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Education:

Ph.D. Anthropology, University of Arizona 1982
M.A. Anthropology, University of Arizona 1977
M.A. Psychology, University of Oregon 1974
B.A. Psychology, Carleton College 1972

Teaching Experience:

Dept. of Anthropology, Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa

Professor--Fall 1997-Present
Associate Professor--Fall 1988-Spring 1997
Assistant Professor--Fall 1982-Spring 1988

Experience Leading Trips and Off-Campus Study

Co-Organizer and Leader, Grinnell College Faculty Development Trip to Egypt—March 2012

Co-Director, Global Partners Semester in Turkey—August-December 2007

Co-Director, Belize Student Research Summer Program—Summer 2002 and 2004

Leader, Spring Break Study Tour to the Yucatan, Mexico—Spring 2003

Co-Leader—Student and Alumni Spring Break Trip to Belize—Spring 1999

Faculty, Grinnell-in-London (includes extensive use of field trips)—Fall 2004, 1998, 1993

Director, Hewlett Summer Program in Cyprus—Summer 1995

Co-Director, Grinnell Archaeological Field School, Flagstaff, AZ-- Summer 1984, 1985, 1986, 1988, 1992, 1994, 1998, 2006, continuing.

Leadership/ Service Positions

Board of Directors, Society for American Archaeology (membership of over 7000)
Chair of Diversity Committee, Society for American Archaeology
Chair Curriculum Committee, Society for American Archaeology
Chair of the Faculty, Grinnell College
Social Studies Division Chair, Grinnell College
Executive Council Member-at-large, Grinnell College
Anthropology Department Chair, Grinnell College
Chair or member of many other Grinnell College Committees

External Grants and Awards:

Luce Foundation Grant: “Four Thousand Years of Environmental Change in a Maya Forest” (with David Campbell and John Whittaker); \$500,000 over 5 years—Feb. 2001

Consortium trip to Turkey—June 2000

National Science Foundation Instrumentation and Laboratory Improvement Grant (with John Whittaker)-Equipping an Undergraduate Archaeology Lab—August 1999

National Forest Service Challenge Grant--For partial support of Grinnell's Summer Archaeological Field School--May 1992; May 1994 with supplement August 1994

National Council on U.S.-Arab Relations Malone Fellow--March 1989--Middle East Study Tour to Iraq and United Arab Emirates

National Science Foundation Instrumentation and Laboratory Improvement Grant--For Computerization of Archaeological Field School and Field Methods Classes -- May 1988

Agnes Lindley Foundation grant in support of Grinnell College Field School, 1985 season.

University of Arizona: Graduate College Fellowship for Academic Excellence; Graduate Research Development Fund Grant; Graduate Tuition Scholarship

Research Interests:

Archaeology of Childhood, Ethnoarchaeology, Experimental Archaeology, Prehistoric American Southwest, Space and Place, Agency, Cultural Anthropology of Western Asia.

Publications:

Books

Kamp, Kathryn, ed.
2002. *Children in the Prehistoric Puebloan Southwest*. University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Kamp, Kathryn and John Whittaker

1999. *Surviving Adversity: The Sinagua of Lizard Man Village*. University of Utah Anthropological Papers No. 120, Salt Lake City.

Kamp, Kathryn

1998 *Life in the Pueblo: Understanding the Past Through Archaeology*. Waveland Press, Prospect Heights, Ill.

1981 *Lithic Procurement at Lake Mead: The Collection of 26CK2375*. Western Archeological and Conservation Center Publications in Anthropology #19. National Park Service, Tucson. (Also available National Technical Information Service.)

Articles

Kamp, Kathryn A.

Under review. Demographic Patterns in the Pre-Hispanic Puebloan Southwest: The Role of Childhood. Edited by Cynthia Harris Downum, pp. 140-154. *Sc 0.1 EMC -0.000-0.0007*. In *How, Why and Beyond: Exploring Cause and Explanation in Historical Ecology, Demography, and Movement*, edited by Cynthia Harris and Ann F. Ramenofsky. University of Colorado Press

In Press. Making Children Legitimate: Negotiating the Place of Children and Childhoods in Archaeological Theory. In *The Archaeological Study of Childhood: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on an Archaeological Enigma*, edited by Güner Co kunsu, SUNY Press, Albany.

In Press. Children, Adults, and Other Children: The Archaeology of Parenting. In *Studien in memoriam Brigitte Lohrke*,

Whittaker, John C., Kathryn A. Kamp, and Emek Yılmaz

2009. Çakmak Revisited: Turkish Flintknappers Today. *Journal of Lithic Technology* 34(2): 93-110.

Kamp, Kathryn A.

2009. Children in an Increasingly Violent Social Landscape: A Case Study from the American Southwest. *Childhood in the Past* 2:71-85.

Kamp, Kathryn A. and John C. Whittaker

2009. An Acropolis of the Sinagua: Architectural Adaptation at New Caves, Arizona. *Kiva* 74(3): 281-304.

Whittaker, John C., Kathryn A. Kamp, Anabel Ford, Rafael Guerra*, Peter Brands*, Jose Guerra Awe, Kim McLean, Alexander Woods*, Melissa Badillo*, Jennifer Thornton*, and Zerifeh Eiley*
2009. Lithic Industry in a Maya Center: An Axe Workshop at El Pilar, Belize. *Latin American Antiquity* 20 (1):134-156.

Kamp, Kathryn, John Whittaker, Rafael Guerra*, Kimberly McLean*, Peter Brands*, and Jose V. Guerra Awe*

2006. Craft and Ritual: Examining Spinning among the Late Classic Maya. *Journal of Field Archaeology* 31 (4): 411-423.

Whittaker, John and Kathryn Kamp

2006. Primitive Weapons and Modern Sport: Atlatl Capabilities, Learning, Gender, and Age. *Plains Anthropologist* 51: 213-221.

Kamp, Kathryn A.

2006 Dominant Discourses: Lived Experiences: Studying the Archaeology of Children and Childhood. In *Children in Action: Perspectives on the Archaeology of Childhood*, edited by Jane Baxter. Archaeological the American Anthropological Association, Volume 15.pp. 115-122. American Anthropological Society, Washington, D.C.

John Whittaker and Kathryn Kamp

2005 ISAC Sport and Science. *The Atlatl* 18 (2):1-4.

2002. Working for a Living: Childhood in the Prehistoric Puebloan Southwest. In *Children in the Prehistoric Puebloan Southwest*, edited by K.A. Kamp, pp. 71-89. University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Kamp, Kathryn A. and John C. Whittaker

2002. Prehistoric Puebloan Children in Archaeology and Art. In *Children in the Prehistoric Puebloan Southwest*, edited by K.A. Kamp, pp. 14-40. University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, Utah.

* Indicates student author.

Kamp, Kathryn A.
2001. Prehistoric Children Working and Playing: A Southwestern Case Study in Learning
Ceramics. *Journal of Anthropological Research* 57: 427-450.

1991 Waste Disposal in a Syrian Village. In *Ethnoarchaeology of Refuse Disposal*, edited by

2008. Review of *Hinterlands and Regional Dynamics in the Ancient Southwest* edited by Alan P. Sullivan and James M. Bayman. *American Anthropologist* 110(1):148-149.

2007. Review of *Puebloan Ruins of the Southwest* by Arthur H. Rohn and William M. Ferguson *American Anthropologist* 109(1): 224-225.

2003 Review of Pueblo Pottery Figurines: The Expression of Cultural Perceptions in Clay. *Journal of Anthropological Research* 59: 361-363.

2002. Review of Homol'ovi III: A Pueblo Hamlet in the Middle Little Colorado River Valley (edited by E. Charles Adams). *Journal of Anthropological Research* 58: 573-4.

2001. Review of Archaeology of Ancient Mexico and Central America: An Encyclopedia (edited by S. T. Evans and T. L. Webster). *Latin American Antiquity* 12(3): 340-341.

2001. Review of The Constructed Past: Experimental Archaeology, Education and the Public (edited by P.G. Stone and P.G. Planel). *American Antiquity* 66: 537-538.

1999. Archaeology. In *Encyclopedia of Tourism*, edited by Jafar Jafari, pp. 52-53. Routledge: London.

1998 Review of Ancient Peoples of the American Southwest by Stephen Plog. *American Antiquity* 63:504- 506.

1992 Review of Tribes and State Formation in the Middle East. *Journal of Developing Societies* 8(1-2).

Papers Presented:

Kamp, Kathryn and April Kamp-Whittaker

2013 Invisibility is in the Eye of the Beholder: Techniques and Perspectives for the Archaeology of Children. Society for American Archaeology meetings, Honolulu April 2013.

Whittaker, John, Kathryn Kamp and Byl Bryce

2013 Projectile Points from the "magician" Burial. Society for American Archaeology meetings, Honolulu April 2013.

Kamp, Kathryn and Julia Bauder

2012 Visualizing Spatial Patterns in the Liberal Arts. Workshop on GIS and other techniques for presenting spatial data. VIZ Conference, Carleton College Sept. 2012.

Kamp, Kathryn

2012 Population Growth and Fertility: The Role of Childhood. Invited Speaker. Southwest Symposium. January 2012, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

2010 The Dirty Details of Life in the Pueblo. Presentation for the National Park Service/National Forest Service Continuing Education Program. June 2010 Flagstaff, Arizona.

2010 Discovering the Changing Roles of Children: An Example from the Puebloan Southwest. Paper Presented at the Third Institute for European and Mediterranean Archaeology Scholar Conference. Buffalo, NY. April 2010.

2010 Work, Play, or Learning?: Interpretive Tensions in the Discussion of Prehistoric Children. Paper Presented at the Society for Cross-Cultural Research Meetings. Albuquerque, NM. February, 2010.

2009 Children in Place; the Place of Children: A Case Study from the Pre-Hispanic American Southwest. Paper presented at the Meetings of the Society for the Study of Prehistoric Childhood. Miami, Fl. October 2009.

Whittaker, John C., Kathryn A. Kamp, and Emek Yılmaz
2009 Turkish Flintknappers and Technological Change. Paper Presented at the Society for American Archaeology, Atlanta. April 2009.

Kamp, Kathryn
2008 Without Adults There Are No Children. Paper Presented at the World Archaeological Congress. Dublin, Ireland. June 29-July 4.

Kamp, Kathryn, John Whittaker, and Anabel Ford
2008 Axes and Pyramids: Industrial Centers and Industry in Centers. Paper Presented at the Society for American Archaeology, Vancouver, B.C. March 2008.

Whittaker, John and Kathryn Kamp
2008 Simple Tools, Complex Concepts: Mobility and Ethnicity in the Southwest. Paper Presented at the Society for American Archaeology, Vancouver, B.C. March 2008.

John Whittaker and Kathryn Kamp
2006 Enduring Crises and Ephemeral Disasters: Sinagua Agriculture. Paper Presented at the Early Agricultural Remnants and Technical Heritage Team II Meetings, May 27, 2006, Tafraoute, Morocco.

John Whittaker, Kathryn Kamp, and Barret Brenton
2005 Maize Storage in Simple Pits. Paper Presented at the first Plenary Workshop of Early Agricultural Remnants and Technical Heritage, European Science Foundation Consortium, March 12, Kilbride, Scotland.

Kamp, Kathryn
2004 Using Experiments to Understand a Spindle Whorl Deposit. Paper Presented for Exeter Archaeology Department Seminar Series, Exeter, U.K., November 2004.

Kamp, Kathryn and John Whittaker
2004 Wind and Walls: Understanding Architecture and Space Use at New Caves Pueblo. Poster Presented at the Society for American Archaeology Meetings, Montreal, April 2004.

Kamp, Kathryn A.

2003 Steps Toward an Archaeology of Children and Childhood. Paper Presented at the American Anthropological Association Meetings, Chicago, November 2003.

2000 Child Labor in the Prehistoric Southwestern Pueblos: Necessary, Not Evil. Paper Presented at the Society of American Archaeology Meetings, Philadelphia, April 2000.

John C. Whittaker, Barrett Brenton and Kathryn A. Kamp

1998 Corn Storage in Simple Pits. Paper Presented at the Central States Anthropological Society Meetings, Kansas City, April 1998.

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1998 Prints on Pots. Paper Presented at the Society of American Archaeology Meetings, Seattle, March 1998.

1998 Hands-on Research as a Teaching Technique. Paper Presented at the Central States Anthropological Society Meetings, Kansas City, April 1998

1996 Production and Specialization: New Insights from Cyprus. Paper Presented at the Society of American Archaeology Annual Meeting, New Orleans, April 1996.

Kamp, Kathryn A. and John C. Whittaker

1990 View from the Trenches: The Dirt About Sinagua Social Organization. Paper presented at the Society of American Archaeology Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, May 1990.

Kamp, Kathryn A.

1987 Excavations at Lizard Man Village: The Archaeological Interpretation of an Ancient Sinagua Farming Hamlet. Grinnell Alumni College, June 1987.

Kamp, Kathryn A.

1986 The View from the Village. Paper presented at the Society of American Archaeology Annual Meeting, New Orleans, May 1986.

Kamp, Kathryn A. and John C. Whittaker

1985 Small Site Economic Integration Among the Sinagua. Paper presented at the Society for American Archaeology Annual Meeting, Denver, May 1985.

Kamp, Kathryn A.

1984 Ethnoarchaeology of Waste Disposal in Darnaj. Syria. Paper presented at the Society for American Archaeology Annual Meeting, Portland, April 1984.

1984 Using the Present to Discover the Past. Paper in Iowa Humanities Board "Public Archaeology Series".

1983 Unproductive Lithic Resources at Lake Mead: An Evaluation of Two Techniques. Paper presented at Southwestern Anthropological Society Meetings, San Diego, March 1983.

Whittaker, John C. and Kathryn A. Kamp

1983 The Ethnoarchaeological Study of Stone Tools. Paper presented at the Society of American Archeology Meetings, Pittsburg, April 1983.

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1981 Ethnoarcheological Perspectives on the Interpretation of Mudbrick Domestic Architecture. Paper presented at the Society for American Archaeology Meetings, San Diego, May 1981.

1979 Ethnicity in the Archaeological Record. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology: Vancouver, B.C.

Field Experience and other Employment:

Co-director (with J. Whittaker), Luce Foundation summer excavations at El Pilar, Belize.

Directed Hewlett Grant Project on Tourist Development in Cyprus; Summer 1995

Co-director (with J. Whittaker), Grinnell Archaeological Field School. Excavation of a Sinagua pithouse and pueblo village, training students. Summer 1984, 1985, 1986, 1988, 1992, 1994, 1998, 2006, continuing.

Directed (with J. Whittaker) Survey of Rock Creek Lake State Park in cooperation with Iowa Conservation Commission.

Field Supervisor, Tell El-Hayyat, Jordan, preliminary field season of University of Arizona excavation. Duties: responsible for one excavation area of an early to middle Bronze Age site. Jointly responsible (with John Whittaker) for lithic analysis. Winter 1982.

Archeologist, Western Archeological and Conservation Center (National Park Service), Tucson. Duties: Issuing archeological clearances for construction projects conducted on Park lands, conducting library research to aid in mangement decisions, some small field projects. (time). Spring 1981 - Spring 1982.

Research Associate, Department of Anthropology, University of Arizona, Tucson. Duties: Reading, summarizing and evaluating literature on the collapse of civilization for Dr. Noman Yoffee. Fall 1981 - Spring 1982.

Ethnoarchaeological fieldwork in a Syrian village. Dissertation research on material correlates of the sociodemographic variables, wealth, household size, and number of co-residing nuclear family units. Summer 1980.

Archaeologist (GS-07), Western Archeological Center (National Park Service), Tucson, Arizona. Work on a variety of small projects, involving fieldwork, analysis, and write-up. Summer 1979.

Research Assistant, Arizona State Museum, Tucson, Arizona. Duties: Computer coding information about historic and prehistoric Arizona archaeological sites. Fall 1979.

Area Supervisor, Joint American Expedition to Syria, Archeological Institute, UCLA. Duties: All notetaking, drawing, and field report writing for one excavation area; supervision of 2-8 local workmen and 1-2 students; preliminary processing of artifacts. Under Drs. Giorgio Buccellati and Marilyn Kelly-Buccellati at the site of Terqa. Fall-Winter 1977.

Assistant Archaeologist, Arizona State Museum, Tucson, Arizona. Duties: Writing site summaries for cultural resource management contract, drafting maps for report. Summer 1977.

University of Arizona Grasshopper Field School, Cibecue, Arizona. Training concentrated on excavation of masonry pueblo, but also included survey and surface collection. Summer 1976.

Interviewer, Consumer Research Inc.; Minneapolis, Minn. Duties: Interviewing and supervising interviewing for market research company. Summer 1974 to Summer 1975.

Research Assistant, Dept. of Psychology, University of Oregon, Eugene. Duties: Construction of lab equipment, conditioning of monkeys, perfusion, implantation of electrodes, electrophysiological single-cell recording. Summer 1973.

Have taught one or more semesters of:

Introduction to Anthropology; Human Evolution; Human Evolution and Prehistory; Archeological Field Methods; Archeology of the Middle East; Hunters and Foragers; Aztecs, Incas, and Mayas; Introduction to Statistics; Freshman Writing Tutorials: "Childhood and Youth in Anthropological Perspective," "Archaeology: Myth and Reality"; "Becoming Human: Evolutionary & Anthropological Perspectives"; "Images of the Arab"; Gender and Women's Studies Capstone: Feminist Critiques of the Liberal Arts Human Evolution; Archaeology of North America; Peoples of the Middle East; Cultures in Contact; Archaeological Field Methods; Symbols of Power; Archeological Field School; Engendering Archaeology; Experimental Archaeology and Ethnoarchaeology; Understanding Human Landscapes; Archaeology and Identity, Exploring Human Landscapes.