Booth 201- Information Booth

Information: Welcome to the NAPA/AAA 2020 virtual Careers Expo! Meet professional anthropologists from across the discipline working in fascinating careers. Talk about your career path and get advice and mentoring!

Presenters:

Cathleen Crain
Organization: NAPA
Joshua Ligget
Organization: NAPA

Booth 202- Archaeology Professional Organizations

Presenters:

Joe Watkins
Organization: SAA
Information: I retired from the National Park Service, Washington, DC, in 2018, and now live in Tucson, AZ. As president of the Society for American Archaeology, I welcome you to explore the discipline of archaeology as a subfield of anthropology and to think about the impact you can have by protecting our shared heritage.

Deb Rotman
Organization: RPA
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Booth 203- CRM Firms

Presenters:

Teresita Majewski
Organization: SRI
Information: I work for the cultural resource management firm Statistical Research, Inc., doing applied archaeology and anthropology, but simultaneously have taught in academic settings, continued to publish, & been involved in professional service. I'll talk about how I've managed a work-life balance with a satisfying career.

Carol Ellick
Organization: ACE
Information: Carol J. Ellick, M.A., RPA, is Director of Archaeological and Cultural Education Consultants & Founding President of The Heritage Education Network (THEN). For more than 40 years, she has worked in various capacities in CRM. Her focus for over 30 years is the development of public programs based on anthropology & traditional cultural knowledge.

Booth 204- UX / Organization Change

Presenters:

Gigi Taylor
Organization: Indeed.com
Information: Gigi Taylor is a cultural anthropologist working as a qualitative UX researcher at Indeed in Austin, Texas. She uses an anthropological frame to explore the American hiring practices of organizations. Previously, Gigi worked as a research consultant and assistant professor.

Amy Santee
Organization: Design Research & Strategy
Information: My name is Amy Santee, and I am a career coach and UX research consultant based in Portland, OR. I got my M.A. in Applied Anthropology from the U of Memphis in 2011. I love helping anthropologists make their way into tech and design. If you want to connect, you can find me on LinkedIn or visit www.amysantee.com.

Emily Altimare
Organization: FTE Organizational Performance Consulting
Information: My name is Emily Altimare, and I am a practicing anthropologist. I work for a consulting firm called FTE Performance. My work entails performing cultural assessments & guiding change management activities for clients. What I love most about my job is working with a cross-functional team and making a positive difference.
Booth 205- Cultural Anthropology

Presenters:
Darya Pilram
Organization: Twitter
Information: I'm Darya Pilram, Senior Researcher at Twitter focused on Policy and Response (COVID, Elections). My first career was as an applied anthropologist with the Department of Defense and State Department, with a focus on counterterrorism. In 2017 I transitioned into applied fieldwork in tech (Uber, WEF, and Twitter)

Niel Tashima
Organization: LTG Associates
Information: I'm Niel Tashima, a founding and Managing Partner in LTG Associates. LTG is the oldest anthropologically based consulting firm in North America. I have worked in community organizing, program and policy evaluation and with USAID and the WHO.

Booth 206- Cultural Anthropology Nonprofits

Presenters:
Jean Schensul
Organization: ICRWEB
Information: I am an applied medical anthropologist, Senior Scientist, and Founding Director, Institute for Community Research, Hartford, Ct. Our institute conducts collaborative research with community organizations and other institutions to address socio-cultural inequities using mixed methods ethnography and systems science.

Eshe Lewis
Organization: Sapiens
Information: My name is Eshe Lewis, and I am the Public Anthropology Fellow at SAPIENS magazine, a not-for-profit online anthropology publication. We publish essays and features written by anthropologists and journalists that bring anthropological insights about humanity to a diverse public that includes but goes beyond academia.

Booth 207- Biological / Medical / Health, Booth 1

Presenters:
Elizabeth Doyle
Organization: Clare Research
Information: Dr. Doyle is a former field coroner with the BC Coroners Service and current Assistant Professor on contract with McMaster University. She specializes in medicolegal and forensic anthropology and critical quantitative methods and is especially interested in how structural violence is reproduced in law and governance.

**Joan Baker**  
Organization: Independent Forensic  
Information: Hi, I'm Dr. Joan Baker. I'm a Registered Professional Archaeologist and a board-certified forensic anthropologist (Diplomate, American Board of Forensic Anthropology) with 27 years of lab and field experience in forensic anthropology and archaeology, which I'm leveraging via my consulting firm, Global FAACTS, Inc.

**Laurie Krieger**  
Organization: Manoff Group  
Information: I have been a practicing global health anthropologist for many decades, specializing in reproductive health, family planning, WASH, & T.B. However, at the moment, I am the Social and Behavior Change and Gender Director for the USAID Clean Cities, Blue Ocean program, working to stem the flow of plastics into the ocean.

**Booth 208- Biological / Medical / Health, Booth 2**  
**Presenters:**  
**Tara Eaton**  
Organization: Atrium Health  
Information: Tara Eaton is an applied anthropologist currently working as a Senior Scientist at Atrium Health. Her research interests include new care delivery models, culturally targeted health information technology, telehealth, implementation science, organizational change, health disparities, and ethnography in health services research.

**Jai Hale-Gallardo**  
Organization: Veterans Administration  
Information: Hello! I am a cultural and medical anthropologist who has been working for the past five years at the V.A. on health services research.

**Shay Cannedy**  
Organization: Veterans Administration  
Information: Shay Cannedy earned her Ph.D. in Anthropology in 2016. She has a background in program evaluation and health research. She currently works as a qualitative researcher for the Dept. of Veteran's Affairs in Los Angeles.
Booth 209- Education & Educational Research

Presenters:

Suzette Chang
Organization: Thick Descriptions

Suanna Selby Crowley
Organization: HeadFort Consulting

Information: My name is Suanna Crowley, and as president of my own firm, HeadFort Consulting, I work with universities, research centers, nonprofits, and start-ups to energize and strengthen communications, fundraising, and digital media efforts. I bring anthropological insights to clients seeking to engage with global audiences.

Mark Edberg
Organization: Avance Center

Information: I am a professor in an academic setting (George Washington University), but I direct two centers that conduct applied research and interventions (global and domestic U.S.) related to public health and associated social development issues.

Booth 210- Linguistic Anthropology

Presenters:

Carolyn Reed
Organization: Comcast

Information: 🎤 I’m Carolyn Reed, Interactional Sociolinguist and Lead Voice Researcher for the Experience Design team at Comcast. I currently support Xfinity’s voice remote experience and Xfinity Assistant, our virtual chat agent.

Emily Pace
Organization: Expert System

Information: Emily Pace is the Principal Linguist at Expert System USA, a text analytics company in the D.C. area. She has worked in the non-profit, public, and private sectors, with interests in language, political science, and anthropology. Emily holds a B.A. in French and an M.S. in Linguistics, both from Georgetown University
**Booth 211- Government Agencies, Booth 1**

**Presenters:**

**Adam Koons**
Organization: FEMA
Information: I currently work for FEMA. I have worked in the past for USAID, as well as a large number of international NGOs. I have always been a full-time practitioner, primarily focusing on humanitarian and disaster response and management. I have also published on the role of anthropologists in NGOs and disasters.

**Frances Norwood**
Organization: CMM
Information: Dr. Frances Norwood is an Assistant Research Professor in Anthropology/IERES at George Washington University. She is a medical anthropologist with 20+ years of conducting health policy research on long term/end of life care and aging. She is the recipient of the Margaret Mead Award for her book, The Maintenance of Life (2020).

**Hilary Fannin**
Organization: Vermont Department of Health
Information: I'm Hilary Fannin, a vaccine-preventable disease epidemiologist at the Vermont Department of Health. My studies in anthropology led to my interest in public health. I've been in this field for about 6 years working in continuing education, non-profits, & state government. I look forward to speaking with you!

**Booth 212- Government Agencies, Booth 2**

**Presenters:**

**Erik Kjeldgaard**
Organization: GAO
Information: Analyst at the U.S. Government Accountability Office, a non-partisan, legislative branch agency that conducts research, evaluation, and audits on behalf of Congress. I received my Ph.D. in cultural anthropology in 2007 from SUNY at Buffalo and am a past president of the Washington Association of Professional Anthropologists.

**Reiko Ishihara-Brito**
Organization: World Bank
Information: I work in the Compliance Advisor Ombudsman (CAO) at the private sector arm of the World Bank Group. I use anthropological skills to conduct research and
analysis in order to hold the institutions accountable for their environmental and social performance in project-affected communities.

**Booth 213- Business Anthropology**

*Presenters:*

**Elizabeth Briody**  
Organization: Cultural Keys  
Information: I work with organizations of all types to improve their work culture, strengthen their partnering arrangements, and satisfy their customers—from shoppers to patients to students. I conduct research studies and develop implementation plans to position those organizations to be as effective as possible.

**Ken Erickson**  
Organization: Moore School of Business  
Information: Ken Erickson (he/him) is Clinical faculty in Inat. Business at the U. of South Carolina. New Ph.D. / M.A. anthros too often recognize neither the monetary nor the practical value of their skills. I hope to learn more about students aiming in a business direction. Let's talk about that!

**Booth 214- Professional Societies & Networking, Booth 1**

*Presenters:*

**Suzanne Heurtin-Roberts**  
Organization: WAPA  
Information: I’m a retired medical anthropologist, the current President of the Washington Association of Professional Anthropologists, and an Adjunct Professor at the University of Maryland Department of Anthropology.

**Anna Maria Trester**  
Organization: Ethnobreakfast  
Information: I am a story researcher and sociolinguist at PIER Consulting Group. Basically, I am an independent consultant, but I’m here at the Expo to talk about networking - I’m representing a networking group out of the Bay Area called Ethnobreakfast.
Booth 215- Professional Societies & Networking, Booth 2

Presenters:
Jaime Yard
Organization: CASCA
Information: Jaime Yard, Canadian Anthropology Society / La Société Canadienne D'Anthropologie (CASCA)

Melanie Matteliano
Organization: High Plains Society for Applied Anthropology
Information: I'm attending as a representative for the High Plains Society for Applied Anthropology, an organization that brings together anthropologists and people in related disciplines around a shared passion for doing applied work. I look forward to sharing more about what local professional organizations have to offer.

Lucor Jordan
Organization: High Plains Society for Applied Anthropology
Information: Lucor Jordan is an applied anthropologist working for the Center for Community Wealth Building as a cooperative educator, he also serves on the board of the Museum of Food and Culture. A longtime member of the HPSfAA, he has recently begun serving as the associate editor for their journal 'the Applied Anthropologist.'

Booth 216- NAPA Mentoring

Booth 217- Campus to Careers Mentoring

Presenters:
Noel Chrisman
Organization: Campus to Careers
Information: Noel Chrisman PhD, MPH. An emeritus professor from School of Nursing, University of Washington; adjunct appointments in anthropology, public health, and family medicine. Practice: community-based participatory research, cultural competence training. Research on health care seeking and community change.

Jan English-Lueck
Organization: Campus to Careers
Information: Dr. Jan English Lueck is a Professor of Anthropology at San José State University and a Distinguished Fellow at the Institute for the Future. For decades, she
has studied Silicon Valley. San Jose State hosts a graduate program in Applied Anthropology with alumni in Tech and nonprofits.

**Sherri Briller**

Organization: Campus to Careers

Information: Dr. Sherylyn Briller is an applied cultural/medical anthropologist at Purdue University specializing in aging, life course, disability, and end-of-life issues. I am the President of the Society for Applied Anthropology. My co-authored book: Designing An Anthropology Career: Professional Development Exercises. Welcome!