

1. **Institution Name:** Wayne State University
2. **Department Title:** Department of Anthropology
3. **Faculty in Historical Archaeology and Museum Studies:**
 1. Bray, Tamara L. (Ph.D., SUNY-Binghamton 1991; Prof. Anthropology; Director, Grosscup Museum of Anthropology) Andean archaeology; complex societies; museum anthropology; archaeological method and theory; repatriation; Inca; Ecuador.
 2. Killion, Thomas (Ph.D., New Mexico 1987; Assoc. Prof. Anthropology) Anthropological archaeology; ethnoarchaeology, settlement, agriculture, environment; ethics, repatriation; Mesoamerica, North America (esp. historic Detroit).
 3. Ryzewski, Krysta (Ph.D., Brown 2008; Asst. Prof. Anthropology) Historical & contemporary archaeology; colonialism; craft & industrial production; archaeological science; community archaeology; ethics; historical ecology; Caribbean; North America (esp. Northeast and Michigan).
4. **Other Related Faculty:**
 1. Batteau, Allen W. (Ph.D., Chicago 1978; Assoc. Prof. Anthropology) Business and industrial anthropology; Director, Institute for Information Technology and Culture.
 2. Chrisomalis, Stephen (Ph.D., McGill 2003; Asst. Prof. Anthropology) Linguistic anthropology; numeral systems; cognitive anthropology; anthropology of mathematics; writing systems and literacy.
 3. Newman, Andrew (Ph.D., CUNY 2011; Asst. Prof. Anthropology) Urban ethnography; sociocultural anthropology.
 4. Setzer, Teddi J. (Ph.D., South Florida 2010; Lecturer Anthropology) Physical anthropology; biology and culture; Italy.

5. **General Statement:**

Wayne State University, located in Detroit, Michigan, is among the largest public urban research universities in the United States. The Anthropology Department has a strong four-field presence, and its faculty and graduate students actively conduct research that integrates the local urban fabric of Detroit with global issues within the field.

Archaeology and Museum Studies at Wayne State are housed within the Anthropology Department. Graduate students may pursue an M.A. in Anthropology with a focus in either Public Archaeology or Museum Studies, or a Ph.D. in Anthropology with a focus in Archaeology. Coursework is designed to offer graduate students a comprehensive foundation in the methods and theory of anthropological archaeology, working knowledge of the contemporary cultural heritage issues in the field, and practical skills for professional development (e.g., grant-writing, CRM processes).

The archaeology program is primarily oriented towards New World archaeology, with areal expertise in North America, Central America, the Caribbean, and Andean South America. All members of the archaeology faculty maintain expertise and actively teach or conduct research on archaeological ethics, law, and cultural heritage management. Individual faculty expertise includes: regional analysis, settlement pattern studies, landscape archaeology, complex societies, urban archaeology, material culture, archaeological science, archaeological theory, and museum anthropology. Current faculty fieldwork is ongoing in several locations, including: the 19th-century Corktown neighborhood of Detroit; a 17th-18th-century plantation (Greene Farm) in Rhode Island;

the site of Inca-Caranqui in northern highland Ecuador; and diachronic landscape archaeology on the Caribbean island of Montserrat. Additional student and faculty research involves collections in the university's Gordon L. Grosscup Museum of Anthropology and resources at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory. Graduate students have the opportunity to participate directly in these projects during the field seasons, as well as in related laboratory analysis throughout the academic year. The faculty encourages participation in field and laboratory research early in graduate training; funding is available for student fieldwork.

The Anthropology Department and Wayne State University offers several well-equipped facilities to assist graduate student research development. The Gordon L. Grosscup Museum of Anthropology houses permanent and temporary exhibitions and houses a large collection of archaeological, ethnographic and contemporary materials primarily from North America, but also including material from Africa, Central America, the Caribbean, and Asia. Archaeology and Physical Anthropology laboratories, an archival research facility, and a computer lab are also located within the Museum complex. These spaces, which are available for student research, include facilities for mapping, computerized drafting, photography, spatial analysis, ceramic analysis, and statistical research, as well as important comparative collections.

Beyond the Anthropology Department, archaeologists at Wayne maintain close connections to scholars in other university departments, including Urban Studies, History, Geological Sciences, and Chemical Engineering and Materials Science. Wayne State has excellent university and inter-university library facilities, with six libraries on campus, including the Walter P. Reuther Library of Labor and Urban Affairs, the largest labor history archive in North America.

Located in the heart of Detroit's Cultural Center Wayne State offers students additional outstanding local resources in the immediate vicinity of campus. Many students and faculty work closely with the nearby Burton Historical Collection at the Detroit Public Library, the Detroit Historical Museum, the Museum of African American History, the Detroit Institute of Art, and the Museum of Contemporary Art, as well as several smaller local organizations.

For More Information Contact:

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