

*Department of Anthropology
Graduation and Awards Celebration*



May 8, 2020

4:00 PM



Program

Welcome from Andrea Wiley, Anthropology Dept Chair

Undergraduate Awards

Awarding of Bachelor of Arts Degrees in Anthropology

Graduate Awards

Awarding of Doctorates in Anthropology

Faculty Awards

A Celebratory Toast!

Closing Words – Anya Peterson Royce

Undergraduate Student Awards

Voegelin Paper Prize

Victoria Kvitek *Singing How to Die: Mortuary Practices as Recorded in American Folk Music*

Course: ANTH-B 400 Mortuary Practices, Prof. Cook

Coleton Hast (Honorable Mention) *The Language of the Last Dynasty: Reassessing the Viability of Manchu Language Revitalization*

Course: ANTH-L 400 Language Revitalization, Prof. Lesourd

Stuart Sones (Honorable Mention) *Mariachi of the Midwest: Musical Expressions of Ethnic Belonging in the Heartland*

Course: ANTH-E200 Introduction to Sociocultural Anthropology, Prof. Sterling

*Friends of Anthropology Undergraduate
Research Scholarship*

Kristin Murray Honors thesis research: *Optimizing
methods for facial symmetry and facial recognition in
Howler Monkeys* Advisor: Prof. Wasserman

Phi Beta Kappa (Spring 2020)

**attending*

*Lauren R. Schumacher**

Miriam E. Fakhouri

*Chloe D. McCormick**

Madeline R. Everhart

*Stuart Sones**



B.A. in Anthropology

**attending*

*Ryann Adam**

Emily Brandon

*Ariel Creal**

Zayla Crocker

*Kaeley Geschke**

Abigail Gornto

Jared Greenberg

Maclaren Guthrie

*Coleton Hast (Honors)**

*Greta Herbertz (Honors)**

*Alexandra Jacobs (Honors)**

Lauren Janicki

Jacob Kraus

*Victoria Kvittek (Honors)**

Lara Martinez

*Chloe McCormick (PBK)**

Kristin Murray

David Randall

Alanna Robertson

*Sara Schumacher**

Nora Smith

Abigail Thompson

Benjamin Turpin

Yuyang Ye

Graduate Student Awards

David Bidney Graduate Paper Prize

Jeremy Coburn *On the Status of the Hadza Language and its Maintenance* Course: ANTH L600 Proseminar in Ethnography of Communication: Language Revitalization, Prof. Lesourd

Harold K. Schneider Graduate Paper Prize in Economic Anthropology

Mackenzie Cory *Cultural Resource Management Project Design at the Intersection of Archaeological and Economic Interests* Course: A595 International Cultural Resource Management, Prof. Pyburn

Associate Instructor Awards

Torie DiMartile (ANTH-A 122)

Mackenzie Cory (AI-taught course)

Lucy Miller Dodds &

Sara Minard (AIs for Prof. Brondizio)



PhD in Anthropology

**attending*

Feray Baskin *Communicative Practices and Social Integration: An Intergenerational Study of Women of Turkish Descent in Northeastern France (Graber & Suslak)*

Madéline Chera* *Tamil Traditions: Women Cooking and Eating for Heritage and Health in South India (Wilk)*

Catalina Fernández *The evolutionary role of dietary adaptations and their health outcomes among indigenous people of Chile (Wiley)*

Kaeleigh Herstad* *Reclaiming Detroit: Urban Blight & Contested Heritage on the Postindustrial Frontier (Pyburn)*

Krystiana Krupa* *Repatriating Ancient Biosamples: Understanding the Interplay between Tribal Knowledge, Anthropological Science, and NAGPRA (Kaestle)*

Emma McDonnell (Re)Producing “Indian Food”: Race, Value, and Development in Peru’s Quinoa Boom-Bust (Brondizio & Wilk)

Savannah Leach Newell* Up in Smoke: Tobacco Consumption in the Prehistoric American Midwest (Cook)

Elena Popa* Romanian and Roma Migration to France after 1989: Citizenship, Precarity, and Hierarchies of Deservedness (Phillips)

Lindsey Pullum* Faithful/Traitor: Violence, Nationalism, and Performances of Druze Belonging (Gilley)

Emily Buhrow Rogers* Choctaw Arts and the Meaning of Making (Jackson & Royce)

Julie Johnson Searcy* Birth in Post-apartheid South Africa: Care, Disease, Violence and Race (Goodman & Phillips)

John Christopher Upton Culture on Trial: Law, Custom, and Justice in a Taiwan Indigenous Court (Friedman)

Liz Watts-Malouchos* Assembling Mississippian Communities: Integration, Identity, and Everyday Practices in the Angel Hinterlands (Alt)

Faculty Awards

Trustees Teaching Awards

Stacie M. King

Jennifer Meta Robinson

Anya Peterson Royce

TU Outstanding Junior Faculty Award

Kate Graber

Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor

Sarah Osterhoudt

Promotion to Full Professor

Susan Alt

Tom Schoenemann

Election to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences

Eduardo Brondizio

Special thanks to:

Jane Goodman, Director of Undergraduate Studies

Stacie King, Director of Graduate Studies

Rebecca Butorac, Anthropology Undergraduate Advisor

Stephanie Odaffer, Anthropology Office Manager

Kate-Lyn Edwards, Anthropology Scheduling Officer

Agatha Wong, Anthropology Administrative Support

Be Well, and Stay in Touch!

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