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**HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED**

Ph.D.            Anthropology            University of California, Davis            1971

**AREA OF SPECIALIZATION**

North American Archaeology

**EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Ph.D. in Anthropology, University of California, Davis, 1971

Ph.C. in Anthropology, University of California, Davis, 1970

M.A. in Anthropology. University of California, Davis, 1968

B.A. in Anthropology, University of California, Davis, 1967

**PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN DOCTORAL EDUCATION**

Adjunct Professor, Columbia University, 1991-present

Adjunct Member, Doctoral Faculty, The Graduate School and University Center of the  
City University of New York, 1991-present

Adjunct Professor, New York University, 1986-1987

Adjunct Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology. University of Nevada, Reno,  
1979-present

Research Associate, Department of Anthropology, University of California, Davis, 1976-  
1985

Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, The City College of New York, 1971-  
1972

Chairman of the Department, Spring, 1972

Adjunct Assistant Professor, 1972-1975

Adjunct Research Professor, Desert Research Institute, Reno, 1980-1982

Visiting Professor, University of Tennessee, 1978

Adjunct Assistant Professor, New York University, 1973-1975

**RESEARCH GRANT SUPPORT**

Edward John Noble Foundation/ St. Catherines Island Foundation Grant support since  
1973, totaling 8 million dollars. Plus assorted NSF and National Geographic grants.

**PUBLICATIONS (2003-2008)**

**BOOKS**

2007. *Archaeology: Down to Earth*. 4<sup>rd</sup> Edition, 360 pp. New York: Wadsworth  
Publishers [by DHT and Robert L. Kelly].

2006. *Archaeology*. 4th Edition, 556 pp. New York: Wadsworth Publishers [by DHT and Robert L. Kelly].

#### **RESEARCH MONOGRAPHS**

----. *The Archaeology of Mission San Marcos, New Mexico*. Anthropological Papers of the American Museum of Natural History [in prep].

----. *The Archaeology of Monitor Valley: 4. Alta Toquima and the Mt. Jefferson Tablelands Complex*. Anthropological Papers of the American Museum of Natural History [by DHT and Lorann S. A. Pendleton; in prep].

2008. *Native American Landscapes of St. Catherines Island, Georgia*. Anthropological Papers of the American Museum of Natural History 88 (1-3): 1-1136.

#### **REFEREED ARTICLES**

Bishop, G. A., R. H. Hayes, B. K. Meyer, H. E. Rollins, F. J. Rich, D. H. Thomas, and R. K. Vance. In press. Fieldtrip. I: Transgressive Barrier Island Features of St.

Catherines Island, Georgia, In F. J. Rich (ed.), Fieldtrips of the 2007 Annual Meeting, Southeastern Section, Geological Society of America. Georgia Southern University (Statesboro, GA).

Thomas, D.H. 2007. Deep-Site Excavation at Gatecliff Shelter, Nevada. In *Seeking our Past* by Sarah W. Neusius and G. Timothy Gross (eds), pp. 343-354. New York: Oxford University Press.

Thomas, D.H. 2006. "Finders Keepers and Deep American History: Some Lessons in Dispute Resolution," in *Imperialism, Art and Restitution*, edited by John Henry Merryman, pp. 218-254. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Thomas, D.H. 2005. "The Feeling of Working Completely in the Dark" *The Uncertain Foundations of Southwestern Mission Archaeology* [James E. Ivey and DHT] in *Current Views on the American Southwest*, edited by Linda S. Cordell and Don D. Fowler, pp. 204-219. Salt Lake City: University of Utah Press.

Thomas, D.H. 2005. "Forward: Some Personal Observations on 'Partnering Up'" In *A Rediscovering of Caddo Heritage: The W. T. Scott Collection at the American Museum of Natural History and other Caddo Collections from Arkansas and Louisiana*, by Bobby Gonzalez, Robert Cast, Timothy K. Perttula, and Bo Nelson, pp. xiii -xv. Binger, OK: Caddo Nation of Oklahoma.

Thomas, D.H. 2005. *Thomas Jefferson's Conflicted Legacy in American Archaeology*. In *Across the Continent: Jefferson, Lewis and Clark, and the Making of America*, pp. 84-131 edited by Douglas Seefeldt, Peter Onuf, and Jeffrey Hantman. University of Virginia Press.

Thomas, D.H. 2004. *The Kennewick Man Dispute: Courts of Last Resort? Before Farming: The Archaeology and Anthropology of Hunter-gatherers?* 2004(2): 5-7.

#### **SPECIAL RECOGNITION/AWARDS**

Member, National Academy of Sciences (elected in April, 1989).

Founding Trustee, National Museum of the American Indian, Smithsonian Institution (1989-1995);

Reappointed to the Board (2002-2007).

D.Sci., (honoris causa), The University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee (conferred October, 1995).

Awarded the Franciscan Medal for 1992 by the Franciscan Institute, St. Bonaventure University, NY. Presidential Recognition Award, Society for American Archaeology, 1991.

Elected to Life Membership in the Permanent Council, International Union of Pre-and Proto-Science (1991-present).

Skull Wars named one of Discover magazine's "Most Thought-provoking and Important Science Books of 2000."

The Native Americans (DHT et al.), as part of the Turner Broadcasting System, Inc. Native American initiative, was recognized by the Academy of Television Arts & Sciences with the 1996 Governors' Award.

The Native Americans (DHT et al.) recognized by Western Writers of America, Inc. as Best Western Non-fiction Historical Book of 1993.

Columbian Consequences: Volume 1. (DHT, Editor and Contributor) selected Outstanding Scholarly Book of 1989 by Choice magazine.

Columbian Consequences: Volume 2. (DHT, Editor and Contributor) selected Outstanding Academic Book of 1990 by Choice magazine.

From Map to Museum: Uncovering Mysteries of the Past by Joan Anderson (with introduction by DHT) selected as Notable Children's Trade Book and Outstanding Science Trade Book for 1988.

Listed in Who's Who in America, Who's Who in Social Science, Who's Who of American Writers, International Who's Who for Professionals, Who's Who Reference Encyclopedia of the American Indian, The International Authors and Writers Who's Who, The Writers Directory.