



The Department of Anthropology, in association with the Finger Lakes Chapter of the New York State Archaeological Association, is presenting the following public lecture, which is open and free to the public.

"A View from the Bottom of the Bronze Age."

The speaker participated in several seasons of the Institute of Nautical Archaeology's excavation of a Late Bronze Age shipwreck at Uluburun, Turkey. Excavations directed by George Bass and Cemal Pulak ended in 1994 with complete removal of the oldest ship ever excavated from the seabed. The ship sank in 1325-1300 BC, a time associated with the opulence of king Tutankhamun, expanding empires and developed international diplomacy. A summary of the excavation, and thoughts on what we can learn from this maritime disaster and its times, will be presented as a lecture with powerpoint slides, with discussion to follow.

Dr. Christopher Monroe, Senior Lecturer, Near Eastern Studies, Cornell University.
Tuesday, Mar. 6, 7:30 pm in the Center for Natural Sciences Room 208, Ithaca College.
Visitor parking is in the Visitor Parking area on Campus Drive. Map available at www.ithaca.edu/map/parking.php