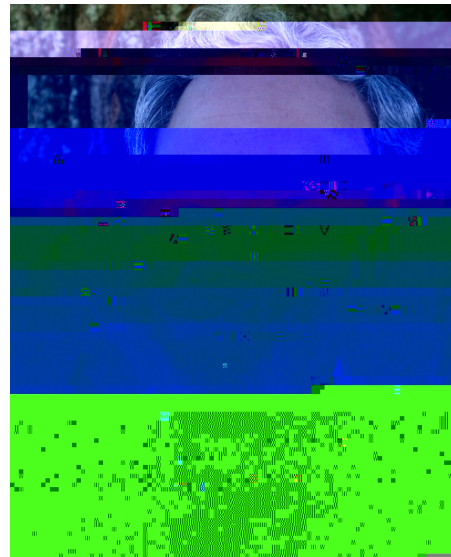




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Wenner-Gren Foundation Dissertation Fieldwork Grant, a W.K. McClure Scholarship for the Study of World Affairs, and a Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship, examines transitional justice in Nepal. She is currently completing a book project,

in Southern California,” and examined the politics of history, infrastructure, and race in the deserts of California. At USF, he is working on a new project focused on tourism and landscapes in Florida.

World-Class Research: AAAS Fellows



Christian Wells was elected Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in the Anthropology Section. Election as AAAS Fellow is an honor bestowed upon the association’s members by their peers and is considered one of the top honors in academic research. Dr. Wells was recognized “for distinguished contributions to the field of environmental anthropology, particularly for research on ancient and modern soil and water systems, human and environmental health dynamics.” He is the third faculty member in the Department of Anthropology to be elected, joining **Lorena Madrigal** (elected 2012) and **Robert Tykot** (elected 2011).

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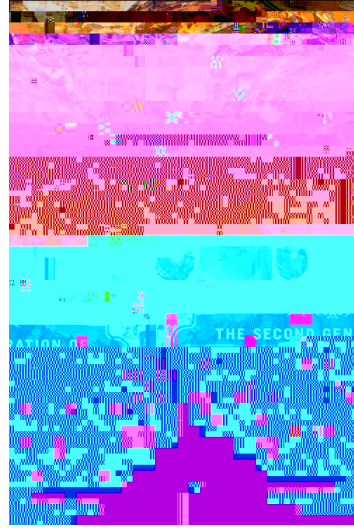
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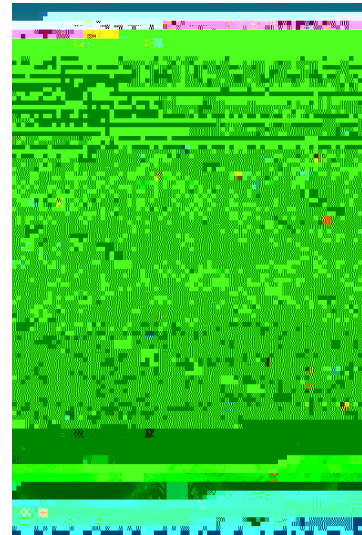
Cheryl Rodriguez (USF), **Elgin Klugh** (Coppin State University), and **Alisha Winn** (preservation consultant, West Palm Beach, Florida).

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World-Class Research: Conferences

Art of Forensics

On October 26, **Erin Kimmerle** organized the exhibit “Art of Forensics” at the Tampa Bay History Center in Tampa, which remained open to the public until November 27. Art of Forensics features more than 30 works of art representing 20 open forensic cases from Florida, North Carolina, Tennessee, Wisconsin, Colorado, Pennsylvania, and New York. This event features the work of USF students in Dr. Kimmerle’s Forensic Art and Anthropology course as they apply the fundamentals of human variation and various artistic mediums.



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Tidally United Summit

Jeff Moates, Becky O’Sullivan, and Kassie Kemp from the FPAN West Central Office and the New College Public Archaeology Lab organized the Tidally United Summit 2018. Faculty members **Rebecca Zarger, Diane Wallman, and Tom Pluckhahn** and graduate students **Amy Gatenbee and Kendal Jackson** presented papers at the August 10 event in Sarasota. The summit brought together archaeologists, historic preservationists, environmental scientists, and local decision makers for a series of talks and panel discussions focused on solutions to the threats posed by rising sea levels and climate change to Florida’s coastal heritage sites.



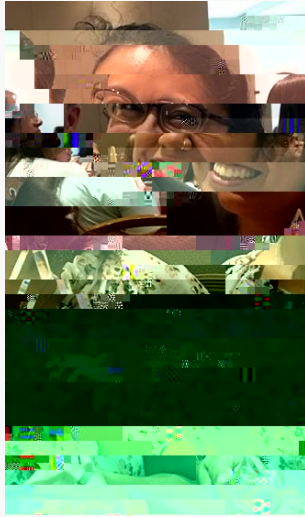
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National Conference on Equitable Development



Heritage and Humanities Collections (DHHC) housed at the USF Library, Pennsylvania State Police, Philadelphia Police, Philadelphia Medical Examiner's Office and Pennsylvania Attorney General's Office to work on several long term unidentified cases. **Erin Kimmerle** worked with Richard McKenzie, Garrett Speed, and Kevin Guidusko from DHHC to locate the graves of unidentified persons in a Philadelphia potter's field. Dr. Kimmerle, along with graduate students **Gennifer Goad**, **Liotta Noche-Dowdy** and **Kirsten Verostick** excavated five unidentified persons. These unidentified persons will be re-analyzed to update their biological profile, have DNA and chemical isotopic analysis performed, along with facial and clothing imaging to aid in their identification. The greater goal is to use all the abilities modern forensic anthropology has to help solve these cold cases.

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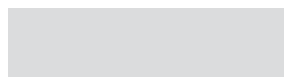
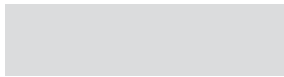


World-Class Students: Awards

Congratulations to our award-winning students! **Ofelia Sanchez**: 2018 Status of Latinos (SoL) Student Award, University of



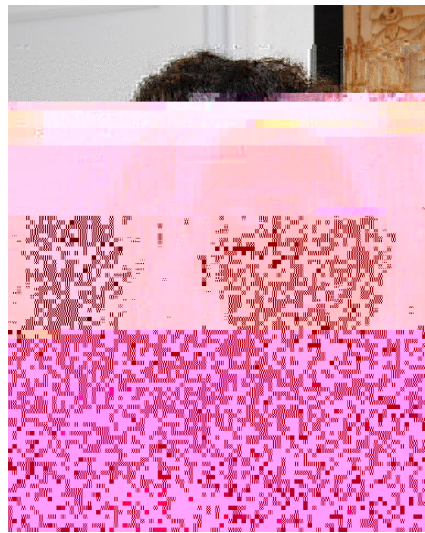
2018 and dove into volunteering for the League of Women Voters and the ACLU in her new hometown of St. Petersburg, Florida. In the spring ow



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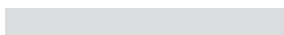
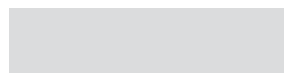
Iraida Carrion (Ph.D., 2007), Associate Professor in the School of Social Work at the University of South Florida, was awarded Fellow status through the Behavioral and Social Sciences section of the Gerontological Society of America, the world's oldest and largest interdisciplinary organization devoted to research, education, and practice in the field of aging.

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