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Department of Anthropology  
The University of South Florida

**AWARDS AND HONORS**

- 2019 Faculty Outstanding Research Award, Research and Innovation, University of South Florida.
- 2015 Faculty Mentor Award, Graduate Student Organization, Department of Anthropology, University of South Florida
- 2004 C.B. Moore Award from the Lower Mississippi Survey, Peabody Museum, and the Southeastern Archaeological Conference, for "Outstanding Young Archaeologist in the field of Southeastern Archaeology."
- 1999 Honorable Mention, Student Paper Competition, Southeastern Archaeological Conference.
- 1984-88 Alumni Scholarship, University of Georgia.

**SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY, COMMUNITY, AND PROFESSION**

- 2023-present Member, Social Science Advisory Board, Tampa Bay Estuary Program.
- 2017-present Commissioner, Historic Preservation Commission, City of Tampa
- 2018-present Member, Editorial Board, University Press of Florida
- 2016-2021 Vice-President, Florida Archaeological Council
- 2015-present Member, Editorial Board for the book series "Archaeology of the American South: New Directions and Perspectives," University of Alabama Press
- 2015-2019 Member, Little Salt Springs Advisory Board
- 2014-2019 Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Southeastern Archaeological Conference
- 2011-2014 Editor, *Southeastern Archaeology*
- 2011-2013 Chair, Undergraduate Council, University of South Florida
- 2010-present Board Member, Florida Archaeological Council
- 2010-2011 Member, Undergraduate Council, University of South Florida
- 2013-2014 Member, Public Education Committee, Society for American Archaeology
- 2007-2011 Editor, *Early Georgia*
- 2007-2009 Executive Officer I, Southeastern Archaeological Conference
- 2008-present Board Member, Alliance for Weedon Island Archaeological Research and Education

**GRANTS AND CONTRACTS**

- Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2021). *Archeological Reconnaissance Survey on Four ELAPP Preserves*. Hillsborough County, Florida (\$7000).
- Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2021). *Archaeological Services: Historic Resources Survey of the Flood Hazard Area*. Pinellas County, Florida (\$5000).
- Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2021-2022). *Phase 2 of the Historic Resources of Flood Hazard Areas*. Pinellas County, Florida (\$5000).
- Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2021). *GPR Survey; Bethlehem Methodist Episcopal Cemetery*. University of Florida, Gaines (\$3125).
- Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator, and Kendal Jackson, co-Principal Investigator (2020-2022). *Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant: Geoarchaeology of Estuarine Seascapes*. National Science Foundation (\$22,249).
- Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (Principal Investigator) (2021-2022). *West-Central and Central Regional Centers of the Florida Public Archaeology Network*. University of West Florida. (\$304,237).



Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2011). Hillsborough County Parks, Recreation and Conservation Department, Conservation Services Section. *Cultural Resources Assessment Survey of the Rocky Creek Tract, Hillsborough County, Florida*. (\$8,294).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator, Brent R. Weisman, co-PI (2010). National Science Foundation, Senior Archaeology Award. *Collaborative Research: Cooperation and Competition Crystal River*. (Total: \$169,943; USF portion \$133,981).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2010). Hillsborough County Parks, Recreation and Conservation Department, Conservation Services Section. *Archaeological Reconnaissance Survey of the Greer Tract, Hillsborough County, Florida*. (\$3,237).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2010). Hillsborough County Parks, Recreation and Conservation Department, Conservation Services Section. *Archaeological Reconnaissance Survey of the Bower Tract, Hillsborough County, Florida*. (\$7,946).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2008). New Researcher Grant Program, Office of Research, University of South Florida. *Archaeological Investigations of Domestic Contexts at the Crystal River Site, Citrus County, Florida*. (\$9977)

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2007). Humanities Institute, University of South Florida. *Household Level Change in the Middle to Late Woodland Transition: The View from Kolomoki*. (\$5000).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2007). Faculty Research and Development Grant, University of South Florida. *Analysis of Ceramic Vessels from the Archeological Site of Kolomoki*. (\$928.26)

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2005). Explorer Grant, National Geographic Society. *Examining Household Level Change in the Middle to Late Woodland Transition: The View from Kolomoki* (\$12,750).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2005). Faculty Research Grant, University of Oklahoma. *Archaeological Research in Spiro's Hinterland* (\$6000).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2005). Oklahoma Humanities Council, with matching funds from the University of Oklahoma College of Arts and Sciences and Vice President for Research. *Archaeological Research in Spiro's Hinterland* (\$3000).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Principal Investigator (2001). Georgia Museum of Natural History, Joshua Laerm Award for Research (\$500).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (1996). Legacy Grant, Department of Defense. *Survey, Testing and Damage Assessment of the Lewis Mound and Village Site (9BN39), Fort Stewart Military Reservation* (\$40,000).





**BOOK CHAPTERS (CONTINUED)**

**PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES (CONTINUED)**

Reeder-Myers, Leslie A., Todd J. Braje, Courtney A. Hofman, Emma A. Elliott Smith, Carey Garland, Michael Grone, Carla S. Hadden, Marco Hatch, Turner Hunt, Alice Kelley, Michelle J. LeFebvre, Michael Lockman, Iain McKechnie, Ian J. McNiven, Bonnie Newsom, Thomas Pluckhahn, Gabriel Sanchez, Margo Schwadron, Karen Smith, Tam Smith, Arthur Spiess, Gabrielle Tayac, Victor D. Thompson, Taylor Vollman, Elic M. Weitzel, and Torben C. Rick. (2022). Indigenous Oyster Fisheries Should Inform Future Management. *Nature Communications* 13(1):2383.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. Kendal Jackson, and Jaime A. Rogers (2022). "Let Us All Enjoy the Fish": Alternative Pathways and Contingent Histories of Collective Action and Governance among Maritime Societies of the Western Peninsular Coast of Florida, USA, 100 to 1600 CE. *Frontiers in Political Science* 4:804084.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. Kendal Jackson, and Jaime A. Rogers (2022). Hidden in Plain Sight: Digital Documentation of Cockroach Key (8HI2), a First Millennium Native American Mound Complex on the







**PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES (CONTINUED)**

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., Victor D. Thompson, and Brent R. Weisman (2010). A New View of History and Process at Crystal River. *Southeastern Archaeology* 29(1):164-181.

Thompson, Victor D., and Thomas J. Pluckhahn (2010). History, Complex Hunter-gatherers, and the Mounds and Monuments of Crystal River, Florida: A Geophysical Perspective. *Journal of Island and Coastal Archaeology* 5:33-51.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., and Victor D. Thompson (2009). Mapping Crystal River: Past, Present, and Future. *The Florida Anthropologist* 62(1-2):3-22.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2007). Reflections on Paddle Stamped Pottery: Symmetry Analysis of Swift Creek Paddle Designs from KsdKok(. )Tj-0.01 Twf-0.005 Tc -0.003 T (t)14.7Td(Re)9 (f)Spore ( J)68 (r)525 (eenal)-12.4

**OTHER ARTICLES**

Pluckhahn, Tom, Kendal Jackson, Savannah Frederickson, and Alex Fawbush (2020). Remembering Tocobaga: Preliminary Observations at the Safety Harbor Site. *Adventures in Florida Archaeology*, pp. 34-40.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2011). Rethinking Mound D at Kolomoki.



**PAPERS PRESENTED BEFORE LEARNED SOCIETIES (CONTINUED)**

Jackson, Kendal, Thomas Pluckhahn, and Victor D. Thompson (2021). A Deeper look into Platform Mound Composition at the Safety Harbor Site (8Pi2), Tampa Bay Estuary. Paper presented at the 73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the Florida Anthropological Society (online).

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., and Kendal Jackson (2019). Ramping it Up: Searching for Grammar in the Woodland and Mississippian Architecture of the Central Gulf Coast. Invited paper presented in the symposium "Spelling it Out: Deciphering the Architectural Grammar(s) of Precolumbian Florida Organizers," organized by Nathan Lawres and Jon Endonino for the 76<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the



**PAPERS PRESENTED BEFORE LEARNED SOCIETIES (CONTINUED)**

Wood, M. Jared, and Thomas J. Pluckhahn (2016). Terra incognita. Paper presented in the symposium "A Marxist Archaeology: Celebrating the Legacy of Mark Williams from the Oconee Valley to Far Beyond," organized by Thomas J. Pluckhahn for the 73<sup>rd</sup>





**PAPERS PRESENTED BEFORE LEARNED SOCIETIES (CONTINUED)**

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., and Sarah K. Gilleland (2012). Looking for the Floor at Roberts Island. Paper

**PAPERS PRESENTED BEFORE LEARNED SOCIETIES (CONTINUED)**

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2009). Competition and Cooperation Among Late Woodland Households at Kolomoki (9ER1). Invited paper presented in the symposium "Evolutionary Dynamics of Cooperation," organized by David Carballo, at the 74<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Atlanta, GA.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J., and Victor D. Thompson (2009). Recent Research at Crystal River (8CI1). Paper presented at the meetings of the Florida Anthropological Society, Pensacola, FL.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2008). Rethinking Weeden Island: A Role-Centered Approach to Understanding the Middle Woodland Societies of the Gulf Coast.







**PUBLIC LECTURES AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES (CONTINUED)**

Tour of Kolomoki Mounds State Historic Park. For the Tallahassee Chapter of the Florida Anthropological Society, 2007.

Artifact Identification, Kolomoki Fall Festival, Kolomoki Mounds State Historic Park, Blakely, Georgia, 2007.

"Recent Archaeological Research in Spiro's Hinterlands." Public lecture for the February meeting of the Central Oklahoma Chapter of the Oklahoma Anthropological Society, 2006.

"Recent Archaeological Research in Spiro's Hinterlands." Paper presented at the November meeting of the Ark-Homa Chapter of the Arkansas Archeological Society and Oklahoma Anthropological Society

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TECHNICAL REPORTS AND MANUSCRIPTS (CONTINUED)



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Kowalewski, Stephen A., Verenice Y. Heredia Espinoza, Andrew K. Balkansky, Laura R. Stiver Walsh, John F. Chamblee, Thomas J. Pluckhahn, Verónica Pérez Rodríguez, Charlotte A. Smith, . CTS SC-7 (h2)8.3

## TECHNICAL REPORTS AND MANUSCRIPTS (CONTINUED)

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2000). *Archeological Survey of Proposed Improvements to Chastian Road and The Barrett Parkway/ I-575 Interchange, Cobb County Georgia*. Southeastern Archeological Services, Inc., Athens, Georgia. Prepared for the Georgia Department of Transportation through the firm of Edwards-Pitman Environmental, Inc., Smyrna, Georgia.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2000). *Archeological Survey of the Proposed S.R. 120/Abbotts Bridge Road at Jones Bridge Road Safety Improvement Project, Fulton County, Georgia*. Southeastern Archeological Services, Inc., Athens, Georgia. Prepared for the Fulton County Department of Public Works, Atlanta.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2000). *An Archeological Survey of Proposed Improvements to the S.R. 19 Bridge Over Ochwalkee Creek, Wheeler County, Georgia*. Southeastern Archeological Services, Inc., Athens, Georgia. Prepared for the Georgia Department of Transportation, Atlanta.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2000). *An Archeological Survey of Proposed Improvements to the S.R. 155 Bridge Over the Towaliga River, Spalding County, Georgia*. Southeastern Archeological Services, Inc., Athens, Georgia. Prepared for the Georgia Department of Transportation, Atlanta.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2000). *An Archeological Survey of Proposed Improvements to the S.R. 155 Bridge Over Cabin Creek, Spalding County, Georgia*. Southeastern Archeological Services, Inc., Athens, Georgia. Prepared for the Georgia Department of Transportation, Atlanta.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2000). *An Archeological Survey of Proposed Improvements to the S.R. 155 Bridge Over Troublesome Creek, Spalding County, Georgia*. Southeastern Archeological Services, Inc., Athens, Georgia. Prepared for the Georgia Department of Transportation, Atlanta.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2000). *An Archeological Survey of Proposed Improvements to the S.R. 49 Bridge Over Commissioner Creek, Jones County, Georgia*. Southeastern Archeological Services, Inc., Athens, Georgia. Prepared for the Georgia Department of Transportation, Atlanta.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (2000). *An Intensive Cultural Resources Survey of the Proposed Swords Substation, Greene County, Georgia*. Southeastern Archeological Services, Inc., Athens, Georgia. Prepared for Rayle EMC.





**TECHNICAL REPORTS AND MANUSCRIPTS (CONTINUED)**

Stephenson, Keith, Mark Williams, Thomas Pluckhahn, Jerald Ledbetter, Jeff Price, John Wood, Dot Wood, Carol Mccanless, Hal Ellison, Ken Carleton (1993). *Archaeological Investigations at the Wildcat Creek Site (9OC169): A Late Lamar Occupation in the Oconee River Floodplain*. Lamar Institute Publication No. 29, Watkinsville, Georgia.

Pluckhahn, Thomas J. (1992). *An Intensive Cultural Resource Management Survey of the Haile Gold Mine, Lancaster and Kershaw Counties, South Carolina*. Southeastern Archeological Services, Inc., Athens, Georgia. Report prepared for the Lancaster Mining Corporation, Golden, Colorado.