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American Anthropological Association Commission for
the Ethical Treatment of Indigenous Human Remains

Listening Session

14-15 August 2023

Monday 14 August

📍 Terrace Room, Sir Llew Edwards Building (14), UQ St Lucia

8:45am	Arrival and registration
9am	Welcome to listening session Dr Michael Westaway, Associate Professor, School of Social Science, UQ Professor Heather Zwicker, Executive Dean, Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences, UQ
9:15am	Introduction to the listening session and American Anthropological Association commissioners Mark Grist (Wergaia, Wamba Wamba and Nyeri Nyeri), Consultant Archaeologist, Grist Archaeology Michael Blakey, National Endowment for the Humanities Professor of Anthropology, Africana Studies, and American Studies, and Founding Director of the Institute for Historical Biology at William & Mary
9:35am	Finding, acknowledging and caring for the ancestors Eric Law (Wakka Wakka)—Cherboug
10am	Rescuing the ancestors from sea level change Enid Tom (Kaurareg)—Kaureag (TSI)
10:20am	Morning tea
10:50am	National Centre for Indigenous Genomics Azure Hermes (Gimuy Walubara Yidinji)
11:10am	Stories from the Mithaka ancestors Tracey Hough (Mithaka)
11:30am	The Willandra repatriation Mark Brett Schneider (Ngiyampaa) and Gary Pappin (Mutti Mutti)
11:50am	The rescue excavation of a Thanakwith ancestor Rhonda Parry (Alngith and Mokwiri Aboriginal Corporation)
12:10pm	Lunch
1:10pm	Repatriating Dunghutti ancestors Graham Quinlan (Dunghutti)
1:30pm	The national resting place Jason Lyons (Wiradjuri) and Caroline Hughes (Ngunnawal)
1:50pm	Caring for eastern Maar ancestors John Clarke (Keeraywoorong Maar/Mara)
2:10pm	Dja Dja Wurung 'Bringing the ancestors home' Rodney Carter (Dja Dja Wurung)
2:30pm	Afternoon tea
3pm	Open session and discussion led by Mark Grist
4pm	Listening session closes

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📍 GHD Auditorium, Advanced Engineering Building (49), UQ St Lucia

Public lecture

6:15pm for 6:30pm **2023 Hall Annual Lecture—New York’s African burial ground and the struggle for human rights: an archaeology of public engagement**
Presented by Michael L. Blakey

7:30pm **Networking reception**

8:30pm **Event ends**

Tuesday 15 August

📍 Innes Room, Union Complex, UQ St Lucia

9am **Arrival, tea and coffee served**

9:30am **Listening session discussions**

12pm **Lunch**

1pm **Continue listening session discussions**

2:30pm **Listening session closes**

Thursday 17 August

📍 Terrace Room, Sir Llew Edwards Building, UQ St Lucia

Public seminar

2:15pm for 2:30pm **Finding the children: Searching for unmarked graves at residential school sites in Canada**
Professor Kisha Supernant, Director of the Institute of Prairie and Indigenous Archaeology and Professor, Department of Anthropology, University of Alberta

4pm **Seminar ends**



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