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### **CURRENT APPOINTMENTS**

Assistant Provost for General Education, Boston University.

Professor of Anthropology, Archaeology, and Latin American Studies, Boston University.

### **PRIOR APPOINTMENTS**

Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology, Boston University, 2018-2021.

Director, Archaeology Program, Boston University, 2018-2019.

Associate Professor, Department of Archaeology, Boston University, 2016-2018.

Assistant Professor, Department of Archaeology, Boston University, 2010-2016.

Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, University of Alabama, 2009-2010.

Lecturer, Department of Anthropology, Pennsylvania State University, 2008-2009.

Visiting Assistant Professor, Anthropology, University of West Georgia, 2007-2008.

Visiting Assistant Professor, Anthropology, University of Oklahoma, 2005-2006.

### **EDUCATION**

University of California, Los Angeles, PhD in Anthropology, 2001-2005.

University of California, Los Angeles, MA in Anthropology, 1999-2001.

Colgate University, Hamilton, NY, BA in Political Science, with honors, 1991-1995.

### **FELLOWSHIPS**

Santander Visiting Scholar, David Rockefeller Center for Latin American Studies, Harvard University, spring 2017.

Junior Fellow, Center for the Humanities, Boston University, 2013-2014.

Visiting Fellow, Center for U.S. – Mexican Studies, University of California, San Diego, spring 2007.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Books**

#### ***Authored***

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2016 Aztec Imperial Core. In *Database of Religious History*, <http://www.religiondatabase.org/about/contributors/>

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2015 America. In *Field Archaeology from Around the World*, edited by Martin Carver, Bisserka Gaydarska, and Sandra Montón-Subías, pp. 193-197. Springer, New York.

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2014 Las Mesitas. In *Formative Lifeways in Central Tlaxcala: Volume 1, Excavations, Ceramics and Chronology*, edited by Richard G. Lesure, pp. 71-82. Cotsen Institute of Archaeology Press, University of California, Los Angeles.

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1997 Investigaciones Arqueológicas en Cerro Chino, Honduras. Manuscript on file at the Instituto Hondureño de Antropología e Historia, Tegucigalpa and Copán.

### **Internet Publications & Webpages**

Carballo, David M.

2017 Households and Daily Life in Mesoamerica.

<http://www.mexicolore.co.uk/aztecs/home/households-and-daily-life-in-mesoamerica>

Pastrana, Alejandro, and David M Carballo

2016 La obsidiana en Teotihuacan. Museo Nacional de Antropología, Mexico.

[https://mna.inah.gob.mx/detalle\\_huella.php?pl=La obsidiana en Teotihuacan](https://mna.inah.gob.mx/detalle_huella.php?pl=La%20obsidiana%20en%20Teotihuacan)

Personal Webpage: <http://www.dcarballo.org/>

Tlajinga Project: <http://sites.bu.edu/patt/>

Plaza of the Columns Webpage: <http://ppcteotihuacan.org/en/home/>

La Laguna Blog: <http://pallblog.blogspot.com/>

### **GRANTS**

Whiting Foundation, Public Engagement Seed Grant, 2020-2021, “Community Engaged Research and K-12 Initiatives at Teotihuacan, Mexico” (\$10,000).

Society for American Archaeology, King Family Grant for Precolumbian Archaeology, 2019-2020, “Urban Neighborhood Organization and Public Space at Teotihuacan’s Tlajinga District” (\$15,000).

National Science Foundation, Senior Research Grant, Archaeology (BCS-1522630), 2015-2018. “Collaborative Research: Origins of Urbanization and State Formation: Investigations at the Plaza of the Columns Complex at Teotihuacan, Mexico” (\$77,717).

National Science Foundation, Senior Research Grant, Archaeology (BCS-1321247), 2013-2016. “Collaborative Research: Urbanism, Neighborhood Organization, and Domestic Economy at the Tlajinga District, Teotihuacan, Mexico” (\$188,238).

National Science Foundation, Senior Research Grant, Archaeology (BCS-0941278), 2009-2011. “The Evolution of Community Ritual and Effects of State Expansion in Central Mexico at La Laguna, Tlaxcala” (\$81,579).

National Geographic Society, Committee for Research and Exploration (CRE-8634-09), 2009-2010. “Proyecto Arqueológico La Laguna, Tlaxcala: Ritualization and State Expansion in Prehispanic Central Mexico” (\$16,905).

UCMEXUS – CONACYT Collaborative Grant for U.S. and Mexican Researchers, 2007-2008. Awarded jointly with Luis Barba, UNAM, for “Mapping the Evolution of Ceremonial Space in

Prehispanic Central Mexico: Remote Sensing and Archaeological Excavations at La Laguna, Tlaxcala" (\$24,970).

National Geographic Society, Committee for Research and Exploration (CRE-8057-06), 2006-2008. "Proyecto Arqueológico La Laguna, Tlaxcala: Proto-Urban Social Transformations and State Expansion in Prehispanic Central Mexico" (\$18,745).

Foundation for the Advancement of Mesoamerican Studies, Inc. (#05018), 2005-2006. "Proto-Urban Social Transformations and Community Organization at La Laguna, Tlaxcala, During the Late and Terminal Formative Periods" (\$9,000).

University of California, Mexico and United States (UCMEXUS) Dissertation Grant, 2002-2004. "Labor, Ideology, and the State: Obsidian Production at the Moon Pyramid, Teotihuacan, Mexico" (\$12,000).

### **STUDENT GRANTS**

National Science Foundation, Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Award, Archaeology (BCS-1916358), 2019-2020. "Feeding a City: Urban Hunting and Animal Husbandry at Teotihuacan." Faculty PI for doctoral student Maria Codlin (\$25,117).

National Science Foundation, Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Award, Archaeology (BCS-), 2019-2020. "Producing Stone and State: The Intersection of Ancient Maya Domestic and Institutional Economies." Faculty PI for doctoral student Mary Clarke (\$25,106).

National Science Foundation, Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Award, Archaeology (BCS-1533539), 2015-2017. "Traditional Household Production and Consumption." Faculty PI for doctoral student David Walton (\$13,671).

### **FIELD RESEARCH**

Proyecto Arqueológico Tlajinga, Teotihuacan. PI of project in southern neighborhood of UNESCO World Heritage Site, with Luis Barba and Kenneth Hirth. 2012-present.

Proyecto Conjunto Plaza de las Columnas, Teotihuacan. Co-PI of project focused on palatial complex in the center of ancient city, with Saburo Sugiyama, Nawa Sugiyama, Verónica Ortega, and William Fash. 2016-2019.

Proyecto Arqueológico La Laguna, Tlaxcala. PI of project at Formative period central Mexican town, 2005-2012.

Proyecto Pirámide de la Luna, Teotihuacan, Mexico. Saburo Sugiyama and Rubén Cabrera Castro PIs, 1999-2004.

UCLA Formative Apizaco Project, Mexico. Richard Lesure PI, 1999-2004.

Taylor 1 and Vincent Beach sites, Chilmark, Massachusetts. Elizabeth Chilton PI, 1999.

Pulltrowser Swamp, K'axob, Belize. Patricia McAnany PI, 1998.

Group 9J-5, Copán, Honduras. William Fash PI, 1996-1997.

## **EXHIBITS & MUSEUM PROJECTS**

Consultant and audio-guide contributor for remodeling of Michael C. Rockefeller wing of Americas collections, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, 2021.

Campus organizer of “Hostile Terrain 94” exhibit on migrant deaths at the US-Mexico border, in collaboration with the BU Arts Initiative, 2020-2021.

Consultant, author, and audio-guide contributor for “Teotihuacan: City of Water and Fire,” de Young Museum, Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco, and Los Angeles County Museum of Art, 2016-2018.

Volunteer intern, Department of Egyptology, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, 1995-1996.

## **ACADEMIC SERVICE**

### **External**

Editorial Board, *Frontiers in Human Dynamics – Social Networks*, 2022-present.

Editorial Advisory Committee, *Latin American Antiquity*, 2020-present.

Editorial Committee, *Arqueología Mexicana*, 2015-present.

Committee of Advisors, Graduate Program in Mesoamerican Studies, National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM), 2016-present.

Senior Grants Review Panel, National Science Foundation, Archaeology Division, 3 terms.

Excellence in Archaeological Analysis Award Committee, Soc. for Am. Archaeology, 2017-2020.

Program Committee, Society for American Archaeology Annual Meeting, 2010, 2016, 2018.

Member: Society for American Archaeology (SAA), American Anthropological Association (AAA), American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), American Institute of Archaeology (AIA), Sociedad Mexicana de Antropología (SMA).

### **Boston University (University Wide)**

#### *Academic Programs*

Assistant Provost for General Education, 2019-present.

Chair, BU Hub Council, 2019-present.

Co-Chair, University General Education Committee, 2019-present.

Undergraduate Council, 2019-present.

Initiative Owner, BU Hub, Strategic Plan Implementation, 2020-present.

Undergraduate Programs, COVID-19 Recovery Working Group, 2020-2021.

Inclusive Pedagogy Initiative Working Group, 2020-2021.

Curriculum Committee, Center of Computing and Data Sciences, 2019-2021.

Chair, Committee on Scientific and Social Inquiry Learning Outcomes, BU Hub, Fall 2016.

Graduate Academic Affairs Committee, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, 2016-2017.

Social Science Curriculum Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, Fall 2016.

Jr. Faculty Colloquium, co-organizer, College of Arts and Sciences, 2014-2016.

#### *Hiring Committees*

Executive Director Search Committee, Innovate@BU, 2021.

Faculty Search Committee, Political Science, external member, 2019.

Provost's Dean Search Advisory Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, 2018-2019.

Faculty Search Committee, Romance Studies, external member, 2018-2019.

### **Boston University (Affiliated Departments, Centers & Programs)**

#### *Academic Programs*

Executive Committee, Center for Latin American Studies, Pardee School, 2014-present.

Director, Archaeology Program, 2018-2019.

Director of Graduate Studies, Archaeology, 2015-2017, spring 2018  
Graduate Studies Committee, Anthropology, 2018-present.  
Graduate Studies Committee, Archaeology, 2014-2020.  
Faculty Adviser, Experimental Archaeology Club, 2012-2020.  
Undergraduate Studies Committee, Archaeology, 2013-2015.  
Faculty Adviser, Undergraduate Archaeology Society, 2012-2015.  
Director of Undergraduate Studies, Archaeology 2011-2013.

#### *Hiring Committees*

Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Anthropology, 2020-2021.  
Faculty Search Committee, Archaeology, 2011-2012.

#### **PEER REVIEW**

Granting Agencies: European Research Council, Louisiana Board of Regents, Office of Sponsored Programs, National Geographic Society, National Science Foundation, Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada, University of California Institute for Mexico and the United States

Book Presses: Brill Publishers, Cambridge University Press, Colegio de Michoacan, Dumbarton Oaks/Trustees for Harvard University, Eliot Werner Publications, Fieldania, Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia, Middle American Research Institute, Oxford University Press, Routledge Press, Thames and Hudson Press, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, University of Arizona Press, University Press of Colorado

Journals: *American Anthropologist*, *Anales de Antropología*, *Ancient Mesoamérica*, *Archaeological and Anthropological Sciences*, *Arqueología*, *Boletín de la Sociedad Geológica Mexicana*, *Cambridge Archaeological Journal*, *Cross-Cultural Research*, *Current Anthropology*, *Ecological Modelling*, *Environmental Archaeology*, *Figuras*, *Journal of Anthropological Archaeology*, *Frontiers in Political Science*, *Journal of Anthropological Research*, *Journal of Archaeological Method and Theory*, *Journal of Archaeological Research*, *Journal of Archaeological Science: Reports*, *Journal of Field Archaeology*, *Latin American Antiquity*, *PLOS One*, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, *Quaternary Science Reviews*, *Radiocarbon*, *Research in Economic Anthropology*, *Travaux et Recherches dans les Amériques du Centre*, *WIREs Water*, *World Archaeology*

#### **PUBLIC OUTREACH**

Interview for popular science podcast [Demystifying Science](#), December 28, 2022.  
Blog post for [Urban Studies](#) on comparative urbanism in Mesoamerica, June 13, 2022.  
Educational consulting on K-12 curricula on early Americas for Primary Source, 2021-22.  
Zine publication "[Teotihuacan: un viaje mágico](#)," October 11, 2021.  
Interview in [Discover Magazine](#) on the Spanish invasion of Mesoamerica, August 13, 2021.  
Blog post for [Oxford University Press](#) on Spanish invasion of Mesoamerica, August 13, 2021.  
Blog post for [Cambridge Core](#) on recent work at Teotihuacan, June 22, 2021.  
Podcast on the fall of the Aztec empire for [Letters & Politics](#), Pacifica Radio, November 26, 2020.  
Podcast on Aztec-Spanish War for program [The Dead Prussian](#), August 13, 2020.  
Podcast on Spanish invasion of Mesoamerica for program [Seven Ages](#), August 7, 2020.  
Interview in [The Atlantic](#) on archaeology and Spanish invasion of Mesoamerica, August 1, 2020.  
Excerpt in [Lapham's Quarterly](#), "The Birth of New Spain," July 20, 2020.  
Podcast on Collision of Worlds for [New Books Network](#), Latin America, July 3, 2020.  
Podcast on deep history of conquest of Mexico for [Global History Podcast](#), June 17, 2020.

Public talks at K-12 schools in the Teotihuacan Valley, March 2020.

"The Arrival of Strangers. New evidence points to a clash between two ancient Mesoamerican cultures, Teotihuacan and the Maya" article for [Science](#) 367(2481): 968-973, November 28, 2020.

"Stylish Suburbs: How Ancient Mexican Metropolis Dodged Inequality Trap" article for [Reuters](#), December 19, 2019.

"Life in the City of the Gods" article for *Archaeology* magazine, Nov/Dec 2019, pp. 24-31.

UNAM-Boston video production on Tlajinga project: <https://youtu.be/HJmqnNJeQJM>

"In an ancient Mesoamerican city, archaeologists find a narrow wealth gap" radio segment for NPR's "[Marketplace](#)," August 2, 2019.

PBS television program "[Gods and Monsters](#)" for series "Ancient Skies," 2019.

Podcast on Teotihuacan for program [Seven Ages](#), 2019.

Panel of experts for educational webpage Mexicolore: <http://mexicolore.co.uk/aztecs/ask-experts/>

PBS television program "[Teotihuacan's Lost Kings](#)" for series "Secrets of the Dead," 2016.

Podcast for "[Dig This](#)" on NSF Science 360, 2016.

BU Research page "[Lessons from Teo](#)," 2015.

"Ancient Urbanites" article in *American Archaeology* magazine, 18(4):26-31, 2014-15.

BBC television program "[The Place Where Time Began](#)" for series "Lost Kingdoms of Central America," 2014.

BU Today Video "[Knapping Rocks](#)," 2013.

"Plundering History" DVD extras to digitally remastered 1950s movie "Plunder of the Sun," 2006.