

PAS MEMBERSHIP VIRTUAL MEETINGS

TUES, SEPT 14, 7:00 PM

Presidios of Spanish West Florida

We are continuing to meet on Zoom until further notice. Stay tuned!

The membership meeting program for this month gives us a preview of Dr. Judy Bense's new book, *PRESIDIOS OF SPANISH WEST FLORIDA*. She presents an overview of the results of historical archaeological investigations of the four early 18th century presidio locations in West Florida: Santa Maria, San Jose, Santa Rosa, and San Miguel. She will share information about the early 18th century military and Native American settlements as well as the highlights of the Spanish cultural patterns and temporal trends in ceramics. You don't want to miss this! Share the information with others and see you there.

Register for the September meeting:

<https://bit.ly/3krxGpqSepPAS2021>

VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT <http://pasfl.org>
AND SEE US ON FACEBOOK.

About our September speaker:

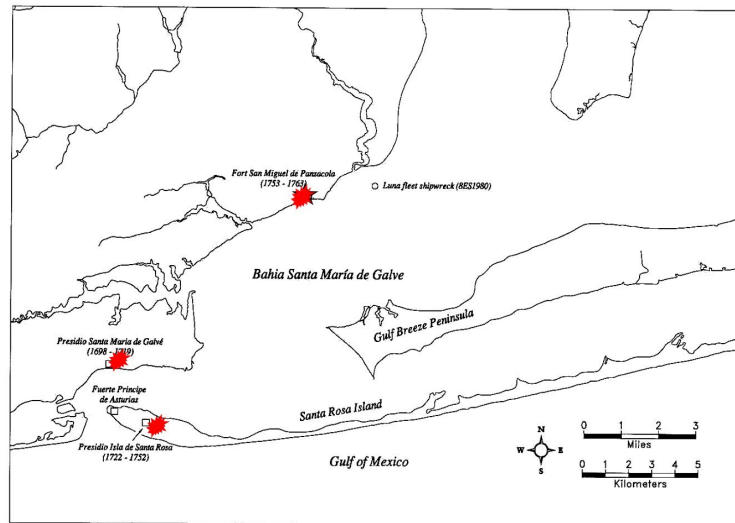
Dr. Judy Bense needs no introduction, but take a look at her career.

Dr. Judy Bense is President and Professor Emeritus at the University of West Florida. She attended FSU for her Bachelors and Masters in Anthropology/Archaeology and her PhD from Washington State University. She returned to northwest Florida in 1980 and “walked onto” the University of West Florida (UWF) with the goal of creating a progressive and nationally respected Anthropology program focusing on the archaeology of West Florida. Working her way up from the bottom at UWF, Bense established the Archaeology Institute, Department of Anthropology, and the state-wide Florida Public Archaeology Network. Underwater archaeology was added in 1989, and by 2008, the UWF maritime archaeology program was a leader in Florida and the country. That year, Bense was appointed President of the University of West Florida, an office she held for nine years.

In 2017, Bense stepped down from the presidency and returned to archaeology to write a book synthesizing the three decades of research on the presidios of West Florida and prepare articles for academic journals on topics of interest to the profession. The synthesis *Presidios of Spanish West Florida* will be available in March of 2022 from the University Press of Florida and her first journal article on ceramic temporal trends at the presidios will be published in December 2021 in *Southeastern Archaeology*.

Dr. Bense has received many awards and honors in her long career including induction into the Florida Women's Hall, the Order of Isabella de Catholica by the King of Spain for advancing Spain's contribution to the Americas, the Evelyn Fortune Bartlett Award from the Florida Trust for Historic Preservation, the JC Harrington Medal from the Society for Historical Archaeology for lifetime achievement, and the Senator Bob Williams Award from the Florida Department of State for outstanding achievements in Public Archaeology.

PENSACOLA PRESIDIOS



SANTA MARIA DE GALVE FORT WALL

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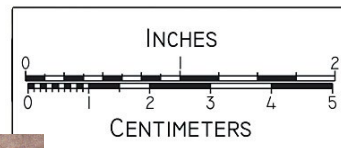
A Glimpse of a Few Artifacts from the Pensacola Presidios



Iron Sword Hilt from
Santa Maria de Galve



Jesuit rings from Santa
Maria de Galve

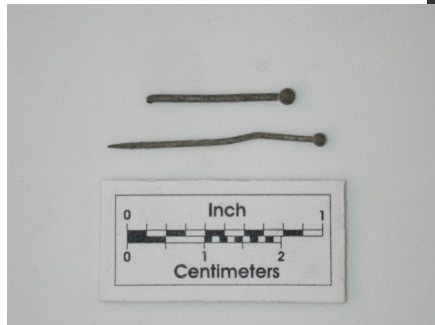


Spanish ceramics
in trash pit from
Santa Marie de
Galve



Snipe hinge from Santa Rosa Pensacola.

Figurine fragments from Santa Rosa Pensacola



Straight pins from San Miguel—downtown Pensacola

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2021 PAS FALL LECTURE SERIES - Zoom

SEPT. 14 - 7 PM [The Presidios of Northwest Florida](#)

[Dr. Judy Bense, UWF, President Emeritus](#)

OCT. 12—A Hypothetical Bioarchaeological Reconstruction of the Fate of the 1559-1561 Luna Settlement People

by Dr. Katherine Miller Wolf, Christina Bolte, and Dr. John Worth
presented by Dr. Miller Wolfe.

NOV. 9 - To Live by the Sea: The Use and Reuse of a Pre-Contact Shell Midden on Pensacola Bay

Hillary Jolly, UWF grad student

DEC. 14 Maritime Culture, Bathymetry, and the Emanuel Point Shipwrecks in Pensacola Bay

Rikki Oeters, UWF grad student

In order to keep our members and the public safe, the board made the decision that PAS will continue with Zoom meetings at this time.

Watch for more up to date info about PAS activities on our website and our Facebook page.

The **PAS Student Research Awards** will be presented during the October meeting. Applications and instructions are on the PAS website. The **deadline for submission of a proposal is Oct. 1.**

RENEW OR JOIN PAS for 2022 NOW!

Our year is January through December. Mail in your renewal now and it counts for the 2022 membership. Mail to:

PAS, PO Box 13251, Pensacola, FL 32591 OR use PayPal

Regular-\$15, Family- \$20, Student-\$6

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

FPAN ARCHAEOLOGY LAB– Open BY RESERVATION. Contact FPAN. **UWF LAB** is not open at this time.

THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW:

MEETING LINK TO REGISTER FOR SEPT. 14:

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Meeting links will be available on our website, Facebook and in this newsletter. Additionally, the link to register for each presentation will be emailed to PAS members. Advance registration is required to join each meeting. Need more ZOOM INFO - there are tutorials on Zoom

FPAN INFORMATION

The Florida Public Archaeology Network, FPAN, is continuing their “virtual” activities, but the lab is open. Check the website for details.

Visit FPAN’s newsletter online and website for more information.

Destination Archaeology Resource Center is open Thurs, Fri, & Sat. from 10 am to 4 pm.