Australian Archaeology

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FIELDWORK CALENDAR

Dr J.F. O'Connell will be continuing his archaeological and ethnographic studies on MacDonald Downs Station, some 200 km NE of Alice Springs, through a field season extending from 20th May to 10th September, 1975. Following on from previous fieldwork, which aimed mainly at revealing contemporary subsistence and settlement patterns, the coming season will be archaeological, involving the detailed mapping of surface features, and systematic collection of occupation material, at a large, recently occupied, Aboriginal habitation site. Four or five volunteers are required, preference being given to those who can work for all or a major part of the field season. Return air transport to Alice Springs from any point in Australia and all subsistence will be provided. However, volunteers will camp out and must provide their own personal gear and bedding.

If you are interested please contact, as soon as possible, Dr J.F. O'Connell,
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In the Carnarvon Range, central Queensland, Mr J.M. Beaton will be excavating a number of rockshelters to determine differences in economic use of sites within a complicated environment. A work force of about six volunteers is required for the field season which extends from 1st July to 1st October, 1975. Persons may participate for any part of the project, the absolute minimum period being 10 days. Full subsistence will be provided and some contribution towards fares may be possible, particularly for those intending a lengthy stay. However, volunteers will camp out and must provide their own bedding and other personal gear.

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Applications are invited for appointment as

Tutor or Senior Tutor

in Prehistoric Archaeology in the Department of Anthropology. The appointment will be for two years initially. Applicants should possess an Honours or higher degree in Prehistoric Archaeology, preferably including some background in general Anthropology; or a similar degree in Anthropology with a strong archaeological component. Experience is required in archaeological fieldwork (including excavation and survey), and in analysing artefact assemblages. The appointee will be required to conduct tutorial and practical classes in prehistory and archaeological method and techniques. The Department offers a second-year unit in Prehistoric Archaeology, and archaeological options within Anthropology in third and fourth years and for post-graduate study in Archaeology. Particular preference will be given to candidates with special interests which include hunter-gatherers, Australian prehistory, stone tools or topographic archaeology. The appointee will have an opportunity to pursue research on the important material available in Western Australia.

The salary ranges are: Senior Tutor - $A9750-11250 p.a.; Tutor - $A8000-9500 p.a. The appointee will be entitled to an allowance towards appointment expenses.

Applications in duplicate stating full personal particulars, qualifications and experience should reach the Staffing Officer, University of Western Australia, Nedlands, Western Australia, 6009, by 3rd May. Candidates should request three referees to write immediately to the Staffing Officer.
NOTES FOR CONTRIBUTORS

Manuscripts should be typed, double-spaced, leaving reasonably wide margins. Photographs cannot be reproduced, but I will accept simple line drawings if drawn at final size to fit within A4 format, on bond or other good quality paper. Deadlines for receipt of copy are 1st April and 1st November.

Send all contributions to:-

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Contributions covering a wide range of archaeological interests are sought, but some special categories are:-

Fieldwork Calendar  This is designed to put researchers about to depart on fieldwork in touch with other members who may be able to render assistance, such as labour on an excavation, or who would simply like to visit a site for the sake of interest. Fieldworkers are asked to send in full details of their project, including location, dates, research aims and an indication as to whether visits to the site by other members are practical.

Employment opportunities  Situations vacant and wanted will be listed if the information is sent in.

Research reports  Summaries of research in various fields by correspondents.

Bibliography  A list of current publications.

Notes and Comments  A section for general discussion and expression of opinion.
INFORMATION TO BE REPRODUCED IN "FIELDWORK CALENDAR"
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Name: ____________________________  Position: ________________________

Address: ____________________________________________________________
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Location of fieldwork: _________________________________________________
__________________________________________________________
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Dates: from ___________ to ________________

Aim of this season's fieldwork: ________________________________________
__________________________________________________________

Summary of work in earlier seasons: _____________________________________
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Do you require voluntary helpers? ____________  How many? __________

What assistance can you give to volunteers? ______________________________

Transport or fares? ____________________________________________________

Subsistence? __________________________________________________________

Accommodation? ______________________________________________________

Other assistance? ______________________________________________________

Any further information that may be of use ________________________________

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