

ARCHAEOLOGICAL PROJECTS:

- *Balu'a Regional Archaeological Project* (ongoing)
Co-directors: Kent V. Bramlett, Monique D. Roddy, Friedbert Ninow
- *Madaba Regional Archaeological Museum Project* (ongoing)
Co-directors: Douglas R. Clark, Marta D'Andrea, Andrea Polcaro, Suzanne Richard, Basem Mahamid
- *Khirbat 'Ataruz Project* (ongoing)
Director: Chang Ho Ji
Co-director: Aaron Schade
- *Madaba Plains Project – Tall al 'Umayri* (publication phase)
Director: Douglas R. Clark
Co-director: Kent V. Bramlett
- *Edom Lowlands Regional Archaeology Project* (curation)



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UNDERGRADUATE & GRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMS:

- *Minor in Archaeology*
- *Bachelor of Arts, Archaeology*
- *Master of Arts, Near Eastern Archaeology*

EVENTS & OUTREACH:

- *Archaeology Discovery Weekend*
(free recurring hybrid event in autumn)
- *Winter Archaeology Lecture Series*
(free recurring hybrid event in winter)
- *Homecoming Archaeology Lecture*
(free recurring hybrid event in spring)
- *Archaeology Adventures*
(paid program for school groups)

TECHNOLOGIES:

- ^{14}C analysis
- 3D laser scanning
- 3D printing
- aDNA analysis of osteological remains
- C.A.V.E. immersive viewing environment
- Drone-assisted photogrammetry
- Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
- Ground-penetrating radar
- Isotopic analysis
- Laser Assisted Profiler
- Opencontext.org excavation database
- Petrographic analysis
- Reflectance Transformation Imaging (RTI)
- Residue analysis
- X-ray Fluorescence (XRF)



COLLECTIONS:

- *Largest study collection of excavated material from Jordan in the United States*
- *Over 10,000 donated artifacts dating as far back as the Chalcolithic period*
- *Expanded archaeological research library plus journals and excavation reports*

OPPORTUNITIES:

- *Earn a Bachelor's or Master's degree*
- *Excavate with us in Jordan*
- *Volunteer in our labs or at events*
- *Attend events & tell others about our work*
- *Support us financially by visiting:*

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