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Membership:
Provide the most recent membership numbers.
Number of Members: 431

List any factors you think may be increasing or decreasing your Section membership.
Membership numbers may have decreased due to AAA membership list clean-up efforts.

Finances:
Provide the most recent financial balances for Section budgets (and publication sponsored budgets).
Financial Balance: 28,517.80

Publication Sponsored budgets.
Incomplete
List any factors you think are affecting your Section's finances.
Not applicable.

Sessions:
List the titles of your Section's AAA meeting invited sessions, co-sponsored sessions, and any special events your Section sponsored or in which it participated.

Session Type: Invited
Session: Immigrant Labor in an Era of Mass Criminalization and Deportation

Session Type: Invited Co-Sponsored with Society for Medical Anthropology
Session: Covered? Risk, Citizenship, and Politics in the Wake of Obamacare

Session Type: Invited Co-Sponsored with Association of Latina and Latino Anthropologists
Session: Latin@s and the Media: Cultural Politics, Representation, and Production
Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Environmental Regimes and Resistance: Power and Activism in North American Energy Politics

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Producing Soundscapes: Sites of Belonging and Affective Politics

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Unsettled Subjectivities: Legacies, Futures, and the Politics of Reconciliation on the Northwest Coast

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Inequalities in Urban Neoliberalization in Canada and the United States

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: The Political Economy of Care: Coercions and Consent

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Disengaging from the Field: Returning 'Home' and Producing a Committed Anthropology

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Sensorial Politics

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Dialectical Ruins

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Indigenous Experts

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Reflections on Urban Anthropology: Strangers, Ideal Types, Space, and Belonging

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Making Places and Telling Histories in Formations of American Identity

Session Type: Volunteered
Session: Improper Politics

Session Type: Other
Session: Producing Anthropology on the Edge/At the End(s)/Of the World(s) (poster session)

Session Type: Other
Session: Book Publishing and the Anthropology of North America (roundtable)

Session Type: Other
Session: Proposed Renewal of the American Anthropological Congressional Fellowship
Awards

List awards presented this year on behalf of your Section.

**Award:** Distinguished Achievement Award
**Date:** 12/06/2014
**Recipient:** Johnnetta Cole
**Affiliation:** Smithsonian Institute for the National Museum of African Art
**Project/Paper/Accomplishment:** This is a lifetime achievement award. The full title of the award (there is insufficient space above) is: SANA Prize for Distinguished Achievement in the Critical Study of North America

**Award:** Eleanor "Happy" Leacock Award
**Date:** 12/06/2014
**Recipient:** Megan Smetzer
**Affiliation:** Capilano University
**Project/Paper/Accomplishment:** Stitching through the Layers of Settler Colonialism: Gender and Art in Southeast Alaska

**Award:** St. Clair Drake Student Travel Award
**Date:** 12/06/2014
**Recipient:** Kari Colosi
**Affiliation:** Binghamton University
**Project/Paper/Accomplishment:** Contexts of Power, Cultures of Energy in Landowner and Industry Interactions on National Gas Drilling and Hydraulic Fracturing Debates of Upstate New York

**Award:** St. Clair Drake Student Travel Award
**Date:** 12/06/2014
**Recipient:** Arie Molema
**Affiliation:** University of Toronto
**Project/Paper/Accomplishment:** How to Share Your Truth?: Language Ideologies of Therapeutic Talk in Canada?S Truth and Reconciliation Commission

**Award:** St. Clair Drake Student Travel Award
**Date:** 12/06/2014
**Recipient:** Laura Baum
**Affiliation:** University of South Florida
**Project/Paper/Accomplishment:** Good Neighbors and Polluters? Contradictions in Industry ? Community Relations for a Potential Environmental Justice Community in the Southern United States

Meetings

Did your section request a meeting registration waiver or community engagement grant?

Yes

If granted, who/what was it/they used for?

Fee waiver for non-anthropologist participating in installation panel, Steel Stories: Mapping, Documenting, and Digitizing Deindustrialization Processes
List spring meeting activities
There was no SANA meeting in 2015; the next meeting will take place in April 2015.

Mentorship:
Mentorship efforts (at or beyond the AAA meetings) to any of the following (e.g., special activities, funding, awards, guidance/advising on professional matters, etc.)
Undergraduate and/or graduate students.
The St. Clair Drake Study Travel Grant, available to graduate students, provides funding for attendance at the AAA and SANA meetings. See Awards section.

Early career scholars.
The Delmos Jones and Jagna Sharff Memorial Prize for the Critical Study of North America, SANA's book award, is available to early career scholars.

Independent scholars.
The Eleanor "Happy" Leacock Travel Grant provides funds for travel to the AAA and SANA meetings. See Awards Section.

Outreach:
Additional outreach efforts (at or beyond the AAA meetings) to other sections, interest groups, and scholarly societies, government agencies, public education/community engagement, and underrepresented minorities.
SANA worked with the ABA to present a joint motion at the Section Assembly and AAA Business Meeting regarding events in Ferguson and Staten Island. We intend to continue to collaborate on this issue.

Communications:
Status and use of Section internal communications such as a website, list serve, or newsletter (if applicable): Please list internal communication tools you use and what they are used for.
In addition to its website and list serve, SANA has a newsletter/journal (North American Dialogue), and also uses a range of social media (facebook) to communicate with membership.

Governance:
Changes in bylaws or governance structure.
Not applicable.

Initiatives:
What Initiatives does your Section have underway or planned for the coming year: membership, publication annual meeting, mentorship, other?
SANA will be holding a conference on the theme of Inequality, Equality and Difference from April 16-18 at John Jay College in NYC.
SANA will be working with ABA and with AAA Leadership to plan events related to racism and racialized state violence.
SANA continues to move NAD towards full peer-review status.

Ask AAA:
Please tell us what your chief concerns and issues are, especially if they are not previously noted.

What issues would you like raised or recommendations would you like to make to the Section Assembly Executive Committee (SAEC)? Please be specific.
not applicable

What issues would you like raised or recommendations would you like to make to the AAA Executive Board? Please be specific.
not applicable

What issues would you like raised or recommendations would you like to make to the AAA Staff? Please be specific.
not applicable