

# ANNA CATHERINE GIBBS

## *Curriculum Vitae*

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### EDUCATION

- Ongoing      Ph.D. Anthropology, University of Tennessee, Knoxville (UTK)
- 2022      M.A. Anthropology, Florida State University (FSU)  
Thesis: "Ancient Mining in Southwestern Sardinia: Assessing its Organization via Analysis of Remotely Sensed Imagery."
- 2020      B.A. Anthropology, Archaeology, Baylor University (BU)  
Thesis: "A Study on Medieval Intrasite Find Distribution on the San Giuliano Plateau, Lazio, Italy."

### ACADEMIC INTERESTS

Mediterranean and Landscape Archaeology, Central Italy and Sardinia, Etruscan and Medieval Italy, Geographic Information Systems, Remote Sensing, Mortuary Practices, Social Space and Hierarchies, Materiality, Identity

### AWARDS

#### *Extramural*

- 2025      Marjorie Gosselin Fitzgerald, Upsilon, Scholarship (\$3,000)
- 2022      Archaeological Institute of America (AIA) Graduate Student Travel Award  
\*Never collected due to last-minute Covid-19 transition to virtual meeting\* (\$175)
- 2021      Kappa Kappa Gamma Graduate Scholarship (\$3,000)

#### *Intramural*

- 2025      UTK Classics Haines-Morris Travel Scholarship (\$2,374)
- 2025      UTK Patricia Black Archaeological Research Award (\$500)
- 2022      FSU Congress of Graduate Students (COGS) Conference Presenter Travel Award  
\*Never collected due to last-minute Covid-19 transition to virtual meeting\* (\$200)
- 2019      BU Undergraduate Research and Scholarly Achievement Small Grant Recipient 2019 for Project:  
"Archaeological Approaches to Social Space in a Medieval Castle at San Giuliano in Lazio, Italy"  
(\$5,000)

### PUBLICATIONS

#### *Peer Reviewed Journal Articles*

- 2023      Zori D., Zori C., Ikeshoji-Orlati V., Aprile J., Baker L., Fulton J., **Gibbs A.C.**, and Cassotta A.

An Early Etruscan Toddler's Grave in the Transitional Trench Tomb Cemetery of San Simone, San Giuliano (VT): Wealth, Status, and the Hopes of a Family. *Journal for Etruscan and Early Italic Studies*. [10.1515/etst2023-0015](https://doi.org/10.1515/etst2023-0015).

*Technical Reports*

- 2025 **Gibbs A.C.** Investigation of La Rocca 2024: Trench 2. In *San Giuliano Archaeological Research Project: Report for the 2024 Season*, edited by D. Zori, Baylor University. Submitted to the Soprintendenza Archeologia, Belle Arti e Paesaggio per l'Area Metropolitana di Roma, la Provincia di Viterbo e l'Etruria Meridionale.
- 2023 **Gibbs A.C.** GIS Mapping Methods and Database Organization for the San Giuliano Archaeological Research Project. In *San Giuliano Archaeological Research Project: Report for the 2022 Season*, edited by D. Zori, Baylor University. Submitted to the Soprintendenza Archeologia, Belle Arti e Paesaggio per l'Area Metropolitana di Roma, la Provincia di Viterbo e l'Etruria Meridionale. Pp. 179-191.
- 2020 **Gibbs A.C.** GIS Mapping Methods and Site Networking Across the San Giuliano Landscape. In *San Giuliano Archaeological Research Project: Report for the 2019 Season*, edited by D. Zori, Baylor University. Submitted to the Soprintendenza Archeologia, Belle Arti e Paesaggio per l'Area Metropolitana di Roma, la Provincia di Viterbo e l'Etruria Meridionale. Pp. 247-262.

**PRESENTATIONS**

*Invited Symposia*

- 2021 **Gibbs A.C.** *A Study on Medieval Intrasite Find Distribution on the San Giuliano Plateau, Lazio Italy*, featured in the Symposium, "Etruscan Centralization to Medieval Marginalization: Shifts in Settlement and Mortuary Traditions at San Giuliano, Italy." Paper presented at the 86<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, April 15-21 [Virtual - Covid-19].

*Conference Papers*

- Submitted **Gibbs A.C.** *100 Years of San Giuliano's Necropolis - Landscape Changes, Rock-Cut Tombs, and Survey from 1925 to 2025*. Paper to present at the 2026 Annual Meeting of the Archaeological Institute of America, January 7-10.
- 2021 **Gibbs A.C.** *Medieval Artifact Distribution and the Process of Incastellamento: A GIS Case Study from the San Giuliano Plateau*. Paper presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Anthropology Student Research Showcase, April 9.
- 2019 Sides L. and **Gibbs A.C.** *Caved In: How New Technologies Provide Solutions to Old Questions about Medieval Caves at San Giuliano, Italy*. Paper presented at the 56<sup>th</sup> Annual International Congress on Medieval Studies, May 9-12.

*Conference Posters*

- 2024 **Gibbs A.C.** *Reevaluating Conclusions: New Data and Theories on Intrasite Find Distribution for Medieval Incastellamento, San Giuliano, Lazio, Italy*. Poster presented at the 89<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, April 17-21.
- 2022 **Gibbs A.C.** *Ancient Mining in Southwestern Sardinia: Band Ratioing Techniques and Remote Sensing Approaches*. Poster presented at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Anthropology Student Research Showcase, April 8.

- 2022 **Gibbs A.C.** *Ancient Mining in Southwestern Sardinia: Assessing its Organization via Analysis of Remotely Sensed Imagery*. Poster presented at the 2022 Annual Meeting of the Archaeological Institute of America, January 5-8 [Virtual - Covid-19].
- 2020 **Gibbs A.C.** *A Study on Medieval Intrasite Find Distribution on the San Giuliano Plateau, Lazio, Italy*. Poster presented at the 2020 Annual Meeting of the Archaeological Institute of America, January 2-5.

## FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE

- 2025 Area Supervisor, Necropolis Tomb Survey: San Giuliano Archaeological Research Project (SGARP) – with BU in Barbarano Romano, Lazio, Italy - *Summer* (PIs: Drs. Davide and Colleen Zori)
- 2024 Area Supervisor, La Rocca Trench 2: San Giuliano Archaeological Research Project (SGARP) – with BU in Barbarano Romano, Lazio, Italy - *Summer* (PIs: Drs. Davide and Colleen Zori)
- 2018, 2019, 2022, 2023 GIS Specialist and Total Station Director: San Giuliano Archaeological Research Project (SGARP) with BU in Barbarano Romano, Lazio, Italy - *Summer* (PIs: Drs. Davide and Colleen Zori)
- 2022 Geospatial Surveyor: Landscape Archaeology of Southwest Sardinia (LASS) Project – with FSU in Sulcis, Sardinia, Italy - *Summer* (PI: Dr. Elizabeth Murphy)
- 2022 GIS Specialist and Total Station Director: Cosa Excavations – with FSU in Ansedonia, Italy - *Summer* (PI: Dr. Andrea DeGiorgi)
- 2021 Archaeological Technician: Southeast Archaeology Center (SEAC) – a division of the National Parks Service (NPS) – through the National Council for Preservation Education (NCPE) - *Summer*
- 2017 Participant: San Giuliano Archaeological Research Project (SGARP) – with Baylor University in Barbarano Romano, Lazio, Italy - *Summer* (PIs: Drs. Davide and Colleen Zori)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2025 Instructor of Record (GTO): ANTH 120, Introduction to World Archaeology
- 2025 Instructor of Record (GTO): ANTH 120, Introduction to Archaeology
- 2024 Instructor of Record (GTO): ANTH 120, Introduction to Archaeology
- 2022 Teaching Assistant (GTA): ANT 3141, World Prehistory
- 2021 Instructor of Record (GTA): ANT 2511L, Introduction to Physical Anthropology Lab
- 2021 Teaching Assistant (GTA): ANT 4930, Gender and Violence
- 2021 Teaching Assistant (GTA): ANT 4034, History of Anthropology
- 2020 Teaching Assistant (GTA): ANT 4034, History of Anthropology
- 2020 Peer Instructor (PI): BIC 2314, World Cultures II
- 2019 Peer Instructor (PI): BIC 1314, World Cultures I

## OUTREACH

- 2022 Survey of New Hope Cemetery: Volunteer survey of an unmarked African American and Indigenous burial plot to identify grave locations and to provide appropriate commemoration to the deceased and descendent communities. In collaboration with the Panhandle Archaeological Society at Tallahassee (PAST).

2021 Co-Director: Archaeological Institute of America sponsored “Lighting the Way to Archaeology” – Assisted in planning and administrating an instructive archaeology day for the Lighthouse of Big Bend school for the blind in Tallahassee. Funded by the AIA International Archaeology Day Grant Program.

## **SERVICE**

2025 – Graduate Student Senator: Anthropology Graduate Student Association at UTK  
2021-2022 President: Anthropology Graduate Student Association at FSU

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

2019 – Archaeological Institute of America (AIA)  
2019 – Society for American Archaeology (SAA)  
2024 – Anthropology Graduate Student Association (AGSA), UTK  
2020 – 22 Anthropology Graduate Student Association (AGSA), FSU  
2022 – 22 Panhandle Archaeological Society at Tallahassee (PAST)  
2021 – 22 Lambda Alpha Anthropology Honor Society at FSU  
2017 – 20 Kappa Kappa Gamma, Epsilon Upsilon Chapter

## **LANGUAGES**

English Native language  
Italian Speak, read, and write at an intermediate level  
Spanish Speak, read, and write at an intermediate level  
Latin Read and write at an introductory level

## **REFERENCES**

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