



Major Career Recognition

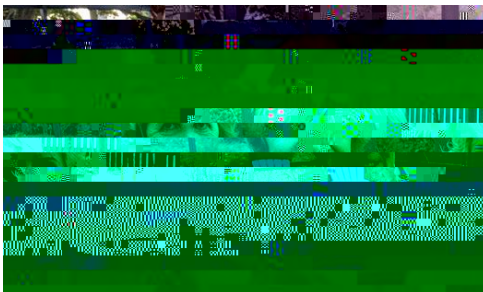
We congratulate Linda Whiteford, who has been awarded the Sol Tax Prize for Distinguished Service to Anthropology for her long-term and exceptional service to the Society for Applied Anthropology.

Whiteford has long been a major figure in SfAA, having served as President 2003-05, and contributing in many other roles. Her research and writing has focused on issues of gender and social justice in the areas of maternal and child health, reproductive health, global health policy, water-borne diseases, local and global responses to disasters, and humanitarian ethics. She has consulted for many international agencies such as WHO, PAHO, the World Bank, and USAID, and has received funding from the National Science Foundation.

Showing the central role of the Department in the Society for Applied Anthropology, Whiteford is the third USF faculty to win the Sol Tax Prize for Distinguished Service to Anthropology.

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Center, a small, all-volunteer non-profit that works to help instill pride in the rich heritage of this often marginalized neighborhood.

Bird has written several grants that have brought exhibits and programming to the Museum, such as a recent traveling exhibit on Florida Folk Art, accompanied by community lectures that attracted as many as 90 people to the Museum's beautiful location on the Hillsborough River.

Meanwhile, Jackson's students research important aspects of the community's history, most currently in her graduate Heritage Tourism class, where students are producing work that will feature in the museum. This partnership continues the department's tradition of engaged work that serves our local communities.

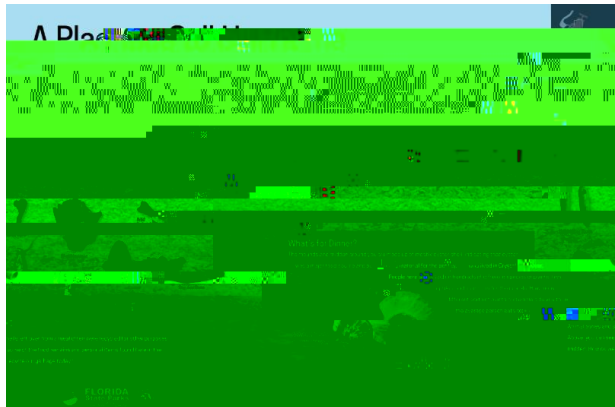
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Community Engagement: Crystal River

Florida Public Archaeology Network has been working with Dr. Tom Pluckhahn and the Crystal River Archaeological State Park to create new interpretive signage for the Crystal River archaeology site in Citrus County. The new signs are funded by a Florida Humanities Grant and the Friends of Crystal River State Parks. Installation will be completed sometime this spring.

[Park Information](#)



Student Success



Ryan Logan, a doctoral candidate who is also pursuing an MPH in Public Health, was selected to receive the Edward Spicer Travel Awards for 2018 from the Society for Applied Anthropology, to offset expenses of attending the Annual Meeting this April. He presented his paper, "Reaching



Ashley Maxwell, doctoral candidate, was awarded a Rust Family Foundation grant for her dissertation research: "Exploring Variations in Diet and Health from Late Antiquity to the Early Medieval Period in Veneto, Italy: A Biochemical Analysis." Her research, advised by Robert Tykot, explores migration dynamics and

Them Where They're At": Exploring the Challenges, Potentiality, and Sustainability of the Community Health Worker (CHW) Model in the United States. Logan also received a Student Honorary Award for Research and Practice (SHARP) from the USF College of Public Health.

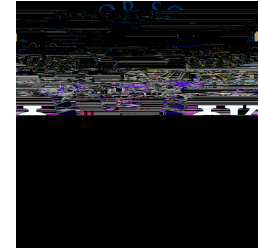
economic impacts through the use of stable isotope analyses to understand how migrant populations restructured the Regional Paleoenvironment in northern Italy after the fall of the Western Roman Empire. Maxwell also won an award for her poster at USF's 10th Annual Graduate Student Research Symposium.

Faculty Receive USF Honors

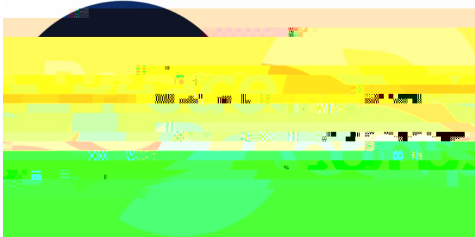
Christian Wells received the "Global Achievement Award for Outstanding Global Student Success" from USF World for creating the Peace Corps Master's International Program in Applied Anthropology and the Peace Corps Cover e r Cover e r Fellows Program in Applied Anthropology.

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Elizabeth Bird has been selected to receive the 2018 Artist/Scholar Award for the Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society's Chapter at the University of I h



South Florida. She will receive the award and make a presentation about her research and scholarship at the Phi Kappa Phi Induction Ceremony, to be held April 22h t April 22h t award d d d



Faculty Define a Field

Christian Wells, along with department colleague Diane Wallman and Isabel C. Rivera-Collazo (UC San Diego) co-edited a special issue of

23:1), titled Environmental Legacies of Colonialism in the Northern Neotropics.



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