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Areas of Interest

Bioarchaeology, forensic anthropology, Andean prehistory, paleopathology, statistics, anthropometry, pedagogy, information technology, virtual reality, 3D modeling

Education

2003-2011 Ph.D. (Anthropology - Bioarchaeology)

University of Missouri, Columbia

Dissertation Title: Life in the Late Intermediate Period at Armatambo,

Perú

Advisers: Robert Benfer and Deborah Pearsall.

2001-2003 M.A. (Anthropology - Bioarchaeology)

University of Missouri, Columbia

Thesis Title: An Examination of Harris Lines and Femoral Diaphyseal

Bending Rigidity Using Bootstrapping

Adviser: Robert Benfer

1997-2001 B.A. (Anthropology)

University of California, Berkeley

Awards

Honors Faculty of the Year, MiraCosta College.

2020 Educational Experience of the Year at the 2020 WebXR Awards for

work on AnVRopomotron, an online virtual reality-enabled museum.

Teaching and Employment

2017- Associate Faculty, MiraCosta College. Teach introductory biological

anthropology course on campus. Responsibilities involve designing and implementing the curriculum and holding office hours to increase

engagement with students.

2015- Adjunct Faculty Instructor, Grossmont College. Teach introductory

anthropology courses both online and on campus. Classes include cultural anthropology on campus and introduction to physical anthropology both online and on campus. Responsibilities involve designing and implementing the curriculum for each medium.

2013-2015

Online Associate Faculty Instructor, Ashford University. Teach online asynchronous undergraduate cultural anthropology courses, including frequent interaction with students on discussion boards, explanation of anthropological concepts, as well as all course grading.

Research Specialist. Sinclair School of Nursing, University of Missouri. Worked on a team with other researchers on large-scale NIH and AHA funded meta-analysis projects. Tasks included conducting extensive literature searches and evaluations, coding of data to a standard format, writing data-handling macros for Microsoft Excel, data cleaning, and co-authoring research papers for peer-reviewed journals.

Co-Director. Anthropological Radiography Group Field School. Cotaught ten students from various radiology programs from the United States the methods and theory of bioarchaeology while working on a skeletal collection in Lima, Perú.

Scoring Team Leader. Assessment Resource Center. Worked with two other team leaders to manage a team of approximately 30 scorers of a standardized test. Duties included quality control to ensure consistency of assigned scores, and working one-on-one with scorers who were lagging in accuracy or productivity.

Scoring Team Leader. Assessment Resource Center. Managed a team of approximately 10 scorers of a standardized test. Duties included quality control to ensure consistency of assigned scores, and working one-on-one with scorers who were low in accuracy or productivity.

Co-Instructor. Bioarchaeological field school in Lima, Perú via the University of Missouri, Columbia. Co-taught four students from the United States and one from Perú the methodology of skeletal identification and data collection. Duties included assisting in identifying and collecting skeletal data, helping students adjust to Peruvian culture, and managing interpersonal conflicts.

Publications and Presentations

2009

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2008

2007

Conn, V., Ruppar, T., & Chan, K. (2016). Meta-analyses of theory use in medication adherence intervention studies. *Health Education Research*. 40(2): 155-71.
 Conn, V., Enriquez, M., Ruppar, T., Cooper, P. & Chan, K. (2015). Health care provider targeted interventions to improve medication adherence: systematic review and meta-analysis. *International Journal of Clinical Practice*. 69(8): 889-99
 Conn, V., Enriquez, M., Ruppar, T., & Chan, K. (2014). Cultural relevance in medication adherence interventions with underrepresented

adults: systematic review and meta-analysis of outcomes. *Preventive Medicine*, 69, 239-47.

Conn, V. S., Chan, K. C., & Cooper, P. S. (2014). The problem with p. *Western Journal of Nursing Research*, 36(3), 291-3.

Conn, V., Chan, K., Banks, J., Ruppar, T., & Scharff, J. (2013). Cultural relevance of physical activity intervention research with underrepresented populations. *The International Quarterly of Community Health Education*, 34(4), 391-414.

Annual Meeting of the Society of American Archaeologists. A paper based on my doctoral research was presented, titled "Life in a Prehistoric State at Armatambo: Lurín Valley, Perú."

Annual Midwest Conference on Andean and Amazonian Archaeology and Ethnohistory. A paper based on my doctoral research was presented, titled "Health and Labor at Armatambo, Perú: How Bioarchaeology Contributes to the Study of Social Complexity."

Curso Taller: Arqueometría y Bioarqueología en el Perú. Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos. Created and delivered a presentation in Spanish. The talk focused on current work on the Armatambo skeletal collection curated by the Museo Nacional de Arqueología, Antropología e Historia del Perú.

Fieldwork and Laboratory Research

2007

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Radiographic data collection. Museo Nacional de Arqueología,
Antropología, e Historia del Perú. Supervised the Anthropological
Radiography Group as they radiographed the skeletal collection from
Armatambo from the 2007 data collection period. Tasks include
choosing burials to investigate, and ensuring quality control over the
radiography process.

Skeletal data collection. Museo Nacional de Arqueología, Antropología, e Historia del Perú. Collected data from skeletal remains from the Incan period site of Armatambo. Tasks include thorough examination of skeletons for indicators of sex, age, and disease processes, in addition to improving existing data collection forms.

Archaeological excavation at Buena Vista, Perú. University of Missouri, Columbia. Tasks include the training of field students in archaeological methods, acting as crew chief for a unit, and helping the students acculturate to Peruvian culture.

Related Work

2003-2004

2019- Computer Programmer. Released AnVropomotron, an online museum,

	for desktop web browsers, smartphones, and virtual reality headsets. The site is continually updated with new features.
2012-	Computer Programmer. Released versions of <i>Anthropomotron</i> , a forensic anthropology calculator for iOS (iPhone, iPad) and Android devices. The app is continually updated with new features and equations.
2012	Computer Scripter. Released Data Compare-o-Matic, a Visual Basic macro for Microsoft Excel that allows for the comparison of double-entered data.
2011	Computer Programmer. Released a Javascript version of <i>Anthropomotron</i> (www.keithcchan.com/anthropomotron/), creating the program from scratch for mobile internet and adding notable stature estimation equations not in the previous version.