

***Yearbook of Biological Anthropology (2024-2028)***  
**Editors' Report**  
**Sheela Athreya & Graciela Cabana**  
**AABA Executive Committee Meeting**  
**2023**

**New Activities:**

◆ *Vision*

We have written out an explicit vision for the *Yearbook*. We are looking for long-form pieces that challenge the discipline to see itself in more expansive ways. We are especially looking for pieces that take inclusive approaches to bioanthropological scholarship (pieces that are intersectional in terms of the questions asked, interpretive frameworks engaged, and theoretical orientations reflected). Finally, we are looking for pieces that are transformational for the ethical and equitable practice of Biological Anthropology.

We have been soliciting pieces and making collective editorial decisions, based on this vision.

◆ *Editorial Board Structure*

We expanded the editorial board to include a mix of early- and advanced-career scholars. We have paired early-advanced scholars according to broad research specialties (human biology, paleoanthropology, primatology, bioarchaeology, forensic anthropology, genomic anthropology, and ethics). We also invited scholars from institutions ranging from research-intensive to community-serving.

Our editorial board (in alpha order) is:

Michelle Bezanson  
Michelle Cameron  
Habiba Chirchir  
Zachary Dubois  
Heather Edgar  
Ann Kakaliouras  
Ripan Malhi

Stephanie Meredith  
Liv Nilsson Stutz  
Alexandra Núñez de la Mora  
Maanasa Ragavhan  
Sean Tallman  
Vivek Venkataraman  
Rachel Watkins

◆ *Web Presence & Social Media*

1. We dissociated the *Yearbook* from the *AJBA* on the Wiley pages and on our Association site (bioanth.org).
2. We created our own webpage at <https://www.yearbookbioanth.com>.
3. We created a Facebook page and Twitter handle.

**2024 Contributions:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Title/Topic</b>
Aja Lans & co-authors	Black Thought in Biological Anthropology
Alanna Rudzik	Power, Positionality, and Lived Experiences within Communities
Amber Wuditch & Robin Nelson	Qualitative Data Analysis in Biological Anthropology
Jason Kamilar, Aaron Sandel, Jeremiah Scott	Comparative Methods in Primatology
Jennifer Byrnes & Jennifer Muller	Disability in the Past and Social Theory in Bioarchaeology
Kate Spradley	Population Affinity and Forensic Anthropology
Katy Weisensee	The Science of Estimating Postmortem Interval
Kelsey Witt Dillon	Computational Considerations in Anthropological Genetics
Lumila Menéndez	The Antiquity and Ancestral Origins of Humans in the Americas
Lynette Leidy Sievert	TBD