors travel to Ottawa to see their childhood paintings on a permanent exhibition in the new Canada Hall at the Canadian Museum of History
- Email uvicboas@gmail.com or call 250-213-2696 for tickets! Also available in the ANTH general office (exact cash only).
- General tickets are 15\$ (5\$ discount with Student ID) and free admission for children under 10.



Currents in Anthropology 2017

Saturday, March 11th, 2017

- Our 3rd 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.

- See full schedule here: <http://www.uvic.ca/socialsciences/anthropology/research/currents-in-anthropology/index.php>
- If you would like to help out, please email at anthtwo@uvic.ca.

What can you do with your degree? panel series

- Wondering how to make the leap from university to a rewarding career? Come to a **"What can you do with your degree?" session** to explore your career options and hear from a panel of industry experts. They'll describe what they do, how they broke into their job sectors and their best career advice for students! Stick around afterwards, and you'll have the chance to ask questions and chat with our panelists one-on-one.
- **Register** (and learn about the panelists): uvic.ca/coopandcareer/wcydwyd
- **Bonus** - Download a "What can you do with your degree?" sheet for your program! uvic.ca/coopandcareer/degree
- **Working in marketing, communications, public relations, and new**, Tuesday, March 14 | 5:30 - 7 p.m. | COR A120 (*Fine Arts, Humanities, Business, **Social Sciences**)
- **Working in the field of environmental sustainability and green technology** - Thursday, March 16 | 5:30 - 7 p.m. | COR A221 (*Engineering, **Social Sciences**, Science, Business)
- * = For students studying...

Exams

The spring exam period will take place from Friday, April 7th through Tuesday, April 25th, 2017 inclusive. The preliminary exam timetable is now available [online](#). The final exam timetable will be made available by the end of February. [Read more about exam policies](#).

Important dates

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



UVic Anthropology in the news...

Anthropological contributions to historical ecology: 50 questions, infinite prospects

- Dr. Iain McKechnie (Anthropology) and others present the results of a consensus-driven process identifying 50 priority research questions for historical ecology obtained through crowdsourcing, literature reviews, and in-person workshopping. Read article [here](#).

Cowichan Tribes eyes change to gain land control

- Dr. Brian Thom (Anthropology) provided comment in Saturday's paper's article: Cowichan Tribes eyes change to gain land control. Read [here](#).

For more news and events please check out our News and Events [website](#) or our [Facebook page](#).

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Undergraduate Anthropology Course Union (B.O.A.S.)

- **We Are All One Gala: Friday, March 10th, 2017** – more info above
- If you're interested don't hesitate to get in touch with us – just send us an email at uviceboas@gmail.com
- For any upcoming events, please check out our [Facebook](#) page.

Enjoy Spring!

It IS coming...



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