



Laura Heath-Stout

Postdoctoral Scholar, Archaeology

 Curriculum Vitae available Online

Bio

BIO

I am an intersectional feminist archaeologist and activist. I use qualitative and quantitative social science methods to study the demographics and knowledge production practices of archaeologists. I am currently starting a new community-driven project about the history of institutions for people with disabilities in Massachusetts.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- The Socio-Politics of Knowledge Production in Archaeology and Anthropology (Workshop), Wenner-Gren Foundation (2023)
- Emerging Voices Semifinalist Grant, American Council of Learned Societies (2022)
- Identity, Oppression and Diversity in Archaeology: Career Arcs (Hunt Postdoc), Wenner-Gren Foundation (2021)
- Student Membership Award, Archaeology Division, American Anthropological Association (2018)
- Outstanding Writing Fellow Award, Writing Program, Boston University (2017)

BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Member, Leadership Team, Disabled Archaeologists Network (2022 - present)
- Member, Founding Committee, Disabled Archaeologists Network (2021 - 2022)
- Co-Chair, Committee on Annual Meeting Safety, Society for American Archaeology (2019 - 2022)
- Member, Task Force on Sexual and Anti-Harassment Policies and Procedures, Society for American Archaeology (2019 - 2019)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Doctor of Philosophy, Boston University (2019)
- Master of Arts, Boston University (2013)
- Ph.D., Boston University , Anthropology (2019)
- Graduate Certificate, Boston University , Teaching College Writing (2019)
- M.A., Boston University , Archaeology (2013)
- B.A., Wesleyan University , Archaeology (2011)

STANFORD ADVISORS

- Andrew Bauer, Postdoctoral Faculty Sponsor

LINKS

- Personal Website: www.lauraheathstout.com

Teaching

COURSES

2025-26

- Archaeology & Disability: ANTHRO 139A, ANTHRO 239A, ARCHLGY 139, ARCHLGY 239, FEMGEN 139A (Win)
- Archaeology and the Public: ANTHRO 123A, ARCHLGY 123, ARCHLGY 223 (Spr)

2023-24

- Archaeology & Disability: ANTHRO 139A, ANTHRO 239A, ARCHLGY 139, ARCHLGY 239, FEMGEN 139A (Aut)
- Excavating the University: ARCHLGY 143 (Spr)

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **From Leaky Pipelines to Watering Cans: Feminist Recommendations for Change** *ADVANCES IN ARCHAEOLOGICAL PRACTICE*
Fladd, S., Kurnick, S., Heath-Stout, L. E., Williams, N. K., Simeonoff, S., Buckser, S., Bishop, K. J., Hutson, S. R., Maclellan, J., Matsuda, M., Oas, S. E., Ponce, J. M., Athie Teruel, et al
2026
- **Changing the Landscape of Archaeological Publishing** *CURRENT ANTHROPOLOGY*
Beck, J., Flad, R., Alex, B., Caramanica, A., Costopoulos, A., Kawa, N. C., Marwick, B., Warinner, C., Bardolph, D., Borck, L., Douglass, K., Farahani, A., FitzPatrick, et al
2026
- **Mothering and Archaeology: Past and Present Perspectives (Book Review)** *HISTORICAL ARCHAEOLOGY*
Book Review Authored by: Heath-Stout, L. E.
2026
- **Demographic Dynamics of Publishing in the American Journal of Archaeology** *American Journal of Archaeology*
Heath-Stout, L. E., Erny, G., Nakassis, D.
2023; 127 (2): 151–165
- **Funding in the "Field:" An Analysis of Demographics and Methods in National Science Foundation Archaeology Grants (1955-2020)** *JOURNAL OF FIELD ARCHAEOLOGY*
Heath-Stout, L. E. E., Jalbert, C. L. L.
2023; 48 (2): 102-112
- **The Invisibly Disabled Archaeologist** *INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF HISTORICAL ARCHAEOLOGY*
Heath-Stout, L. E.
2023; 27 (1): 17-32
- **Reflections on Writing about Health and Well-being during the COVID-19 Pandemic** *INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF HISTORICAL ARCHAEOLOGY*
Camp, S. L., Heath-Stout, L., Wooten, K., Barnes, J. A., Surface-Evans, S., Komara, Z., Scott, A. R.
2023; 27 (1): 234-240
- **The Texas Archeological Society: An Analysis of Current Demographics and Diachronic BTAS Authorship (1929–2019)** *Bulletin of the Texas Archeological Society*
Jalbert, C. L., Heath-Stout, L. E.
2021; 92: 213–233
- **Who Writes about Archaeology? An Intersectional Study of Authorship in Archaeological Journals** *AMERICAN ANTIQUITY*
Heath-Stout, L. E.
2020; 85 (3): 407-426
- **Affording Archaeology: How Field School Costs Promote Exclusivity** *ADVANCES IN ARCHAEOLOGICAL PRACTICE*

Heath-Stout, L. E., Hannigan, E. M.
2020; 8 (2): 123-133

- **Pottery on the periphery: Contact-period ceramics and regional integration at La Laguna, Tlaxcala, Mexico** *JOURNAL OF ANTHROPOLOGICAL ARCHAEOLOGY*

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2019; 56