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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2021 **Ph.D.**
University of California, Santa Barbara
Anthropology with an emphasis in Archaeology
- 2013 **M.A.**
California State University, Los Angeles
Anthropology with an emphasis in Archaeology
- 2008 **B.A.**
University of California, San Diego
Anthropology with an emphasis in Archaeology

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2023 Assistant Professor
California State University, Northridge
Department of Anthropology
- 2022 UC Presidential Postdoctoral Fellow
University of California, Santa Cruz
Department of Anthropology

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles

- 2025 Training for Transformation: Creating a Responsive Archaeology Workforce in California and Beyond. *Advances in Archaeological Practice*. 2025:1-17. doi:10.1017/aap.2025.10109.
Kaitlin M. Brown, Kaely Colligan, Annamarie Guerrero, Albert Gonzalez, and Anthony Rameriz. Published online

- 2024 Praxis, Persistence, and Public Archaeology: Disrupting the Mission Myth at La Purisima Concepcion. *American Antiquity* 89(3): 399-416.
- 2023 Rediscovering Lost Narratives: The Hidden Cache of High-Status Indigenous Family at Mission La Purísima Concepción and Its Significance in California History. *International Journal of Historical Archaeology* 28: 612–641. **Kaitlin. M Brown** and Shyra Liguori.
- 2023 Status and Social Stratification at Mission La Purísima Concepción. An Intra-site Investigation of Residential Space within the Chumash Rancheria 'Amuwu. *International Journal of Historical Archaeology* 27: 506–542. **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Maryrose Meyer, Elena Hancock, Nicki Sandoval, Glenn Farris.
- 2018 “A Song of Resilience”: Exploring Communities of Practice in Chumash Basket Weaving in Southern California. *Journal of California and Great Basin Anthropology* 38(2):143-162. **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Jan Timbrook, and Dana N. Bardolph.
- 2018 Crafting Identity: Acquisition, Production, Use, and Recycling of Soapstone during the Mission Period in Alta California. *American Antiquity* 83(2):244-262.
- 2018 Gender, Race, and Mentorship: A Perspective from California Archaeology. *Journal of California Archaeology* 10(2): 131-158.
- 2018 The UCSB Gender Equity Project: Talking Stock of Mentorship, Equity, and Harassment in California Archaeology Through Qualitative Survey Data. *Journal of California Archaeology* 10(2): 187-210. Amber VanDerwarker, **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Toni Gonzalez, Hugh Radde.
- 2016 Asphaltum (bitumen) production in everyday life on the California Channel Islands. *Journal of Anthropological Archaeology* 43:66-76.
- 2014 Sourcing archaeological asphaltum (bitumen) from the California Channel Islands to submarine seeps. *Journal of Archaeological Science* 43:66-76. **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Jacques Connan, Nicholas W. Poister, René L. Vellanoweth, John Zumberge, Michael H. Engel.
- 2014 Linking the artifact to the activity: Tarring pebble classification and use of asphaltum on San Nicolas Island, CA. *Journal of California Archaeology* 6(1):1-22. **Kaitlin M. Brown** and René L. Vellanoweth.

Book Reviews

- 2025 Review of *The Archaeology of Refuge and Recourse: Coast Miwok Resilience and Indigenous Hinterlands in Colonial California* by Tsim D. Schneider, The University of Arizona Press, Tucson, 2021.

- 2019 Review of *Metini Village: An Archaeological Study of Sustained Colonialism in Northern California* by Kent G. Lightfoot and Sara L. Gonzalez, Berkeley, Contributions of the Archaeological Research Facility, University of California, 2018.

Other Publications

- 2025 The California Archaeology Collaborative: Building a Shared Future for Archaeology in California. *SCA Proceedings* 38:255-263. **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Naomi Scher, Adrian Whitaker, Alexis Boutin, Emily Castano, Martha N. Diaz-Longo, Robert Geary, Albert Gonzalez, Heather McDaniel-Mcdevitt, Dustin McKenzie, Jana Nason, Samantha Schell, Barbara Tejada, Alex R. Watts-Tobin, Erik Whiteman
- 2024 Unearthing Ethics: An Archaeological Journey from Classroom to Conference. *Society for California Archaeology Newsletter* 58(2):23-25.
- 2024 Practical Approaches for Sustaining Careers in Archaeology: A Review of the “Boots on the Ground” Symposium at the 2024 SCA Annual Meeting. *Society for California Archaeology Newsletter* 58(2):26-30. Kaely Colligan, Kaitlin Brown, and Annamarie Guerrero.
- 2022 When Global Meets Local: Shifting Ceramic Consumption Practices among the Chumash at Mission La Purísima Concepción and Mission La Purísima Vieja. *La Campania* 48(1):5-11.
- 2021 Subsistence and Economic Activities of the Chumash Community 'Amuwu at Mission La Purísima Concepción. *Boletín: California Missions Foundation* 37(1):100-115. **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Brian J. Barbier, Griffin Fox, Itzamara Ixta, Gina Mosqueda-Lucas, Brianna Rotella, Lindsey Willoughby. In press.
- 2020 Hidden in Plain Site: Archaeology Reveals Daily Life of the Chumash Community at Mission La Purísima Concepción. *The Artifact, San Lois Obispo Archaeological Society*, 55(11-12):2-3.
- 2019 Small Things *Not* Forgotten. *Journal for California Archaeology*, 11(2):281-287.
- 2017 Weaving Community. *Society for California Archaeology Newsletter* 51(3):14-15. **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Dana N. Bardolph, and Jan Timbrook
- 2010 Unearthing a History that Unites Los Angeles. *San Diego Archaeological Society Newsletter* September/ October 2010:9-10

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 6/2026 College of Social and Behavioral Science Research Competition: Anthropology in the Age of AI (\$7,000)
- 6/ 2025 College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Competition: Voices in the Valley Project (\$6,500)

5/2025	Research and Sponsorship Programs Summer Grant Program: Recovering Indigenous Voices Project (\$2,000)
4/2024	Community-Engaged Pedagogical Grant: Oral History Project in Collaboration with the Barbareño/Ventureño Band of Mission Indians (BVBMI) California State University, Northridge (\$6,500)
6/2021	UC-President's Pre-professorate Fellowship: Exploring and Preparing for the Professorate
1/2020	National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant. Award # 2003428
10/2019	Critical Mission Studies UC Graduate Student Fellowship Critical Mission Studies, University of California San Diego
4/2018	Humanities and Social Science Research Grant University of California, Santa Barbara Graduate Division
4/2018	UCSB Archaeology Graduate Student Research Grant (AGSRG) University of California, Santa Barbara Department of Anthropology Multi-year support: 2014-2018
4/2016	Community Collaborative Basketweaving Event Grants -Graduate Student Association (GSA) Grant for Public Events -Anthropology Graduate Student Association Grants for Public Events -Interdisciplinary History and Anthropology Grant for Public Events -Society for California Archaeology Month Mini-Grant
4/2013	Graduate Equity Fellowship California State University, Los Angeles
9/2012	Environmental Science Grant California State University, Los Angeles
9/2012	Emeriti Fellowship California State University, Los Angeles

AWARDS AND HONORS

5/2025	Amerind Seminar Competition Award The Society for American Archaeology. Organized by Kaitlin Brown and Lee Panich Session: "Retelling Time in Indigenous-colonial Interactions Across North America."
4/2020	Fagan Fund for Public Archaeology University of California, Santa Barbara
3/2019	Charles E. Rozaire Award for Student Research in California Archaeology Society for California Archaeology

- 2/2016 1st Place Grad Slam
University of California Santa Barbara Department of Anthropology
- 5/2014 2nd place SAA Ethics Bowl; Team University of California, Santa Barbara
Society for American Archaeology 78th Annual Meeting; Austin, Texas.
- 6/2014 Distinguished Master's Thesis: College of Natural and Social Sciences
"A Functional Analysis of Asphaltum Utilization on San Nicolas Island: Acquisition, Processing, and Application at the Tule Creek Village Site (CA-SNI-25) San Nicolas Island, California."
- 5/2013 Sally Casanova Pre-Doctoral Scholar
California State University System-Wide Scholarship
- 5/2013 Special Recognition in Graduate Studies
California State University, Los Angeles
- 3/2012 Fund to Support Graduate Students in Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activities
California State University, Los Angeles
- 3/2012 David Miller Scholarship
California State University, Los Angeles
- 3/2012 Raul Henderson Spirit Scholarship
California State University, Los Angeles
- 3/2012 Golden Eagle Award of Excellence
California State University, Los Angeles
- 9/2011 Fund to Support Graduate Studies in Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activities
California State University, Los Angeles
- 6/2011 Sally Casanova Pre-Doctoral Honorable Mention
California State University System-Wide Scholarship

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY/ PARTICIPATION

Invited Talks

- 2026 Panelist, *Inspiration from California* webinar. Cambridge University Press and *Advances in Archaeological Practice*, hosted by Allison Mickel, May 14, 2026.
- 2021 Recovering the Subaltern Narrative at Mission La Purisima Concepcion through Community Collaborative Archaeology. Paper presented for Critical Mission Studies: From Truth Telling to Healing, November 11th, 2021.
- 2021 'Amuwwu: Uncovering the Chumash Community at Mission La Purisima Concepcion. Paper presented for the Santa Barbara Trust for Historic Preservation. August 12th, 2021.

- 2019 Gender, Community, and Identity in Chumash Basketweaving. Paper presented at the 53rd Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting Plenary Session, Sacramento, March 8th, 2019.
- 2017 Community and Cultural Resiliency in Chumash Basketweaving. Paper presented at the National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution's "Putting Theory and Things Together: Working with Museum Collections" Conference, November 28th, 2017.

Conferences/ Symposia/ Forums Organized

- 2026 Contemporary Issues in California Archaeology. Organized by **Kaitlin M. Brown** for the Society for American Archaeology 91st Annual Meeting, San Francisco, May 1st, 2026
- 2026 Forum: AI in Everyday Practice and the Preparation of Students. Organized by Suzanne Scheld, Kim Kirner, and **Kaitlin Brown** for the 86th Annual Meeting of The Society for Applied Anthropology (SfAA), Albuquerque, New Mexico. March 20th 2026.
- 2026 Session: Contemporary Issues in California Archaeology. Organized by **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Jennifer Perry, and Terry Jones for the 60th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Palm Springs, California. March 7th 2026.
- 2026 Forum: Women in California Archaeology: Annamarie Gurrero, Kaely Colligan, **Kaitlin Brown**, for the 60th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Palm Springs, California. March 6th, 2026.
- 2026 Forum: California Archaeology Collaborative: Year 2 Updates. Adie Whitaker, **Kaitlin Brown**, Naomi Scher, for the 60th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Palm Springs, California. March 6th, 2026.
- 2025 Symposium: Retelling Time in Indigenous-Colonial Interactions Across North America. Organized by **Kaitlin M. Brown** and Lee M. Panich the Society for the American Archaeology 90th Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado, April 24, 2025
- 2025 Forum: Charting a Hopeful Future: Contemporary Issues in California Archaeology, Round II. Organized by **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Jennifer Perry, Terry Jones for the 59th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Riverside, California. March 15th, 2025.
- 2025 Forum: California Archaeology Collaborative and the Future of Archaeological Practice in the State. Organized by Naomi Scher, **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Adie Whitaker for the 59th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Riverside, California. March 14th, 2025.
- 2025 Forum: Women in California Archaeology. Organized by Kaely Colligan, **Kaitlin M. Brown**, and Annamarie Leon-Guererro for the 59th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Riverside, California. March 14th, 2025.
- 2024 Practical Approaches for Sustaining Careers in Archaeology. Organized by Kaely Colligan, **Kaitlin M. Brown**, and Annamarie Leon-Guererro for the 58th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Riverside, California. March 8th, 2024.
- 2024 Chronicles of Colonialism: Unraveling Temporal Variability in Indigenous Experiences of Colonization in California Missions. Organized by **Kaitlin M. Brown** and Lee M. Panich for the

57th Annual Conference on Historical and Underwater Archaeology, Oakland, California, January 6th, 2024.

- 2023 The “New” Public Archaeology: Expanding Our Understanding of Community Engagement and Social Impact Through Archaeological Practice in California. Organized for the 57th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Oakland, California. March 16th, 2023
- 2021 Uncovering the Indigenous Past at Mission La Purísima Concepción
Organized for the 55th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting online. March 12th, 2021.
- 2020 Uncovering the Indigenous Past at Mission La Purísima Concepción. Public event, University of California, Santa Barbara. March 5th, 2020.
- 2017 Basketweaving: A Community Collaborative Event
Organized in collaboration with the UCSB Interdisciplinary Humanities Center (IHC)
“Community Matters” series, University of California, Santa Barbara. May 4th, 2018.
- 2014 Rapid Reports in Recent Research
Organized for the 48th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting; Visalia, CA. March 22nd, 2014.

Papers Presented

- 2026 Contemporary Issues in California Archaeology: The Current State of the Field. Presented by **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Jennifer Perry, and Terry Jones for the Society for American Archaeology 91st Annual Meeting, San Francisco, May 1st, 2026
- 2026 Excavating Archaeological Narratives: Centering Indigenous Priorities in Oral Histories of Archaeologists. Presented by Alva Baily, **Kaitlin Brown**, and Eleanor Fishburn for the Society for the American Archaeology 91st Annual Meeting, San Francisco, May 1st, 2026
- 2026 Contemporary Issues in California Archaeology: Where We've Been, Where We Are, and Where We're Headed. **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Jennifer Perry, and Terry Jones for the 60th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Palm Springs, California. March 7th, 2026.
- 2025 Unveiling Palimpsests and Pluralities During the Mission Period in Alta California. Presented at the Society for American Archaeology 90th Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado, April 24, 2025
- 2024 Preparing Students for Successful Careers in CRM: Insights from the 2023 CRM Job Fair Survey. Presented by **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Kaely Colligan, Annamarie Guerrero, Albert Gonzalez, and Anthony Ramirez. Presented at the 58th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Riverside, California. March 8th, 2024.
- 2024 Exploring a Glass and Ceramic Cache at Mission La Purísima Concepción: Inferences to Indigenous Negotiations of the Waning Spanish Frontier. Presented at the 57th Annual Conference on Historical and Underwater Archaeology, Oakland, California, January 6th, 2024.
- 2023 The Reorganization of Shell Bead Production in California During the Historic Period. Presented at the Society for American Archaeology 88th Annual Meeting, Portland, Oregon, March 30th, 2023. **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Brian J. Barbier, and Gina Mosqueda-Lucas.

- 2023 The Old, “New,” and Future of Public Archaeology. *In* The “New” Public Archaeology: Expanding Our Understanding of Community Engagement and Social Impact Through Archaeological Practice in California. The 57th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, Oakland, CA. March 16th, 2023
- 2022 Recovering Subaltern Narratives through Archaeological *Praxis*. In Building Heritage Sovereignty: From Exclusion To Community Resilience. **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Tsim D. Schneider, and Nicolasa I. Sandoval. American Anthropological Association, Seattle, Washington. November 13th, 2022.
- 2021 An Overview of Archaeological Investigations at Mission La Purisima Concepcion State Historic Park. Presented at the 55th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting, online, March 12th, 2021.
- 2020 Results of Archaeological Investigations at Mission La Purisima State Historic Park. Presented to the Elders Council of the Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians, online, November 19th, 2020.
- 2019 Recent Archaeological Investigations at Mission La Purisima State Historic Park. Paper presented at the Society for California Archaeology Data Sharing Meeting, Sedgwick Reserve, CA. By **Kaitlin M. Brown** and Gina Mosqueda-Lucas. October 19th, 2019
- 2019 Food Residue Analysis on Soapstone Cooking Vessels in the Chumash Homeland: Implications for Changing Foodway Patterns during the Mission period across the Colonial Landscape. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting for the Society for American Archaeology, Albuquerque, New Mexico. April 14th, 2019.
- 2018 Upcoming Fieldwork at Mission La Purísima Concepción. Presented at the Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians Elder’s Council Meeting. August 21, 2018.
- 2018 Uncovering Individuals and Communities in Chumash Basketweaving. Paper presented at the Ventura County Archaeological Society, Thousand Oaks, CA. March 13th, 2018.
- 2017 Communities of Basketweavers Past and Present: A Dialectic Approach using Museum Collections and Collaboration. Paper presented at 116th Annual Meeting for the American Anthropological Association. Washington D.C. By **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Jan Timbrook, and Dana N. Bardolph. December 2nd, 2019.
- 2017 Communities of Practice and Persistent Craft Traditions: New Perspectives on Indigenous California Basketweaving. Paper presented at the Society for California Archaeology Southern Data Sharing Meeting. San Luis Obispo, California. September 30th, 2017.

- 2017 Colonialism and Cuisine: Change and Continuity in Soapstone Consumption during the Mission Period in Alta California. Paper presented at the 82st Annual Meeting for the Society for American Archaeology: Vancouver, British Columbia. April 1st, 2017.
- 2017 Gender Equity Trends among SCA Members working in Academia and CRM. Paper presented at the 51th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting. Yosemite, CA. March 11th, 2017
- 2017 Landscapes of Power and Persistence: Tracking Change and Continuity in Foodways during the Mission Period in Alta California. Paper Presented at the 2nd Annual Grad Slam, UC Santa Barbara. March 3rd, 2017
- 2016 Associating Chumash Baskets to Individual Weavers. Paper presented at the Santa Barbara Archaeological Society; Santa Barbara, California. June 6th, 2016.
- 2016 Soapstone Consumption and Changing Foodways during the Colonial Period in the Santa Barbara Channel Region. Paper presented at the 4th Annual Anthropology Graduate Student Symposium, May 20th, 2016.
- 2016 Classifying Soapstone Ollas, Bowls, and *Comales* in the Santa Barbara Channel Region, CA. Poster presented at the Society for American Archaeology 81st Annual Meeting, Orlando, Florida. April 8th, 2016
- 2016 Associating Chumash Baskets to Individual Weavers. Kaitlin M. Brown and Jan Timbrook. Paper presented at the 50th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting; Ontario, CA. March 11th, 2016.
- 2015 Weaving Worlds: Chumash Basketweavers at the Turn of the 20th Century. Paper presented at the Summer Institute in Museum Anthropology 2015 Symposium, Washington D.C. July 22nd, 2015.
- 2014 Across Many Divides: A Network Approach to Exotic Artifacts Originating from the West in China Lake NAWS' South Range. **Kaitlin M. Brown** and Brian J. Barbier. Paper presented at the 34th Great Basin Anthropological Conference. Boise, Idaho. October, 17, 2014.
- 2014 New Applications for Remote Sensing in California. Paper presented at the 48th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting. Visalia, CA. March, 22, 2014.
- 2014 Archaeological Evidence for Asphaltum Production on San Nicolas Island, CA: Acquisition, Processing and Application at the Tule Creek Village Site. By: **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Renè L. Vellanoweth, and Richard Guttenberg
Paper presented at the Society for American Archaeology 79th Annual Meeting. Austin, Texas. April 25th, 2014.
- 2013 An Analysis of Bituminous Mixtures from the California Channel Islands: Evidence for Indigenous Sources of Bitumen in Relation to Submarine Seeps: **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Jacques

- Connan, Renè L. Vellanoweth. Paper presented at the Society for American Archaeology 78th Annual Meeting. Honolulu, Hawaii. April 5th, 2014
- 2013 What is Mixed in a Mixing Dish? An Experimental and Geochemical Analysis of Asphaltum-filled Abalone Dishes on San Nicolas Island. By: **Kaitlin M. Brown**, Jacques Connan, William E. Kendig, Renè L. Vellanoweth. Paper presented at the 47th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting. Berkeley, CA. March 8th, 2013.
- 2013 The Processing and Technological Application of Asphaltum in Southern California. Paper presented at the San Diego County Archaeological Society. October 17th, 2013.
- 2013 Oneota in the Mississippian Heartland: Analyzing the Bold Counselor Phase at the C.W. Cooper Site. By Kaitlin M. Brown and Gregory D. Wilson. Paper presented at the 70th Annual Southeastern Archaeological Conference. Tampa, Florida. November 8th, 2013.
- 2012 Classifying Tarring Pebbles on the Channel Islands. By: **Kaitlin M. Brown** and René L. Vellanoweth. Paper presented at the 46th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting. San Diego, California. April 1st, 2012.
- 2012 Differentiating Fishing Traps and Fishing Camps at Ancient Lake Cahuilla. Paper presented at the 46th Society for California Archaeology Annual Meeting. San Diego, California. March 30th, 2012.
- 2012 Arrows of Identity: An Analysis and Interpretation of Painted Arrow Shafts from Archaeological Sites at NAWS, China Lake. Paper presented at the 33rd Great Basin Anthropological Conference. Stateline, Nevada. October 13th, 2012.
- 2011 Archaeological Investigations at Los Angeles State Historic Park; Unearthing a History that Unites Los Angeles. By **Kaitlin M. Brown** and Brendon Greenaway. Poster presented at the 44th Society for Historical Archaeology Annual Conference. Austin, Texas. January 6th, 2011.

FIELD AND RESEARCH PROJECTS

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| 6/2025-ongoing | Recovering Indigenous Voices in CRM: Archaeological Ethnographies in Practice |
| 6/2018-09/20/21 | Uncovering the Indigenous Past at Mission La Purísima Concepción
Archaeological Field School and Laboratory Project
PI: Kaitlin Brown |
| 7/21/2017- 9/22/2017 | Mission La Purisima Subsurface Survey and GPR Testing
PI: Kaitlin Brown |
| 8/24/2015-9/7/2015 | Santa Cruz Island Archaeological Excavation; UC Santa Barbara
PI: Lynn Gamble |

6.1/2015-7/2015	Research Fellow, Smithsonian Summer Institute in Museum Anthropology (SIMA). Smithsonian Institution Museum of Natural History, Washington D.C.
7/29/2014-8/5/2014	Santa Rosa Island Terrace and Uplands Archaeological Survey. PI: Lynn Gamble
9/9/2013-9/13/2013	Santa Cruz Island Archaeological Excavation; UC Santa Barbara PI: Lynn Gamble
6/2013 – 7/2013	Sally Casanova Pre-Doctoral Research Internship Program Living with War Archaeological Project, Canton, Illinois; UC Santa Barbara PI: Gregory Wilson and Amber VanDerwarker
09/2011-11/2011	Crew Chief China Lake Archaeological Field School; CSU Los Angeles PI: Helen Wells
8/2011 - 9/2012	San Nicolas Island Archaeological Field School; CSU Los Angeles PI: René Vellanoweth
3/2008 – 6/2008	San Diego Museum of Man Curatorial Assistant University of California San Diego Academic Internship Program
6/2007 – 7/2007	University of California Archaeological Field School; Moquegua, Peru PI: Paul Goldstein

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2023-present	California State University, Northridge, Assistant Professor ANTH 606: Problems in Archaeology ANTH 518 Lab Methods in Archaeology and Lab ANTH 521: California Archaeology ANTH 490a: Seminar in Anthropology ANTH 319: World Prehistory ANTH 153 Temples, Tombs, and Treasures: An Introduction to Archaeology
2021- 2022	California State University Channel Islands, Lecturer Introductory Archaeology (ANTH 105): Spring 2022 Introductory Biological Anthropology (ANTH 104): Spring 2022 Native Californians (ANTH 323): Fall 2021 Human Evolution and Diversity (ANTH 345): Fall 2021
2018-2020	University of California Santa Barbara, Teaching Associate Indigenous Peoples of California (ANTH 131): Summer Session B 2021

North American Indians (ANTH 131): Summer Session A 2020
Techniques of Field Archaeology (ANTH 181): Summer Session A 2019
North American Indians (ANTH 131): Summer Session A 2018

2019-2020 **University of California Santa Barbara, Head Teaching Assistant**

Introductory Anthropology (ANTH 2): Winter 2020
Introductory Archaeology (ANTH 3): Spring 2019

2013-2020 **University of California Santa Barbara, Teaching Assistant**

Introductory Anthropology (ANTH 2): Fall 2013, 2015 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019
Introductory Archaeology (ANTH 3): Spring 2016, Fall 2020
Introductory Biological Anthropology (ANTH 5): Spring 2020
Introductory Bio-Social Anthropology (ANTH7): Winter 2021
California Indians (ANTH 131): Winter 2016; Spring 2017, Winter 2018
North American Indians (ANTH 131): Winter 2017, Spring 2018
Chicano/a Studies (CHST 1B): Spring 2014

STUDENT RESEARCH MENTORSHIP

2025–present

Recovering Indigenous Voices Project. Faculty mentor for student-led archaeological ethnography research originating in ANTH 490A/606; resulting conference presentations and manuscripts with students as lead authors and faculty co-authors.

2024–present

CRM Workforce Project. Faculty mentor for undergraduate and graduate student collaborators on survey design, data analysis, conference presentations, and the peer-reviewed publication in *Advances in Archaeological Practice*.

2024–present

Voices in the Valley Oral History Project. Faculty mentor for community-engaged oral history research developed through coursework; student-led presentations and publications in progress.

CERTIFICATES

5/15/2025 Remote Sensing and 3D Modeling Tools. Instructed by Sergio Bernardes. May 15, 2024. Society for American Archaeology

2/29/2024 Oral History and Archaeology. Instructed by Patricia Markert. February 29th, 2024, Society for American Archaeology.

12/1/2021 An Outline for Teaching Curation in the Classroom and the Field. Instructed by Tamira Brennan. December 1st, 2021. Society for American Archaeology.

1/25/2017 Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act: NAGPRA Fundamentals.
January 25th, 2017. Society for American Archaeology

CULTURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT EXPERIENCE

2019 – 2020 **Assistant Coordinator**, Central Coast Information Center; California Historical Resources Information System, UC Santa Barbara.

2010 – 2013 **Archaeological Project Leader**, California State Parks Southern Service Center.

2011 – 2012 **Archaeological Field Technician**, SWCA, Pasadena.

2008 – 2010 **Archaeological Specialist**, California State Parks Southern Service Center.

AI Teaching and Pedagogy Workshops

May 2026 AI Academy. Instructional Technology. California State University, Northridge

April 2026 AI has joined the faculty. Chronicle of Higher Education.

January 2026 *Applied AI in Practice*. Society for Applied Anthropology

January 2026 Course Re/Design Workshop with a focus on creating AI-aware assignments, Faculty Development. California State University, Northridge

SERVICE TO PROFESSION

Department of Anthropology AI Ambassador, 2026 to present

California Archaeology Collaborative, 2025 to present

Undergraduate Reboot Committee, California State University, Northridge, 2025 to present.

Scholarship Committee, California State University, Northridge, 2023 to present.

Graduate Reboot Committee, California State University, Northridge, 2023 to 2025.

Women for California Archaeology, Core Member, Society for California Archaeology, 2021 to present.

Public Archaeology Interest Group, Society for American Archaeology, 2019 to present.

Board Member, Santa Barbara Trust and Historic Preservation, 2019 to 2022.

Chair of the Archaeological Collections Committee

Program Planning Committee

Historic Resources Committee

Judge, The Global Undergraduate Awards: Anthropology and Cultural Studies, 2021

Student Representative, Society for California Archaeology, 2016 to 2018

President, UCSB Anthropology Graduate Student Association, 2016 to 2017

President, Lambda Alpha National Anthropology Honors Society, 2012 to 2013

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Society for American Archaeology

Society for Historical Archaeology

Society for California Archaeology

Santa Barbara County Archaeological Society

Ventura County Archaeological Society

REFERENCES

*Upon request