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POSITIONS HELD

2020- Professor, Department of Anthropology, Rice University
2020- Department Chair, Department of Anthropology, Rice University
2014-2020 Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology, Rice University
2007-2014 Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, Rice University
2005-07 Director, Joint Multicultural Program, Lehigh University
2004-07 Visiting Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology and Africana Studies Program, Lehigh University

EDUCATION

2003 Ph.D. Anthropology, University of Virginia
1997 M.A. Anthropology, University of Virginia
1992 B.A. Anthropology, University of Virginia, with Distinction

SPECIALIZATIONS

Area Tanzania, Zambia, Eastern and South-Central Africa, Indian Ocean Rim

Topics African archaeology, political economy, landscape and regional archaeology, urbanization, household studies, ceramics, urban space, materiality of ritual, social memory, public and open space, mobility, affect/emotion

Languages Swahili

PROJECT WEBSITES

Songo Mnara Urban Landscapes Project
<http://www.songomnara.rice.edu/>

Ceramics and Society: Early Tana Tradition and the Swahili Coast
http://archaeologydataservice.ac.uk/archives/view/coastalceramics_2012/

Archaeological Research in Freedman's Town
<http://freedmantownarchaeology.rice.edu/>

GRANTS (funded)

Research: External

- 2020-23 *Mellon Sawyer Seminar*, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, 'Diasporic Cultures of Slavery: Engaging Disciplines, Engaging Communities' (with J. Sidbury, M. Morgan, A. Pinn and D. Domingues da Silva).
- 2019-23 *Collaborative Research Grant*, National Endowment for the Humanities (RZ-260900-18), 'The Demographics of Pre-History: South Central Africa through Archaeology and Linguistics' (with K. de Luna and M. Pawlowicz, co-PIs).
- 2019-20 *Fieldwork Award*, Spatial Archaeometry Research Collaborations, Center for Advanced Spatial Technologies, University of Arkansas, 'Geophysical investigations of 9th- to 14th-century AD occupation mounds in the Basanga Region of western Zambia' (with K. de Luna and M. Pawlowicz, co-PIs).
- 2015-17 *Post-doctoral Research Fellowship*, PI with Erendira Quintana Morales, National Science Foundation (SMA 1514486), 'Fish as a delicacy and a staple: Social status and the daily meal at the 14th to 16th century town of Songo Mnara, Tanzania.'
- 2011-17 *Senior Research Project in Archaeology*, National Science Foundation (BCS 1123091)/Arts and Humanities Research Council (AH/J502716/1), 'Swahili Town Planning: The Songo Mnara Urban Landscape.' (with S. Wynne-Jones, co-PI).
- 2013-16 *International Partnership and Mobility Scheme*, The British Academy, 'The Spatial Dynamics of the Swahili Coast: Applying GIS to Research and Education' (co-investigator; with S. Wynne-Jones, T. Biginagwa, H. Ruther, co-PIs).
- 2013 *Satellite Imagery Grant*, DigitalGlobe Foundation
- 2011 *Minor Research Grant*, Society of Antiquaries, UK. 'Understanding urban plans in the Kilwa archipelago' (Fleisher, co-director; Wynne-Jones, PI)
- 2009 *UNESCO International Emergency Assistance Grant*, 'Restoration of Supporting Wall for Funerary Mosque, Songo Mnara, Tanzania,' UNESCO World Heritage Centre (with S. Wynne-Jones and Tanzanian Antiquities Department)
- 2009 *Research Grant*, 'Geophysical Survey at Songo Mnara, Tanzania,' British Institute in Eastern Africa (with S. Wynne-Jones)
- 2009 *Research Grant*, 'Ceramics and Society on the East African Coast,' The British Academy/Chittick Fund (with S. Wynne-Jones)
- 2002-06 *Senior Research Project in Archaeology*, National Science Foundation (BCS0138319), 'Town and Country: A Regional Study of Swahili Village and Urban Households on Pemba Island, Tanzania, AD 800-1600' (Fleisher, grant co-author, project co-director; A. LaViolette, PI)
- 1999-00 *Dissertation Enhancement Award*, National Science Foundation (INT 9906345)
- 1999-00 *Small Grant for Dissertation Research*, Wenner-Gren Foundation (Gr. 6497)
- 1999 *Exploration and Field Research Grant*, Explorers Club of Washington DC
- 1997 *Summer Field Research Grant*, University of Virginia

Research: Internal

- 2020-22 *Faculty Grant*, "Interdisciplinary Approaches to the History, Archaeology, and Interpretation of Slavery: A Collaboration between Rice University and Texas Historical Commission on Southeast Texas Historical Plantations, Faculty Initiatives Fund, Rice University
- 2014-15 *Collaborative Research Grant*, "Mobility, Settlement, and Power in South Central Africa, 1000 BCE to 1900 CE: Archaeology, Linguistics and Bioarchaeology in Collaboration." Social Science Research Institute, Rice University.
- 2009 *Seed Money Grant*, 'Urban Space, Social Memory and Materiality on the 15th- and 16th-century Southern Swahili Coast,' Social Sciences Research Institute, Rice University

Teaching

- 2020-2022 *Development and Enhancement Grant*, Office of Undergraduate Research and Inquiry, Rice.
- 2019-2020 *Planning Grant*, Office of Inquiry-Based Learning, Rice University.
- 2017-18 *Interdisciplinary Excellence Award (IDEA)*, PI with John Hopkins, Rice University, 'Rice Archaeological Field Schools.'
- 2015-16 *Brown Foundation Teaching Grant*, Rice University 'A Stone Age Semester: Materials for Paleo-Technology (ANTH384), a cooperative learning experience in experimental archaeology' (with A. Costa)
- 2013-15 *Enriching Rice through Information Technology (ERIT) Seed Funding*, Ken Kennedy Institute for Information Technology, Rice, 'Virtual Reconstruction of Ancient Cities: A Proposal for Collaborative Teaching and Research,' (co-PI with J. Hopkins)
- 2012-13 *Brown Foundation Teaching Grant*, Rice University, 'Materials for SCALE-UP Coursework in Introduction to Archaeology (ANTH205)

Conferences and Workshops

- 2020-21 *Conference Grant*, Creative Ventures Fund: 'Experiential Learning at THC Plantation Sites' (with M. Morgan)
- 2014-15 *Conference Grant*, Humanities Research Center, Rice, 'Africa at AD1000: Scalar Transformations and Global Interactions at the turn of the Millennium' (with S. McIntosh)
- 2011 *Planning and Investigation Grant*, Global Heritage Fund (with S. Wynne-Jones)
- 2010-11 *Conference Grant*, Humanities Research Center, 'Thinking across the African Past: Archaeological, Linguistic and Genetic Research on Precolonial African History.'" (with K. de Luna and S. McIntosh)

FELLOWSHIPS, ACADEMIC HONORS, and AWARDS

- 2018-present *Faculty Fellow*, Center for Teaching Excellence, Rice University
- 2017 *Sarah A. Burnett Teaching Prize in the Social Sciences*, Rice University
- 2015 *Gateway Recognition Award*, School of Social Sciences, Rice University
- 2014 *Charles Duncan Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement*, Rice University
- 2012 *Summer Research Fellow*, Kinder Institute for Urban Research, Rice University
- 2011-12 *Collaborative Research Fellow*, Humanities Research Center, Rice University
- 2010-11 *Lecturer*, National Lecture Program of the Archaeological Institute of America
- 2003 *Graduate Fellow*, American Academy of Political and Social Science
- 2001-02 *Pre-doctoral Research Fellowship*, Carter G. Woodson Institute for Afro-American and African Studies, University of Virginia
- 1999-00 *Fulbright Foreign Fellowship*, Tanzania
- 1998 *Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant Award*, Teaching Resource Center and Department of Anthropology, University of Virginia.
- 1997-98 *Dupont Fellowship for Graduate Studies*, University of Virginia
- 1995-98 *Academic Enhancement Fellowship for Graduate Studies*, University of Virginia
- 1995-98 *Francis S. Viele Scholarship for Graduate Studies*, Sigma Phi Society
- 1995-96 *Virginia Governor's Fellowship for Graduate Studies*, University of Virginia

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- in prep Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. *Songo Mnara: daily life, urban space, and Islam on the medieval Swahili coast*. British Institute in Eastern Africa Memoir, Routledge, 2 volumes.
- 2019 de Luna, Kathryn and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. *Speaking with Substance: Methods of Language and Materials in African History*. New York: Springer.

Edited Volumes

- 2016 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Neil Norman (eds.). *The Archaeology of Anxiety: The Materiality of Anxiousness, Worry, and Fear*. New York: Springer.
- 2015 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher** (eds.). *Theory in Africa, Africa in Theory: Locating Meaning in Archaeology*. London: Routledge.

Special Journal Issues

- 2012 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey, Kathryn de Luna, and Susan McIntosh (eds.). Thinking Across the African Past: Archaeological, Linguistic and Genetic Research on the Precolonial African Past. *African Archaeological Review* 29(2/3):75-317.
- 2010 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Stephanie Wynne-Jones (eds). Power and Authority in the African Past. *Journal of World Prehistory* 23(4):177-269.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- in prep LaViolette, Adria, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, and Mark Horton. Islamic Practice and Dynamic Urban Landscapes on the Swahili Coast, 11th-16th Centuries AD. *Journal of Social Archaeology*.
- under review Wood, Marilee, Laure Dussubieux, Stephanie Wynne-Jones, Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Glass Beads from Songo Mnara, Tanzania: Chemical Composition and Evidence for Local Bead Manufacture. *African Archaeological Review*.
- under review Baužytė, Ema, Adria LaViolette, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, Abdurahman Juma, Mark Horton, Bertram Mapunda, Stephanie Wynne-Jones. An archaeometallurgical investigation of iron smithing in Swahili contexts and its wider implications. *Anthropological and Archaeological Sciences*.
- under review Pawlowicz, Matthew, Kathryn de Luna, Maggie Katongo, Federica Sulas, Annie Antonites, Evin Grody, Zachary Mckeeby, Joe Merchant, Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Contingent Mobility in South Central Africa: Report of the 2014-2018 Field Seasons of the Bantu Mobility Project in Basanga, Zambia. *South African Archaeological Bulletin*.
- under review He Yu, Alexandra Jamieson, Ardern Hulme-Beaman, Chris J. Conroy, Becky Knight, Camilla Speller, Hiba Al-Jarah, Heidi Eager, Alexandra Trinks, Gamini Adikari, Henriette Baron, Beate Böhlendorf-Arslan, Wijerathne Bohingamuwa,

Alison Crowther, Thomas Cucchi, Kinie Esser, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, Louisa Gidney, Elena Gladilina, Pavel Gol'din, Steven M. Goodman, Sheila Hamilton-Dyer, Richard Helm, Chris Hillman, Nabil Kallala, Hanna Kivikero, Zsófia E. Kovács, Günther Karl Kunst, René Kyselý, Anna Linderholm, Bouthéina Maraoui-Telmini, Arturo Morales-Muñiz, Mariana Nabais, Terry O'Connor, Tarek Oueslati, Eréndira M. Quintana Morales, Kerstin Pasda, Jude Perera, Nimal Perera, Silvia Radbauer, Joan Ramon, Eve Rannamäe, Joan Sanmartí Grego, Edward Treasure, Silvia Valenzuela-Lamas, Inge van der Jagt, Wim Van Neer, Jean-Denis Vigne, Thomas Walker, Stephanie Wynne-Jones, Jørn Zeiler, Keith Dobney, Nicole Boivin, Jeremy B. Searle, Ben Krause-Kyora, Johannes Krause, Greger Larson, David Orton. Palaeogenomic analysis of black rat (*Rattus rattus*) reveals multiple European introductions associated with human economic history. *Nature Ecology & Evolution*.

- under review Quintana Morales, Eréndira, Oliver Craig, Mary Prendergast, Sarah Walshaw, Christina Cartaciano, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, and Stephanie Wynne-Jones. Diet, economy, and culinary practices at the height of precolonial Swahili urbanism. *Journal of Anthropological Archaeology*.
- accepted Horton, Mark, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, Jesper Olsen, Stephanie Wynne-Jones. The Chronology of Kilwa Kisiwani, AD 800-1500. *African Archaeological Review*.
- 2021 Pawlowicz, Matthew, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, Stephanie Wynne-Jones. Exploring Swahili Urbanism through Survey of Songo Mnara Island, Tanzania. *Journal of Island and Coastal Archaeology*.
- 2021 Jervis, Ben, Pawel Cembrzynski, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, Stephanie Wynne-Jones, and Dries Tys. The Archaeology of Emptiness: Understanding Urban Empty Spaces in the Medieval World. *Journal of Urban Archaeology* 4: 221-246.
- 2020 Rødland, Henriette, Stephanie Wynne-Jones, Marilee Wood, Jeffrey **Fleisher**. No such thing as invisible people: Toward an archaeology of slavery at the fifteenth-century Swahili site of Songo Mnara. *Azania: Archaeological Research in Africa* 55(2):439-457.
- 2020 Pawlowicz, Matthew, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, Kathryn de Luna. Capturing People on the Move: Spatial Analysis and Remote Sensing in the Bantu Mobility Project, Basanga, Zambia. *African Archaeological Review* 37(1):69-93.
- 2019 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Building Medieval Worlds: A Classroom Experience in Digitally Reconstructing Ancient Buildings. *Journal of Medieval Worlds* 1(1):107-115.
- 2018 LaViolette, Adria and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Developments in Rural Life on the Eastern African Coast, AD 700-1500. *Journal of Field Archaeology* 43(5):380-398.
- 2017 Horton, Mark, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, and Stephanie Wynne-Jones. The Mosques of Songo Mnara in their Urban Landscape. *Journal of Islamic Archaeology* 4(2):163-188.
- 2017 Prendergast, Mary E., Michael Buckley; Alison Crowther; Heidi Eager; Laurent Frantz; Ophélie Lebrasseur; Rainer Hutterer; Ardern Hulme-Beaman; Wim Van

- Neer; Katerina Douka; Margaret-Ashley Veall; Eréndira Quintana Morales; Verena Schuenemann; Ella Reiter; Richard Allen; Richard Helm; Ceri Shipton; Ogeto Mwebi; Christiane Denys; Mark Horton; Stephanie Wynne-Jones; Jeffrey **Fleisher**; Chantal Radimilahy; Henry Wright; Jeremy Searle; Johannes Krause; Greger Larson; Nicole L Boivin. Reconstructing Asian faunal introductions to eastern Africa from multi-proxy biomolecular and archaeological datasets. *PLoS ONE* 12(8): e0182565.
- 2017 Sulas, Federica, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, and Stephanie Wynne-Jones. Geoarchaeology of urban space in tropical island environments: Songo Mnara, Tanzania. *Journal of Archaeological Science* 77(Jan):52-63.
- 2016 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. The multiple territories of Swahili urban landscapes. *World Archaeology* 48(3):349-362.
- 2015 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Fifty Years in the Archaeology of the Eastern African Coast: A Methodological History. *Azania: Archaeological Research in Africa* 50(4):519-541.
- 2015 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Federica Sulas. Deciphering public spaces in urban contexts: Geophysical survey, multi-element soil analysis, and artifact distributions at the 15th-16th-century Swahili settlement of Songo Mnara. *Journal of Archaeological Science* 55:55-70.
- 2015 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey, Paul Lane, Adria LaViolette, Mark Horton, Edward Pollard, Eréndira Quintana Morales, Thomas Vernet, Annalisa Christie, Stephanie Wynne-Jones. When did the Swahili become Maritime? *American Anthropologist* 117(1):100-115.
- 2015 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Conservation, Community Archaeology and Archaeological Mediation at Songo Mnara, Tanzania. *Journal of Field Archaeology* 40(1):110-119.
- 2014 Fleisher, Jeffrey. The Complexity of Public Space at the Swahili Town of Songo Mnara, Tanzania. *Journal of Anthropological Archaeology* 35:1-22.
- 2014 Welham, Kate, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, Paul Cheetham, Harry Manley, Charlene Steele, and Stephanie Wynne-Jones. Geophysical Survey in Sub-Saharan Africa: Magnetic and Electromagnetic Investigation of the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Songo Mnara, Tanzania. *Archaeological Prospection*. 21(4):255-262.
- 2014 Perkins, John, Jeffrey **Fleisher** and Stephanie Wynne-Jones. A Hoard of Kilwa-Type Coins from Songo Mnara, Tanzania. *Azania: Archaeological Research in Africa* 49(1):102-116.
- 2013 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Adria LaViolette. The Early Swahili Trade Village of Tumbé, Pemba Island, Tanzania, AD 600-950. *Antiquity* 87(338):1151-1168.
- 2013 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Ceramics and Society: Early Tana Tradition and the Swahili Coast (Data Paper). *Internet Archaeology* 35 (<http://dx.doi.org/10.11141/ia.35.7>).

- 2013 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Performance, Monumentality and the 'Built Exterior' on the eastern African Swahili Coast. *Azania: Archaeological Research in Africa* 48(2):263-281.
- 2012 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Stephanie Wynne-Jones. Finding Meaning in Ancient Swahili Spaces. *African Archaeological Review* 29(2/3):171-207.
- 2012 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey, Stephanie Wynne-Jones, Charlene Steele, and Kate Welham. Geophysical Survey at Kilwa Kisiwani, Tanzania. *Journal of African Archaeology* 10(2):207-220.
- 2012 de Luna, Kathryn, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, Susan K. McIntosh. Thinking across the African Past: Interdisciplinarity and Early History. *African Archaeological Review* 29(2/3):75-94.
- 2012 Pollard, Edward, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, Stephanie Wynne-Jones. Beyond the Stone Town: Maritime Architecture at fourteenth – fifteenth century Songo Mnara, Tanzania. *Journal of Maritime Archaeology* 7(1):43-62.
- 2012 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Coins in Context: Local Economy, Value and Practice on the East African Swahili Coast. *Cambridge Archaeological Journal* 22(1):19-36.
- 2011 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Stephanie Wynne-Jones. Ceramics and the Early Swahili: Deconstructing the Early Tana Tradition. *African Archaeological Review* 28(4):245-278.
- 2010 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Rituals of Consumption and the Politics of Feasting on the Eastern African Coast, AD 700-1500. *Journal of World Prehistory* 23(4):195-217.
- 2010 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Swahili Synoecism: Rural Settlements and Town Formation on the Central East African Coast, AD 750-1500. *Journal of Field Archaeology* 35(3):265-282.
- 2010 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Stephanie Wynne-Jones. Kilwa-type coins from Songo Mnara, Tanzania: New Finds and Chronological Implications. *Numismatic Chronicle* 170:494-506.
- 2010 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Stephanie Wynne-Jones. Authorisation and the Process of Power: The View from African Archaeology. *Journal of World Prehistory* 23(4):177-193.
- 2009 LaViolette, Adria and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. The Urban History of a Rural Place: Swahili Archaeology on Pemba Island, Tanzania, 700-1500 AD. *International Journal of African Historical Studies* 42(3):433-455.
- 2008 Flexner, James, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, and Adria LaViolette. Bead Grinders and Early Swahili Household Economy: Analysis of an Assemblage from Pemba Island, Tanzania, 7th-10th Centuries AD. *Journal of African Archaeology* 6(2):161-181.
- 1999 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Adria LaViolette. Elusive wattle-and-daub: Finding the hidden majority in the archaeology of the Swahili. *Azania* 34:87-108.

Invited Commentaries in Peer-Reviewed Journals

- 2015 Fleisher, Jeffrey. On critical approaches, unintended consequences, and the data of everyday life in 'performing towns.' Comment on Axel Christophersen, 'Performing towns: Steps toward an understanding of medieval urban communities as social practice' *Archaeological Dialogues* 22(2):132-136.
- 2011 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Comment on J. Cameron Monroe, "In the Belly of Dan': Space, History and Power in Precolonial Dahomey.' *Current Anthropology* 52(6):786.

Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters

- in press de Luna, Kathryn, Matthew Pawlowicz, and Jeffrey Fleisher. The Lessons of Medieval South Central Africa for Modern Environmental and Climate Policy. In *Environmental Histories the World Needs Now*, Timothy Newfield and John Haldon, eds. New York: Springer.
- 2020 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Eastern African Coast. In *The Oxford Handbook of Islamic Archaeology*, Timothy Insoll, ed. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 377-394.
- 2019 Fleisher, Jeffrey. The gathering of Swahili religious practice: Mosques-as-Assemblages at 1000 CE. In *New Materialisms Ancient Cities*, Timothy Pauketat and Susan Alt, eds. London: Routledge, pp. 158-183.
- 2018 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie, Mark Horton, Jeffrey **Fleisher**, and Jesper Olsen. Dating Kilwa Kisiwani: A thousand years of East African history in an urban stratigraphy. In *Urban Network Evolutions: Towards a high definition archaeology*, Rubina Raja and Søren M. Sindbæk, eds. Aarhus: Aarhus University Press, pp. 277-286.
- 2018a Fleisher, Jeffrey. On the mimetic qualities of bowls on the medieval Swahili coast. In *World on the Horizon: Swahili Arts Across the Indian Ocean*, Allyson Pupura and Prita Meier, eds. Urbana-Champaign: Krannert Art Museum and the University of Illinois, pp 235-248.
- 2018b Fleisher, Jeffrey. Town and Village. In *The Swahili World*, Stephanie Wynne-Jones and Adria LaViolette, eds. London: Routledge, pp. 194-204.
- 2018c Fleisher, Jeffrey. Tumbe, Kimimba and Bandarikuu. In *The Swahili World*, Stephanie Wynne-Jones and Adria LaViolette, eds. London: Routledge, pp. 163-168.
- 2016 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Coins and other currencies on the Swahili coast. In Colin Haselgrove and Stefan Krmnicek (eds.), *The Archaeology of Money*. Leicester: Leicester Archaeology Monographs, pp. 115-136.

- 2016 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Neil Norman (eds.). Archaeologies of Anxiety: The Materiality of Anxiousness, Worry, and Fear. In Jeffrey Fleisher and Neil Norman (eds.), *The Archaeology of Anxiety: The Materiality of Anxiousness, Worry, and Fear*. New York: Springer, pp. 1-20.
- 2015 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Theory in Africa, Africa in Theory. In Stephanie Wynne-Jones and Jeffrey Fleisher (eds.). *Theory in Africa, Africa in Theory: Locating Meaning in Archaeology*. London: Routledge, pp. 3-18.
- 2015 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Situating the Swahili House. In Stephanie Wynne-Jones and Jeffrey Fleisher (eds.). *Theory in Africa, Africa in Theory: Locating Meaning in Archaeology*. London: Routledge, pp. 72-89.
- 2015 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Between Mosque and House: An Archaeology of Swahili Open Space. *Preserving African Cultural Heritage: Proceedings of the 13th PanAfrican Archaeological Association for Prehistory and Related Studies*. Ibrahima Thiaw and Hamady Bocoum, eds. Mémoires d'IFAN, Dakar: IFAN Cheikh Anta Diop no. 93, pp. 53-60.
- 2015 Babalola, Abidemi Babatunde and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Local Ceramics from Songo Mnara, Tanzania. *Preserving African Cultural Heritage: Proceedings of the 13th PanAfrican Archaeological Association for Prehistory and Related Studies*. Ibrahima Thiaw and Hamady Bocoum, eds. Mémoires d'IFAN, Dakar: IFAN Cheikh Anta Diop no. 93, pp. 321-327.
- 2014 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Water management in a maritime culture: the Swahili coast of East Africa. In *A History of Water: Water and Urbanization, Series III, Vol. 1*, Terje Tvedt and Terje Oestigaard, eds. London: I.B. Tauris, pp. 242-261.
- 2014 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. Swahili Urban Spaces of the Eastern African Coast. In *Making Ancient Cities: Space and Place in Early Urban Societies*, Kevin Fisher and Andy Creekmore, eds. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 111-144.
- 2013 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Landscape Archaeology. *Oxford Handbook of African Archaeology*, Peter Mitchell and Paul Lane, eds. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 189-199.
- 2010 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Housing the Market: Swahili Merchants and Regional Marketing on the East African Coast, Seventh to Sixteenth Centuries AD. In *Archaeological Approaches to Market Exchange in Ancient Societies*, Christopher Garraty and Barbara Stark, eds. Boulder: University Press of Colorado, pp. 141-160.
- 2007 **Fleisher**, Jeffrey and Adria LaViolette. The Changing Power of Swahili Houses, Fourteenth to Nineteenth Centuries A.D. In *The Durable House: House Society Models in Archaeology*, Robin A. Beck, ed. Occasional Paper No. 35, Center for Archaeological Investigations. Carbondale: Southern Illinois University, pp. 175-197.

- 2005 LaViolette, Adria and Jeffrey **Fleisher**. The Archaeology of Sub-Saharan Urbanism: Cities and their Countrysides. In *African Archaeology: A Critical Introduction*, Ann B. Stahl, ed. Oxford: Blackwell, pp. 327-352. [Winner of the 2006 Society of Africanist Archaeologists Book Prize]
- 2004 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Behind the Sultan of Kilwa's "Rebellious Conduct": Local Perspectives on an International East African Town. In *African Historical Archaeologies*, Andrew Reid and Paul Lane, eds. New York: Kluwer Academic/Plenum, pp. 91-123.

Non-Peer Reviewed Articles and Chapters

- 2017 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Excavating an Urban Context/Prospections Urbaines. In *Field Manual for African Archaeology/Manuel de terrain en Archéologie africaine*, Alexandre Livingstone Smith, Els Cornelissen, Olivier Gosselain, and Scott MacEachern, eds. Tervuren: Royal Museum for Central Africa, pp. 121-124.
- 2017 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Surveying Towns/Enquêter en Ville. In *Field Manual for African Archaeology/Manuel de terrain en Archéologie africaine*, Alexandre Livingstone Smith, Els Cornelissen, Olivier Gosselain, and Scott MacEachern, eds. Tervuren: Royal Museum for Central Africa, pp. 76-78.
- 2011 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and **Jeffrey Fleisher**. Archaeological Investigations at Songo Mnara, Tanzania, 2011. *Nyame Akuma* 76:3-8.
- 2010 Wynne-Jones, Stephanie and **Jeffrey Fleisher**. Archaeological Investigations at Songo Mnara, Tanzania, 2009. *Nyame Akuma* 73:2-8.
- 2007 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Urbanism and Urbanization: Prehistoric. In *The New Encyclopedia of Africa*, Second Ed., John Middleton and Joseph Miller, eds. Detroit: Charles Scribner's Sons, vol. 5, pp. 145-7.
- 2001 Fleisher, Jeffrey. Archaeological Survey and Excavations in Northern Pemba Island, Tanzania, 1999-2000. *Nyame Akuma* 56:36-43.
- 1999 **Fleisher, Jeffrey** and Adria LaViolette. The Recovery of Swahili Settlements in the absence of stone architecture: Two preliminary surveys from Pemba Island, Tanzania. *Nyame Akuma* 52:64-73.
- 1995 LaViolette, Adria and **Jeffrey Fleisher**. Reconnaissance of Sites Bearing Triangular Incised (Tana Tradition) Ware on Pemba Island, Tanzania. *Nyame Akuma* 44:59-65.

Book Reviews

- 2017 Review of *Population and Ceramic Traditions: Revisiting the Tana Ware of Coastal Kenya (7th-14th Century AD)* by Freda Nkirote M'Mbogori. *Azania: Archaeological Research in Africa* 52(3):430-2.

- 2017 Review of *Material Explorations in African Archaeology* by Timothy Insoll. *Antiquity* 91(356):552-3.
- 2016 Review of *The Never-Ending Feast: The Anthropology and Archaeology of Feasting* by Kaori O'Conner. *Journal of Anthropological Research* Winter:537-9.
- 2011 Review of *Historical Archaeologies of Nineteenth-Century Colonial Tanzania: A Comparative Study* by Daniel Rhodes. *International Journal of African Historical Studies* 44(2):334-5.
- 2010 Review of *Early State Formation in Central Madagascar: An Archaeological Survey of Western Avaradrano* edited by Henry Wright. *American Antiquity* 74(2):411-2.
- 2007 Review of *West African Early Towns: Archaeology of Households in Urban Landscapes* by Augustin Holl. *Journal of African Archaeology* 5(2):339-342.
- 2004 Review of *The Archaeology of Islam in Sub-Saharan Africa* by Timothy Insoll. *International Journal of African Historical Studies*. 37(1):131-133.

Unpublished Reports/Papers

- 2018 Final Report on the 2018 Excavations at the Levi Jordan Plantation (41BO165) in Brazoria, Texas. Rice University, Houston.
- 2016 Final Report on Archaeological Research at Camp Logan (41HR614), a World War I Training Camp in Memorial Park, Houston, Texas. Rice University, Houston.
- 2015 Final Report on Archaeological Research at Camp Logan (41HR614), a World War I Training Camp in Memorial Park, Houston, Texas. Rice University, Houston.
- 2015 Mobility, Settlement, and Power in South Central Africa: Preliminary Report of the 2014 and 2015 Field Seasons of the Bantu Mobility Project in Zambia. Report submitted to NHCC and the Livingstone Museum (with M. Pawlowicz, K. de Luna, S. McIntosh and F. Sulas)
- 2014 Final Report on the 2014 Excavations at the J. Vance Lewis (41HR1032) Site, Houston, Texas. <http://freedmanstownarchaeology.rice.edu/reports.html>
- 2013 Final Report on the 2013 Excavations at the Wilson-Victor (41HR1031) Site, Houston, Texas. <http://freedmanstownarchaeology.rice.edu/reports.html>
- 2013 Archaeological Investigations at Songo Mnara, Tanzania, 2011 Field Season. Department of Antiquities, Republic of Tanzania (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2012 Final Report on the 2012 Excavations at the Wilson-Victor (41HR1031) and Ruthven (41HR1070) Sites, Houston, Texas. <http://freedmanstownarchaeology.rice.edu/reports.html>

- 2012 How Public Space is Used in Ancient Cities: The Case of Songo Mnara, a Medieval Swahili City in Tanzania. Kinder Institute White Paper, Rice University.
- 2010 Archaeological Investigations at Songo Mnara, Tanzania: Urban Space, Social Memory and Materiality on the 15th- and 16th-century Southern Swahili Coast. Preliminary Report of Fieldwork in June-July 2009. Department of Antiquities, Republic of Tanzania (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2009 Final Report on the 2009 Excavations at the R. B. H. Yates House, Houston, Texas. <http://freedmanstownarchaeology.rice.edu/reports.html>
- 2008 Pemba Archaeological Project: Preliminary Report, Third Season, June-August, 2006. Office of the President, Zanzibar (with A. LaViolette and B. Mapunda).
- 2004 Pemba Archaeological Project: Preliminary Report, Second Season, June-August 2004. Office of the President, Zanzibar (with A. LaViolette and B. Mapunda).
- 2003 Pemba Archaeological Project: Preliminary Report, First Season, June-August 2002. Office of the President, Zanzibar (with A. LaViolette and B. Mapunda).
- 2000 Final Field Report: Northern Pemba Archaeological Survey and Excavations, 1999-2000. Office of the President, Zanzibar.
- 1994 Archaeological Survey of Lone Mountain Vegetation Project Area. USDA-Lincoln National Forest, Alamogordo, New Mexico, #1994-08-088.
- 1994 South Pajarita, Red Lake, and Eagle Roost Pipeline Survey. Bureau of Indian Affairs, Mescalero Apache Indian Reservation, Mescalero, New Mexico.
- 1994 Archaeological Survey of the Lower Elk Canyon Multi-Product Sale Area. Bureau of Indian Affairs, Mescalero Apache Indian Reservation, Mescalero, New Mexico.

LECTURES and WORKSHOPS

Invited and Keynote

- 2019 Archaeology of urbanism on the Swahili coast of eastern Africa. Shanghai Archaeological Forum, Shanghai, China December 14.
- 2018 Archaeology at Songo Mnara, Tanzania: a study in high definition research on the eastern African coast. UrbNet regional study conference: Africa and the Indian Ocean Past in High Definition. Aarhus, Denmark December 5.
- 2018 The Archaeology of Public Space from the Ground Up: The Case of Songo Mnara, Tanzania. Fall Colloquium Series. Washington University, St. Louis, November 6.

- 2018 Affective/Emotional Communities on the Eastern African Swahili Coast, AD 1000-1500. Emotions History Conference, George Mason University, Washington DC June 1-2.
- 2017 The gathering of Swahili religious practice: Composing towns and mosques of sea and spirits. School for Advanced Research Seminar: Exploring the Religious Experiences of Ancient Cities. Santa Fe, NM, April 24-28.
- 2016 When did feasting emerge on the eastern African coast? New perspectives from historical linguistics and archaeology. Language of Clay Workshop, British Institute in Eastern Africa, Nairobi, May 6.
- 2015 The Multiple Histories of Public Space. Keynote presentation, Future of Places III, Stockholm, June 29.
- 2015 How Public Space is Used in Ancient Cities: The Case of Songo Mnara, a Medieval Swahili City in Tanzania. Research seminar, Kinder Institute for Urban Research, Rice University, March 23.
- 2015 An Archaeology of Public Space at 15th-16th century AD Songo Mnara, Tanzania. African Peoples and Pasts Seminar Series, Institute of Archaeology, University College London, March 17.
- 2013 Aspects of Value in Swahili Coinage. International Workshop on 'Archaeology of Money', Institut für Klassische Archäologie, Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, October 18 (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2013 Recent Archaeological Research at Songo Mnara, Tanzania. WMF/UDSM Heritage Studies Workshop, Kilwa Masoko, Tanzania, June 27.
- 2013 Open Space, Commemoration, and Urban Planning at Songo Mnara, Tanzania. Department of Anthropology, University of Notre Dame. March 7, South Bend.
- 2013 An Archaeology of Ancestors on the East African Swahili Coast, AD 900-1500. Department of Anthropology and Program in African Studies, Northwestern University. March 8-9, Evanston.
- 2013 The Digital Reconstruction of Songo Mnara, Tanzania. In "The Deep History of Africa: New Narrative Approaches," Annual meeting of the American Historical Association, New Orleans.
- 2012 The Early Swahili Trade Village of Tumbe, Pemba Island, Tanzania, AD 600-950. Dimensions of the Indian Ocean World Past: Sources and Opportunities for Indian Ocean World History, 9th-19th Centuries. November 12-14, Fremantle, Western Australia.
- 2012 Becoming Human: Debates on the Origins of Cultural Modernity. Houston Museum of Natural Science and Glasscock School of Continuing Studies, Rice University. November 6, Houston.

- 2012 Ancient Town Planning at Songo Mnara, Tanzania. WMF/UDSM Heritage Management Workshop on the Kilwa Region, Kilwa Masoko, Tanzania, June 28-29.
- 2012 Reinvestigating the connection between the Early Tana Tradition and the early Swahili: Pottery, interaction spheres, and identity. East Africa and the Indian Ocean World: A European Research Council Funded Workshop. March 22-23, Oxford, UK (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2011 Swahili Urban Space in the Kilwa Archipelago: Songo Mnara in the 14th - 15th centuries. Séminaire 'Les mondes de l'océan Indien,' Université Paris 1 Sorbonne, Paris, November 10 (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2011 Swahili Open Spaces and Town Planning on the Southern Tanzanian Coast. Dunia na Nchi Moja: Tanzania and the World, Rice and Texas Southern Universities, Houston, Oct. 14.
- 2011 Ceramics and the Early Swahili: Deconstructing Tana Ware. Eastern and Southern African Pottery Workshop, Uppsala University, Sweden, April 1, 2011 (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2010 Open Spaces and Private Places: Producing Memory at 15th- to 16th-century Songo Mnara, Tanzania. Department of Anthropology and Archaeology, University of Ibadan, Nigeria, Nov. 8.
- 2010 Open Spaces and Private Places: Archaeological Research at the 15th-16th-century site of Songo Mnara, Tanzania. Invited paper, Conceiving African Identities: A Workshop Honoring E.S. Atieno Odhiambo African Studies Workshop, Humanities Research Center, Rice University and the Houston Area African Studies Group, June 4.
- 2010 'Open Spaces and Private Places: Songo Mnara in the Indian Ocean World', Invited Lecture as part of "African Peoples and Pasts" Seminar Series, University College London, March 11 (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2009 Beyond/Before Trade and Politics on the East African Coast: Daily Life at Tumbe on Pemba Island, Tanzania, AD 600-950. Global Geographies: the Indian Ocean in Historical Perspective, Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland, London, October 31 (with A. LaViolette).
- 2009 Open Spaces and Private Places: Songo Mnara in the Indian Ocean World. Invited lecture at the opening of the Global Institute, University of Bergen, Norway. October 16 (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2008 Ancient Urbanism in Africa: Past Approaches and Future Prospects. Invited lecture at Urbanities in Africa Conference, Institut für Afrikanische Sprachwissenschaften, Universität Frankfurt, Frankfurt, Germany, October.

Public Lectures

- 2014 The Archaeology of the Ancient Swahili: Trade, Islam, and the Indian Ocean World. Houston Archaeological Society, Houston, Oct. 16.
- 2014 The Revolution that Wasn't? The European Upper Paleolithic in Global Context. Part of the Glasscock School of Continuing Studies course "Rock Art: Windows to Our Human Ancestors" in association with the Houston Museum of Natural Science exhibit "The Cave Paintings of Lascaux."
- 2013 Archaeology of Freedman's Town and the Rice University Collaboration with the Rutherford B. H. Yates Museum. On the Dedication of the Historical Marker at the J. Vance Lewis House. St. James United Methodist Church, Houston, April 27.
- 2013 The Archaeology of the Ancient Swahili: Trade, Islam, and the Indian Ocean World. Friends of Archaeology, University of St. Thomas, Houston, March 24.
- 2013 Historical Archaeology in Houston: Ongoing Research in Freedmen's Town. American Association of University Women, Houston, March 22.
- 2011 Spaces of Power, Purity, and Protection: A History of Swahili Urban Settlements. Richard A. Lobban Family Endowed Lecture, Archaeological Institute of America, Trinity College, Hartford, CT, April 11.
- 2010 The Archaeology of the Ancient Swahili: Trade, Islam, and the Indian Ocean World. Archaeological Institute of America, Toledo Museum of Art, OH, Oct. 22.

CONFERENCES and WORKSHOPS ORGANIZED

- 2016 Modelling and Mapping Historic Sites and Events. Conference at Rice University.
- 2015 "Africa at AD 1000: Scalar Transformations and Global Interactions at the turn of the Millennium." Conference at Rice University. March 27 (with Susan McIntosh).
- 2014 "Mobility and Authority in Africa." Conference at Rice University and Texas Southern University, sponsored by the African Studies Workshop, Houston Area African Studies Group, and Texas Southern University. March 21-22 (with K. de Luna, S. McIntosh, K. Ward, and G. Maddox)
- 2011 "'Dunia na Nchi Moja': Tanzania and the World." Conference sponsored by the African Studies Workshop, Houston Area African Studies Group, Texas Southern University, and the University of Texas, October 14-15 (with G. Maddox, C. Boone, K. de Luna, and K. Ward).
- 2011 "Thinking across the African Past: Archaeological, Linguistic and Genetic Research on Precolonial African History." Conference at Rice University, March 10-13 (with K. de Luna and S. McIntosh).

2010 "Affect in Africa: Assessing the Place of Emotions in African Studies." Workshop at Rice University, October 9 (with K. de Luna).

CONFERENCE PANELS ORGANIZED

- 2014 Thickly Settled: Investigating "Urban" Issues in Town and Village Communities. Society for American Archaeology, Austin, April (with M. Chesson).
- 2013 Mobility and Authority in Africa: Settling Mobility, Moving Authority. African Studies Association, Baltimore, November.
- 2012 The African Past 2.0: Approaches to Digital Archaeology on the Continent. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Toronto, June.
- 2010 Urban Space and Social Memory at Songo Mnara, Tanzania. Society of Africanist Archaeologists Biennial Meeting, Dakar, Senegal, November.
- 2010 Africa in Theory, Theory in Africa. Theoretical Archaeology Group, Brown University, April.
- 2009 Archaeologies of Anxiety. Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Atlanta, April.
- 2008 Authority and the Process of Power: The View from African Archaeology. Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Vancouver, BC. March.
- 2002 Village Communities in Medium- and Large-Scale African Societies. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Tucson, Arizona, May (Adria LaViolette, co-chair).
- 2001 The Changing Landscape of African Archaeology: Assessing the Role of Regional Surveys and Studies in Iron Age Africa. Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington DC, December (Amy Lawson, co-chair).
- 2000 Sun, Sweat and Trowels: Recent Ph.D. Fieldwork in Africa. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Cambridge, UK, July (Amy Lawson, co-chair).

DISCUSSANT

- 2014 Planning discussion for *World on the Horizon: Swahili Arts Across the Indian Ocean* exhibit at Krannert Art Museum, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, Nov. 20-21.
- 2013 Mobility and Authority in Africa: Settling Mobility, Moving Authority, African Studies Association, Baltimore, November.

- 2013 Sites of Enunciation, *New Directions in Anthropology*, Houston, March.
- 2008 *Historical Ecology and the Landscape Approach: Changing Perspectives on the Development of Southeast Asian Complexity*, Society for American Archaeology, Vancouver, March.

CONFERENCE PAPERS and POSTERS

- 2014 Poster: Searching for malaria in 14th - 16th century Eastern Africa: biomolecular analysis of dental samples from Songo Mnara, Tanzania, British Association for Biological Anthropology and Osteoarchaeology, Durham, September (with Francesca Migliaccio, Katherine Robson Brown, and Stephanie Wynne-Jones).
- 2014 The Archaeology of Swahili Religious Architecture and Practice at Chwaka, Pemba Island, Tanzania. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Johannesburg, S. Africa, July (with A. LaViolette and M. Horton).
- 2014 Historical Linguistics and Archaeology in Collaboration: Work in the Field and the Bush in South Central Africa. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Johannesburg, S. Africa, July (with K. de Luna).
- 2014 On the Issue of Scale on the eastern African Swahili Coast. Society for American Archaeology, Austin, April (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2014 Across or Along? Contingent Mobilities in Early Africa. Mobility and Authority in Africa, Rice University, March 22 (with K. de Luna).
- 2013 The end of an era? The East African coast at AD 1000. Proto-Globalisation in the Indian Ocean World: Multidisciplinary Perspectives. Jesus College, Oxford University, November (with S. Wynne-Jones and A. LaViolette).
- 2012 The Digital Reconstruction of Songo Mnara, Tanzania. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Toronto, June.
- 2012 Open Space, Commemoration, and Urban Planning at Songo Mnara, Tanzania. Invited paper as part of "Monumental architecture in sub-Saharan Africa: Diverse forms, purposes, and contexts." Annual Meeting of the Society of American Archaeology, Memphis, TN, April.
- 2011 Spatial Conceptions on the Ancient Swahili Coast. Thinking Across the African Past Conference, Rice University, March 12.
- 2010 Retaining the Ancestors: Architectural Conservation and Community Archaeology at Songo Mnara, Tanzania. Invited paper as part of "Not the Usual Suspects: New Directions in Community Archaeology." Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2010 Between Mosque and House: An Archaeology of Swahili Open Space. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Dakar, Senegal, November.

- 2010 Ceramics and Society on the East African Coast. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Dakar, Senegal, November (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2010 Evocative Space and Ritual Practice: Emotional Communities on the East African Swahili Coast. "Affect in Africa: Assessing the Place of Emotions in African Studies." Workshop at Rice University, October 9.
- 2010 Theoretical Relocations: From Postprocessual to Processual and Beyond in the Archaeology of the Swahili. Theoretical Archaeology Group meetings, Brown University, April.
- 2009 Swahili Urban Spaces of the East African Coast. Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Atlanta, April (with S. Wynne-Jones).
- 2009 Archaeologies of Anxiety: The Materiality of Anxiousness and Worry. Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Atlanta, April.
- 2008 The Future of the Swahili Past. Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association, Chicago, November.
- 2008 Daily Practice in Early East African Coastal Houses: Two Burned 7th-9th-century Houses from Pemba Island, Tanzania. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Frankfurt, Germany, September.
- 2008 The Politics of Feasting on the Eastern African Coast, AD 700-1500. Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Vancouver, BC, March.
- 2007 Understanding Swahili Urbanism through Regional Archaeological Study in Northern Pemba, Tanzania. Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association, New York, October (with A. LaViolette)
- 2007 Panelist, Exhibiting 'Lucy': Bones of Contention at the Houston Museum of Natural Science. Rice University, Houston, September.
- 2007 A Series of Unfortunate Events: Working Against the Grain to Improve Campus Race Relations. Case Study/Model Program Session at National Conference on Race and Ethnicity in American Higher Education, San Francisco, June (with J. McKnight and A. Thornton).
- 2007 Housing the Market: Swahili Merchants and Regional Marketing on the East African Swahili Coast, 7th-16th Centuries AD. In invited session, "Archaeological Approaches to Market Exchange in Pre-Capitalist Societies." Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Austin, April.
- 2006 The Archaeology of the Swahili 'Middle Period,' 1400-1880. Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association, San Francisco, November.
- 2006 Swahili Households in Village and Town: Research in Northern Pemba, 7th-15th centuries AD (with Adria LaViolette). British Institute in Eastern Africa Conference, "The Maritime Heritage and Cultures of the Western Indian Ocean in Comparative Perspective," Zanzibar, July 2006.

- 2006 The Composition of Swahili Stonetowns. Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, San Juan, Puerto Rico, April.
- 2005 The Changing Power of Swahili Houses, AD 14th-19th Centuries (with Adria LaViolette). Visiting Scholar Conference, "The Durable House: Architecture, Ancestors and Origins," Center for Archaeological Investigations, Southern Illinois University, March.
- 2004 Pemba's Pivotal Century: Archaeological Perspectives on Demographic, Socio-political and Linguistic changes Before and After the 11th century AD. Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association, New Orleans, November.
- 2004 Technologies of the Self in Elite Swahili Architecture, 1300-1900. 13th Triennial Symposium on African Art, Cambridge, MA, April.
- 2004 Doing Archaeology on the Swahili Coast: Eastern Africa and the Indian Ocean World, AD 800-1600. Invited lecture, Moravian College, Bethlehem, March.
- 2003 The Social Life of Imported Ceramics at Swahili Towns and Villages, AD 800-1500. Lehigh University, December.
- 2003 Importing Commodities, Distributing Gifts, and Displaying Prestige: On the Multivocality of Imported Goods at Swahili Coast Settlements, AD 800-1500. Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association, Boston, November.
- 2002 Qualifying Village Complexity in Northern Pemba, Tanzania. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Tucson, Arizona, May.
- 2002 Early Islam and the East African Coast. Invited lecture in "Islam in Africa," Department of Religious Studies, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, April.
- 2002 Town and Country in Early Swahili Society, AD 800-1500. Department of Anthropology, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, March.
- 2001 Surveying a Swahili System: Rethinking Site Discovery Methods for the East African Coast. Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington DC, December.
- 2000 It Takes a Village: Establishing the Countryside Perspective in Swahili Archaeology, 800-1600 AD. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Cambridge, UK, July.
- 2000 Arkiologia na Mambo Mapya kuhusu Historia ya Kaskazini ya Pemba (Archaeology and New Information about the History of Northern Pemba). Public Lectures, Wete, Pemba Island and Zanzibar Town, Tanzania, May.
- 2000 The New Archaeology of Pemba. Department of History Seminar Series, University of Dar es Salaam, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania, May.
- 1998 The Sultan of Kilwa's "Rebellious Conduct": Understanding the Background to Kilwa's Initial Contact with the Portuguese in AD 1500. Biennial Meeting of the Society of Africanist Archaeologists, Syracuse, New York, May.

FIELD RESEARCH

- 2018 *Co-director*, Archaeological research in southwestern Zambia, excavations at Miyoba, July-Aug.
- 2018 *Director*, Archaeological research at the Levi Jordan Plantation, Brazoria, Texas. Jan-Feb.
- 2009-16 *Director*, Songo Mnara Urban Landscape Project / Rice Archaeological Field School, Songo Mnara, Tanzania, June-July 2009, 2011, 2013, 2016
- 2015-16 *Director*, Archaeological research at Camp Logan, Houston, Texas. Jan-Feb.
- 2014 *Co-director*, Archaeological research in southwestern Zambia, excavations at Basanga, June-July.
- 2009-2014 *Director*, Archaeological research in Freedman's Town, in association with the Rutherford B. H. Yates Museum and CARI. January-February.
- 2008-11 *Co-director*, Coastal Ceramics Project, Kenya/Tanzania July 2008; Bergen, Norway, October 2009; Tanzania July 2010; Uppsala, Sweden, March 2011.
- 2002-06 *Co-director*, Pemba Archaeological Project, Pemba Island, Tanzania, June-August
- 2003 *Field School Instructor*, Pine Lake Archaeological Field School, Late Archaic settlement, Hartwick College/SUNY-Oneonta, June
- 2001 *Survey Director*, archaeological survey, Buhera Region, Zimbabwe, October-November
- 1999-00 *Director*, survey and excavations on Pemba Island, Tanzania, research for Ph.D. dissertation, July-May
- 1999 *Site Supervisor*, excavations at Kagumbudzi Ruin, Buhera Region, Zimbabwe, October
- 1997, 1998 *Assistant Director*, excavations and survey at Pujini and Chwaka, 8th-18th-century Swahili sites on Pemba Island, Tanzania, June-August
- 1995 *Site Supervisor*, excavations at the Foster Homesite, a 19th-century house within a free-black community, Charlottesville, Virginia, July-August
- 1995 *Site Supervisor*, excavations at Utopia, a 17th- to 18th-century field-slave quarter site, Williamsburg, Virginia, March-July
- 1994-95 *Field Director*, cultural resource management surveys, Lone Mountain Archaeological Services, southeast New Mexico, December-February

- 1994 *Field Archaeologist*, survey and excavations for Lincoln National Forest and the Mescalero Apache Indian Reservation, southeast New Mexico, April-December
- 1993-94 *Field Archaeologist*, survey and excavations, James River Institute of Archaeology, Tidewater area surrounding Williamsburg, Virginia, October-April
- 1993 *Site Supervisor*, excavations at Pujini, a 15th-16th-century Swahili site, Pemba Island, Tanzania, June-August
- 1992 *Field Archaeologist*, survey, Stanislaus National Forest, northern California, August-November

COURSES TAUGHT

Rice University

Introduction to Archaeology (ANTH 205)
 Landscape Archaeology (ANTH 355/555)
 Heritage Management (ANTH 456/666)
 African Prehistory (ANTH 312)
 Early Civilizations (ANTH 363/563)
 Archaeological Field Techniques (ANTH 362/562)
 African Archaeology Field Techniques (ANTH 366)
 Archaeological Laboratory Techniques (ANTH 370)
 Advanced Archaeological Theory (ANTH 460)
 Writing Archaeology (FWIS 140)

Lehigh University and other institutions

Introduction to Anthropology (ANTH 105)
 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (ANTH 113)
 Introduction to Africana Studies (AAS 3)
 Peoples and Cultures of Africa (ANTH 198)
 Cannibalism: Bodies of Thought (ANTH 398/AMSTUD 398/HUM 371)
 Environment and Culture (ANTH 121)
 Africans in the New World (ANTH 197)
 African and African-American Art and Religion (AAS/REL/ART 196)

GRADUATE COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS

Rice University

Maggie Katongo, Ph.D. student, Anthropology (Chair)
 Jade Tonos, Ph.D. candidate, Biosciences
 Juan Carlos Diaz, Ph.D. 2018, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology
 Akua Campbell, Ph.D. 2017, Linguistics
 Babatunde Abidemi Babalola, Ph.D. 2016, Anthropology
 Brian Clark, Ph.D. 2016, Anthropology
 Mamadou Cisse, Ph.D. 2011, Anthropology
 Michelle Morrison, Ph.D. 2011, Linguistics
 Erik Behr, Ph.D. 2011, Shepherd School of Music
 Tsholofelo Dichaba, M.A. 2009, Anthropology

EXTERNAL EXAMINER

Robert Tendai Nyamushosho, 2020, Ph.D., Archaeology, University of Cape Town
Tawanda Mukwende, 2016, Ph.D., Archaeology, University of Cape Town

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH AND HONORS THESES

Joe Merchant, 2020, *Tracing Trade in the African Central Frontier: A Socioeconomic Analysis of a Glass Bead Assemblage from a Zambian Mound Site*
Victoria Miller, 2020, *A New Way of Understanding Iron-age Mound Sites in Zambia: Exploring Biogeochemical Analysis of Archaeological Charcoal*
Kristen Hickey, 2020, *Foodways Beyond the Yard: A Zooarchaeological Analysis of Nineteenth-Century African American Provisioning Strategies at Levi Jordan Plantation*
Emma Satterfield, 2019, *Regulation, Resistance, and Community Consensus: The Archaeology of Public Space at Amache, a World War II Japanese-American Internment Camp*
Paige DeVos, 2019, *Diet and Mobility in a West African Urban System: An Investigation of Stable Carbon, Oxygen and Strontium Isotopes from Human Tooth Enamel, c. 200 BCE-1400 CE*
Aryn Neurock, 2015, *Aragonite Bead Production at Songo Mnara*
Joyce Jones, 2015, *Hungry for Power: A Comparative Analysis of Meat Consumption Patterns in the Petexbatun Region*
Grace Apfeld, SSURE Grant Recipient, 2013, *Access Analysis of Domestic Buildings at Songo Mnara, a 14th-16th-century East African Urban Center*
Stephanie Stutts, 2013, *Potential Archaic Hearth Features and Areas of Activity at the Debra L. Friedkin Site, Central Texas*
Courtney Ng, 2011, *An Analysis of Glass Artifacts at New Philadelphia, Illinois*
Kylie Klein, 2011, *Analysis of Swahili Burials: Locales, Materials and Bones*

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Grant Proposal / Manuscript Reviewer for:

Grants: National Science Foundation (USA), National Geographic Society (USA), National Research Foundation (South Africa), Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada

Academic Presses: Cambridge University Press; Indiana University Press; Oxford University Press; Springer; Thames and Hudson; Routledge

Journals: Advances in Archaeological Practice; American Anthropologist; African Archaeological Review; African Geographical Review; Afriques; American Antiquity; Antiquity; Archaeological Dialogues; Azania: Archaeological Research in Africa; Catena; Cambridge Archaeological Journal; Comparative Studies of South Asia, Africa and the Middle East; International Journal of African Historical Studies; Journal of African Archaeology; Journal of Anthropological Archaeology; Journal of Archaeological Method and Theory; Journal of Archaeological Science: Reports; Journal of Field Archaeology; Journal of Heritage and Community Archaeology; Journal of Island and Coastal Archaeology; Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute; Journal of Social Archaeology; Quaternary International; Urban Studies; World Archaeology

Editorial Boards, Executive Boards, Committees, Panelist

- 2020-present *Editorial Advisory Board member*, Studies in the African Past
2018-2020 *NSF Review Panelist*, Washington DC
2017-present *Area Editor*, Encyclopedia of Ancient History
2017-present *Editorial Board Member*, Journal of Community Archaeology and Heritage
2012-present *Editorial Board Member*, SpringerBriefs in Archaeology: Contributions from Africa (book series)
2008-present *Editorial Board Member*, African Archaeological Review
2008-2015 *Advisory Board Member*, Community Archaeology Research Institute, Inc., Houston, Texas
2012-2013 *Coordinator*, Digital Visualization of Historic Cities Workshop, Humanities Research Center, Rice University
2004-2012 *Treasurer*, Society of Africanist Archaeologists
2008-2010 *Committee Member*, Archaeological Committee, Houston Archaeological and Historical Commission
2008-2010 *Executive Board member*, Houston Chapter of the Archaeological Institute of America

Rice University Service

- 2020-present *Chair*, Department of Anthropology
2019-present Center for African and African American Studies Steering Committee
2019-present Graduate Liberal Studies Faculty Steering Committee
2018-present *Chair*, Committee on Undergraduate Curriculum
2017-present Museums and Cultural Heritage Program Steering Committee
2018-2020 *Director of Undergraduate Studies*, Anthropology
2016-2018 *Speaker*, Faculty Senate
2015-16 QEP Planning Committee
2015-2016 *Convener for Appeals and Grievances*, Rice University Faculty Senate
2015-2017 *Faculty advisor*, Rice MS 150 Team
2014-present Digital Education Advisory Committee
2014-2015 Quality Education Task Force
2013-2016 *Committee member*, Teaching Committee, Rice University
2013-present *Senator for Social Sciences*, Faculty Senate
2013-2017 *Faculty advisor*, PAIR, Partnership for the Advancement & Immersion of Refugees
2013-2014 *Faculty Senate Liaison*, Council on Diversity and Inclusion
2012-2013 *Committee member*, Committee on the Library, Rice University
2011-13, 15-16 Member, Dean's Faculty Advisory Board, Social Sciences, Rice University
2010-present *Undergraduate Advisor/Steering Committee Member*, African Studies Program, Rice University
2010-2016 *Head Marshal*, Marshals Commencement Committee, Rice University
2009-present *Divisional Advisor*, Weiss College, Rice University
2008-present *Undergraduate Major Advisor*, Archaeology Program, Rice University
2008-present *College Associate*, Weiss College, Rice University
2008-2012 *Committee member*, Benefits Committee, Rice University
2008-2010 *Marshal*, Marshals Commencement Committee, Rice University

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

African Studies Association

British Institute in Eastern Africa
Society for American Archaeology
Society of Africanist Archaeologists