Anthropology Dept.
University of Massachusetts, Amherst, UMass
www.umass.edu/anthro  413/545-2221
submissions to: sbellor@anthro.umass.edu before Thur. 5pm

MA/PhD: Exams and Defenses:

May 28: Robin R. R. Gray, PhD. Dissertation Defense
Time: 1:00 PM. Campus Center 803
Title: Ts’msyen Revolution: The Poetics and Politics of Reclaiming

**Graduate Students: 
SOL Expiration: 
If your statute of limitations is expiring on 8/31/15, please see Shelley to the process of requesting an extension

Congrats to all the Undergrads who graduated this semester!!

Congrats to the following Grad students receiving degrees:
MA:
Jamie Fisher
Castriela Hernandez
Erica Kowsz
Evan Taylor
Lauren Woodard

PhD:
Broughton Anderson
Cortni Borgerson
Joseph Jones
Valerie Joseph
Boone Shear
Flavia Stanley

Upcoming Events:
5/25: Memorial Day Holiday
5/28: Gray, Dissertation Defense
7/3: Holiday, Office closed
8/24: Final Summer Grades Due
9/8: First day Fall semester

SBS News:
Have a wonderful Summer!

Final Mega Memo for the Summer
See you the end of August!!!!

Good News:
Congrats to Christa Burdick for successfully defending her PhD Comprehensive Exam.

Alum, Vanessa Martinez has been selected to participate in the Community Based Participatory Research Partnership Academy (CBPR).

Vanessa as also been selected as one of the 2015-2015 AAA Leadership Fellows
FALL 2015 Course List (pdf file)
Undergraduate Advising is going on now, please see:
Milena Marchesi in Machmer 207A or Lynnette Sievert in Machmer 105
*Registration begins Monday 3/30/15, please make an appointment with an advisor.

Anthro or Other Affiliated EVENTS:

Website and Registration:

Department Meeting Schedule:
(Exec Comm., Fac./Grad Caucus and Department Meetings)
Location: TBD unless otherwise noted meetings will be M &/or W 12:30-2pm.

701 Lecture Schedule: Ventura Perez, Coordinator
Mon. 12:30-2pm Location TBD
** See you next semester

Graduate Student Announcements/Application Info and Deadlines:
(Includes, TA Applications, RAP-CPE Apps, Travel Grants, etc.)

Workshops and Training:
* Graduate School Office of Professional Development Workshops:
The Center for Teaching and Faculty Development and the Graduate School are sponsoring a
number of workshops to support graduate student teaching. Below you will find a list of offerings
sent to graduate students, along with a link to register.
Complete List of Events

Grad School Office of Professional Development Events and Workshops:

Every Wednesday - 12:00 -1:30pm
Suite 1967, Du Bois Library

Academic Publishing Consultation Hours
Charlotte Roh, scholarly communications librarian and academic publishing expert, is available to
discuss anything related to academic publishing, no matter how basic. For more information or to
schedule an alternate meeting time, contact Charlotte at charlotteroh@library.umass.edu.

ISSR Events:
UNDERGRADUATE SBS SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:
Applications and more information can be found here:
http://www.umass.edu/sbs/current-students/undergraduate/sbs-scholarships

Upcoming Career Events going in SBS: (general calendar)
http://www.umass.edu/sbs/news-events/calendar

OTHER Information:
****** LAB SECURITY:
Please remember, when using or teaching in any departmental labs, that the doors and windows
MUST be locked when you leave. We’ve been told that E16 has been left open on numerous
occasions, please double check all are closed and locked when you leave.

Also blinds in W12 and W17 should be left closed when room is unused. These rooms are all on the
first floor with full window visibility and accessibility, so we need to be diligent in keeping them
secure.