



The Office of the State Archaeologist

PROGRAM FOR AVOCATIONAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL CERTIFICATION

PAAC Volunteer List

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The Program for Avocational Archaeological Certification (PAAC) is a training program in basic archaeological skills. PAAC was established as a joint effort between the Colorado Archaeological Society (CAS) and the Office of the State Archaeologist (OSAC). The program, through OSAC, provides professional training to interested citizens of Colorado and recognizes the satisfactory completion of program requirements by issuing certificates of expertise.

Archaeological survey and laboratory are the main topics of the PAAC program. The topics are divided into a series of modules, each having a defined curriculum leading to certification. A module's curriculum includes courses, examinations, and practical field/laboratory work. Certification is granted by the PAAC Board to participants satisfactorily completing a module's curriculum. The PAAC Board is composed of the Board Chairperson, a CAS member; the CAS President; and the State Archaeologist.

PAAC-trained people are a concerned group of volunteers who want to take an active role in the preservation of Colorado's cultural resources. They have expressed a real interest in becoming volunteers on cultural resource projects sponsored by both private industry and government agencies.

It should be understood that program participants are not professional archaeologists and are not in competition with the professional community. The use of PAAC-trained volunteers for contracted projects or projects that could have been contracted out is in opposition to the policies of the program. Furthermore, participants work as volunteers, receiving no wages/salaries other than possible expense reimbursement.

Enclosed are the definitions of program status and a list of PAAC-trained individuals. These individuals are recommended by the PAAC Board as potential cultural resource volunteers. Individuals and their status in the program are listed by CAS chapter affiliation. Chapter presidents will serve as contacts for volunteer recruiting.

STATUS DEFINITIONS

Certification Candidate (CC): completed the first two courses of the Provisional Surveyor module; not certified.

**Has a basic knowledge of field techniques and cultural history.

Limited amount of field experience.

Courses: Basic Site Surveying Techniques (25 hrs.)
Colorado Archaeology (20 hrs.)

Provisional Surveyor (PS): certified

**Has a basic knowledge of survey techniques and cultural history.

Can adequately record both prehistoric and historic sites.

Courses: Archaeological Practice in Colorado (8 hrs.)
Basic Site Surveying Techniques (25 hrs.)
Colorado Archaeology (20 hrs.)
Historical Archaeology (20 hrs.)

Experience: Recorded four sites, historic and prehistoric, on standard Colorado forms.

Certified Surveyor I (CS I): certified; must first be a certified Provisional Surveyor.

**Has a working knowledge of survey techniques and artifact identification.

Courses: Prehistoric Lithic Description and Analysis (20 hrs.)
Prehistoric Ceramic Description and Analysis (20 hrs.)
Perishable Material (20 hrs.)

Experience: Crew member on two surveys for a minimum total of 15 days field work.

Certified Surveyor II (CS II): certified; must first be both a certified Provisional Surveyor and Certified Surveyor I.

**Has experience in report preparation and a basic knowledge of dating methods and photography.

Courses: Research Design and Report Writing (15 hrs.)
Archaeological Dating Methods (12 hrs.)
Field and Laboratory Photography (12 hrs.)

Experience: Designed, carried out, and submitted a written report on intensive survey of a defined area or defined problem.

Laboratory (L): certified Trainee (**L I**) and certified Technician (**L II**).

**Has a working knowledge of laboratory techniques and procedures.

Courses: Archaeological Practice in Colorado (8 hrs.)
Archaeological Laboratory Techniques (15 hrs.)
Colorado Archaeology (20 hrs.)
Prerequisite courses as needed, such as Lithics or Historical Archaeology

Experience: 40 (L I) to 80 (L II) hours in a working laboratory.

Scholar (SC): certified

**Has basic knowledge of cultural history, survey and lab techniques, artifact identification, report preparation, dating methods and photography. Limited amount of field experience.

Courses: successful completion of all 13 courses in the program.

Specialty Surveyor (SS): certified

**Specialist within a defined area of study. Independent effort has led to certification in Public Education, Designation of Properties to the National Register, Rock Art Studies or some other specialized field.

Courses: Archaeological Practice in Colorado (8 hrs.)
Basic Site Surveying Techniques (25 hrs.)
Colorado Archaeology (20 hrs.)
Rock Art Studies (20 hrs.)

For Further Information:

A complete description of PAAC is available on-line at www.historycolorado.org/oahp/program-avocational-archaeological-certification-paac, or contact the Assistant State Archaeologist:

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LATEST NEWS: PAAC certificate awards are announced at the quarterly and annual meetings of the Colorado Archaeological Society (CAS). At the most recent CAS business meeting on July 23, 2016 in Pueblo, four PAAC certificates were awarded. We have three new PAAC Scholars, Beth Parisi (San Juan Basin chapter), Rae Todd (Northern Colorado chapter), and Brian Meinhart (Grand Junction chapter, formerly of the Denver chapter), and Stephanie Boktor (from the Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation at History Colorado) earned her Provisional Surveyor certificate. This is the first certificate for Beth, Brian, and Stephanie, and the second for Rae. Congratulations Beth, Rae, Brian, and Stephanie!