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Events in April

Anthropology 2021 Honours Presentations
April 8th, 2021, 1-4

Meeting URL: Meeting ID: 852 8916 3601 Password: 760107

Join the presentations of our wonderful honours students via zoom.

2021 ANTH Honours titles:

- "Museums in British Columbia and the COVID-19 Pandemic: Continuing to Engage the Public during Lockdowns through Online Platforms." Eva Gribbon
- "Handheld Mobile LiDAR: Investigating its Viability as a Mapping Tool for Archaeology." Folkert Holshuijsen
- "Comparative Study of Soft Tissue Decomposition in Clay Soil versus Loamy Sand Soil." Marina Ma
- "Connecting Open Science and Archaeology: The University of Victoria Zooarchaeological Lab Comparative Collection: An Essential Cultural and Ecological Resource." Kathryn McKenzie
- "Body Composition and the Life History Model: An Analysis of Birth Weight Outcomes in Adult Males and Females." Danika Morpak.
- "Gaelic sports, Home & Away: Building Community and Identity." Adam Nagy
- "Shape Change in the Metaphyseal Region of the Proximal Femur during Growth: Plasticity or Constraint?" Isabelle Rutherford.
- "Weaving Threads and Painting Bodies: Huasteca Women and Embodiment in the Late Classic to Postclassic Periods." Fabiola Sanchez-Balberas
- "Primates and Humans in Shared Landscapes: A Biocultural Approach to Primate Conservation." Lindsey Warshawski
In Conversation with Ry Moran and Shelagh Rogers

April 13th, 2021, 5:00pm PDT

- Discover how the University of Victoria is helping to lead us into a new era of understanding, of healing, and furthering truth, respect and reconciliation
- There is no cost to attend, but registration is required. Register Now!

Final Exams

- The final exam timetable for April 2021 is now available online.
- The spring 2021 exam period will take place from Thursday, April 15, - Tuesday, April 27.
- Exams are scheduled on both Sundays within the exam period.

Important dates

For all 2020-21 academic year important dates or more details click here.

Miscellaneous

Jamie Cassels Undergraduate Research Awards (JCURA)

To see the online presentations and poster of our ANTH JCURA award recipients please click the topic link – for abstract click the student’s name:

- Hansen, Ingrid: The Politicization and Appropriation of Symbols by White Supremacists and the Alt-Right
- Rutherford, Isabelle: Shape variation in the metaphyseal regions of long bones during growth in humans

UVic Anthropology in the news & Congratulations

- Congratulations to our Rising Stars – 3rd or 4th year students who have received a scholarship. Some of these students provided a little bio - have a look
- Congratulations to Dr. Alexandrine Boudreault-Fournier on being awarded a Collaborative Health Grant for the project titled "Primary Care Nurse Practitioners in the time of COVID: An ethnographic analysis of practice". Dr. Boudreault-Fournier is the co-PI with Katherine Bertoni (Nursing) and Damien Contandriopoulos (Nursing).
- Dr. Alexandrine Boudreault-Fournier’s new book is now available in paperback! The book "Aerial Imagination in Cuba: Stories from Above the Rooftop" (2020) combines ethno-fiction storytelling and beautiful illustrations by the talented Cuban artist José Manuel Fernández.
• "That Little Ol' Band From Texas", documentary film by UVic alumni Sam Dunn (ANTH) and Scot McFadyen of Banger has been nominated for "Best Music Film" at the 2021 Grammy Awards. AND they also have an upcoming "This Is Pop" documentary series, highlighting key moments in pop music history (on CTV).

• Congrats to our amazing graduate students on putting together Vol. 18 of PlatForum journal - a peer-reviewed journal - the longest running student organized Anthropology publication in Canada, originally published in 1998 as Cultural Reflections (Vol. 1). An open-access full PDF version of PlatForum Vol. 18 is now available to view online.

B.O.A.S.

Undergraduate Anthropology Course Union

• Bunch 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.
  o We host virtual social event nights with Anthropology Trivia, virtual Game/Movie Nights, and more! Follow our Instagram for updates about our end of semester social night.
  o Big thank-you to every who ordered a BOAS hoodie or crewneck this year! We will be contacting individuals who ordered when the sweaters arrive. If you ordered make sure you check your specified method of contact for updates.
• This month’s B.O.A.S meetings will be held over Zoom on Wednesday, April 7th at 6 pm. This will be our last meeting of the semester, make sure to find our Instagram to get the Zoom information to join us. We hope to see you there!
• If you’re interested and want to know more, don’t hesitate to get in touch with us – just send us an email at uvicboas@gmail.com or dm us on our Instagram(@bunchofanthropologystudents) or Facebook page(Uvic’s Bunch of Anthropology Students).

Happy April!

Questions or comments: anthtwo@uvic.ca