

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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#### EDUCATION

2005 Ph. D., Department of Anthropology, Yale University  
2002 M. Phil., Department of Anthropology, Yale University  
1998 M.A., Dept. of Anthropology and Sociology, University of British Columbia  
1994 B.A. Honours, Department of Anthropology, McGill University

#### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Anthropological Archaeology, Origins of Complex Societies, Development of Agriculture, Settlement Pattern Studies, Household Archaeology, Ceramic Analysis, Mesoamerica, Archaeological Method and Theory.

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2006 Assistant Professor (University at Albany – SUNY) – current position  
2005 Instructor (Yale University) Sabbatical replacement for fall semester  
2005 Instructor (UAlbany) Belize Field School, Mesoamerican Research (Anth 338)

#### RESEARCH HISTORY

2005 **Principal Investigator**, San Estevan Archaeological Project.  
2003 **Principal Investigator**, Soconusco Formative Project.  
2002 **Principal Investigator**, Soconusco Formative Project.  
2002 **Project Director**, Belize Archaic Project.  
2001 **Principal Investigator**, Soconusco Formative Project.  
2001 **Project Director**, Belize Archaic Project.  
1996-2000 **Project Co-Director and Field Director**, (*five field seasons*) Belize Postclassic Project.  
1998-1999 **Project Director & Researcher**, Hartgen Archeological Associates Inc., Albany, NY.

**JOURNAL ARTICLES** (asterisk indicate peer reviewed)

Submitted, Rosenswig, Robert M.

Early Mesoamerican Garbage: Ceramic and Daub Discard Patterns from Cuauhtémoc, Soconusco, Mexico. **Latin American Antiquity**, currently under review.

2007 Rosenswig, Robert M.

Recent Excavations at San Estevan, Northern Belize. **Research Reports in Belizean Archaeology** 4, in press.

\*2007 Rosenswig, Robert M.

Beyond Identifying Elites: Feasting as a Means to Understand Early Middle Formative Society on the Pacific Coast of Mexico **Journal of Anthropological Archaeology** 26: in press.

\*2006 Rosenswig, Robert M.

Ochos siglos de cambios en Cuauhtémoc, Soconusco Chiapas de 1600-800 a.c. **Pueblos y Fronteras PROIMMSE**, San Cristóbal, Chiapas, México

\*2006 Lohse, Jon, Jaime Awe, Cameron Griffith, Robert Rosenswig and Fred Valdez, Jr.

Preceramic Occupations in Belize: Updating the Paleoindian and Archaic Record. **Latin American Antiquity** 17 (2): 209-226.

\*2006 Rosenswig, Robert M.

Sedentism and Agriculture in Early Complex Societies of the Soconusco, Mexico. **World Archaeology** 38 (2): 329-354.

2006 Rosenswig, Robert M.

Northern Belize and the Soconusco: A Comparison of the Late Archaic to Formative Transition. **Research Reports in Belizean Archaeology** 3: 59-71.

\*2005 Masson, Marilyn A. and Robert M. Rosenswig

Production Characteristics of Postclassic Maya Pottery from Caye Coco, Northern Belize. **Latin American Antiquity** 16 (4): 355-384.

\*2005 Rosenswig, Robert M.

A Tale of Two Antiquities: Evolving Editorial Policies of the SAA Journals. **SAA Archaeological Record** 5 (1): 15-21, 38.

2004 Rosenswig, Robert M.

New Archaeological Excavation Data from the Late Archaic Occupation of Northern Belize. **Research Reports in Belizean Archaeology** 1: 267-277.

\*2003 Rosenswig, Robert M.

Earliest Mesoamerican Human-duck Imagery from Cuauhtémoc, Chiapas, Mexico. **Antiquity** 77: <http://antiquity.ac.uk/ProjGall/rosenswig/>

- \*2002 Robert M. Rosenswig and Marilyn A. Masson  
Transformation of the Terminal Classic to Postclassic Architectural Landscape at Caye  
Coco, Belize. **Ancient Mesoamerica** 13: 213-235.
- \*2001 Robert M. Rosenswig and Marilyn A. Masson  
Seven New Preclassic Sites Documented in Northern Belize. **Mexicon** 23 (6): 138-140.
- \*2000 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Some Political Processes of Ranked Societies. **Journal of Anthropological Archaeology**  
19 (4): 413-460.
- 2000 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Ethical Statements and Archaeological Resource Management: Comments on the Future  
Directions of Canadian Archaeology. **Canadian Journal of Archaeology** 24 (2): 176-  
179.
- \*1999 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Nineteenth Century Urbanism and Public Health: The Evidence of Twelve Privies in  
Albany New York. **Northeast Anthropology** 58 (2): 27-45.
- 1998 Marilyn A. Masson and Robert M. Rosenswig  
Postclassic Monumental Centre Discovered at Caye Coco, Belize. **Mexicon** 20: 4-5.
- \*1997 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Ethics and Canadian Archaeology: An International Comparative Analysis. **Canadian  
Journal of Archaeology** 21 (2): 99-114.

## **BOOK REVIEWS**

- 2007 Review of *Myths of the Archaic State: Evolution of the Earliest Cities, States, and  
Civilizations*. **Canadian Journal of Archaeology** 31, in press
- 2006 Review of *Coastal collectors in the Holocene: Chantuto people of southwest Mexico* by  
B. Voorhies **Antiquity** 80: 225-226.
- 2004 Review of *Archaeologies of Complexity* by R. Chapman. **Canadian Journal of  
Archaeology** 28 (2): 397-399.
- 2002 Review of *Prehispanic Chiefdoms in the Valle de la Plata, Volume 4: Vertical  
Economy, Interchange, and Social Change during the Formative Period*. **Latin  
American Antiquity** 13 (3): 364-365.
- 1999 Review of *Darwinian Archaeologies* by H. G. Maschner and D. Graham and  
*Evolutionary Archaeology: Theory and Application* by M. O'Brian. **Canadian Journal  
of Archaeology** 22 (2): 168-172.

## **TECHNICAL REPORTS AND MONOGRAPHS**

- 2002 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Proyecto Formativo del Soconusco: Informe Técnico Parcial 2002. For the INAH Consejo de Arqueología, México, D. F.
- 2001 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Proyecto Formativo del Soconusco: Informe Técnico Parcial 2001. For the INAH Consejo de Arqueología, México, D. F.
- 2001 Robert M. Rosenswig and Marilyn A. Masson (editors)  
*Belize Postclassic Project 2000: Continuing Investigations at Progreso Lagoon.* Occasional Publications No. 6, Institute for Mesoamerican Studies, Albany.
- 2000 Robert M. Rosenswig and Marilyn A. Masson (editors)  
*Belize Postclassic Project 1999: Continuing Investigations at Progreso Lagoon and Laguna Seca.* Occasional Publications No. 5, Institute for Mesoamerican Studies, Albany.
- 1999 Marilyn A. Masson and Robert M. Rosenswig (editors)  
*Belize Postclassic Project 1998: Investigations at Progreso Lagoon.* Occasional Publications No. 3, Institute for Mesoamerican Studies, Albany.
- 1998 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
A Comparison of Early and Middle Formative Political Development in the Soconusco and Valley of Oaxaca: Settlement, Mortuary and Architectural Patterns. Unpublished Master's Thesis, University of British Columbia, Vancouver.
- 1998 Marilyn A. Masson and Robert M. Rosenswig (editors)  
*Belize Postclassic Project 1997: Laguna de On, Progreso Lagoon, Laguna Seca.* Occasional Publications No. 2, Institute for Mesoamerican Studies, Albany.
- 1997 Marilyn A. Masson and Robert M. Rosenswig (editors)  
*The Belize Postclassic Project: Laguna de On Island Excavations 1996.* Occasional Publications No. 1, Institute for Mesoamerican Studies, Albany.
- 1994 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
The Taphonomic Implications of Chemical & Mechanical Attrition of Avian and Small Mammal Remains: A Thule Example from the Central Canadian Arctic. Unpublished Undergraduate Honours Thesis, McGill University, Montreal

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- 2006 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Recent Excavations at San Estevan, Northern Belize. Paper presented 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Belize Archaeology Symposium, Belize City, Belize.

- 2006 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
The Origins of Monumental Architecture and Social Stratification at Cuauhtémoc, Mexico. 71st Annual Meeting of the SAA, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 2006 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Early Mesoamerican Garbage: Ceramic and Daub Discard Patterns from Cuauhtémoc, Soconusco, Mexico. Paper prepared for the Working Group: Lowland Olmec Households: Down Home with “Maw” and “Paw” Organized by: Philip J. Arnold. 71st Annual Meeting of the SAA, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 2005 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Northern Belize and the Soconusco: A Comparison of the Late Archaic to Formative Transition. Paper presented 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Belize Archaeology Symposium, San Ignacio, Belize.
- 2005 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Economía y Estética de Cuauhtémoc: 800 años de cambio en una comunidad del Soconusco. Paper presented at the XIX Simposio de Investigaciones Arqueológicas en Guatemala, Guatemala City.
- 2005 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Beyond Identifying Elites: Feasting as a Means to Understand Early Middle Formative Society on the Pacific Coast of Southern Mexico. Poster presented at the 70<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the SAA, Salt Lake City.
- 2004 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Three and a Half Millennia of Settlement Changes in the Cuauhtémoc Region of the Soconusco, Chiapas, Mexico. 69<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the SAA, Montreal.
- 2003 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
New Archaeological Excavation Data from the Late Archaic Occupation of Northern Belize. Department of Archaeology Symposium on Belize Archaeology, Belize City.
- 2002 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
New sites and technology from the Late Archaic or Preceramic in northern Belize. 67<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the SAA, Denver.
- 2001 Robert M. Rosenswig and Marilyn A. Masson  
Monumental Architecture and Political Organization at Caye Coco, Belize. 66<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the SAA, New Orleans.
- 2001 Marilyn A. Masson and Robert M. Rosenswig  
Postclassic Maya Ceramic Development in Northern Belize. 66<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the SAA, New Orleans.

- 2000 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Nineteenth Century Urbanism and Public Health: The Evidence of Twelve Privies in Albany, New York. Annual Meeting of the Historical Archaeological Association, Quebec.
- 1999 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Time and the Visibility of Political Cycling in Formative Mesoamerica. 64th Annual Meeting of the SAA, Chicago.
- 1999 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Making No Bones About It: Fauna and Status in Historic Albany. 23rd Annual Meeting of the New York State Archaeological Association, Sparrowbush, New York.
- 1998 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Postclassic Burial Patterns at Laguna de On in Local and Regional Contexts. 63<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the SAA, Seattle.
- 1997 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
A Question of Time: Thematic Analysis of Processual and Post-Processual Archaeologies. 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the SAA, Nashville.
- 1997 Marilyn A. Masson and Robert M. Rosenswig  
Village Cacique Power in the Maya Postclassic. 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the SAA, Nashville.
- 1996 Rosenswig, Robert M.  
Canadian Ethics in Comparative Context. 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the CAA, Halifax.

## **GRANTS & AWARDS**

### **Fellowships and Scholarships**

- 2005 - 2007 **Postdoctoral Fellowship, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada** (#756-2005-0476), \$70 000 of stipend support over two academic years at the University of Montreal and \$5000 of summer research support.
- 2004 **Yale University Dissertation Writing Fellowship** \$ 16 500 for 2 semesters of support
- 2003 **Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship** (Award # P022A020037), \$24 452 for 10 months of excavation and analysis of Soconusco Formative Project materials.
- 1999 - 2003 **Yale University Graduate Scholarship**, \$96 000 tuition for four academic years
- 1999 - 2003 **Doctoral Fellowship, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada**, \$69 700 of stipend support over four academic years at Yale University

2000 - 2001 **William Shirley Fulton Fellowship in Archaeology**, \$11 500 stipend support

1999 - 2000 **Yale University Graduate Fellowship**, \$11 000 stipend support

### **External Research Grants**

2003 **New World Archaeological Foundation Research Grant**, \$12 000 for excavations at the sites of Cuauhtémoc and San Martin, Mexico.

2002 **National Science Foundation Dissertation Improvement Grant** (#BCS-0210997), \$11 996 for settlement survey in the Cuauhtémoc zone of the Soconusco, Mexico.

2002 **Foundation for the Advancement of Mesoamerican Studies** (FAMSI) Research Grant (#01052), \$10 042 for excavations at the sites of Cuauhtémoc and Las Palmas, Mexico.

1994 **Northern Studies Training Grant**, Department of Northern Affairs, Government of Canada, \$1700 to underwrite travel to Somerset Island, North West Territory.

### **Internal Research Grants**

2005 **Albers Fund**, \$1500 planning trip for San Estevan Archaeological Project.

2004 **Albers Fund**, \$3500 for analysis of Soconusco Formative Project materials.

2003 **Albers Fund**, \$3000 for Soconusco Formative Project excavations.

2002 **Yale Council of International and Area Studies Dissertation Grant**, University wide competition, \$8000 for Soconusco Formative Project excavations.

2002 **Albers Fund**, \$4000 for Soconusco Formative Project excavations.

2001 **Yale Council of International and Area Studies Pre-Dissertation Grant**, University wide competition, \$1000 to begin Soconusco Formative Project

2001 **Albers Fund**, \$7000 to begin Soconusco Formative Project

2001 **Yale University Graduate School Summer Study Grant**, \$2500 to continue the Belize Archaic Project

2000 **Albers Fund**, \$3000 to explore beginning a Nicaraguan Formative Project or a Soconusco Formative Project

2000 **Williams Fund**, \$1100 to begin the Belize Archaic Project

2000 **Albers Fund**, \$2900 to begin the Belize Archaic Project

### **Conference Travel Grants**

- 2005 **Schwartz Fund Conference Travel Grant**, \$550 to attend the SAA in Salt Lake City.
- 2004 **Schwartz Fund Conference Travel Grant**, \$550 to attend the AAA in Atlanta.
- 2004 **Schwartz Fund Conference Travel Grant**, \$500 to attend the SAA in Montreal.
- 2002 **Schwartz Fund Conference Travel Grant**, \$535 to attend the SAA in Denver
- 2001 **Schwartz Fund Conference Travel Grant**, \$735 to attend the SAA in New Orleans
- 2000 **Schwartz Fund Conference Travel Grant**, \$915 to attend the AAA in San Francisco
- 2000 **Schwartz Fund Conference Travel Grant**, \$600 to attend the SAA in Pennsylvania
- 1997 **University of British Columbia Conference Travel Grant**, \$600 to attend the SAA in Nashville
- 1996 **Canadian Archaeological Association Conference Travel Grant**, \$650 to attend CAA in Halifax

### **Award**

- 1997 **Weetaluktuk Graduate Student Paper Award**, Canadian Archaeological Association, \$200