

Charlie

Please welcome Charlie, our newest furry girl in town. (And yes, I mean her.)



Karen and Charlie during their first meeting at San Fransisco Airport. Charlie is just walking up from a nap during her flight from Mississippi.

It's the start of another journey and a life of adventure for a working dog. Our dogs love their lives: training, getting rewarded with fantastic food and toys, being with their person, and traveling all over the country just to smell things. Who could ask for more? Dogs are pack animals, and always want to be with their pack (human and/or dog). Working breeds that do not have a job of some kind, or an active lifestyle, suffer from boredom or destructive behaviors. We

feel strongly that people should not get a working breed unless they plan on giving that dog an active lifestyle for life. There are many activities and sports that dogs love.



Charlie's debuted at the SCA Annual Meeting; she visited with many new friends and then had to nap.

SAA
SOCIETY FOR AMERICAN ARCHAEOLOGY
90TH ANNUAL MEETING

DENVER, CO
APRIL 23–27, 2025



The SAA Annual Meeting is coming up soon and we have a symposium we are very excited about presenting.

Nondestructive Alternatives: Canine Remote Sensing (Scenting)

Friday April 25, Plaza Building Director's Row H

1:00 Historic Human Remains Detection Dogs 101 for Archaeologists

1:15 Evolving Archaeology and Unique Scenarios for HHRD Dogs

1:30 What Using Historic Human Remains Detection Dogs Brings to the Indigenous Community

1:45 Advancing the Role of Historic Human Remains Detection Dogs: Expanding Capabilities in Archaeology and Preservation

2:00 Going to the Dogs: Applying HHRD in the Rio Grande Valley of Texas

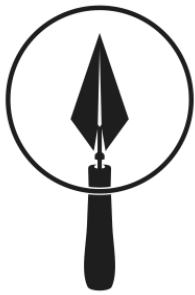
2:15 Multi-method Burial Surveys Addressing the Apartheid of the Departed

2:30 Canine Detection of Scattered Scent from Historic Dismembered Human Bodies

2:45 Q&A

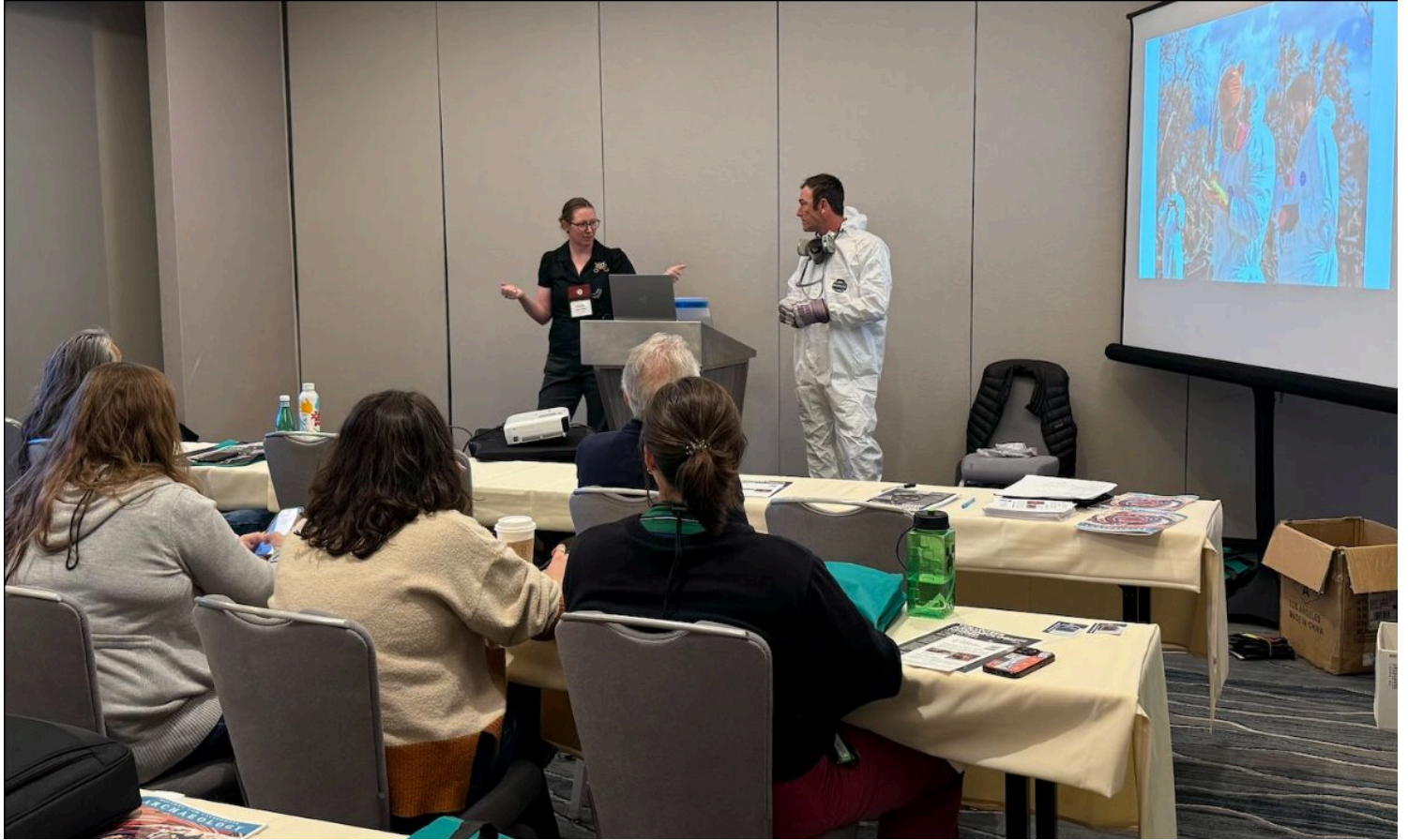


ICF (humans and dogs) will
also be at
Booth 104
in the Exhibit Hall.
Please come by and visit.



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Southern California cremains recovery is still in progress. If you can donate to help cover expenses for our volunteer archaeologists and dog handlers, or if you are interested in joining as a volunteer, please click on the link below.



At the Society for California Archaeology annual meeting in March, Natalie Brodie and Alex DeGeorgey gave three classes on what to expect when you volunteer as an archeologist for cremains recovery.

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We are happy to talk with you about your project and how our dogs might help locate human remains or burials. Call, email, or check us out on Facebook or our website. (You can find past newsletters there, too.)

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