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NEWSLETTER

JANUARY 2022

PAS MEMBERSHIP <u>VIRTUAL</u> MEETING

TUES, JAN. 11, 7:00 PM

Local Adaptations to a Colonial Economy In La Florida By Dr. Danielle Dadiego

We are continuing to meet on Zoom until further notice.

The membership meeting program for this month combines archival research, traditional artifact analysis, and chemical composition and isotopic analysis of glass beads and lead shot to study the role that both colonial and native people played in disrupting or contributing to Spanish colonial economic institutions See you there on ZOOM. Invite a friend. (continued on page 2)

Register for the January meeting:

https://bit.ly/3znAsmGPAS2022Jan

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

About our January program and speaker:

Dr. Danielle Dadiego, UWF Archaeology Institute

Glass beads are ubiquitous on colonial period sites, common trade items for Europeans, and,most importantly, socially charged items within native thought-worlds. Lead shot is equally ubiquitous; however, it is considered a mundanely functional item. Although recovered from many sites, lead shot and monochrome glass beads lack diagnostic physical or stylistic characteristics that would make interpretations of production, distribution, and use patterns easy.

Innovations in methodological techniques, including LA-ICP-MS, allow the use of formerly unknown artifact characteristics to trace the distribution of goods across the landscape. These chemical methods are used in conjunction with a close examination of historical documents to provide evidence of how goods moved through colonial and indigenous communities, foregrounding the importance of economic agency among settlers and natives, even when these practices challenged idealized models of mercantilism and colonial government regulations.

Dr. Dadiego is an historical archaeologist working at the UWF Archaeology Institute and Anthropology Dept. Her research is focused on Native and European exchange systems in Colonial America. She is originally from Portland, Maine, and graduated with a BA in anthropology andgeography from the University of Southern Maine in 2008. After graduation, she moved south to pursue a MA degree in historical archaeology at UWF. In 2015 she enrolled in the PhD program in anthropological archaeology at the University of California (continued on page 3)

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Santa Cruz, earning another MA degree in 2017, and a Ph.D. in 2020. At UCSC she learned new archaeometric techniques to test glass beads and lead shot including chemical and isotopic analyses.

Recent publications after my dissertation include articles in *American Antiquity* and *BEADS*. I moved back to Pensacola after earning my doctorate to put my two decades of archaeological experience to good use!

2022 PAS SPRING LECTURE SERIES-7 PM BY Zoom

JAN. 11 LOCAL ADAPTATIONS TO A COLONIAL ECONOMY IN SPANISH LA FLORID

Dr. Danielle Dadiego, UWF

FEB. 8 CLOTILDA: SEARCH FOR THE LAST AMERICAN SLAVE SHIP

Joe Grinnan, SEARCH

MARCH 8 UWF FIELD SCHOOLS:

SUMMER 2021 RECAP/ SUMMER 2022 PREVIEW

Dr. John Worth and Dr. Ramie Gougeon, UWF Dept of Anthropology

Meghan Mumford, UWF Archaeology Institute

APRIL 12 THE MAROON MARINES:

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

FPAN ARCHAEOLOGY LAB- Open BY RESERVATION.

Although the FPAN Public Archaeology Lab will be closing on Wednesday, December 8, through the remainder of the year, we are pleased to announce that the lab will reopen on Tuesday, January 18! After that, volunteers will be welcomed each Tuesday and Wednesday from 10:00am-4:00pm through May 4, 2022.

They are requiring volunteers to RSVP ahead of time. If you would like to RSVP or have more questions, please send an e-mail to <u>northwest@fpan.us</u> with your desired date(s) and time(s) for volunteering. While in the Lab, volunteers are strongly recommended to wear masks, wash their hands frequently, and follow all CDC recommendations.

UWF LAB is planning to reopen in February! Watch for more info.

RENEW OR JOIN PAS for 2022 NOW!

Our calendar year is January through December. Renew 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

ZOOM INTO ARCHAEOLOGY

The current FPAN Northwest newsletter has a whole section of very interesting archaeology lectures you can watch anytime. Go to the website, find the newsletter and click on ZOOM INTO ARCHAE-OLOGY. You will be amazed! Visit today. It's better than TV!

THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW:

PAS MEETING LINK TO REGISTER FOR JAN 11: https://bit.ly/3znAsmGPAS2022Jan

Meeting links are 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

SAAA (Chapter of FAS) January 11 meeting

YES, I know it is the same day as PAS January meeting, BUT it will be at 6 PM CST so you could "attend" both! Dr. Andrea White, City of St. Augustine Archaeologist, will present the latest archaeology news from the Oldest City:-Highlights of 2021 in St Augustine Archaeology. Here is the link for the meeting if you want to attend.

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83874774767

Save the Date

May 6-8, 2022 Miami, Florida

