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## Events in December

**Anthropology Graduate Colloquia – everyone welcome**

Fall 2018: Cornett A129

- December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018: [Dr. Jaro Stacul](#), Anthropology department, UVic
  - History at Large: Demolition Politics in Contemporary Poland.



Anthropology colloquia will start again in January in **Cornett A229** (New location from fall term)

For upcoming (and past) colloquia see: <https://www.uvic.ca/socialsciences/anthropology/research/colloquium/index.php>



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## Richard Wagamase's Starlight: A tribute with Shelagh Rogers

Hosted by: UVic Writing

**Tuesday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018, 7:00 pm**

Ceremonial Hall, First Peoples House, University of Victoria

Richard Wagamase was one of Canada's most beloved and multi-talented journalists, novelists and memoirists. His death at the age of 61 left a profound loss in our country's literary culture.



Join his friend UVic Chancellor Shelagh Rogers and fellow writers Monique Gray Smith, Troy Sebastian, Lorna Crozier and Darrel McLeod as they celebrate the posthumous release of his novel Starlight (the story of an abused woman who discovers sanctuary on the farm of an Indigenous man) and remember the life and art of Richard Wagamase.

Free and open to the public. Ceremonial Hall, First Peoples House, University of Victoria

## Final Exams

- Examination period - Saturday, December 8 to Saturday, December 22, 2018
- View the final exam timetable and more information [here](#)



## Important dates

- **Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>** – Last day of classes
- **Saturday, December 8<sup>th</sup>** – First-term examinations begin
- **Saturday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>** – First term examinations end for all faculties
- **December 25<sup>th</sup> – January 1<sup>st</sup>** – University Closed
- For all 2018/2019 academic year important dates click [here](#).



## Miscellaneous

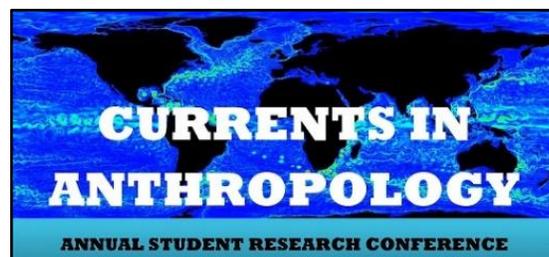
### Currents in Anthropology 2019

#### Call for Papers & Save the Date

Conference date: **Thursday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

Submit your proposal by: **Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

- Our 5<sup>th</sup> 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).
- Submission forms and more information [here](#).
- Questions? Please contact Dr. Walsh at [awalsh@uvic.ca](mailto:awalsh@uvic.ca)



## Our People – see where we work

See our new anthropology faculty interactive [profile map](#) if you are interested where our people work.

Thank you to Dr. Brian Thom for his work on this.



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## Anthropology Academic Advising Hours

**Schedule with individual appointment days/times are available by each advisor's office**

For appointments to review CAPP reports, degree requirements, transfer credit, etc.

- **Dr. Erin McGuire, ANTH Undergraduate Advisor, COR B225**

For general advice about careers, grad school, co-op, Honours, etc.

- **Dr. Andrea Walsh, COR B238**
- **Dr. Iain McKechnie, COR B246a**
- **Dr. Brian Thom, COR B244**
- **Dr. Daromir Rudnyckyj, COR 208**



## CAPI Internship Opportunities

**For current upper level undergraduate students and graduate students at UVIC**

CAPI will be offering the following funded internship placements (\$8,000/placement) from May to November 2019 (six month placements).

- Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (3 placements)
- New Delhi, India (2 placements)
- Bangkok, Thailand (1 placement)
- Jakarta, Indonesia (2 placements)
- Pietermaritzburg, South Africa (2 placements)
- Mae Hong Son, Thailand (1 placement – 7 months)
- Yokohama, Japan (2 placements – 4 months)



For more information about our 2018-19 opportunities please visit the CAPI [website](#). Upcoming information sessions for interested students on January 23 from 12:30-1:30 pm in Sedgewick C168.

## Newly Added Course

**ANTH 454 A01: Method and Theory in Bioarchaeology (CRN: 24004)**

**Tuesdays & Thursdays 4:30 – 5:50 pm**

- For short course description click [here](#)
- Prerequisites [ANTH 352](#), but if you believe you have a prerequisite equivalent please email [anthtwo@uvic.ca](mailto:anthtwo@uvic.ca) for a possibility of a prerequisite waiver



## UVic Anthropology in the news & Congratulations

- [Dr. April Nowell](#) shared her expertise on "Ochre: The World's First Red Paint" article in [Live Science](#).
- [Dr. April Nowell](#) commented on a [National Geographic](#) story about a new study that will be published in Nature next week about 40,000-year-old figurative cave paintings found in Borneo.
- [Dr. Ann Stahl](#) delivered an opening keynote lecture ("Consequential Interactions: Investigating



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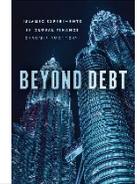
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World-making through West African Interfaces”) at an interdisciplinary "[Middle Ages in the Wider World](#)" conference at the University of California, Berkeley centered on Medieval Africa.

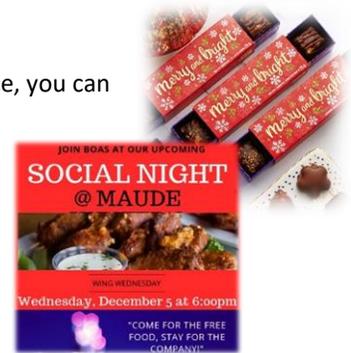
- Congratulations to [Dr. Lisa Gould](#) on her upcoming retirement starting January. Thank you for all the years at UVic and all the best.
- Congratulations to [Dr. Melissa Gauthier](#) on the birth of her baby-boy.
- Congratulations to Daromir Rudnycky on the publication of his new book: [Beyond Debt: Islamic Experiments in Global Finance](#).



## B.O.A.S.

### Undergraduate Anthropology Course Union - Bureau of Anthropology Students (B.O.A.S.)

- **Purdy's Chocolate Delivery:** if you've ordered chocolates to support BOAS and Our Place, you can pick up your chocolates on December 6<sup>th</sup> in Cornett B234
- **Social Night @ Maude:** join BOAS for end of semester social night: Wednesday December 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm at Maud Hunters (3810 Shelbourne St)
- If 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)
- For any upcoming events, please check out our [Facebook](#) page.



## Happy Holidays!



Questions or comments: [anthtwo@uvic.ca](mailto:anthtwo@uvic.ca)



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