



We're making some last-minute changes to session rooms and virtual scheduling before we release the preliminary program. In the meantime, we're happy to share a sneak peek of just a few of the many great sessions you can expect to see at this year's meeting.

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Change Within the Field

Towards the Margins: Accounting for the Marginalized in Forensic Anthropology (Virtual)

Date/Time: 11/19/2021; 10:15 AM-12:00 PM

Participants: Organizer/Co-Chair/Paper Presenter- Jennifer Byrnes / Co-Chair – Ivan Sandoval Cervantes; Jaxson Haug; Molly Kaplan; Megan Moore; Dawnie Steadman; Meredith Marten
Discussant – Zoe Crossland

The Everyday Politics and Praxis of Truth, Responsibility and Honesty in Anthropology (In-person)

Date/Time: 11/18/2021; 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Participants: Co-Organizer/Roundtable Presenter/Chair/Roundtable Introducer – Anar Parikh
Co- Organizer – Baird Campbell; Takami Delisle; Ampson Hagan; Mythri Jegathesan

Speaking Truth to Anthropology: Reckonings, Reflections, & Contributions of American Indian Scholars in the Profession (Virtual)

Date/Time: 11/20/2021; 4:15 PM - 6:00 PM

Participants: Organizer/Chair/Roundtable Introducer – Joseph Gone; Bernard Perley; Jenny Davis; Valerie Lambert; Michael Lambert; Michael Wilcox; Kelly Fayard; Jennie Joe

Learning for Our Futures: Trials and Tactics for Decolonizing Graduate Training (In-person)

Date/Time: 11/18/2021; 6:30 PM - 8:15 PM

Participants: Chair/Roundtable Introducer-Melinda Gonzalez; Organizer - Cory-Alice Andre-Johnson; Discussant - Tracie Canada; Johnathan Favini; Deandre Miles-Hercules; Zachary Mondesire

Embodying Praxis: Everyday Work Toward a Liberatory Anthropology (In-person)

Date/Time: 11/20/2021; 2:00 PM - 3:45 PM

Participants: Chair - Laurian Bowles; Organizer - Gina Ulysse; Organizer/Roundtable Presenter – Melissa Johnson; Maria Cristina Alcalde; Nelli Sargsyan; Mark Schuller; Brenda Sendejo

Decolonizing Bioarchaeology: Responsibilities to the Past, Present, and Future (Virtual)

Date/Time: 11/19/2021; 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Participants: Chair - Samantha Wade; Chair – Rachel Watkins; Organizer – Alexis Boutin
Organizer – Ann Kakaliouras; Carlina de la Cova; Aja Lans; Ventura Perez; Dorothy Lippert
Kisha Supernant; Sofía Pacheco-Forés; Discussant – Claire Maass

Bringing Truth to a Post-Truth World: how anthropologists engage and assess their science communication (Virtual)

Date: 11/20/2021; 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Participants: Organizer/Chair – Cara Ocobock; Briana Pobiner; Melanie Beasley; Holly
Dunsworth; Tina Lasisi; Christopher Schmitt; Keneiloe Molopyane; Discussant – Marc Kissel

Climate Change

On Fire: Risk, Regeneration, Value (In-person)

Date/Time: 11/18/2021; 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Participants: Organizer/ Paper Presenter – Mareike Winchell, Daniel Fisher; Kerry Chance; Mei
Zhan; Paper Discussant – Macarena Gomez-Barris, L Shane Greene

Humanity at 419 Symposium (Virtual)

Date/Time: TBD

Participants:

- Mark Aldenderfer (U California-Merced) and Jeffrey H. Altschul (Coalition for Archaeological Synthesis), **Using Archaeology to Understand Climate-Related Migration Among Contemporary Indigenous Peoples**
- Rebecca L. Upton (Colgate University), **Ripalle and Rethinking Medical and Ethnographic Responsibility in an Eco-syndemic Site: Colonialism and Complicity in the Marshall Islands**
- John VanD Lewis (Terra), **Mitigating Global Warming through Community Agro-forestry at Scale: How to underwrite, institutionally, the planting of an enduring “Great Green Wall” across a billion hectares of Sahelian Africa**
- Patricia Clay (National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration), **Discussant**
- Myanna Lahsen (National Institute for Space Research [INPE] and Wageningen University), **Discussant**
- Rebecca Zarger (University of South Florida), **Seeing Double: Planning for Climate Futures and Negotiating an Uncertain Present Along Urban Coastlines**

Teaching and Learning

Teaching Strategies across the Five Fields (In-person)

Date/Time : 11/20/2021; 4:15 PM - 6:00 PM

Participants:

Chair – Evin Rodkey; Organizer/Paper Presenter – Ruth Gomberg-Munoz; Organizer/Chair – Jennifer Zovar; Myron Shekelle; Aviva Sinervo; Isabel Scarborough; Lizette Muñoz Rojas; Katie Nelson; Amanda Green

Training Anthropologists for A Changing World: Meeting the Challenges of Today and Tomorrow (Virtual)

Date/Time: 11/18/2021; 4:15 PM - 6:00 PM

Participants: Organizer/ Chair – Andrea Sankar; Erin Stanley; Nancy Romero-Daza; David Himmelgreen; Jacquelyn Heuer; Andrew Newman; Sherylyn Briller; Daniel Ginsberg; Discussant – Luke Bergmann

Second Annual Symposium on Anthropology and Entrepreneurship, sponsored by the Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation (in-person)

Date/Time: 11/19/2021; 2:00 – 3:45 PM

Participants:

- Jamie Wong (MIT), **Merchants of Time: Techniques of Borrowing and Buying Time in Chinese Venture Capitalism**
- Riddhi Bhandari (Jindal Global University), **Entrepreneurship in the “New Normal”– COVID–19, Economic Precarity and Sustainable Economic Practices among Agra’s Tourism Entrepreneurs**
- Atak Ayaz (Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies) **In Pursuit of Quality and Taste: Post-Industrial Entrepreneurs**
- Matthew Hill (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) **COVID and Cultural Change: Digital Transformation in a Major Metropolitan Credit Union**
- Patti Sunderland (Cultural Resource and Analysis, Inc.) **Discussant**

Anthropology and Public Policy

Anthropology off the Shelf Redux: Multimodal Tools for 21st Century Social Action (Virtual)

Date/Time : 11/20/2021; 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Participants: Organizer/Chair/Roundtable Presenter – Alisse Waterston, Maria Vesperi; Organizer – Gina Ulysse; Rasmus Rodineliussen; Discussant – Anand Pandian, Carole McGranahan; Laurence Ralph

Truth, Responsibility, and Accountability in Asylum Engagements: Refugee Epistemology and Fugitive Anthropology (Virtual)

Date/Time: 11/17/2021; 4:30 PM - 6:15 PM

Participants: Organizer/Chair/Paper Presenter – Saida Hodzic; Paper Presenter – Elif Sari; Tina Shrestha; Ellen Moodie; Paper Discussant – Lynn Stephen

Conversations on Race

Beyond Watchmen: Anthropology and Truth-telling about Race, Trauma and Legacies of Racial Violence in Tulsa (In-Person)

Date/Time: 11/20/2021; 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Participants: Organizer/Chair/Paper Presenter – Karla Slocum; Nkem Ike; Jovan Lewis; Alicia Odewale; Paper Discussant – Anna Agbe-Davies, Geoff Ward

Communities and Reconciliation: Truth and Responsibility with Policing in the United States (In-Person)

Date/Time: 11/18/2021; 2:00 PM - 3:45 PM

Participants: Organizer/Chair/Paper Discussant – Pamela Frese; Organizer/Paper Presenter – Sara Artes; Richard Kania; Scott Rotolo; Seth Allard

Feminist Approaches to Abolition: A State of the Field Review (Virtual)

Date/Time: 11/21/2021; 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Participants: Organizer/Chair – Alix Johnson; Roundtable Organizer – Shanya Cordis; Omotayo Jolaosho; Leyla Savloff; Toby Beauchamp; Nesselte Falu; Maryam Kashani; Discussant – Sameena Mulla

AAA Presidential Roundtable on Reparations, Restitution, and Repair (In-person and available virtually)

Date/Time: 11/18/2021; 2:00 PM - 3:45 PM

May Their Hearts Be Perfectly at Peace: The Anson Street African Burial Ground Project (In-Person)

Date/Time: 11/19/2021; 2:00 PM - 3:45 PM

Participants: Organizer/Chair/Paper Presenter – Theodore Schurr; Organizer/Paper Presenter – Raquel Fleskes; Bernard Powers; La'Sheia Oubre'; Joanna Gilmore; Terrance Weik; Paper Discussant – Monique Scott

Vindication, Imagination, and Decolonization: African Americans and the Experience of Anthropology {The George W. Stocking, Jr. Symposium} (In-Person)

Date/Time: 11/19/2021; 4:15 PM- 6:00 PM

Participants: Chair – Rachel Watkins, Riché Barnes; Organizer/Paper Presenter – Lee Baker; Deborah Johnson-Simon; Irma McClaurin; Whitney Battle-Baptiste; Michael Blakey
Paper Discussant – Tracie Canada

Responsibility and Truth

On the ordinary in the administration of mass death - discussing Richard Rechtman's Living in Death: Genocide and Its Functionaries (Virtual)

Date/Time: 11/18/2021; 2:00 PM - 3:45 PM

Participants: Chair – Marco Motta; Organizer/Roundtable Presenter – Clara Han; Veena Das; Serra Hakyemez; Ann Stoler; Nayanika Mookherjee; Miriam Ticktin; Paper Discussant – Richard Rechtman

Parrhesia in/on Palestine (Virtual)

Date/Time: 11/20/2021; 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Participants: Organizer/Chair/Paper Presenter – Sarah Ihmoud; Organizer – Amahl Bishara; Muzna Awayed-Bishara; Areej Sabbagh-khoury; Alejandro Paz; Paper Discussant – Jessica Winegar

Unsung Intimacies: Friendship, Gender Identity, and Queer/Trans Sociality (In-Person)

Date/Time: 11/19/2021; 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Participants: Chair – Jocelyn Chua; Organizer/Paper Presenter – Anusha Hariharan, Aniruddhan Vasudevan; Sayan Bhattacharya; Kriti Budhiraja