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40% Final exam

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Week Date Topic Reading

1. 9/23 Introduction; Syllabus, region

Robert Borofsky

1986 Making History: Pukapukan and Anthropological Constructions of Knowledge. pp.1-17.

2. 9/30 Natural environment; prehistory

\*Oliver, Douglas

1989 Native Cultures of the Pacific Islands. pp.1-25.

\*Vayda, Andrew & R. Rappaport

1970 (1963) Island Cultures. In CP. pp.5-12.

Bellwood, Peter

1987 The Polynesian: Prehistory of An Island People. pp.7-22.

3. 10/7 Map test

Prehistory; Social Organization I: cognatic descent

\*Keesing, Roger

1968 Nonunilineal Descent and Contextual Definition of Status: The Kwaio Evidence. American Anthropologist 70; 82-24

\*Tiffany & Tiffany

1978 Optation, Cognatic Descent and Redistribution in Samoa. Ethnology 17: 367-390.

Feinberg, R.

1981 What is Polynesian Kinship All About? Ethnology 19: 115-131.

4. 10/14 Social organization II:

\*Barnett,

1960 Being a Palauan, pp.51-57. New York:

\*Schneider, David

1968(1955) Abortion and Depopulation on a Pacific Island. In A. Vayda ed. Peoples and Cultures of the Pacific, pp.383-406. New York: Museum of Natural history.

### Video: Asmat of the New Guinea

5. 10/21 Economy: production

\*Bascom, William R.

1970(1948) Ponapean Prestige Economy. In CP. pp.85-94 \*Feil. D. K.

1987 The Evolution of Highland Papua New Guinea Societies. pp.39-61. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

\*Goodenough, Ward H.

1990 "Did you?" In The Hunbled Anthropologist: Tales from the Pacific. Philip R. Devita ed. pp.25-28. Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Publishing Co.

#### 6. 10/28 Ceremonial exchange

\*Strathern, Andrew J.

1969 Finance and Production: Two Strategies in New Guinea Highland Exchange Systems. Oceania 40: 42-67.

\*Feil, D. K.

1983 A World Without Exchange. Anthropos 78: 89-106.

### 7. 11/4 Money and market

\*Gregory, Chris

1983 Kula Gift Exchange and Capitalist Commodity Exchange: A
 Comparison. In Jerry Leach & Edmund Leach eds. The Kula:
 New Perspectives on Massim Exchange. pp.109-120.
 Melbourne: Cambridge University Press.

\*Toren, C.

1989 Drinking Cash: The Purification of Cash through Ceremonial Exchange in Fiji. In Maurice Bloch and Jonathan Parry eds.

Money and the Morality of Exchange. pp.142-16.

Lindstrom, Lamont

1990 The Politics of Ethnography: Americans on Tanna. In the Humbled Anthropologist: Tales from the Pacific. Philip R. Devita ed. pp.84-92. Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Publishing Co.

#### 8. 11/11 Supra-familial authorities

\*Sahilial, M

1963(1970) Poor Man, Rich Man, Big-man, Chief: Political Types in Melanesia and Polynesia. In CP. pp.203-215.

\*Lemonnier, Pierre

1991 From Great Men to Big Men: Peace, Substitution and Competition in the Highlands of New Guinea. In Marilyn Strathern ed. Big Men and Great Men: Personifications of Power in Melanesia. pp.6-27. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Harrison, Simon

1988 Magical and Material Polities in Melanesia. Man (N.S.) 24:1-20.

\*Hays, Terrence E.

1990 'Pigs of the Forest' and Other Unwritten Papers. In The Humbled Anthropologist: Tales from the Pacific. Philip R. Devita ed. pp.93-100. Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Publishing Co.

# 9. 11/18 Supra-familial authorities

\*Marcuse, George

1989 Chiefdomship, In Alan Howard & Robert Borofsky eds.

Developments in Polynesian Ethnology. pp.175-211. Honolulu:
University of Hawaii.

1978 An Examination of Hierarchical Notions in Fijian Society: A
Test Case for the Applicability of the Term 'Chief'. Oceania 49:
1-19.

10. 11/25 1:00-3:00 pm

Mid-term Exam

11. 12/2 AAA annual meeting

**Video: Trobriand Criket (50 mins.)** 

12. 12/9 Male-Female relationships

\*Meggit, Mervyn J.

1970(1964) Male-Female Relationships in the Highlands of Australian New Guinea. In CP, pp.125-143.

\*O'Brien, Denise

"Women Never Hunt": The Portrayal of Women in Melanesian
Ethnography. In Denise O'Brien & Sharon W. Tiffany eds.
Rethinking Women's Roles" Perspectives from the Pacific.
pp.53-70. Berkeley: University of California Press.

\*Howard, Alan & John Kirkpatrick

1989 'Gender'. In Alan Howard & Robert Borofsky eds.

Development in Polynesian Ethnology. pp.78-84. Honolulu:
University of Hawaii.

#### 13. 12/16 Warfare

\*Roy Rappaport

1979 Ritual regulations of Environmental Relations among a New Guinea People. In R. Rappaport ed. Ecology, Meaning, and Religion. pp.27-42.

Meggitt, Mervyn

1977 Blood is Their Argument: Warfare among the Mae Enga Tribesmen of the New Guinea Highlands. Monutain View, CA: Mayfield Publishing.

## 14. 12/23 Religion

\*Firth, Raymond

1940(1970) The Analysis of Mana: An Empirical Approach. In CP. .316-333.

\*Trompf, Garry W.

1991 'Chapter 1: Melanesian Traditional Religions: An Overview'. In Melanesian Religion. pp.7-33. Cambridge: University of Cambridge Press.

Lawrence, P. & M. Meggit

1965 Introduction. In Ghosts, Gods and Men in Melanisia.Melbourne: Oxford University Press.

15. 12-30 After first contact: cargo movements; MIRAB; nationalism

\*Burridge, Kenelm

1992 Melanesian Cargo Cult. In CPS. pp.: 275-288.

\*Bertram, I. G. & R. F. Watters

1985 The MIRAB Economy in South Pacific Microstates. Pacific Viewpoints 26: 497-519.

Allan, Hanson

1990 The Making of the Maori: Cultural Invention and Its Logic. American Anthropologist 91: 890-902.

Herdt, G.

1981 Guardians of the Flute. New York: McGraw-Hill.

16. 1/6 Final Exam