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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

2011 Ph.D. in Anthropology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
2004 M.S. in Anthropology, Université de Montréal, Canada
2001 B.S. in Anthropology, Université de Montréal, Canada

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2021-present Director of International Education, Millsaps College, Jackson, Mississippi
2020-present Associate Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Millsaps College
2015-2020 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Millsaps College
2013-2015 Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Millsaps College
2011-2013 Post-Doctoral Fellow of the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Department of Anthropology, Trent University, Canada

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Research Archaeology, states, empires, colonialism, indigenous archaeology, household archaeology, political economy, culture contact, exchange, social inequality, Latin America, Andes, Peru

Teaching Ancient civilizations, popular archaeology, archaeological methods and theory, anthropological theory, empires and colonialism, Andean prehistory, archaeology of death, drugs and altered states of consciousness, origins of inequality, field and laboratory methods (field course), tourism

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

2023 Alaica, Aleksa K. and **Véronique Bélisle**. Bone and Antler Artifact Use in the 1st millennium CE of Cusco, Peru: Insights on Textile Production and Food Processing from the site of Ak'awillay. *Quaternary International* 665-666:176-186.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.quaint.2023.05.009>

2022 Burger, Richard L., Eisei Tsurumi, Matthew Boulanger, Kurt Rademaker, **Véronique Bélisle**, and Michael D. Glascock. Sayrosa, a Minor Obsidian Source in the Puna of

- Arequipa. *Ñawpa Pacha: Journal of Andean Archaeology* 42(2):185-204.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/00776297.2022.2029157>
- 2021 Bey, Bridget, Valerie A. Andrushko, and **Véronique Bélisle**. A Look at Local Populations during Wari Expansion: Bioarchaeology at Ak'awillay, Cusco, Peru. *Ñawpa Pacha: Journal of Andean Archaeology* 41(1):1-18.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/00776297.2021.1878602>
- 2020 **Bélisle, Véronique**, Hubert Quispe-Bustamante, Thomas J. Hardy, Allison R. Davis, Elder Antezana Condori, Carlos Delgado González, José Victor Gonzales Avendaño, David A. Reid, and Patrick Ryan Williams. Wari Impact on Regional Trade Networks: Patterns of Obsidian Exchange in Cusco, Peru. *Journal of Archaeological Science: Reports* 32:102439. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jasrep.2020.102439>
- 2020 **Bélisle, Véronique** and Brian S. Bauer. Local Trade and Pottery Production in the Cusco Region before and during the Wari Expansion. *Ñawpa Pacha: Journal of Andean Archaeology* 40(1):1-20. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00776297.2020.1712097>
- 2019 **Bélisle, Véronique**. Hallucinogens and Altered States of Consciousness in Cusco, Peru: A Path to Local Power during Wari State Expansion. *Cambridge Archaeological Journal* 29(3):375-391. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0959774319000015>
- 2019 **Bélisle, Véronique** and Vicentina Galiano Blanco. Cerámica e impacto wari durante el Horizonte Medio en Ak'awillay, Cusco. *Qillqana: Revista Arqueológica del Cusco* 1:26-41. Available at <https://revistaqillqana.com/>
- 2018 Turner, Bethany L., **Véronique Bélisle**, Allison R. Davis, Maeve Skidmore, Sara L. Juengst, Benjamin J. Schaefer, R. Alan Covey, and Brian S. Bauer. Diet and foodways across five millennia in the Cusco region of Peru. *Journal of Archaeological Science* 98:137-148.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jas.2018.07.013>
- 2017 **Bélisle, Véronique** and Hubert Quispe-Bustamante. Innovaciones alfareras del período Intermedio Temprano: cerámica Ak'awillay y Waru de Cusco, Perú. *Chungara Revista de Antropología Chilena* 49(4):555-572. Available at http://www.chungara.cl/Vols/2017/49-4/04-BELISLE_QUIspe.pdf
- 2015 **Bélisle, Véronique**. Understanding Wari State Expansion: A "Bottom-Up" Approach at the Village of Ak'awillay, Cusco, Peru. *Latin American Antiquity* 26(2):180-199.
<https://doi.org/10.7183/1045-6635.26.2.180>
- 2013 Covey, R. Alan, Brian S. Bauer, **Véronique Bélisle**, and Lia Tsesmeli. Regional Perspectives on Wari State Influence in Cusco, Peru (c. AD 600-1000). *Journal of Anthropological Archaeology* 32(4):538-552. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jaa.2013.09.001>
- 2010 **Bélisle, Véronique** and Vicentina Galiano Blanco. Ak'awillay: un pueblo autónomo durante la colonización wari en el Cusco. *Revista Andina* 50:141-173.
<http://www.revistaandinacbc.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/ra50/ra-50-2010-05.pdf>

Chapters in Edited Volumes (*peer-reviewed)

- 2023* **Bélisle, Véronique**, Aleksa K. Alaica, and Matthew Brown. Private Dinners and Public Feasts: Food as Political Action in Middle Horizon Cusco. In *Foodways of the Ancient Andes: Transforming Diet, Cuisine, and Society*, edited by Marta Alfonso-Durruty and

- Deborah E. Blom, pp. 158-177. Amerind Studies in Anthropology. University of Arizona Press, Tucson. <https://uapress.arizona.edu/book/foodways-of-the-ancient-andes>
- 2014 **Bélisle, Véronique**. Early Intermediate Period and Middle Horizon Settlement Patterns in the Xaquixaguana Region. In *Regional Archaeology in the Inca Heartland: The Hanan Cuzco Surveys*, edited by R. Alan Covey, pp. 77-91. University of Michigan Museum of Anthropology, Ann Arbor. <https://doi.org/10.3998/mpub.11395593>
- 2014 Covey, R. Alan, **Véronique Bélisle**, and Allison R. Davis. Research Projects and Field and Laboratory Methods. In *Regional Archaeology in the Inca Heartland: The Hanan Cuzco Surveys*, edited by R. Alan Covey, pp. 3-19. University of Michigan Museum of Anthropology, Ann Arbor. <https://doi.org/10.3998/mpub.11395593>
- 2010* **Bélisle, Véronique** and R. Alan Covey. Local Settlement Continuity and Wari Impact in Middle Horizon Cusco. In *Beyond Wari Walls: Regional Perspectives on Middle Horizon Peru*, edited by Justin Jennings, pp. 78-95. University of New Mexico Press, Albuquerque. <https://www.unmpress.com/9780826348678/beyond-wari-walls/>
- 2008* **Bélisle, Véronique**. El Horizonte Medio en el Valle de Santa: Continuidad y Discontinuidad con los Mochicas del Intermedio Temprano. In *Arqueología Mochica: Nuevos Enfoques*, edited by L. J. Castillo, H. Bernier, G. Lockard, and J. Rucabado, pp. 17-31. Fondo Editorial de la Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú/Instituto Francés de Estudios Andinos, Lima, Peru. <https://doi.org/10.18800/9789972428364>

Encyclopedia Entry

- 2023 R. Alan Covey and **Véronique Bélisle**. South America, Intermediate Periods. In *Encyclopedia of Archaeology*, 2nd Edition, edited by Efthymia Nikita and Thilo Rehren. Elsevier. <https://doi.org/10.1016/B978-0-323-90799-6.00179-8>

Book Reviews

- 2021 **Bélisle, Véronique**. Review of "Archaeologies of Empire: Local Participants and Imperial Trajectories." *American Antiquity*. <https://doi.org/10.1017/aaq.2021.104>.
- 2016 **Bélisle, Véronique**. Review of "Tenahaha and the Wari State: A View of the Middle Horizon from the Cotahuasi Valley." *Latin American Antiquity* 27 (1):135-136. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1045663500008245>.
- 2006 **Bélisle, Véronique**. Review of "Pikillacta: The Wari Empire in Cuzco." *The Journal of Latin American Anthropology* 11 (2):434-436.

Works under Review

- n.d. Patrick Ryan Williams, David Reid, M. Elizabeth Grávalos, Erik Marsh, **Véronique Bélisle**, Christina Conlee, Sarah Kerchusky, and Gordon McEwan. Wari Across the Andes: Reviewing the Radiocarbon Evidence. Submitted to *Quaternary International*.
- n.d. Covey, R. Alan, Kylie Quave, Nicole Payntar, Camille Weinberg, Hubert Quispe-Bustamante, and **Véronique Bélisle**. Settlement Discontinuity at Ak'awillay and the Growth of the Inca Imperial Heartland (Cuzco, Peru). Submitted to *Antiquity*.
- n.d. Quave, Kylie E. and **Véronique Bélisle**. Cambios diacrónicos de los ritos privados y públicos en los pueblos prehispánicos de Xaquixaguana, Cusco. Invited paper to be

published in *Arqueología del sur del Perú* (tentative title), edited by Carlos Delgado González and Miriam Araóz Silva.

- n.d. **Bélisle, Véronique** and Hubert Quispe-Bustamante. El impacto wari en Cusco: resultados de las excavaciones en el centro local de Ak'awillay. Invited paper to be published in *Arqueología del sur del Perú* (tentative title), edited by Carlos Delgado González and Miriam Araóz Silva.
- n.d. Alaica, Aleksa K. and **Véronique Bélisle**. Camelid Caravans of Middle Horizon Peru: Household Contexts, Local Transformations, and Interregional Interaction in Cusco. In *Mobile Pastoralist Households: Archaeological and Ethnoarchaeological Perspectives*, edited by Jean-Luc Houle. Berghahn, New York.

Works in Preparation

- n.d. **Bélisle, Véronique**. Wari State Expansion and Local Impact in Cusco. Book manuscript, 95% complete (80,000 words) as of December 2023.
- n.d. **Bélisle, Véronique** and Hubert Quispe-Bustamante. Wari Monumental Architecture at Kaninkunka: Wari State Canons from Huaró, Cusco. To be submitted to *Journal of Field Archaeology*.

EXTERNAL GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

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| 2021-2022 | Diversity and Inclusion Grant, Associated Colleges of the South |
| 2019 | Archaeology Grant, Rust Family Foundation |
| 2013 | Insight Development Grant, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (declined) |
| 2011-2013 | Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada |
| 2011 | Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Fonds Québécois de la recherche sur la société et la culture (declined) |
| 2007 | Dissertation Improvement Grant, National Science Foundation |
| 2007 | Dissertation Fieldwork Grant, Wenner Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research |
| 2003-2007 | Doctoral Fellowship, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada |
| 2003-2004 | Doctoral Fellowship, Fonds Québécois de la recherche sur la société et la culture |
| 2001-2003 | Master's Fellowship, Fonds Québécois de la recherche sur la société et la culture |

AWARDS AND HONORS

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| 2023 | Richard A. Smith Award for Excellence in Scholarship, Millsaps College |
| 2020 | Society for American Archaeology/Amerind Foundation Award |
| 2011 | Louise Ann Williams Distinguished Dissertation Award, University of Michigan |
| 2006 | Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, Department of Anthropology, University of Michigan |
| 2004 | Award for Admission to Master's Degree, Université de Montréal, for best entering graduate students |
| 2001 | Award for Excellence of Undergraduate Academic Record, Université de Montréal |

INVITED LECTURES

- 2022 *Wari Power and Local Encounters in Middle Horizon Cusco*. Pre-Columbian Society of Washington D.C., 4 November 2022.
- 2021 *Wari State Expansion and Local Impact in Middle Horizon Peru*. Louisiana State University, Department of Anthropology, 5 November 2021.
- 2021 *State Expansion in Middle Horizon Peru: Re-Examining Wari Impact on the Local Communities of the Cusco Region*. University of Michigan, Interdisciplinary Andean Circle/Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, 26 May 2021.
- 2021 *Re-examinando el impacto de la expansión Wari sobre las comunidades locales del Cusco durante el Horizonte Medio*. Universidad Nacional San Antonio Abad del Cusco, Facultad de Arqueología, 17 February 2021, Cusco, Peru.
- 2021 *Wari State Expansion in Middle Horizon Peru: Re-Examining Impact on the Local Communities of the Cusco Region*. University of Toronto, Archaeology Centre, 12 February 2021.
- 2020 *Ancient Globalized Worlds: The Wari State in Cusco, Peru*. University of Michigan, Program in International and Comparative Studies, 18 November 2020.
- 2020 *Wari State Expansion in Middle Horizon Peru: Re-Examining Impact on the Local Communities of the Cusco Region*. Tulane University, Department of Anthropology, 9 October 2020.
- 2020 *Wari State Expansion and Local Impact in the Cusco Region*. University of Texas at Austin, Department of Anthropology, 8 September 2020.
- 2019 *El impacto económico de la expansión wari en el Cusco durante el Horizonte Medio*. XI Conferencia de Arqueología Regional de Cusco 2019, Ministry of Culture, 11 June 2019, Cusco, Peru.
- 2018 *El maíz y la chicha en la época pre-inka en Cusco: festines, prestigio y poder*. Congreso Internacional "Origen y Evolución del Maíz en los Andes," Universidad Andina del Cusco, 18 May 2018, Cusco, Peru.
- 2017 *Practicas rituales en el Horizonte Medio: consumo de chicha y sustancias alucinógenas en Ak'awillay, Anta*. Universidad Nacional San Antonio Abad del Cusco, Facultad de Arqueología, 26 July 2017, Cusco, Peru.
- 2014 *Wari State Expansion: Local Reactions, Exchange, and Feasts in the Land of the Inkas*. Mississippi State University, Department of Anthropology, 10 October 2014, Starkville, Mississippi.
- 2014 *Después de la excavación, antes de la publicación: la importancia del análisis en la investigación arqueológica*. Universidad Nacional San Antonio Abad del Cusco, Facultad de Arqueología, 24 July 2014, Cusco, Peru.
- 2014 *El análisis arqueológico: un ejemplo desde Ak'awillay, Anta*. Ministerio de Cultura-Cusco, 18 July 2014, Cusco, Peru.
- 2013 *Beer, Drugs, and Conquests in the Land of the Inkas*. Louisiana Archaeological Society, 21 November 2013, Monroe, Louisiana.

- 2013 *La investigación arqueológica: la expansión wari en el Cusco*. Universidad Nacional San Antonio Abad del Cusco, Facultad de Arqueología, 10 July 2013, Cusco, Peru.
- 2013 *Trade, Drugs, and Imperial Conquests in Pre-Inka Peru*. Trent University in Oshawa, Department of Anthropology, 27 March 2013, Oshawa, Ontario.
- 2012 *Household Change, Ritual, and Exchange during Wari Expansion in Cusco, Peru (AD 600-1000)*. Trent University Archaeological Research Centre, 17 October 2012, Peterborough, Ontario.
- 2012 *Ak'awillay: Repensando la presencia wari en el Cusco*. Symposium on Andean archaeology organized by the Colegio de Arqueólogos del Perú, 3 August 2012, Cusco, Peru.

CONFERENCE PAPERS

- 2022 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *Hallucinogens and Fermented Beverages in Middle Horizon Cusco, Peru: Community-Building and Tensions in a Context of State Intrusion*. Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 30 March-3 April 2022, Chicago.
- 2022 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *Re-Examining the Andean Middle Horizon from the Bottom Up: A View from the Cusco Region*. Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 30 March-3 April 2022, Chicago.
- 2022 Quave, Kylie and **Véronique Bélisle**. *Diachronic Change in Public and Private Offerings in Ancient Xaquixaguana (Cusco, Perú)*. Conference of the Society for Amazonian and Andean Studies, 5-6 March 2022, Harrisonburg, VA.
- 2021 Alaica, Aleksa K. and **Véronique Bélisle**. *Community Interactions and Processing Agricultural Staples: Insights from Worked Scapulae from Ak'awillay, Cusco, Peru*. Conference of the Worked Bone Research Group, International Council for Archaeozoology, 30 August-3 September 2021, Johannesburg, South Africa.
- 2021 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *Beyond Wari Empire and Inka Analogy: Refining Reconstructions of Wari Power in Middle Horizon Cusco*. Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 15-17 April 2021, online.
- 2020 **Bélisle, Véronique**, Aleksa K. Alaica, and Matthew Brown. *Private and Public Consumption: Considering Diet and Social Inequality at the Middle Horizon Site of Ak'awillay, Cusco, Peru*. Paper presented in the Symposium "Food, Diet and Cuisine in the Ancient Andes" at the 85th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 22-26 April 2020 (online), recipient of the SAA-Amerind Award 2020.
- 2019 **Bélisle, Véronique** and Hubert Quispe-Bustamante. *Ritual Power House or Private Temple? Excavations at the Wari Site of Kaninkunka in the Cusco Region of Peru*. Conference of the Society for Amazonian and Andean Studies, 5-6 October 2019, Tuscaloosa, AL.
- 2019 **Bélisle, Véronique**, Hubert Quispe-Bustamante, Allison Davis, Carlos Delgado González, and Matthew Brown. *Evaluating Wari Impact on Regional Trade Networks: Patterns of*

- Obsidian Exchange in Cusco, Peru before and during the Middle Horizon.* Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 10-14 April 2019, Albuquerque, NM.
- 2019 Brown, Matthew and **Véronique Bélisle**. *A Study of Social Inequality at the Andean Prehistoric Site of Ak'awillay.* Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 10-14 April 2019, Albuquerque, NM.
- 2018 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *Reassessing Wari Power in the Central Andes: Local Agency, Trade, and Competition in the Cusco Region.* Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 11-15 April 2018, Washington DC.
- 2018 Alaica, Aleksa K. and **Véronique Bélisle**. *Middle Horizon Cusco and Long-Distance Networks: Reconciling Spatial Variation through a Zooarchaeological Lens at Ak'awillay, Peru.* Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 11-15 April 2018, Washington DC.
- 2017 Alaica, Aleksa K. and **Véronique Bélisle**. *Middle Horizon Exchange Networks in the Cusco Region of Peru: Zooarchaeological Evidence for Long Distance Trade and Interaction at Ak'awillay.* Conference of the Society for Amazonian and Andean Studies, 4-5 November 2017, Jackson, MS.
- 2017 Bey, Bridget, and **Véronique Bélisle**. *A Look at Local Populations during Wari Expansion: Bioarchaeology and Funerary Contexts at Ak'awillay, Cusco, Peru.* Conference of the Society for Amazonian and Andean Studies, 4-5 November 2017, Jackson, MS.
- 2016 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *The Development of Inequality in Middle Horizon Cusco: Entheogens and Ritual Ceremonies to the Rescue.* Paper presented at the 81st Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 6-10 April 2016, Orlando.
- 2015 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *Hallucinogens and Altered States of Consciousness: A Road to Inequality in Middle Horizon Cusco.* Paper presented at the conference of the Society for Amazonian and Andean Studies, 26-27 September 2015, Baton Rouge, LA.
- 2012 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *When the State Meets the Community: Rethinking Wari Impact in Cusco, Peru (AD 600-1000).* Paper presented at the 77th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 18-22 April 2012, Memphis.
- 2010 Williams, P. Ryan, **Véronique Bélisle**, Augusto Cardona, Robin Coleman, and Kirk Costion. *Obsidian as a Commodity of Interregional Exchange in Wari Sites of Southern Peru.* Paper presented at the 75th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 14-18 April 2010, St. Louis.
- 2009 **Bélisle, Véronique** and Vicentina Galiano Blanco. *Villagers of Ak'awillay, Cusco and their Limited Participation in the Wari State.* Paper presented at the 74th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 22-26 April 2009, Atlanta.
- 2008 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *Continuity at the Village Level in Middle Horizon Cusco.* Paper presented at the 73rd Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 26-30 March 2008, Vancouver.
- 2007 **Bélisle, Véronique**, R. Alan Covey, and Carlos Delgado González. *Early Intermediate Period and Middle Horizon Interaction in the Xaquixaguana Plain, Cusco.* Paper

presented at the 72nd Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 25-29 April 2007, Austin.

- 2006 Covey, R. Alan, **Véronique Bélisle**, and Allison R. Davis. *Late Intermediate Period Group Interaction in the Cusco Region (Peru)*. Paper presented at the 71st Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 26-30 April 2006, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 2004 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *El Horizonte Medio en el Valle de Santa: Continuidad y Discontinuidad con los Mochica del Periodo Intermedio Temprano*. Paper presented at the Primera Conferencia de Jóvenes Investigadores sobre la Cultura Mochica, 4-5 August 2004, Pontificia Universidad La Católica del Perú, Lima, Peru.
- 2004 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *The Transition from the Early Intermediate Period Mochica to the Middle Horizon Tanguche in the Santa Valley*. Paper presented at the 69th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 31 March-4 April 2004, Montreal.
- 2004 Costion, Kirk, **Véronique Bélisle**, and Ana Miranda. *Wari Ceramics at Cerro Baúl: A First Look at Function and Space*. Paper presented at the 69th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, 31 March-4 April 2004, Montreal.
- 2003 **Bélisle, Véronique**. *Middle Horizon Occupation of El Castillo, Santa Valley: Ceramics and Chronology*. Paper presented at the 31st Annual Midwest Conference on Andean and Amazonian Archaeology and Ethnohistory, 22-23 February 2003, Field Museum/ University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2019- **Co-Director**, Kaninkunka Archaeological Project (with Hubert Quispe-Bustamante)
Excavations in the Cusco region, Peru
- 2019 **Co-Director**, Chumbivilcas Obsidian Project (with Hubert Quispe-Bustamante)
Reconnaissance in Chumbivilcas, Cusco, Peru and pXRF analysis
- 2006-2018 **Director**, Ak'awillay Archaeological Project
Excavations in the Cusco region, Peru
- 2006 **Field Assistant**, Oropesa-Andahuaylillas Archaeological Survey
Project directed by Brian S. Bauer (University of Illinois at Chicago)
Survey in the Cusco region, Peru
- 2005 **Director**, Pongobamba Excavation Project (with R. Alan Covey)
Excavations in the Cusco region, Peru
- 2004-2005 **Supervisor**, Xaquixaguana Plain Archaeological Survey
Project directed by R. Alan Covey (University of Texas at Austin)
Survey in the Cusco region, Peru
- 2003 **Research Assistant**, Cerro Baúl Archaeological Project
Project directed by Patrick Ryan Williams (Field Museum/University of Illinois at Chicago)
Laboratory Work (ceramic analysis) in the Moquegua Valley, Peru
- 2001-2002 **Research Assistant**, Projet Santa de l'Université de Montréal
Project directed by Claude Chapdelaine (Université de Montréal)
Excavations in the Santa Valley, north coast of Peru

TEACHING EXPERIENCE**Lower-Level Undergraduate Courses at Millsaps College**

Archaeology of Ancient Civilizations
 Myths and Frauds in Archaeology
 Dig In: The Archaeology of Cannibalism
 Archaeology of Death
 Anthropology of Drugs and Altered States of Consciousness
 Archaeological Method and Theory
 Food and Culture

Upper-Level Undergraduate Courses at Millsaps College

The Inkas and their Ancestors
 Latin American Cultures and Societies
 Archaeology in the Land of the Inkas (archaeological field school in Peru)
 Empires and Colonialism
 Origins of Inequality
 Anthropology of Tourism
 Social and Cultural Theory
 Senior Seminar in Anthropology

THESIS COMMITTEES**Ph.D. Dissertations**

2022- Bridget Bey, Washington University in St. Louis (Andean bioarchaeology)
 2021 Elizabeth Cruzado, Louisiana State University (Andean archaeology)

Undergraduate Honors Theses

2022-2023 Bernard Booth, Millsaps College (archaeology)
 2020-2021 Khaylah Scott, Millsaps College (sociology)
 2019-2020 Erica Bennett, Millsaps College (anthropology)
 2018-2019 Matthew Brown, Millsaps College (archaeology)
 2017-2018 Michelle McIntosh, Millsaps College (anthropology)
 2012-2013 Tyler Nemeth, Trent University (archaeology)

INTERNAL GRANTS

2014-2023 Faculty Development Grant, Millsaps College
 2014-2022 Faculty Travel Grant, Millsaps College
 2012-2013 Professional Development Fund, Canadian Union of Public Employees Local 3908
 2010 Block Grant, Department of Anthropology, University of Michigan
 2009-2010 Rackham Predoctoral Fellowship, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan
 2006 Rackham International Research Award, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan
 2006 James B. Griffin Award, Museum of Anthropology, University of Michigan
 2006 Rackham Discretionary Fund, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan

- 2005 International Institute Individual Fellowship, International Institute, University of Michigan
- 2005 Summer Fieldwork Support, Department of Anthropology, University of Michigan
- 2005 Rackham Discretionary Fund, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan

SERVICE TO PROFESSION

Peer Review: Journal & Book Manuscripts

Journal of Archaeological Research
Journal of Anthropological Archaeology
Antiquity
Journal of Archaeological Science Reports
Journal of Field Archaeology
Archaeometry
Latin American Antiquity
Ñawpa Pacha: Journal of Andean Archaeology
Andean Past
Latin American and Latinx Visual Culture
Arqueológicas
Boletín de Arqueología PUCP
Qillqana: Revista Arqueológica del Cusco
 University Press of Florida
 Routledge

Peer Review: Grants

National Science Foundation
 Lewis and Clark Fund for Exploration and Field Research
 American Philosophical Society

Other Activities

- 2017 Organizer, conference of the Society for Amazonian and Andean Studies, 4-5 November 2017, Millsaps College, Jackson, MS
- 2015-2023 Editorial Committee, *Qillqana: Revista Arqueológica del Cusco*

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

- 2019, 2022 Presentations of on-going excavation results at Kaninkunka to the community of Kaninkunka, Cusco, Peru
- 2019, 2022 Guided tours of on-going excavations at Kaninkunka to university students from Cusco, Peru
- 2017-2019 Science Fest at the Children's Museum in Jackson, MS
- 2017 Archaeology Day at the Children's Museum in Jackson, MS
- 2007-2016 Guided tours of on-going excavations at Ak'awillay to high school and university students from Cusco, Peru
- 2006-2016 Monthly presentations of on-going excavation results at Ak'awillay to the community of Piñancay, Cusco, Peru

2009-2011 Volunteer for “Behind the Scenes” at the Museum of Anthropology, University of Michigan (showing artifacts usually stored in labs to the general public)

SERVICE AT MILLSAPS COLLEGE

2021-present Director of International Education
2015-present Sociology-Anthropology Club Faculty Advisor
2015-present Lambda Alpha Anthropology Honor Society Faculty Advisor
2014-present Advisor for undergraduate students
2013-present Participant in efforts to recruit prospective students
2022-2023 Search Committee for Assistant Professor of Government and Politics
2019-2020 Compass Curriculum Committee
2017-2020 Curriculum Committee (Chair)
2016-2020 International Student Host Family
2019 International Education Faculty Committee
2016-2019 Honors Committee
2014-2019 Latin American Studies Committee (Chair, Director)
2016-2017 All College Council
2016-2017 Search Committee for Assistant Professor of Religious Studies
2016 Search Committee for Teaching Fellow in Anthropology

LANGUAGES

French (native speaker)
English (fluent in reading, speaking, and writing)
Spanish (fluent in reading, speaking, and writing)
Quechua (elementary reading with dictionary)