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Events in December

ANTH 393: Anthropology of the City: Research Presentations

December 2nd, 2019, 4:30 – 6:00 pm
Cornett B250

Please join us as students of ANTH 393 Anthropology of the City present their research on Quadra Village Community. Students conducted research in the neighbourhood and collaborated with community members to understand their perception of the community.



Their co-authored stories will be available on the CRD Community Green Map: <http://crdcommunitygreenmap.ca/>

Cuba Ethnographic Field School 2020 - Audio-Vision in Revolution

Application deadline extended to December 2nd, 2019. Applications and information on our [website](#).

We Carry Our Ancestors Curator Tour

December 7th, 2019
1:00 – 2:30 pm
Legacy Art Gallery: 630 Yates Street

Join us for a tour, discussion and tea with curator Lorilee Wastasecoot to respectfully close We Carry Our Ancestors. For full details see our [calendar](#) or [FB event](#).



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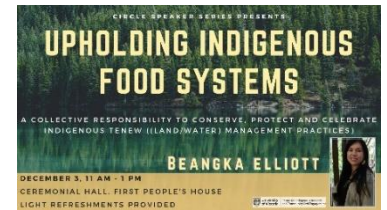
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Upholding Indigenous Food Systems

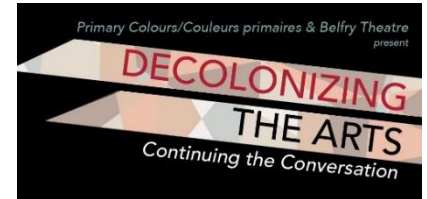
December 3rd, 2019
11:00 am – 1:00 pm
First People's House



Beangka Elliott from Tsartlip First Nation will be exploring the collective responsibility to conserve, protect and celebrate indigenous TENEW ((land/water) management practices). For full details see the [FB event](#).

Decolonizing the Arts: Continuing the Conversation

December 15th, 2019
2:00 – 4:00 pm
Belfry Theater: 1291 Gladstone Avenue



Following the Decolonizing the Arts workshop with Dipankar Mukherjee & Meena Natarajan, Primary Colours/Couleurs primaires and Belfry Theatre are continuing the conversation. For full details see [FB event](#).

Final Exams

Examination period - Saturday, December 7, 2019 – Saturday, December 21, 2019

View the final exam timetable and more information [here](#)



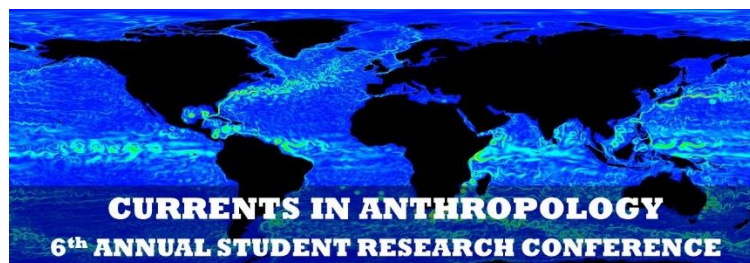
Important Academic Dates

- **December 4th** – Last day of classes & National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence Against Women. Classes and exams cancelled from 11:30 am - 12:30 pm.
- **December 7th** - First-term examinations begin
- **December 21st** - First-term examinations end
- **December 25th** – January 1st – University Closed
- For all 2019-20 academic year important dates click [here](#).



Currents in Anthropology – Student Conference

See [website](#) for call for papers, example of abstracts and abstract submission form.



Thursday, April 2nd, 2020

CALL FOR PAPERS

Apply by Monday, March 9th, 2020

Present your own research or come see the research of your Anthropology classmates.



Call for papers and submission forms on Anthropology website.
Prizes available for best presentations!



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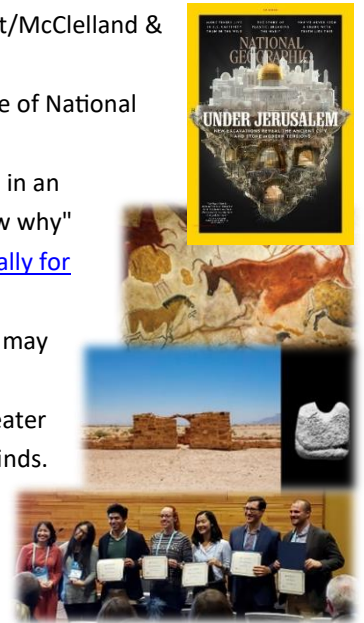
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Congratulations - UVic Anthropology in the spotlight

- Our alumna [Angélique Lalonde](#) (PhD 2012, Anthropology) won the \$10,000 Writers' Trust/McClelland & Stewart Journey Prize for her short story Pooka.
- Our assistant professor [Dr. Alison Murray](#)'s research mentioned in December's 2019 issue of National Geographic.
- Our professor [Dr. April Nowell](#) and PhD Candidate [Genevieve von Petzinger](#) were quoted in an article for New Scientist "Stone Age artists were obsessed with horses and we don't know why"
- Our adjunct faculty member Dr. Deniz Ünsal's latest article "[Positioning museums politically for social justice](#)" is now online in Museum Management and Curatorship, 2019.
- Dr. John Oleson, an archaeologist and a professor emeritus in Greek and Roman studies, may have found oldest known chess piece. [CTV News](#).
- Our assistant professor, [Dr. Iain McKechnie](#), was interviewed by Victoria News about Greater Victoria being an archaeology hotspot and about the legal obligations of archaeological finds.
- Congratulations to all our students who presented at the AAA/CASCA conference in Vancouver and who have received prizes/awards: Cindy Huang (AAA Student Prize), John Murray (AAA Student Prize), Abra Wenzel (CASCA Salisbury Award)



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Bureau of Anthropology Students

- An undergraduate course union for the Department of Anthropology at UVic that organizes fun and inclusive events (social and academic) to bring anthropology students together. Join us – send an email to Mekyah: uvicboas@gmail.com
- **BOAS meetings:** everyone welcome!
- In November BOAS organized for a group of undergrads to go to the AAA/CASCA conference in Vancouver.
- **BOAS Social Night:** December 4, 2019: 5:00 pm – location TBA
- **BOAS Movie Night:** December 12, 2019: 6:00 pm – location TBA
- For any upcoming events, please check out our [Facebook](#) page.



Happy Holidays!



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