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Events in December

Anthropology Graduate Colloquia – everyone welcome

Stay tuned for upcoming Spring 2021 talks.

Check our website for upcoming (and past) colloquia and link to join:

<https://www.uvic.ca/socialsciences/anthropology/research/colloquium/index.php>



Final Exams

Examination period – Monday, December 7th, 2020 – Monday, December 21st, 2020 (inclusive).

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



Important dates

- **December 4th** – Last day of classes (for all faculties except faculty of law)
- **December 7th – 21st** – Final examination period
- **December 25th - January 3rd** - University closed
- For all 2020-21 academic year important dates click [here](#).



Miscellaneous

COVID-19

UVic [response](#) to COVID-19 (coronavirus) and [resources for students](#).



Support Connect – Mental Health Support – Anytime - Anywhere

Free, confidential mental health support for UVic students: uvic.ca/supportconnect

Be kind to yourselves during this challenging time and ask for help if needed 🍷🥰🍷



Potentially Interesting Non-Anthropology courses

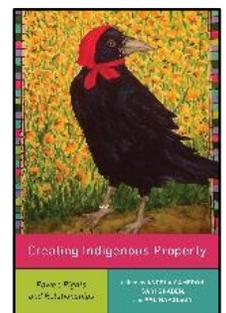
HDCC 400: Seminar on Human Dimensions of Climate Change
M 4:30 – 7:20 pm

Students taking this course should already have taken at least some of the other HDCC core offerings, and should be either in fourth year officially, or very close to that status.



UVic Anthropology in the news & Congratulations

- [Duncan McLaren's](#) article "[Archaeological Investigations at Wa's \(Woss\)](#)" on the 'NAMGIS First Nation website
- [Dr. Iain McKechnie](#) comments on the knowledge that the growing number of Indigenous archeologists in the region bring to cultural heritage preservation and research in article "[Indigenous archeologist unearthing her ancestors' legacy on the land.](#)"
- Congratulations to [Dr. Brian Thom](#) (UVic Anth) and [Dr. Sarah Morales](#) (UVic Law) on their new chapter in the University of Toronto Press book [Creating Indigenous Property: Power, Rights, and Relationships](#). Their chapter "The Principle of Sharing and the Shadow of Canadian Law" looks at ongoing Coast Salish legal orders around land tenure and their challenges under the shadow of Canadian law about private lands. The book is an exciting collection of essays in the emerging and important field of Indigenous Law.
- Congratulations to our MA candidate [Lydia Toorenburgh](#) on being appointed the new Tri-Faculty Indigenous Resurgence Coordinator. [Here](#) is Lydia's talk from this spring.
- Congratulations to Dr. Omer Aijazi (ANTH Adjunct Assistant Professor) on his recent article in HIMALAYA: [What about Insāniyat? Morality and Ethics in the Pahars of Kashmir](#)



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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 that organizes fun and inclusive events (social and academic) to bring anthropology students together virtually:
 - We will be hosting social virtual nights such as Anthropology Trivia/Game Nights, Movie Nights, and more!
 - Make sure to check out our Instagram story for some information about field schools currently being offered in 2021 and learn about the benefits field schools can have for you.
- B.O.A.S meetings for next semester has yet to be determined, keep up with our Instagram for the updates and Zoom information so you can join our meetings!
- 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 Instagram (@bunch_of_uvic_anthropologists) and [Facebook](#) page.

Happy Holidays!



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