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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2021-Present	Asst. Prof., Sch. of Human Evolution & Social Change	Arizona State U.
2020-2021	Asst. Prof., Dept. of Anthropology	Santa Clara U.
2018-2020	Adjunct Lecturer, Dept. of Anthropology & Community Heritage Lab	Santa Clara U.
2016-2018	Adjunct Lecturer, Dept. of Anthropology	Santa Clara U.
2014-2016	Visiting Asst. Prof., Dept. of Anthropology	Skidmore Coll.
2013-2014	Lecturer, Dept. of Anthropology	Skidmore Coll.

EDUCATION

2014 Ph.D.	Anthropology	University of Michigan
2008 M.A.	Anthropology	University of Michigan
2003 B.A.	Anthropology	Johns Hopkins University

PUBLICATIONS & MEDIA

Note: As per ASU guidelines, I list the percentage of effort for myself on each co-authored publication. Student and community co-authors are underlined. Journal impact factors and awards and recognition, where available, are listed. Materials from my time at ASU marked with an “*”.

Refereed Journal Articles and Volume Contributions

1. *Accepted. Arellano, Monica V.; Andrew Galvan; Sheila Guzman; **Matthew V. Kroot** (90%); Amy J. Lueck; Charlene Nijmeh; Lee Panich; Desiree Vigil. “Beyond Collaboration: The importance of strong and meaningful relationships for Indigenous political action.” *Critical Mission Studies Handbook*. Eds. Chavez, Yves; Jonathan Cordero; Ross Frank; Jennifer Hughes; Valentin Lopez; Reyna Ramirez; Stan Rodriguez; Charlene Villaseñor-Black. Under contract and submitted with University of California Press. Expected publication date: 2025.
Role: Secured funding and designed, implemented, analyzed, and wrote-up research project.
2. *2025. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Home Economics at Middle Pre-Pottery Neolithic B al-Khayran in West-Central Jordan: Reconstructing residential unit economic and mobility behavior through lithic analysis.” *Journal of Field Archaeology*.
Journal Impact Factor: 2023 SJR 0.856
3. *2024. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Accommodating Agriculture at al-Khayran: Economic relations and settlement practices in the earliest agricultural communities of the southern Levant.” *Journal of Anthropological Archaeology* 75: 101606.
Journal Impact Factor: 2023 SJR 1.146

4. *2021. Lueck, Amy; **Matthew V. Kroot** (30%); and Lee Panich. "Public Memory as Community-Engaged Writing: Composing Difficult Histories on Campus." *Community Literacy Journal* 15(2): 9-30.
Role: Collaborated on research design, implementation, analysis, and write-up.
Recognition: Selected for *Best of the Journals in Rhetoric and Composition 2022* (Parlor Press) edited by Girdhar, K.; Lesh, C.N.; Pauszek, J. Included in the collection with an additional 1,500-word pedagogical document for teaching with the article in an undergraduate classroom.
5. 2020. **Kroot, Matthew V.** (60%) and Lee Panich. "Students are Stakeholders in Campus Archaeology." *Advances in Archaeological Practice* 8(2): 134-150.
Role: Collaborated on research design and implementation. Led analysis and write-up.
Journal Impact Factor: 2023 SJR 0.810
Recognition: Selected by Cambridge University Press for their 2020 archaeology research highlights collection.
6. 2018. **Kroot, Matthew V.** (60%) and Cameron Gokee. "Histories and Material Manifestations of Slavery in the Upper Gambia River Region: Preliminary results of the Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project." *Journal of African Diaspora Archaeology and Heritage* 7(2): 74-104.
Role: Collaborated on research design, implementation, analysis, and write-up.
Journal Impact Factor: 2023 SJR 0.195
Recognition: Republished in Marshall, L.W. (ed.) (2021) *Landscapes of Slavery in Africa* (Routledge) due to high demand among African scholars without access to the journal.
7. 2006. Makarewicz, Cheryl A.; Nathan B. Goodale, Philipp Rassmann, Chantel White, Holly Miller, Jihad Haroun, Eric Carlson, Alexis Pantos, **Matt Kroot** (5%), Seiji Kadowaki, Aksel Casson, James T. Williams, Anne E. Austin, and Benjamin Fabre. "El-Hemmeh: A multi-period Pre-Pottery Neolithic site in the Wadi el-Hasa, Jordan." *Journal of Eurasian Prehistory* 4(2):177-213.
Role: Participated in fieldwork; Designed, implemented, and wrote-up analysis of small finds.

Editor-Reviewed Journal Articles

1. *Accepted. **Kroot, Matthew V.** "Preliminary Results from Pre-Pottery Neolithic B al-Khayran." *Annual of the Department of Antiquities of Jordan* 62.
2. *2023. **Kroot, Matthew V.** "Al-Khayran: A Pre-Pottery Neolithic B site in the west-central Jordanian highlands." *Neo-Lithics* 23.
3. 2019. **Kroot, Matthew V.** (50%); Cameron Gokee, and Camille Machiels. "Yoro Moussou: A Malinke fortified site in southeastern Senegal." *Nyame Akuma* No. 91: 23-29.
Role: Collaborated on the design and implementation of research project. Led data analysis and write-up.
Journal Impact Factor: 2020 SJR 0.219
4. 2015. Gokee, Cameron; **Matthew V. Kroot** (10%), Aime Kantoussan, Adama Athie, Djiby Tamba, and Massar Sarr. "Le paysage historique de la Haute Gambie: Resultats des reconnaissances archeologiques en 2013 et 2015." *Nyame Akuma* (84): 27-40.
Role: Collaborated on the design, implementation, analysis, and write-up of research project.
Journal Impact Factor: 2020 SJR 0.219
5. 2012. **Kroot, Matthew V.** "Al-Khayran." In "Archaeology in Jordan, 2010 and 2011 Seasons." Keller, Donald R. et al. *American Journal of Archaeology* 116(4): 722-723.
Journal Impact Factor: 2023 SJR 0.499

Invited Book Reviews

1. 2019. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Review of *Reluctant Landscapes* by François Richard.” *African Archaeological Review* 36(4): 555-557.
Journal Impact Factor: 2023 SJR 0.834

Refereed Manuscripts In-Process

2. ***Kroot, Matthew V.** (40%), Matthew A. Peeples, Laurene Montero, and Lindsey Vogel-Teeter. “Developing the Arizona State University Field School Program at S’edav Va’aki Museum.” Accepted with Minor Revisions, *Journal of Arizona Archaeology*, April 2025.

Role: Secured funding and co-designed, -implemented, -analyzed, and -wrote-up research project.

1. *Alissa Ruth, Kelly J. Knudson, Christopher C. Stojanowski, Christopher R. Caseldine, **Matthew V. Kroot** (5%), Kostalena Michelaki, Christopher Morehart, Matthew A. Peeples, Kathryn L. Ranhorn, Michael E. Smith, Davina Two Bears. “The Archaeology Research Laboratory: A Site for Increased Access to Student Training.” Submitted to *Journal of Field Archaeology*, September 2024.

Role: Contributed data and reviewed and edited manuscript.

3. *Nébié, Elisabeth Ilboudo, Amber Wutich, Cara Jacobs, Melissa Beresford, Kathryn Ranhorn, **Matthew V. Kroot** (5%), Asmeret Mehari, Mathews Wakhungu, Mariah Ngutu, and Nourou Barry. “Innovative Applications of Participatory Methods in Africanist Anthropology and Archaeology: An analysis of six cases in East and West Africa.” Revise and Resubmit, *Human Organization*, December 2024.

Role: Contributed literature review and reviewed and edited manuscript.

4. ***Kroot, Matthew V.** “From Acknowledgements to Colleagues: Communities as co-creators of deep histories.” Submitted to *Archaeologies*, March 2025.

Refereed Manuscripts in Preparation

1. ***Kroot, Matthew V.** “Agency and Ontological Change in Early Neolithic Worlds.” To be submitted to *Cambridge Archaeological Journal*.

Digital Media

1. *2022. Arellano, Monica V.; Gloria E. Arellano-Gomez; Teresa Contino; Bates Detweiler; CJ Gabbe; Andrew Galvan; Sheila Guzman; **Matthew V. Kroot** (50%); Amy J. Lueck; Charlene Nijmeh; Lee Panich; Greta Seitz; Desiree Vigil; Danny Walsh. “[Ohlone Heritage Hub](#).”
Role: Secured funding and led the design, development, implementation, and initial publication of project. Website is continuously updated through ongoing collaboration at Santa Clara University.

2. 2021. Arellano, Monica V.; Gloria E. Arellano-Gomez; Andrew Galvan; Sheila Guzman; James Irwin; Alan Leventhal; **Matthew V. Kroot** (50%); Amy J. Lueck; Charlene Nijmeh; Lee Panich; Desiree Vigil. “[SCU Native History Tour](#).”

Role: Secured funding and led the design, development, and implementation of project.

Professional Reports

1. *2023. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Project Director’s Final Report: Creating Community for Indigenous Heritage Futures.” AZ Humanities.

2. *2022. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Final Report: Teaching Ohlone History, Changing Public Memory.” Critical Mission Studies Program.
3. 2019. **Kroot, Matthew V.** (50%) and Lee M. Panich. “Final Report: Excavations at SCL-30/H.” California Historical Resources Information System Northwest Regional Center.
4. 2019. **Kroot, Matthew V.** (50%) and Lee M. Panich. “Final Report: Test Excavations at SCL-374/H.” California Historical Resources Information System Northwest Regional Center.
5. 2010. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Final Report: ‘Assal-Dhra’ Archaeological Project.” Department of Antiquities of Jordan.
6. 2010. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Final Report: Early Villages of the Dead Sea Basin.” Wenner-Gren Foundation.
7. 2010. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Final Report: Early Villages of the Dead Sea Basin.” American Center of Research.
8. 2007. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Final Report: ‘Assal-Dhra’ Archaeological Project.” Department of Antiquities of Jordan.
9. 2007. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Final Report: ‘Assal-Dhra’ Archaeological Project.” University of Michigan, International Institute.
10. 2007. **Kroot, Matthew V.** “Final Report: ‘Assal-Dhra’ Archaeological Project.” National Geographic Society.

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR: EXTERNAL FUNDING & AWARDS

Items from my time at ASU marked with an “*”.

*2023	AZ Humanities, Mini Grant	\$2,000
*2019-2022	Critical Mission Studies, Community Partnership Grant	\$9,851
2009-2010	American Center of Research, CAORC Fellowship	\$21,820
2009-2010	Wenner-Gren Foundation, Doctoral Dissertation Grant	\$15,000
2009	US Dept. of Education, Foreign Language & Area Studies Fellowship	\$6,500
2006-2007	National Geographic Society, Level I Grant	\$4,996

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR: COMPETATIVE INTERNAL FUNDING & AWARDS

2021	College of Arts & Sciences, Teaching & Technology Innovation Grant	\$2,300
2019	Markkula Center for Applied Ethics, Hackworth Fellowship	\$1,800
2019	Center for Arts & Humanities, Fellow	\$5,500
2019	College of Arts & Sciences, Teaching & Technology Innovation Grant	\$2,300
2015	Skidmore College, Faculty Development Grant	\$1,530
2014	Skidmore College, Faculty/Student Research	\$1,000
2009-2010	Rackham Graduate School, Candidate Funding	\$3,000
2006-2007	Rackham Graduate School, Pre-Candidate Funding	\$1,500
2006-2007	International Institute, International Research Grant	\$2,500

ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELD PROJECTS

Fieldwork from my time at ASU marked with an “*”.

*2023-Pres.	Co-Director, ASU Field Practicum in Archaeo.	<i>Phoenix, AZ</i>
2019	Co-Director, Silicon Valley Community Archaeo. Proj.	<i>Santa Clara, CA</i>
2015-2016	Co-Director, Bandafassi Reg. Archaeo. Proj.	<i>Bandafassi, Senegal</i>
2007-2010	Director, ‘Assal-Dhra’ Archaeo. Proj.	<i>Mauta, Jordan</i>
2006-2008	Crew Chief, Homol’ovi Research Proj.	<i>Winslow, AZ</i>
2004-2005	Trench Supervisor, Dhra’ Archaeo. Proj.	<i>Mazra, Jordan</i>
2004	Trench Supervisor, Kazane Hoyuk	<i>Sanliurfa, Turkey</i>
2004	Excavator, el-Hemmeh	<i>Wadi el-Hesa, Jordan</i>
2002	Trench Supervisor, Tell Umm el-Marra	<i>Umm el-Marra, Syria</i>
2001	Student Excavator, Eastern Mimbres Archaeo. Proj.	<i>Caballo, NM</i>

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES & AFFILIATIONS

Activities from my time at ASU marked with an “*”.

*2023	ASM Approval: Project Director for Arizona Antiquities Act Permits
*2020-2023	Participant, NEH Digital Project for the Public “(Re)Membering Mission History”
*2019-Pres.	Lithic Analyst: Bandafassi Regional Archaeology Project
2019	Co-Principal Investigator: Santa Clara University Community Heritage Survey
2018-2021	Co-Supervisor: Santa Clara University, Community Heritage Lab
2018-2021	Partner: University of California, Berkeley, Archaeological Research Facility
2003-2005	Archaeologist: Brian F. Smith & Associates
2003	Field Technician: URS Corps.
2003	Intern, Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History Archaeozoology Lab
2002-2003	Intern, Johns Hopkins Archaeology Museum
2001-2003	Volunteer, Presidio of San Francisco Archaeology Lab
2000	Intern, California Historical Society Research Collection & Library

PRESENTATIONS & CONFERENCE ORGANIZING

Note: Student and community co-authors underlined. Activities from my time at ASU marked with an “*”.

Conference Organizing

1. **2021.** Conference Co-Organizer: 48th Annual Western State Anthropology and Sociology Undergraduate Research Conference. Online.
2. **2016.** Conference Co-Organizer: Annual Meeting, Northeastern Anthropological Association. Saratoga Springs, NY.

Conference Sessions Organized

1. ***2024.** Poster Session Co-Organizer. “Training a New Generation of Heritage Professionals in the Valley of the Sun: The ASU field school at S’edav Va’aki.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology. New Orleans, LA.
2. ***2023.** Session Co-Chair. “Savoir-Faire: Continuités et persistances des comportements du Middle Stone Age et Later Stone Age en Afrique de l’Ouest.” Biennial Meeting, West African Archaeological Association. Dakar, Senegal.
3. **2021.** Session Chair. “Historical and Cultural Understandings of Society.” 48th Annual Western State Anthropology and Sociology Undergraduate Research Conference. Online.
4. **2016.** Session Organizer. “Recent Research in the Archaeology of Native Communities of the Northeast.” Annual Meeting, Northeastern Anthropological Association. Saratoga Springs, NY.

Invited Presentations and Talks

1. ***2025.** Ruth, Alissa, Michael E. Smith, Kostalena Michelaki, Christopher Caseldine, and **Matthew V. Kroot** (5%). “The Archaeology Research Laboratory: A Site for Increased Access to Student Training.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology. Denver, CO.
2. ***2025. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Erasing History to Save It: Archaeology of the historical Portland Tract, Phoenix.” Arizona Archaeological Society (Phoenix Chapter), Phoenix, AZ.
3. ***2024. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Erasing History to Save It: Archaeology of the historical Portland Tract, Phoenix.” Deer Valley Petroglyph Preserve, Phoenix, AZ.
4. ***2024. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Changements de longue durée dans les économies lithiques.” Kédougou Sénégal: Remaking a West African Anthropological Region workshop, Dakar, Senegal.
5. ***2023. Kroot, Matthew V.,** John K. Murray, Derek Henry, Sarah Marie Koneki-Brazeal, Ryan Meinhart, Chiara Umbriano, and Cameron D. Gokee. “Long-Term Changes in Knapped Stone Economies: Results of the Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project survey.” Biennial Meeting, West African Archaeological Association. Dakar, Senegal.
6. ***2023. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Making Stone Tools Across the Millennia: Results from the Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project survey in southeastern Senegal.” Archaeological Institute of America, Central Arizona Society. Tempe, AZ.
7. ***2022. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Context Matters? What drives participation in community-based heritage work?” Deep History and Community Joy Symposium, Online.
8. **2021. Kroot, Matthew V.** and Lee M. Panich. “Increasing the Scales of Stakeholder Participation: Public archaeology, community-based participatory research, and pedagogy at Mission Santa Clara.” Annual Meeting, Society for California Archaeology. Online.
9. **2019. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Local Politics and Outside Entanglements in a West Africa Shatter Zone: The Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project.” Archaeology and Biological Anthropology Lecture Series, U. California, Santa Cruz.
10. **2019. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Making Home by the Bay: Ohlone heritage at Filoli and beyond.” Filoli Historic House & Gardens, Woodside, CA.
11. **2017.** Keynote Address. Native American Senior Ceremony, Santa Clara U.
12. **2017. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Property and Power in Prehistory: Case-studies from the Neolithic Middle East and Atlantic West Africa.” Santa Clara U.

13. **2015. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Archaeology and the Native American Past” Empire State College.
14. **2012. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Changing Economic Relations and Subsistence Systems in Neolithic Jordan: Excavations at al-Khayran.” Cotsen Institute, U.C.L.A.
15. **2011. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Early Village Life Along the Dead Sea: the ‘Assal-Dhra’ Archaeological Project.” Southern Methodist U.
16. **2010. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Early Villages of the Southeastern Dead Sea Basin: the ‘Assal-Dhra’ Archaeological Project.” American Center for Research. Amman, Jordan.
17. **2008. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Early Villages of the Dead Sea Basin, Jordan.” U. of Michigan.
18. **2008. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Early Agricultural Villages of the Southeastern Jordan Rift Valley.” U. of Washington.
19. **2008. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Early Agricultural Villages of the Jordan Rift Valley.” Duke U.

Invited Panel and Discussion Contributions

1. **2020.** Panelist. “Careers for Archaeology Majors.” Johns Hopkins U. Online
2. **2020.** Panelist. “Site of Trauma, Sites of Memory.” US Holocaust Memorial Museum Program, Santa Clara U.
3. **2018.** Discussant. “Engaging ‘Alternate Archaeology’ in Three Minutes or Less.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, Washington, DC.

Invited Contributions: Audiovisual Media

1. **2021.** Featured Expert. “Stakeholders’ Values for Archaeology and Heritage in Silicon Valley.” Produced by C. Sunseri. Plenary Session of the Annual Meeting of the Society for California Archaeology. Online and the Santa Cruz Archaeological Society Film Festival.

Public Outreach Presentations

1. ***2023.** Organizer. “Creating Community for Indigenous Heritage Futures” Speaker Series. S’edav Va’aki Museum & Arizona State University. Phoenix & Tempe, AZ.
2. ***2021.** Presentation to fourth grade at Kyrene del Cielo Elementary School on the history and archaeology of Medieval West Africa.

Contributed Conference Presentations

1. ***2025. Kroot, Matthew V.** and Matt Peebles. “A New Non-Collection Methodology for Assessment of Twentieth-Century Sites: Results from S’edav Va’aki in Phoenix, Arizona.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology. Denver, CO.
2. ***2023. Kroot Matthew V.** and Cameron D. Gokee. “New Stone Age Sites in Bandafassi, Senegal.” Biennial Meeting, Society of Africanist Archaeologists. Houston, TX.
3. ***2023. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Home Economics at Pre-Pottery Neolithic B al-Khayran, Jordan?” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology. Portland, OR.
4. ***2021. Kroot, Matthew V.** Monica Arellano, Andrew Galvan, Sheila Guzman; Amy Lueck, Charlene Nijmeh, Lee Panich, and Desiree Vigil “Beyond Collaboration: The importance of long-term relationships for a critical mission studies.” Critical Mission Studies Southern California Meeting. El Cajon, CA.
5. **2020. Kroot, Matthew V.,** Amy Lueck, and Lee Panich. “Digital Tour of Santa Clara University as Native Space.” Digital Humanities for Social Justice in the Classroom. Online.

6. **2020. Kroot, Matthew V., Monica Arellano, Andrew Galvan, James Irwin, Alan Leventahl, Amy Lueck, Charlene Nijmeh, Lee Panich, and Desiree Vigil** (2020) “Teaching Ohlone History, Changing Public Memory.” Critical Mission Studies Conference. Online.
7. **2020.** Lueck, Amy J., Brian Beams, Tanya Chiykowski-Rathke, and **Matthew V. Kroot.** “Indigenous Collaborations on Digital Public Memory Work in the Classroom.” Digital Humanities Conference. Online. *Selected for the conference through a process of peer-review.
8. **2019.** Chiykowski-Rathke, Tanya and **Matthew V. Kroot.** “Digital Humanities for Community Heritage: Using Omeka with student researchers.” ATXpo, Santa Clara, CA.
9. **2017. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Back to Basics: Analysis knapped stone recovered during survey in southeastern Senegal.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, Vancouver, Canada.
10. **2016. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Reinterpreting Winney’s Rift: Material culture, language, and ethnogenesis outside of Iroquoia.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, Orlando, FL.
11. **2016.** Gokee, Cameron and **Matthew V. Kroot.** “Relocate, Aggregate, or Fortify? Exploring Local Responses to Atlantic Era Entanglement in Southeastern Senegal.” Society for Africanist Archaeology Invited Symposium, Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, Orlando, FL.
12. **2015. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Understanding the Temporal Patterns of Occupation at Small Sites: The case of Early Neolithic al-Khayran, west-central Jordan.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, San Francisco, CA.
13. **2014. Kroot, Matthew V.** “The Biggest Little Site in West-Central Jordan: Intensive investigation at the small site of al-Khayran.” Annual Meeting, American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC.
14. **2013. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Property Rights and Subsistence Practices Across Neolithic Landscapes: The ‘Assal-Dhra’ Archaeological Project.” International Open Workshop, Kiel U.
15. **2012. Kroot, Matthew V.** “The Fruits of the Earth Belong Equally to Us All? Crossing from Communal to Household Land Tenure in the Neolithic of Jordan.” Annual Meeting, American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA.
16. **2011. Kroot, Matthew V.** “Al-Khayran and Neolithic Subsistence Systems in West-Central Jordan.” Annual Meeting, American Anthropological Association, Montreal, QC, Canada.
17. **2010.** White, Chantal, **Matthew V. Kroot,** and Eliza Wallace. “Early Village Life Along the Dead Sea: structures and processes of neolithization.” Annual Meeting, American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, LA.

Contributed Conference Posters

1. ***2024. Kroot, Matthew V., Matt Peeples, and Jessie Kortscheff.** “The Benefits, Challenges, and Student Outcomes of an Academic-Governmental Collaboration for Local Undergraduate Field Training in Archaeology.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, New Orleans, Louisiana.

2. ***2024.** Peeples, Matt, Anthony Wende, and **Matthew V. Kroot**. “Using Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) Photography to Develop Preservation and Management Plans at S’edav Va’aki, Arizona.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, New Orleans, Louisiana.
3. ***2024.** Umbriano, Chiara, Matt Peeples, and **Matthew V. Kroot**. “Assessing the Viability of Limited Collection and In-Field Analysis Strategies for Ceramic Investigations at S’edav Va’aki, Arizona.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, New Orleans, Louisiana.
4. ***2024.** Ptacek, Alexandra, Matt Peeples, **Matthew V. Kroot**, Eunice Villaseñor Iribe, and Jessie Kortscheff. “Challenges of Community-Based Heritage Work: Rights holders stakeholders, and the palimpsest nature of the archaeological record.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, New Orleans, Louisiana.
5. **2019.** **Kroot, Matthew V.**, Amy Lueck, and Lee M. Panich. “Recent Development in Campus Archaeology at Santa Clara University.” Annual Meeting, Society for California Archaeology. Sacramento, CA.
6. **2008.** **Kroot, Matthew V.** “The Prepottery Neolithic A of the Dead Sea Basin.” Annual Meeting, Society for American Archaeology, Vancouver, Canada.

TEACHING & MENTORING

ASU Courses Taught

Graduate Field Course

1. ASM 583: Fieldwork **Sp 2023; Sp 2025**

Undergraduate Field Course

1. ASM 338: Anthropological Field Session **Sp 2023; Sp 2025**
Recognition: SHESC Innovation in Undergraduate Teaching

Undergraduate In-Person

1. ASB 222: *Buried Cities & Lost Tribes* **F 2023**
2. AFR/ASB 366: *African Archaeology* **F 2021; Sp 2024**
3. ASB 338: *Archaeology of North America* **F 2022; Fa 2024**

Undergraduate Online

1. ASB 222: *Buried Cities and Lost Tribes* **F 2022; Fa 2024**

ASU Curricular Development

1. **2023.** Application for SB General Studies Designation. ASB 338: Archaeology of North American.
2. **2022- 2023.** Co-Developer. ASB 338/538: Archaeological Field Session in collaboration with the City of Phoenix Archaeologist.

Graduate Student Committees

1. Member. Sydney James, SHESC **Ongoing**
2. Co-Chair. Babalola Jacobs, SHESC **Ongoing**

Students Mentored

ASU Graduate Students

1. Sarah Marie Brazeal, Masters Student, Art & Art History **Spring, 2023-Present**
Research Apprenticeship Program, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.
2. John Murray, Doctoral Candidate, SHESC **Spring, 2023-Present**

- Graduate Research Assistant, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.
3. Alexandra Ptacek, Doctoral Student, SHESC **Spring, 2023**
Graduate Research Partner, ASU Field Practicum, Phoenix, AZ.
 4. Eunice Villasenor Iribe, Doctoral Student, SHESC **Spring, 2023**
Graduate Research Partner, ASU Field Practicum, Phoenix, AZ.

Université Cheikh Anta Diop de Dakar Graduate Students

1. Fodé Diakho, Doctoral Candidate, IFAN **Summer, 2022**
Graduate Research Partner, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.
2. Idrissa Diedhiou, Master's Candidate, IFAN **Summer, 2022**
Graduate Research Partner, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.
3. Cheikh Sislate Dione, Master's Candidate, IFAN **Summer, 2022**
Graduate Research Partner, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.
4. Oumou Sabaiy, Master's Candidate, IFAN **Summer, 2022**
Graduate Research Partner, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.

ASU Undergraduates

1. Lucas Leopard, Undergrad, SHESC **Fall 2024- Present**
Research Apprenticeship Program, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.
2. Marzouq Iqbal, Undergrad, Fulton Sch. of Engineering **Spring 2024- Fall 2024**
Research Apprenticeship Program, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.
3. Ryan Meinhart, Undergrad, SHESC **Fall 2023- Spring 2024**
Volunteer Lithic Analyst, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project.
4. Asa Andreas, Undergrad, SHESC **Fall 2023**
Research Apprenticeship Program, Historical Archaeology of the Portland Tract.
5. Nicholas Propp, Undergrad, SHESC **Fall 2023-Spring 2024**
Research Apprenticeship Program, Historical Archaeology of the Portland Tract.
6. Emily Strickland, Undergrad, SHESC **Fall 2023**
Research Apprenticeship Program, Historical Archaeology of the Portland Tract.
7. Rebecca Stanton, Undergrad, SHESC **Fall 2023-Spring 2024**
Research Apprenticeship Program, Historical Archaeology of the Portland Tract.
8. Tyler Blake Jennings, Undergrad, SHESC **Fall 2023-Spring 2024**
Volunteer, Historical Archaeology of the Portland Tract.
9. Chiara Umbriano, Undergrad, SHESC **Spring, 2023-Spring 2024**
Research Apprenticeship Program, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.
10. Derek Henry, Undergrad, SHESC **Spring, 2023**
Research Apprenticeship Program, Bandafassi Regional Archaeological Project, Senegal.

Tribal Historic Preservation Office, Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community

11. Asa Andreas, Intern **Spring 2025**
Volunteer Field Trainee, ASU Field Practicum in Archaeology.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Professional Service while at ASU

1. **2025.** Reviewer: *Archaeologies* journal.
2. Reviewer: National Geographic Society

Aug 2023: Reviewed 3 Level I Grants.

Jan 2023: Reviewed 4 Level I Grants.

Jan 2022: Reviewed 8 Level I Grants.

ASU Department Service

1. **Spring 2025.** Search Committee Member.
2. **Spring 2024.** Chair. Reynold Ruppé Prize in Archaeology committee.
3. **Spring 2023.** Committee Member. Reynold Ruppé Prize in Archaeology.
4. **Spring 2022.** Committee Member. Reynold Ruppé Prize in Archaeology.

Invited ASU Presentations

1. **Summer 2024.** Fieldtrip Participant, SHESC Early Start Program.
2. **Fall 2023.** Participant. Undergraduate Anthropology Association's Network with Faculty Event.
3. **Summer 2023.** Speaker. SHESC Early Start Program.
4. **Fall 2022.** Speaker. Undergraduate Anthropology Association's Research Apprenticeship Program Preview Event.
5. **Summer 2022.** Speaker. SHESC Early Start Program.
6. **Fall 2021.** Presenter. ASB 501: Professionalism

MEDIA COVERAGE

Media coverage while at ASU

2024

1. "[Shift from gathering to farming in ancient Khayran.](#)" By Saeb Rawashdeh. *Jordan Times*. 05 October 2024.
2. "[About Khayran's unique role in Pre-Pottery Neolithic settlement patterns.](#)" By Saeb Rawashdeh. *Jordan Times*. 30 September 2024.
3. "[10,000-year-old house reveals history of farmland ownership in Neolithic Middle East: ASU archaeologist directed excavation in Jordan.](#)" By Nicole Pomerantz. *ASU News*. 14 August 2024.