

Mesoamerica's Ancient Cities

William M. Ferguson and Arthur H. Rohn Photographs by W. M. Ferguson and John Q. Royce Foreword by R.E.W. Adams

With over 260 color photographs this work presents a complete overview of 50 major Precolumbian ruins in Mexico, Guatemala, Belize, and Honduras. "The photo selections of architecture and site plans give a superb cross-section of each ruin — almost as good as being there."

— Library Journal

기타디디디디디디디디디디디디디디디

IJ

Cloth, ISBN 0-87081-173-8, \$45

To Change Place Aztec Ceremonial Landscapes

Davíd Carrasco, editor

This volume takes an interdisciplinary look at the recent research on Aztec religion and society. Contributors include Eduardo Matos Moctezuma, Johanna Broda, Anthony Aveni, H. B. Nicholson, and Davíd Carrasco, among others.

Cloth, ISBN 0-87081-194-0, \$29.95

The Ceramic Legacy of Anna O. Shepard

Ronald L. Bishop and Frederick W. Lange, editors

Shepard pioneered the systematic, investigations of ceramic materials in archaeological studies. In this volume, noted archaeologists such as Jeremy Sabloff, Joe Ben Wheat, Frederick Matson, and Prudence Rice examine more than 40 years of Shepard's work in evaluating her continued influence on the field of ceramic analysis.

Cloth, ISBN 0-87081-195-9, \$39.95

FORTHCOMING

Reinterpreting Prehistory of Central America

Mark Miller Graham, editor

This study offers a reassessment of the paradigms that have guided interpretations of ancient Central American society, culture, and art while drawing on deconstuction, structuralism, diffusionism, and post-processual archaeology. Contributors include Terence Grieder, Oscar Fonseca Zamora, Mary W. Helms, Richard Cooke, Whitney Davis, and Frederick Lange.

Summer, 1992; Cloth, ISBN 0-87081-255-6, \$35.00

Available from the
University Press of Colorado
P.O. Box 849 • Niwot, CO 80544 • (303) 530-5337

OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY FOR AMERICAN ARCHAEOLOGY

President: PRUDENCE M. RICE, Department of Anthropology, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL 62901.

Secretary: SHEREEN LERNER, State Historic Preservation Office, Arizona State Parks, 800 W. Washington, Suite 415, Phoenix, AZ 85007.

Treasurer: MARK P. LEONE, Department of Anthropology, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742.

Treasurer-elect: VINCAS P. STEPONAITIS, Department of Anthropology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC 27599-3115.

Editor American Antiquity: J. JEFFERSON REID, Department of Anthropology, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ 85721.

Executive Board Members: JAMES A. BROWN, Department of Anthropology, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL 60208-1310; MARGARET W. CONKEY, Department of Anthropology, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94720; BRIAN M. FAGAN, Department of Anthropology, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106; WILLIAM H. MARQUARDT, Florida Museum of Natural History, Museum Road, Gainesville, FL 32611; JERALD T. MILANICH, Florida Museum of Natural History, Museum Road, Gainesville, FL 32611; KATHARINA J. SCHREIBER, Department of Anthropology, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106.

Executive Director: JEROME A. MILLER, Society for American Archaeology, 808 17th St., N.W., Suite 200, Washington, DC 20006.

General Counsel: RICHARD A. FULTON, White, Fine & Verville, Washington, DC.

LATIN AMERICAN ANTIQUITY SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

Rates	Α	В
Society members	\$40.00	\$25.00
Student and retired members	30.00	_
Nonmembers and institutions	70.00	25.00

Schedule A: Applies to subscribers in Australia, Canada, Japan, New Zealand, the United States, and Western Europe.

Schedule B: Applies to subscribers in Latin America, Portugal, Spain, and all other countries.

Subscriptions should be sent to the Society for American Archaeology, 808 17th Street, N.W., Suite 200, Washington, DC 20006. Prepayment is required, payable in U.S. funds.

NOTICE TO AUTHORS

Latin American Antiquity publishes papers on the archaeology, prehistory, and ethnohistory of Latin America, i.e., those countries—primarily Spanish speaking—comprising Mesoamerica, Central America, and South America, together with culturally affiliated adjacent regions. Submissions (articles or reports) may be in either English or Spanish. Authors should submit an original and three copies of their manuscripts, along with an abstract in both English and Spanish, to the editor. Latin American Antiquity follows American Antiquity style. For additional information or clarification consult a recent issue of American Antiquity, or contact the managing editor.

CONTENTS

Editor's Corner	Prudence M. Rice	195
ARTICLES		
Site-Planning Principles and Concepts of Directionality Among the Ancient Maya	Wendy Ashmore	199
Continuity and Change in Ceremonial Structures at Late Preceramic Asana, Southern Peru	Mark Aldenderfer	227
REPORTS		
The Frequency and Antiquity of Prehistoric Coca-Leaf-Chewing Practices in Northern Chile: Radioimmunoassay of a Cocaine Metabolite in Human-Mummy Hair	Larry W. Cartmell, Arthur C. Aufderheide,	
	Ángela Springfield, Cheryl Weems, and Bernardo Arriaza	260
Maya Diets of the Rich and Poor: Paleoethnobotanical Evidence		
from Copán	David L. Lentz	269