News from SFU Archaeology's Professional Graduate Program in Heritage Resource Management

Simon Fraser University (SFU) is Canada’s top-ranked comprehensive university and the only Canadian research university accredited in the United States. QS International Rankings rates SFU Archaeology in the top 10 departments for worldwide citations and, overall, the 13th-ranked archaeology department in the world.

VISIT US AT THE SAA's

The Society for American Archaeology's annual meeting is taking place March 29–April 2, at
the Vancouver Convention Centre. Come say hello at Booth # 404 in the SAA Exhibit Hall, where a few of our faculty will be posted, alongside SFU Archaeology Press. We’ll be there to learn about your interests in our HRM Program, answer any questions, and encourage applications.

Old Man Winter may still be in residence in SW Canada, so be sure to bring extra sweaters and apt footgear... especially if you are field-tripping (or pub-hopping).

SFU HRM
Booth #404, SAA Exhibition Hall
Thursday March 29–Sat April 1
9am–5pm.

You can also visit us at the CRM Expo, Saturday, April 1, 1–4pm, also in the Convention Centre Exhibit Hall. Check out where else we'll be during the SAA's at the bottom of this newsletter.

SUPPORT SANS$: the Silent Auction for Native Student Scholarships

The Vancouver SAAs will also showcase SANS$: the Silent Auction for Native Student Scholarships. The silent auction held at the annual SAA meeting has been a core source of funds for Native students; however, U.S. and Canadian laws prevent the SAA from "doing business" in Canada, so the SAA cannot sponsor the silent auction. With endorsement from the SAA's Native American Scholarship Committee, BC colleagues will run the silent auction at the SAA Exhibit Hall, Booth #508.

SANS$ needs your help: please bring auction-able items to Booth #508 and, most importantly, come bid! Bidding runs from Thursday morning (March 30) through Saturday at noon. There are still slots open for volunteers to run the booth, so contact John Welch via email (welch@sfu.ca) or telephone (no texts 520-991-1739) if you can spare two hours for a great cause.
FOLLOW US ON TWITTER

Check out our active Twitter feed, @SFUHeritage, for updates on the program, students, and faculty. We will also be tweeting regularly during the SAA’s, so make sure to follow us!
CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

Applications for the 2017 cohort are now open!

We invite applications from heritage resource management professionals with strong writing and research skills, a commitment to the HRM field, and support from employers for professional development. Applications from citizens of Indigenous and non-Western nations are especially encouraged.

The Program is designed to support participation by students living outside of British Columbia and to accommodate those with family and professional obligations that complicate participation in on-campus graduate programs. The Program uses advanced distance learning technologies to support exceptionally high quality learning environments.

Application Deadline: **June 1, 2017**

On-Campus Orientation: **Sept 5–7, 2017**

Please visit our [website](#) for more information.

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FEATURED THESIS PROJECTS
A CASE STUDY OF PAST AND CONTEMPORARY RELEVANCE OF THE WOODLAND SITE MUNRO

Christian Meier

My research is looking at factors that ensure meaningful Aboriginal engagement in Cultural Research Management. Using the woodland site, Munro (AiGx-415), as a case study, I will assess material culture, contemporary First Nations affiliations, current engagement process, and various modes and mechanisms for enhancing and expanding collaboration.

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DACITE TOOLSTONE IN INTERIOR BRITISH COLUMBIA

Whitney Spearing

My thesis research is addressing frequency, time depth and geospatial distribution of dacite toolstone in Interior British Columbia, using portable x-ray florescence spectrometry (pXRF). When does dacite from local sources appear in the archaeological record? What is the difference in usage frequency between dacite types? How do phenomena such as migration and trade, influence the geospatial distribution of dacite?

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