



## 1. Personal Details

**Date of Birth:** June 29, 1976

**Citizenship:** Canadian

**Permanent Address:** 40 Martin Rd, Wilson's Beach, NB E5E 1N5 CANADA

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## 2. Education

2006-present

**PhD Candidate**, University of Auckland, Dept. of Anthropology (in progress)

Thesis: *Contextualizing Authenticity: Cultural Tourism in the Trobriand Islands*

2000-03

**Master of Arts**, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John's Campus

Dept. of Anthropology, Archaeology Unit. CGPA 4.0

Thesis: *Mobility, Migration and Projectile Point Diversity in the Late Paleoindian Period of the Far Northeast*

1996-98

**Bachelor of Arts**, McGill University; graduated with First Class Honours with great distinction Winter 1999. Honors in Anthropology, major in Canadian Studies. Thesis: *Paleoindians in the Maine-Maritimes Region*. CGPA 3.62

1994-96

Bishop's University, Lennoxville, QC; Major Canadian Studies, Minor Anthropology (transferred)

1992-94

Carleton North Senior High School, Bristol, NB

## 3. Scholarships and Awards

2011

**ASAANZ Conference Grant**, to present paper at Australian Anthropological Society Annual Conference in Perth, Australia, June 2011.

2010

**Doctoral Scholarship**, Scholarships Office, Graduate Studies, University of Auckland.

2009

**Dissertation Fieldwork Grant, Wenner-Gren Foundation**, New York, NY USA, to carry out anthropological fieldwork in the Trobriand Islands, PNG for PhD in anthropology of tourism.

2008

**Research Grant, Faculty of Arts Doctoral Research Fund**, University of Auckland, also in support of PhD research in PNG.

2008

**Atu Trust Grant and Performance Based Research Fund Award**, University of Auckland, for travel to Port Moresby PNG for preliminary research trip.

2007

**Performance Based Research Fund (PBRF) Award**, Anthropology Department, University of Auckland to present paper at Australian Anthropology Society conference, Canberra ACT, October 2007.

2005

**New Zealand International Doctoral Research Scholarship (NZIRDS)**, Awarded by Education New Zealand, tenable for three years

2001

**Research Grant**, awarded by Institute of Social and Economic Research, Memorial University of Newfoundland



- 2001 1<sup>st</sup> Honorable Mention, Daniel Weetaluktuk **National Student Paper Award**, Canadian Archaeological Association
- 2000 **Fellowship** for study in M.A. program, Dept. of Anthropology, Memorial University of Newfoundland
- 1998 **Book Prize**, awarded by Dr. Bruce Trigger for highest standing in advanced seminar (Current Topics in Archaeology), McGill University
- 1994 Montgomery **Entrance Scholarship**, Bishops University
- 1994 **Governor General's Award**, Highest Standing in Graduating Class at CNSHS

#### **4. Work Experience**

- July 2011-Oct 2011 **Professional Teaching Fellow**, Department of Anthropology, University of Auckland. Preparation and presentation of twelve lectures for Anthro242 (Cross-Cultural Economics), as well as marking, student consultation, and administrative duties.
- Mar 2009-Nov 2010 **Social Anthropologist**, Trobriand Islands, PNG. Conducting field-based research in anthropology of tourism through interviews and participant observation; liaising with stakeholders; learning local language and ways of life
- June-July 2008 **Consultant**, Jacques Whitford Ltd, Fredericton, N.B. Analysis and writing of archaeological concerns for environmental impact assessments (EIAs)
- Feb 2007-June 2011 **Tutor**, Department of Anthropology, University of Auckland. Planning and running tutorial sessions, marking for Anth100 (Human Cultures), Anth104 (Peoples and Cultures of the Pacific), Anth 105 (Race & Racism), Anth 225/315 (Anth of Art & Performance).
- Feb 2006-Sept 2006 **Archaeologist**, Jacques Whitford Ltd, Fredericton, N.B. Consulting archaeology for Environmental Impact Assessments; license applications, liaising with stakeholders, directing field surveys, artifact analysis, research, report writing.
- Mar 2005-Feb 2006 **Research Associate**, Conservation Management Institute at Virginia Tech, Military Lands Division, Fort Pickett (Virginia Army National Guard Installation), Blackstone, VA. Field and academic archaeological research at Fort Pickett; policy writing.
- June 2003-Mar 2005 **Archaeologist**, Conservation Management Institute, as above. Field Director and co- Principal Investigator on a variety of Phase I and Phase II archaeological projects. Planning field projects, supervising crew, research, artifact analysis, writing technical reports.
- May – Sept 2002 **Archaeological Field Technician**, Consulting Archaeology Program, University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont. Data recovery and recording in the field at all phases of excavation, some lab work.
- June 2001 **Principal Investigator**, Jones site excavation. Planned, organized and implemented four-week excavation at Jones site, in Greenwich Prince Edward Island National Park. Directed two field assistants plus several volunteers.



## 5. Publications and Presentations

- 2011 Money, Morality, and *Mapula* (payment) in Trobriand-Tourist Interactions. Paper accepted for presentation at American Anthropological Association Annual Conference, Montreal.
- 2011 Technologies and Economies of Mobility: The Introduction of Mobile Phones in the Trobriand Islands. Paper presented at the Australian Anthropological Society Annual Conference, Perth, WA.
- 2010 Judging “culture:” Contesting views of the ‘Islands of Love.’ Paper presented at the American Anthropological Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, USA.
- 2010 “More than grass skirts and feathers:” Negotiating culture in the Trobriand Islands. Paper presented at the Biennial Pacific History Association Conference, University of Goroka, Papua New Guinea.
- 2009 [Book review] Culture and authenticity. *Anthropological Notebooks* 15(1):97-98.
- 2008 [Book review] The Power of Perspective: Social ontology and agency on Ambrym, Vanuatu. *The Journal of the Polynesian Society* 117(3):310-311.
- 2008 (Stevenson, Chris, Michael Glascock, Robert Speakman and Michelle MacCarthy) *Expanding the geochemical database for Virginia jasper sources*. *Journal of Middle Atlantic Archaeology* 24:57-78.
- 2007 *Contextualizing authenticity: Cultural tourism in the Trobriand Islands of Papua New Guinea*. Paper presented at the Australian Anthropology Society Annual Meeting, Canberra.
- 2006 *Anthony Flower House Archaeological Project*. Report prepared for Archaeological Services Unit, Culture and Sport Secretariat, Province of New Brunswick. Sole Author.
- 2006 (Stevenson, Chris, with Robert Speakman and Michelle MacCarthy) *Expanding the geochemical database for Virginia jasper sources*. Paper presented at the 36th Annual Meeting of the Middle Atlantic Archaeological Conference, Virginia Beach, VA.
- 2002a *Allies, Adversaries or Antecedents? Late Paleoindian Inhabitants of the Northeast*. Paper presented at the Canadian Archaeological Association, Ottawa, May 2002
- 2002b *CcCq3: The Jones Site, Parks Canada Final Report*. Report on file at Parks Canada, Atlantic Service Centre, Halifax.