

# Fall 2024

# ANTHROPOLOGY NEWSLETTER

## STUDENT, FACULTY, AND ALUMNI NEWS

Welcome to **Prof. Daniela Wolin '10** who is joining us as Visiting Assistant Professor. Prof. Wolin is a bioarchaeologist who works in Mongolia and China.

**Prof. Kathryn Baustian** co-authored "The Land of Opportunity: Bioarchaeological Perspectives of Women's Lives in the Industrial Expansion into the Western United States (1850-1915)" in the *International Journal of Historical Archaeology*.

**Prof. Joowon Park** published "Transnational Mothering and North Korean Women's Strategies of Survival: Impact of China's One-Child Policy and Hukou on Migration and Kinship," in the *Asian Journal of Peacebuilding*.

**Prof. Heather Hurst** contributed illustrations of Maya murals featured in a documentary on Maya and Aztec civilization that aired on NHK World Japan.

**Prof. Siobhan Hart's** research with **Lily Whelden '25** and **Cerys Forster '26** was featured in the *Times Union* in an article titled "In Lake George, they're sifting through history." **Lily Whelden** also presented their research at the NY6 conference at Hamilton College.

**Prof. Heather Hurst** will be bringing seniors **Lily Whelden, Zach Campana, Sara Powers, and Emily Healy** to her excavation project, PRASBX, during Spring Break 2025.

**Alena Larsen '19** delivered a virtual talk to AN-365 Applying Anthropology about her experience working in the field of UX design.

**Maisie Bernstein '21** is researching surgical site infections using skeletal and archival evidence from an Oxford 18th-19th century infirmary at Durham University.

**Sarah Baker '21** is beginning the MPA program at George Mason University.

**Margot Hahn '22** began Columbia University's Museum Anthropology program.

## SPRING '25 CLASSES

**AN-101 – Intro to Cultural Anthropology** (Park/Rios/Ennis-McMillan)

**AN-102 – Anthropology of the Human Past** (Hurst/Wolin)

**AN-223 – Transnational Korea** (Park)

**AN-224 – Perspectives from Asia** (Park)

**AN-252 – Archaeology of East Asia** (Wolin)

**AN-252 – Queer(ing) Africa** (Amory)

**AN-322 – Sports in the Americas** (Rios)

**AN-342R – Global Mental Health** (Ennis-McMillan)

**AN-353 – Ethics and Human Remains in Anthropology (Ethics in Anthro)** (Wolin)

**AN-364 – Archaeological Collections and Curation** (Hart)

**AN-366 – Presenting Anthropology** (Ennis-McMillan)



**Prof. Hart, Prof. Baustian, Lily Whelden, and Cerys Forster** conducted excavations at Lake George Battlefield State Park in June 2024.



**Prof. Hurst and AN-328 Built Environments** volunteered for Rebuilding Saratoga for their community engagement project.



**Gabriella DePlasco '26 and Madeline Lutz '26**, members of the Skidmore Wombats Ultimate Frisbee Club, were joined by Prof. Rios at the Northeast Classic tournament.