

August 2014 Acknowledgements
College of Liberal Arts

Congratulations:

Anthropology graduate student, **Bita Razavimaleki**, was hired as one of two research assistant interns at the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. Her mentor is **Richard Warm**s.

Kent Reilly (ANTH) has been appointed to the University of Alabama Museum's Board of Regents.
<http://museums.ua.edu/>

Joseph Kotarba (SOCI) received the 2014 Charles Horton Cooley Award for his book, *Baby Boomer Rock 'n' Roll Fans* at the awards banquet of the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction on August 15th in San Francisco, CA.

Congratulations to the following faculty members who received awards and special accolades presented at this year's Liberal Arts Fall Faculty Meeting on August 22:

Shirley Ogletree (PSY) Presidential Excellence Award for Teaching Award

Robert W. Fischer (PHIL) and **Shirley Ogletree** (PSY) Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Teaching

Mark Busby (ENG) and **Douglas Dorst** (ENG) Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Scholarly/Creative Activities

Nancy Wilson (ENG) and **Howard Balanoff** (POSI) Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Service

Robert W. Fischer (PHIL), **Walter Wright** (POSI), and **Gayle Bouzard** (SOCI) University Award for Excellence in Teaching

Mark Busby (ENG), **Douglas Dorst** (ENG), **Frank de la Teja** (HIST), and **Paul DeHart** (POSI) University Award for Excellence in Scholarly/Creative Activities

Nancy Wilson (ENG), **Elizabeth Bishop** (HIST), **Patricia Denton** (HIST), and **Howard Balanoff** (POSI) University Award for Excellence in Service

Susan Hanson (ENG), Award for Excellence in Teaching (Part-Time)

Emily Brunson (ANTH), **Michelle Hamilton** (ANTH), **Suparno Banerjee** (ENG), **Victoria Smith** (ENG), **Jeffrey Helgeson** (HIST), **Rebecca Montgomery** (HIST), **Margaret Dunaway** (MODL), **Thomas Doyle** (POSI) and **Amy Meeks** (PSY) Dean's Excellence Award in Teaching

Daniel Wescott (ANTH), **Jose Carlos de la Puente** (HIST), **Alejandro Barcen**as Pardo (PHIL), **Randall Osborne** (PSY), and **Ty Schepis** (PSY) Dean's Excellence Award in Scholarly/Creative Activities

Kathryn Ledbetter (ENG), **Lawrence Estaville** (GEO), **Sergio Martinez** (MODL), **Sherri Mora** (POSI), **Maria Czyzewska** (PSY), and **Carmen Westerberg** (PSY) Dean's Excellence Award in Service

Robert Larsen (GEO) and **Daniel Wescott** (ANTH) Award for Grant Funding

Stephen Black (ANTH) Award for Development Funding

Steve Wilson (ENG) and **Dennis Dunn** (HIST) Everette Swinney Teaching Excellence Award

Octavio Pimentel (ENG) Excellence in Diversity Award

Frank de la Teja (HIST) Presidential Seminar

Glenn Joy (PHIL) Distinguished Professor Emeritus

Brit Bousman (ANTH), **Yongmei Lu** (GEO), **Daniel Lochman** (ENG), **John Tiefenbacher** (GEO), **Elizabeth Makowski** (HIST), **Valentina Glajar** (MODL), and **Randall Osborne** (PSY) Honorary Professor of International Studies 2012-2015

Tenure: **Daniel Westcott** (ANTH)

Tenured and promoted to Associate Professor: **Douglas Dorst** (ENG), **Elizabeth Bishop** (HIST), **Joaquin Rivaya-Martinez** (HIST), **Agustin Cuadrado** (MODL), and **Paul DeHart** (POSI)

Promoted to Professor: **Teya Rosenberg** (ENG), **Miriam Williams** (ENG), and **Lijun Yuan** (POSI).

Years of Service: **Agustin Agwuele** (10 ANTH), **Christina Conlee** (10 ANTH), **Chad Hammett** (10 ENG), **Miriam Williams** (10 ENG), **Donald Huebner** (10 GEO), **Dierdre Lannon** (10 HIST), **Anadelia Romo** (10 HIST), **Chad Smith** (10 SOCI), **Britt Bousman** (15 ANTH), **Elizabeth Allison** (15 ENG), **Cyrus Cassells** (15 ENG), **Tim O'Brien** (15 ENG), **Dwight Watson** (15 HIST), **Maira Di Mauro-Jackson** (15 MODL), **Carole Martin** (15 MODL), **Ana Juarez** (20 ANTH), **Mark Carter** (20 GEO), **Lawrence Estaville** (20 GEO), **Audwin Anderson** (20 SOC), **John Blair** (25 ENG), **Joseph Yick** (25 HIST), **Jennifer Forrest** (25 MODL), **Maria Czyzewska** (25 PSY), **Irene Hindson** (30 HIST), **Patricia Parent** (30 POSI), **Allan Chavkin** (35 ENG), **Peter Hutcheson** (35 PHIL), **Vicki Brittain** (35 POSI), **Robert Gorman** (35 POSI), **Susan Day** (35 SOCI), **Arnold Leder** (40 POSI), **John Davis** (40 PSY), and **Richard Boehm** (45 GEO)

Faculty Retirement: **Susan Beebe** (ENG), **Patricia Margerison** (ENG), **Frederick Day** (GEO), **Susan Macey** (GEO), **Glenn Joy** (PHIL), and **David Carpenter** (PSY)

In the News:

External Venues

Michael Collins (ANTH) and the Gault Archaeological Project are featured in magazine *Archaeology* in "Destination: The Americas." (8/10) also quoted in an article regarding preClovis in Delaware in *Live Science*.

<http://www.archaeology.org/issues/150-features/americans/2367-peopling-the-americas-paradigms>

<http://www.livescience.com/47289-mastodon-found-under-chesapeake-bay.html>

Kate Spradley (ANTH) and her colleagues at Baylor University and Indiana University have positively identified and repatriated the remains of one of the border crossers recovered from Brooks County last summer. The story is featured on Telemundo news.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T_qVakZdHnU

University Star

Craig Hanks (PHIL) was quoted about the renovation of the Comal Building. (8/26)

Blake Farrar and **Thomas Doyle** (POSI) were quoted in an article on Rick Perry's indictment. (8/28)

Artist-in-resident **John Valadez** (CSSW) was profiled on his photography book on Lyndon B. Johnson that is forthcoming.

Hillviews

Steve Black's (ANTH) article, "Eagle Nest Canyon: On the Trail of Ancient Southwest Texans," was published in the Summer 2014 issue.

Sociology's new Masters of Science program is profiled in the Summer 2014 issue.

Maira DiMauro-Jackson (Mod Lang) is the subject of an article in the current issue of *Hillviews* (Summer 2014) "A World of Difference: Italian-born instructor traces students to Florence to study language, culture."