

Archaeology at Boston University

Believing that archaeology should be a unified, inclusive, and holistic discipline, James R. Wiseman (Classics) took the first step towards the creation of the Department of Archaeology in 1974 with the founding of the *Journal of Field Archaeology*, which continues today at BU as a leading international journal. This was followed by the establishment of an interdisciplinary **Archaeological Studies Program** in 1979 developed with the late Creighton Gabel (Anthropology) and Fred Kleiner (Art History) that presented archaeological research as an interdisciplinary activity drawing upon the social sciences, the natural sciences, and the humanities. This program offered the B.A., M.A. and Ph.D. in Archaeological Studies and was the model for today's Department of Archaeology, the establishment of which was approved by the faculty of the College of Arts and Sciences and the Graduate School in 1982. The James R. Wiseman Chair in Classical Archaeology was endowed in 2006 to honor Wiseman's vision and leadership.

Our facilities include a Geographic Information System computer lab and research and teaching laboratories as well as three scientific laboratories (Environmental Archaeology, Zooarchaeology, and Microstratigraphy) for faculty and student research. Collections of archaeological books, journals, maps, and photos are available in the **Stone Science Library**, and the **Gabel Museum of Archaeology** houses artifacts used in teaching, research, public outreach, and presentations in local public schools. The *Raymond and Beverly Sackler Distinguished Lecture in Archaeology in honor of Professor Norman Hammond*, made possible through a generous endowment, continues the mission to promote archaeology at Boston University and to the public at large.

Research and teaching are at the heart of the Department of Archaeology's mission. Faculty and students conduct research across the globe. Teaching takes place in the classroom, in the field, and less formally in student organizations such as the **Boston University Undergraduate Archaeology Society** and the **Graduate Students Organization**.

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Department of

Archaeology



Convocation Ceremony

Saturday, May 19, 2018
9:00 a.m.

Photonics Center
8 St. Mary's Street, Room 206

Convocation Program

- ▽ Opening Comments and Introductions
Professor Curtis Runnels, Chair
- ▽ Presentation of Awards
- ▽ Presentation of Diplomas
- ▽ Individual and Group Photographs
Michael Hamilton, Photographer
- ▽ Reception



Doctor of Philosophy

Sara Belkin
Aviva Cormier
Allison Cuneo
Zhengdong Guo
Jade Luiz
Ilaria Patania
Kristen Wroth

Master of Arts

Christina Fossa
Victoria Poston
Juan Vidal
Mi Wang

Bachelor of Arts

Aarti Arora †
magna cum laude
Honors, Independent Work for Distinction
Archaeology Trowel Award

Alanna Billups

Victoria Anne Cox

Elizabeth Hannigan †
summa cum laude
Honors, Independent Work for Distinction
College Prize for Excellence

Andrew Mark
cum laude
Honors, Independent Work for Distinction

Emma Patterson
cum laude

Kelly L. Tapager

Audrey Tjahjadi
cum laude

Daniel Alexander Wilson

Julia Yoder