4th Annual Western Anthropology Graduate Student Conference

Conflicting Voices in Cultural Spaces

Activity	Time	Location	Details			
Friday, March 4th						
Registration/ Silent Auction Begins	4:00 - 6:00	SSC 2257	For students just coming into town, this is an opportunity to check-in with us, ask any questions, get a program, and meet-up with your couch-surf host. Participants may feel free to explore the items available at our silent auction.			
Meet and Greet at the Grad Club	4:00 - 9:00	Grad Club	After registering, head to the Grad Club for an informal meet and greet with the other conference attendees!			
	Saturo	lay, March 5th				
Morning Reception Silent Auction Continues	8:00 - 8:45	SSC 1059	Participants and organizers mingle, eat muffins and drink coffee. Participants may feel free to explore the items available at our silent auction.			
Opening Remarks and Introduction of Keynote Speaker	8:45 - 9:00	SSC 1059	Delivered by WAGS Co-Presidents and Dr. Dan Jorgensen			
Keynote Address: Dr. Roger Lohmann (Trent University)	9:00 - 9:45	SSC 1059	Topics, Not Subfields: What You Can Do to End Provincialism in Anthropology's Cultural Spaces			
Keynote Q&A	9:45 - 10:00	SSC 1059	Facilitated by Dr. Dan Jorgensen			
Coffee Break	10:00 - 10:15					
Session 1 – Memory and Health	10:15 - 10:20	SSC 1059	Introduced by Session Chair: Dr. Regna Darnell			
Hilary Agro (University of Western Ontario)	10:20 - 10:35	SSC 1059	Part of a system one hates: Creating practically-oriented solutions while critiquing structural and theoretical constraints			

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Toni Valenti (Laurentian University)	10:35 - 10:50	SSC 1059	Decolonizing the Epidemiological Transition on Manitoulin Island: Re-discussing Mortality in Indigenous and Settler Populations, 1869-1940
Adam Grearson (Trent University)	10:50 - 11:05	SSC 1059	The Abject Body and Disability: How Individuals with Mental Health Issues Lose Their Voice Within University
Sarah Williams (Laurentian University)	11:05 - 11:20	SSC 1059	Exploring the Use of Biomedicine and Traditional Chinese Medicine in Singapore
Session 1 – Memory and Health Q&A	11:20 - 11:35	SSC 1059	Facilitated by Session Chair
Lunch Break	11:35 - 1:00		Last chance to check out our silent auction!
Silent Auction Continues			
Session 2 (Concurrent) - Institutions	1:00 - 1:05	SSC 1059	Introduced by Session Chair: Dr. Tanya Granadillo
Christine Beaudoin (University of Ottawa)	1:05 - 1:20	SSC 1059	The Voices of Scientific Knowledge Production: How is a Physics Lab Becoming the Hybrid Fieldwork of an Anthropologist?
Rastko Cvekic (University of Toronto)	1:20 - 1:35	SSC 1059	What does the term "sacred" bring to the archaeology of Indigenous heritage?
Ashna Ali (University of Western Ontario)	1:35- 1:50	SSC 1059	The Revolution in Rojava
Hannah McGregor (University of Western Ontario)	1:50 - 2:05	SSC 1059	Community-based Indigenous Language Revitalization and Public Policy in Canada
Jennifer Willoughby (University of Western Ontario)	2:05 - 2:20	SSC 1059	Who Owns Antiquity? The Battle over Cultural Heritage
Session 2 -Institutions Q&A	2:20 - 2:30	SSC 1059	Facilitated by Session Chair
Session 3 (Concurrent) - Identity	1:00 - 1:05	SSC 2257	Introduced by Session Chair: Dr. Jean-François Millaire
Tali Pelich (York University)	1:05 - 1:20	SSC 2257	The Insider Dilemma: The Intricacies of An Anthropologist's Positionality
Amy St. John (University of Western Ontario)	1:20 - 1:35	SSC 2257	Borders in Globalization: Pre-contact Boundaries of Indigenous Peoples in the Lower Great Lakes
Diyin Deng (University of Western Ontario)	1:35 - 1:50	SSC 2257	Little Tibets: The Making of the Global Tibetan Diaspora

Rebecca Goodwin (University of Western Ontario)	1:50 - 2:05	SSC 2257	Women's Spaces, Women's Places: Spatial Organization of an Ancestral Inuvialuit Dwelling
Arwen Johns (University of Western Ontario)	2:05 – 2:20	SSC 2257	Making a Victim: Altering Identities Through Sacrifice in the Moche and Inca States
Session 3 - Identity Q&A	2:20 - 2:30	SSC 2257	Facilitated by Session Chair
Coffee Break	2:30 - 2:45		
Session 4 (Concurrent)- Community	2:45 - 2:50	SSC 1059	Introduced by Session Chair: Dr. Peter Timmins
Evelyn Arhin-Sam (University of Alberta)	2:50 - 3:05	SSC 1059	Healing the Community! Social Relevance of the Trokosi
Camila Guarim Figueiredo (University of Toronto)	3:05 - 3:20	SSC 1059	Field Diary: Archaeological Survey Conducted in the Upper-Flona-Tapajós, Lower Amazon, Brazil, in 2014
José Guillermo Sánchez (Trent University)	3:35 - 3:50	SSC 1059	Reflections on Utopianism in the Eco- Village Movement
Rebecca Parry (University of Western Ontario)	3:50 - 4:05	SSC 1059	A Preliminary Spatial Analysis of the Tillsonburg Village Site
Session 4 - Community Q&A	4:05 - 4:15	SSC 1059	Facilitated by Session Chair
Session 5 (Concurrent) - Methods	2:45 - 2:50	SSC 2257	Introduced by Session Chair: Dr. Chris Ellis
Natalie Faught (Trent University)	2:50 - 3:05	SSC 2257	Community Archaeology and the Stélida Naxos Archeological Project: Building Relationships and Creating Accessibility
Cassandra Preston (York University)	3:05 - 3:20	SSC 2257	Gender(ed) Encounters: Establishing the Boundaries of Male/Female Relationships in the Field
Jenna Coutinho (York University)	3:35 - 3:50	SSC 2257	Shared Walking Experiences: Facilitating Fieldwork through Volunteering
Fernando Mercado (University of Western Ontario)	3:50 - 4:05	SSC 2257	Beyond the Shores of an 'Island': Modelling Spaces in its Shared Socio-Ecological Dimensions and Implications for Conservation Action in Madagascar
Session 5 - Methods Q&A	4:05 - 4:15	SSC 2257	Facilitated by Session Chair
Closing Remarks	4:15 - 4:30	SSC 1059	Delivered by WAGS Co-Presidents

Reception Dinner	5:30 - 8:00	Morrissey House	For Conference Presenters, Chairs, and Conference Planning Committee	
Conference Pub Social	8:00 - 11:00	Poacher's Arms	Open to all that are interesting in keeping the conversation going!	
Sunday, March 6th				
Brunch at London's Covent Garden Market and tour of Museum London (admission by donation)	11:00 – 1:00		For those who have time to get a taste of Downtown London before returning home	