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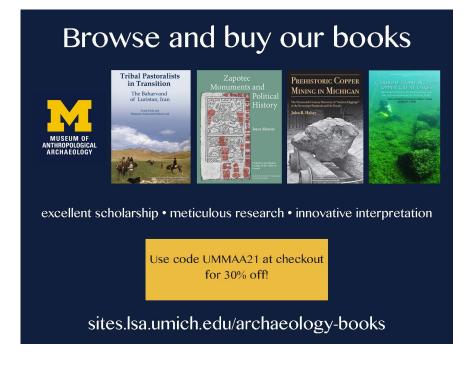


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MAC 2021 Dissertation Award Recipient

Justin Carlson (University of Kentucky)

The dissertation is entitled *Middle to Late Holocene* (7200-2900 Cal. BP) Archaeological Site Formation Processes and the Origins of Anthropogenic Environments in Central Kentucky

Book Room & Vendors

Rooms 106 and 107

Thursday, October 7, 1:00 – 5:00 Friday, October 8, 8:00 – 6:00 Saturday, October 9, 8:00 – 12:00

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MAC All Member Inclusion Workshop Facilitator, Jennifer Stollman Bio:

Jennifer A. Stollman, PhD is the Founder and CEO of J.A. Stollman Consulting. Dr. Stollman is a world-renowned equity consultant specializing in building and sustaining inclusive workplaces and educational spaces. As an academic and consultant working across the nation, she has worked extensively with universities and colleges, medical systems, Fortune 100 companies, large and small businesses, government entities, law enforcement and judicial systems, non-profits, and community organizations to center inclusion, equity, diversity, and mattering. Jennifer has developed and honed techniques that can easily be used by individuals in their professional, community, and personal lives to minimize unproductive biased thinking and action. When it comes to addressing inequity to create more inclusive and diverse worlds, Jennifer believes that ordinary people can do extraordinary things. When Jennifer is not working, she enjoys hiking the Southwest, cycling America's roads, chasing her sweet dogs, Lincoln, Maisie, and Abby.





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SCHEDULE Thursday, October 7th

9:00 – 12:00 Pre-Conference Workshop: 3D Digitization, Preservation, and Access in Archaeology and Heritage (Non-Students). Presented by Ethan Watrall (Michigan State University), Location: Lab for Education and Advancement in Digital Research (LEADR), 112 Old Horticulture Hall (History Dept. building)

12:30 – 6:00 Registration, Kellogg South Lobby

1:00 - 5:00 Book Room & Vendors, Rooms 106 and 107

1:30 – 5:30 MAC Sponsored Symposium: Midcontinental Cuisine: Recent Archaeological Explorations of Food and Cooking in the Heartland

Organizers: Susan M. Kooiman (Southern Illinois University Edwardsville), Jodie A. O'Gorman (Michigan State University), Autumn M. Painter (Michigan State University), Jeffrey M. Painter (USDA NRCS-New Hampshire)

Location: Auditorium

- 1:30 Why Cuisine? Susan M. Kooiman (Southern Illinois University Edwardsville), Jodie A. O'Gorman (Michigan State University), Autumn M. Painter (Michigan State University), Jeffrey M. Painter (USDA NRCS-New Hampshire)
- 1:45 Culinary Practices: The Use of Fire-Cracked Rocks in Earth
 Oven Cooking Fernanda Neubauer (University of California,
 Los Angeles; University of Wisconsin-Madison)
- 2:00 Indigenous Cuisine in the Woodland Northern Great Lakes Susan M. Kooiman (Southern Illinois University Edwardsville), Rebecca K. Albert (University of California Santa Barbara)
- 2:15 **Woodland Tradition Foodways in Southeastern Wisconsin**Jennifer R. Haas, (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)
- 2:30 **Feeding the Ancestors** Katie Egan-Bruhy (Commonwealth Heritage Group, Inc.)

- 2:45 Identifying Tradition and Identity in Oneota Cuisines
 Richard W. Edwards IV (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
 Cultural Resource Management)
- 3:00 Break Refreshments in the Lincoln Room
- 3:30 You Are How You Eat: Towards an Understanding of Cuisine and Community Integration at Morton Village

 Jeffrey M. Painter (USDA NRCS- New Hampshire) and Jodie O'Gorman (Michigan State University)
- 3:45 Late Precontact Culinary Practices in the Central Illinois
 River Valley as Revealed by Animal Remains from Feature
 224 at the Morton Village Site (11F2) Terrance J. Martin
 (Illinois State Museum)
- 4:00 Food and Community at the Morton Village Site:
 Paleoethnobotanical Perspectives Kelsey Nordine
 (Washington University, St. Louis)
- 4:15 **Bison Hoes and Bird Tails: Reconsidering the Introduction of Maize Farming into Manitoba** Mary Malainey (Brandon University)
- 4:30 **Nixtamalization and Cahokian Cuisine** Alleen Betzenhauser (Illinois State Archaeological Survey)
- 4:45 Upland Administrators and the Management of Cahokia's Diversity: An Examination of Ceremonial Foodways in the early Mississippian Richland Complex Gregory Wilson (University of California Santa Barbara), Jacob Skousen (Illinois State Archaeological Survey), and Amber VanDerwarker (University of California Santa Barbara)
- 5:00 Capturing Campus Cuisine: Connecting the Past to the Present through Historic Foodways Autumn M. Painter (Michigan State University) and Susan M. Kooiman (Southern Illinois University Edwardsville)
- 5:15 Discussion

6:00 – 8:00 Reception Featuring Historical MSU Cuisine Items and Cash Bar, Kellogg East Patio (in case of rain, Lincoln Room)

Friday October 8th

- 8:00 4:00 Registration, Kellogg South Lobby
- 8:00 6:00 Book Room & Vendors, Rooms 106 and 107
- 8:30 9:00 Coffee & Light Breakfast Selections, Lincoln Room

8:30 – 11:30 General Poster Session: Prehistory in the Midwest (Poster Presentations from 10:00 – 11:00)
Location: Lincoln Room

A Spatially Explicit Model of Maize Dispersal Patrick Druggan (Pennsylvania State University)

Late Prehistoric (1000-1500 CE) Mid-continental Hydroclimate Variability and the Emergence of The Fort Ancient Culture in the Middle Ohio River Valley Todd Grote (Indiana University Southeast), Broxton Bird (Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis), Aaron Comstock (Indiana University East), Benjamin Cross (Ohio State University)

The German Site: A Comparative Analysis of Community
Organization and the Construction of Place in the Lower Illinois
River Valley Annika Maso (Center for American Archeology),
Melina Edic (Center for American Archeology), Chyna M. Lee (Center
for American Archeology), Caroline Boerger (Center for American
Archeology), Zoe Doubles (University of Illinois Urbana Champaign),
Jacob Holland-Lulewicz (Washington University in St. Louis) and
Jason L. King (Center for American Archeology)

Aerial thermography at 13PM7 Angela R. Collins (University of Iowa Office of the State Archaeologist)

The Thatcher Woods Serpent Mound and the Washington Street and Grotto Site Mark L. Madsen (member of Chicago Archaeological Society, IAAA, and SSAS)

Red Pigment in the Midcontinent Margaret E. Beck (University of Iowa)

Recent AMS Dates from a Mill Creek Village Context in Northwest Iowa John F. Doershuk (University of Iowa Office of the State

Archaeologist) and Stephen C. Lensink (University of Iowa Office of the State Archaeologist)

9:00 – 11:00 Symposium: Northwoods Archaeology

Organizer: Sean Dunham (USDA Forest Service, Chippewa National

Forest)

Location: Auditorium

- 9:00 The Archaeology of Lake Owen: Archaic through Woodland Encampments Along the Southern Edge of the Lake Superior Basin, Bayfield County, Wisconsin Mark Bruhy (Commonwealth Heritage Group, Inc.)
- 9:15 Collaborative Indigenous Archaeology in the Northwoods:
 Part 1 John Creese (North Dakota State University), Heather
 Walder (University of Wisconsin, La Crosse), and Marvin
 DeFoe (Red Cliff Tribal Historic Preservation Office)
- 9:30 Collaborative Indigenous Archaeology in the Northwoods:
 Part 2 Marvin DeFoe (Red Cliff Tribal Historic Preservation
 Office), Heather Walder (University of Wisconsin, La Crosse),
 and John Creese (North Dakota State University)
- 9:45 Fire, Pine, and People in Great Lakes Forests Kurt
 Kipfmueller (University of Minnesota), Dan Brumm
 (University of Minnesota), Sean Dunham (USDA Chippewa
 National Forest), Marcie Gotchie (USDA Chippewa National
 Forest), Evan Montpellier (University of Minnesota), Lane
 Johnson (University of Minnesota), Sophie Pitney (University
 of Minnesota)
- 10:00 Life of the Lumberjack: Investigation of the ca. 1900 Wanaki Logging Camp Site, Cass Lake, Minnesota Andrew Domine (St. Cloud State University)
- 10:15 Destruction of a Northern Michigan Industrial Community in 1877: the Archaeology of Fire at Bay Furnace (20AR8)

 John G. Franzen (USDA Forest Service Retired)
- 10:30 Historic Land Use in the Northwoods: A View from the Chippewa National Forest, Minnesota Sean Dunham, USDA Forest Service, Chippewa National Forest

11:30 – 1:00 All Members Workshop to Build an Inclusive MAC Culture Facilitated by Jennifer Stollman, Location: Big Ten A (lunch provided if pre-registered, those not pre-registered for lunch are welcome to attend workshop)

1:15 – 4:00 General Session: Woodland, Mississippian, to Historical Times

Chair: Kimberly Schaefer (Illinois State Archaeological Survey) Location: Auditorium

- 1:15 Archaeology in Alluvial Fans: Expect the Unexpected
 Caitlin G. Rankin (Illinois State Archaeological Survey) and
 Michael B. Lansdell (Illinois State Archaeological Survey)
- 1:30 The Archaeobotany of the East St. Louis Precinct of Greater Cahokia Kimberly Schaefer (Illinois State Archaeological Survey), Mary Simon (Illinois State Archaeological Survey), and Mary King (Illinois State Archaeological Survey)
- 1:45 Moorehead Phase Community at the Fingers South Site Erin M. Benson (Illinois State Archaeological Survey) and Elizabeth Watts Malouchos (Illinois State Archaeological Survey)
- 2:00 Researching Cahokia-Style Stone Tablets William R. Iseminger (Retired, Cahokia Mounds State Historic Site)
- 2:15 Microdrills, Microliths, and a Flourite Bead: Mississippian
 Craft Production at the Sponemann Site, American Bottom
 Hannah Rucinski (Illinois State Archaeological Survey) and
 Madeleine Evans (Illinois State Archaeological Survey)
- 2:30 The Demands of Mississippian Mounds: A Summary of Mound Excavations at the Collins Complex Amanda J. Butler (Minnesota State University Moorhead)
- 2:45 Break Refreshments, Lincoln Room
- 3:00 The Other Large Bifaces: Late Mississippian Woodworking
 Tools from Southwestern Indiana Anna Stroulia (University
 of Southern Indiana), Michael Strezewski (University of
 Southern Indiana), Ryan Parish (University of Memphis), and
 Melody Pope (Indiana University)

- 3:15 **12Jn447: An Oliver Phase Farmstead in Southeast Indiana** John S. Flood (Cardno) and Matthew D. Pike (Cardno)
- 3:30 Looking for Longhouses at Middle Grant Creek Jamie Countryman (University of Chicago), Madeleine McLeester (Dartmouth College), Mark Schurr (University of Notre Dame)
- 3:45 Perennial Places: Archaeological Approaches to the Past Indigenous Agricultural Landscapes of Wisconsin Madeleine McLeester (Dartmouth College), Alison Anastasio (University of Chicago), Pete Geraci (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee), and Jesse J. Casana (Dartmouth College)

1:00 – 2:45 General Session: Midwest Historical Archaeology

Chair: William Lovis (Michigan State University)

Location: Room 105AB

- 1:00 Hyland Mill: The Archaeology of a Dust Explosion? Mark Groover (Ball State University), John Moynihan (Ball State University), Douglas Weinert (Ball State University) and Caleb Woolace (Ball State University)
- 1:15 Rest in Pieces: The Inglorious End of the Freighter John N. Glidden Daniel F. Harrison (Wayne State University)
- 1:30 Up Close and Personal: A Glimpse of an Antebellum Tavern on the Mississippi River Robert Mazrim (Illinois State Archaeological Survey)
- 1:45 Nineteenth to Twentieth Century Consumerism and Trash Disposal Practices in Indianapolis Kathleen Settle (Cardno, Inc.), Kathleen Bindley (Cardno, Inc.), Scott Hipskind (Cardno, Inc.)
- 2:00 Communicating Uniqueness and Significance through
 Apparent Ruins: CRM at the Grand Trunk Car Ferry Slip Site
 (47MI492) in Milwaukee, Wisconsin LisaMarie Malischke
 (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)
- 2:15 Communicating Indigenous Material Culture in Reports
 Jordan Rose Buffington (Illinois State University)
- 2:30 La Longue Durée: MSU and Historical Archaeology in the Midwest/Great Lakes Region and Nationally William A.

Lovis (Michigan State University) and Vergil E. Noble (University of Nebraska Lincoln and National Park Service retired)

2:00 – 4:00 General Poster Session: Historical Archaeology

(Poster Presentations from 2:30 – 3:30)

Location: Lincoln Room

Rediscovering the Landscape at the Kampsville Lock and Dam (11C142) Kenzie May (Center for American Archeology), Jason L. King (Center for American Archeology), Duncan P. McKinnon (University of Central Arkansas)

The Historic and Archaeological Evidence for Five Structures at the Montgomery Site, Kenosha County, Wisconsin Robert F. Sasso (University of Wisconsin-Parkside and Daniel J. Joyce (University of Wisconsin-Parkside)

Returning to Fort St. Joseph: The 2021 Field Season Chloe Trinka (Western Michigan University), Lucile Clark (Western Michigan University), Erika K. Hartley (Western Michigan University)

A Tale of Two Traders: Merchandise Sourcing and Comparative Analysis from Two Nineteenth-Century Fur Trading Posts in the Grand River Valley Alex Michnick (Grand Valley State University)

Orphaned Collections and the Curation Crisis in the Time of COVID-19 Evan Harris (Mercyhurst University)

Detecting the Past: A Misunderstood Method Rudolf Martinez II (Wayne State University) and Ryan Edward Peterson (Indiana University Bloomington)

2:45: Refreshments, Lincoln Room

3:00 – 4:00 General Session: Lithic-Based Studies

Location: Room 105AB

Chair: Katherine Sterner (Towson University)

3:00 Refining Interpretations of the Conowingo Site (18CE14): Ground Stone Analysis of the Stearns Collection

Katherine Sterner (Towson University) and Katlyn Burkitt (Towson University)

- 3:15 Mapping a Landscape of Lithic Exploitation: Pipe Creek
 Chert Quarries and Workshops in North-Central Ohio
 Robert C. Chidester (The Mannik & Smith Group, Inc.),
 Meagan Bell (The Mannik & Smith Group, Inc.), Ryan Botkin
 (The Mannik & Smith Group, Inc.), Adam Darkow (The
 Mannik & Smith Group, Inc.), Elizabeth Hickle (The Mannik &
 Smith Group, Inc.), Julia Joblinski (The Mannik & Smith
 Group, Inc.), Danielle Julien (The Mannik & Smith Group,
 Inc.), and Athena Zissis (The Mannik & Smith Group, Inc.)
- 3:30 Variations within Sponemann II Phase Lithics: New Evidence from the Sponemann Site Georgia Abrams (Illinois State Archaeological Survey) and Madeleine Evans (Illinois State Archaeological Survey)
- 3:45 The AJ Briscoe Collection: A Look at West-Central Minnesota's Prehistory Grace A. Poff (University of Minnesota Morris) and Rebecca M. Dean (University of Minnesota Morris)

4:00 MSU Campus Archaeology Program Tour for MAC Members (sign up at registration desk – limited to 20 people) Tour Guide: Stacey Camp (Michigan State University)
Location: Meet at the registration desk for this walking tour

4:00 – 6:00 Roundtable: A Sustainable Future for the Wisconsin Northern Lakes Project Collections

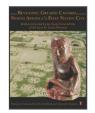
Hosted by William Green (Logan Museum of Anthropology, Beloit College) (cash bar, registration required, limited to 30 participants) Location: Centennial Room

In the 1960s, Robert J. Salzer directed the Wisconsin Northern Lakes Project. The resulting collections (>150,000 artifacts from 88 sites) are housed at the Logan Museum of Anthropology. The Paleo-Indian through Historic phase sequence defined on the basis of this material serves as northern Wisconsin's culture-historical framework. These collections were rehoused in 2006-2008, increasing their accessibility.

To honor Bob Salzer's memory, we invite participants to reflect on the NLP, discuss its significance and legacy, and begin planning for the collection's continued viability and utility. The discussion will strive to:

- 1. Identify the level of interest and the value of the NLP collection to Midwestern archaeology.
- 2. Outline an NLP strategic plan.
- 3. Identify resources for long-term support of the collection.
- 4:00 6:00 MAC Board Meeting, Room 102
- 6:00 7:00 Reception and Cash Bar, Room Big Ten A
- 7:00 Awards Banquet (& abbreviated business meeting), Room Big Ten A





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Saturday October 9th

- 8:00 8:30 Coffee & light breakfast selections, Lincoln Room
- 8:00 9:00 Registration, Kellogg South Lobby
- 8:00 12:00 Vendors, Rooms 106 and 107

8:30 – 10:45 General Session: Methods and Other Advances

Chair: Jennifer Bengtson (Southeast Missouri State University)
Location: Auditorium

- 8:30 Did You Ever Want to Get Multiple AMS Ages on One
 Ceramic Vessel? Well, We Did Just That! William A. Lovis
 (Michigan State University), Linda Scott Cummings
 (PaleoResearch, Inc.), John P. Hart (New York State Museum)
- 8:45 Can We Use Stable Isotopes to Find Prehistoric Fields?

 Mark R. Schurr (University of Notre Dame) and Madeleine

 McLeester (Dartmouth University)
- 9:00 Domestic Fuel Economy from Northern Michigan: Trends in Procurement and Management Elspeth Geiger (University of Michigan)
- 9:15 A Database of the Material Properties of Historic Brick Lauren Finnigan (University of Notre Dame)
- 9:30 A Little Paradox on the Prairie: If Anthropogenic Fire Came to Dominate Fire Regimes of the Eastern Tallgrass Prairie Peninsula Ecosystem When and How Did it Happen and How Would We Know? Michael Aiuvalasit (Illinois State Archaeological Survey, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)
- 9:45 Break Refreshments in the Lincoln Room
- 10:00 The Effects of Agricultural Practices on Midwestern
 Archaeological Sites Douglas Kullen (Burns & McDonnell)
- 10:15 Maritime Least Cost Path Analysis: Archaic Travel Routes in the Upper Great Lakes Ryan Edward Peterson (Indiana University Bloomington)

- 10:30 A Study of Astronomical Alignments at Higginbotham Woods Earthwork in Illinois Mark L. Madsen (Chicago Archaeological Society, IAAA, and SSAS)
- 10:45 There's More than One Way to Make a Great Circle:

 Magnetic Survey Results from the Deer Creek Circle and the
 Bertsch Site Jarrod Burks (Ohio Valley Archaeology, Inc.)
- 11:00 Compositional Analysis of Middle Woodland Pottery in Southeast Wisconsin and Northern Illinois

 Megan E. Thornton (University of Wisconsin Milwaukee)
- 11:15 The "Welsh-Dunlap" Site in Terre Haute, Indiana Colleen Westmor (Civil & Environmental Consultants, Inc.)
- 11:30 The Indiana University Museum of Archaeology and
 Anthropology and Its Glenn Black Research Laboratory
 April K. Sievert (Indiana University) and Melody K. Pope (IU
 Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology)

9:00 – 10:45 Symposium: Public Archaeology in These Unprecedented Times

Organizers: Jon W. Carroll and E.W. Duane Quates

Location: Room 105AB

- 9:00 Fort St. Joseph Archaeology during the Global Pandemic Erika Hartley (Western Michigan University), Tim Bober (Western Michigan University), Michael S. Nassaney (Western Michigan University)
- 9:15 Archaeology as Public Outreach: Lessons Learned during the COVID-19 Pandemic Jon W. Carroll (Oakland University)
- 9:30 The NRCS Cultural Resources Annual Training: Educating Non-Specialists in Archaeology During the Covid-19
 Pandemic E.W. Duane Quates (Natural Resources Conservation Service)
- 9:45 Crafting a Thesis in the Middle of a Pandemic: The 2020 and 2021 Field Seasons at 20CL69 Nate Moelling (Central Michigan University)

- 10:00 Field Opportunities, in Lieu of a Field School, During the Covid-19 Pandemic Gabrielle E. Moran (Michigan State University)
- 10:15 Discussant: Richard Stamps (Oakland University)

9:00 – 11:00 Poster Symposium: The Bethel Cemetery Relocation Project: Life and Death in 19th Century Central Indiana (Poster Presentations from 9:30 – 10:30)

Organizer: Jeremy J. Wilson

Location: Lincoln Room

* Please note that this symposium includes depictions of human skeletal remains.

Bethel Cemetery Relocation Project: An Introduction and Overview Ryan Peterson (Cardno) and Kathleen Settle (Cardno)

A Picture of Early 20th Century Mortuary Behavior through the Lens of Bethel Cemetery Burial 009: A Case Study in Exceptional Organic Preservation Brooke L. Drew (Indiana State University/Cardno)

The Bioarchaeology of the Bethel Cemetery Jeremy J. Wilson (Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis)

A Case of Mastoid Osteoma at the Bethel Cemetery Christopher W. Schmidt (University of Indianapolis), Megan Hoffman (University of Indianapolis), Grace Holmes (University of Indianapolis)

A Not-So-Secret Affair: A Case Study of Treponemal Infection from the Bethel Cemetery Gretchen E. Zoeller (University of Pittsburgh)

Mapping burials using SfM photogrammetry at Bethel Cemetery Aaron M. Estes (Indiana State University) and Alex E. Badillo (Indiana State University)

Refreshments available in the Lincoln Room

11:00 – 12:00 Roundtable: Practicing Historical Archaeology in the Midwest: Conversations and Reflections

Hosted by Stacey Camp (Michigan State University), Lynn Evans (Mackinac State Historic Parks), Heather Walder (University of Wisconsin – La Crosse)

Location: Room 105AB

This session is a guided discussion and conversation on topics of relevance to historical archaeologists working in the Midwest, with a particular emphasis on how we communicate and work with the communities and people we serve.

11:30 – 1:00 Student Workshop: 3D Digitization in Archaeology & Heritage

Presented by Ethan Watrall (Michigan State University), and assisted by Jack Biggs and Dan Fandino (Michigan State University) Location: Lab for Education and Advancement in Digital Research (LEADR), 112 Old Horticulture Hall (History Dept. building)

1:00 MHAC Business Meeting, McDonel Hall Room C-103

2:00 MSU Campus Archaeology Program Tour for MHAC

Members (Sign up at registration – limited to 20 people)

Tour Guide: Stacey Camp (Michigan State University) Location: Leave

from McDonel Hall Room C-103 after business meeting



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