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Annual Conference in Illinois Archaeology

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43rd Annual Conference in Illinois Archaeology: 
Ethnic and Racial Identities in the Archaeological Record.
Annual Meeting of the Illinois Archaeological Survey 
Hosted by Parkland College, Champaign, Illinois. 
September 16-17, 2005.
The primary focus of the conference will be on African-American archaeology 
and, more broadly, issues relating to the potential for delineation of ethnic and 
racial identities in the archaeological record.

IAS Fellow Dr. Anna Agbe-Davies will offer the keynote address. Dr. Agbe-
Davies is an Assistant Professor of Anthropology at DePaul University. Over the 
past decade she has engaged in archaeological excavations on historic-period 
sites in the Chesapeake and Caribbean regions. Her work has focused principally 
on sites of African-American heritage. Her address will explore the history, 
future, and broader cultural significance of African-American archaeology.