# Native American Studies Center
**UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA LANCASTER**

## Clay Pit to Fire Pit: from the beginning to the end
### Keith Brown's artist-in-residence Exhibit

Exhibit opening and gallery talk:
February 17th, 2016 at 1:00 p.m.

Funded, in part, by the South Carolina Arts Commission, the Native American Studies Center's artist-in-residence program allows the NASC to bring in Native American Artists to work within our galleries providing demonstrations and lectures for students and visitors.
This exhibition showcases the work completed during our third residency with Keith "Little Bear" Brown, along with complimentary pieces from his portfolio that influenced the pottery created at the Center. The exhibit will be on display in the Native American Studies Center's Rose Gallery from February 17th, 2017 until February 1st, 2018.

The reception and gallery talk for this exhibit will be February 17th, 2017 from 1:00pm until 3:00 pm. For more information, please contact Brittany Taylor-Driggers at taylorbd@mailbox.sc.edu.

Top: Photo of Keith Brown
Bottom: Keith Brown giving a guided tour about the Center and Catawba pottery to visitors

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**New Exhibit on South Carolina Prehistoric Archaeology to open in March 2017 at USC Lancaster.**

Christopher Judge, USCL Native American Studies Center
The University of South Carolina Lancaster's Native American Studies Center (NASC) will open a new exhibit on the Prehistory of South Carolina in March of 2017. *Share a Little of that Human Touch: The Prehistory of South Carolina* will open over an event filled three days March 16-18, 2017. This exhibit will showcase the findings from the Johannes Kolb Archaeology and Education Project as well as other important sites in South Carolina such as Topper and the Fig Island Shell Ring.

Thursday March 17th 1:30pm Opening of Piedmont American Indian Association's Tribal Exhibit. Duke Energy Gallery NASC 119 South Main Street, Lancaster, SC 29721. 803-313-7172.
Friday March 17th Noon-1pm Our monthly Lunch and Learn Lecture Series will host nationally recognized prehistoric archaeologist Dr. Kenneth E. Sassaman; Hyatt and Cici Brown Professor of Florida Archaeology; at the University of Florida. Archaeology of the Southeastern Archaic Breaks New Ground. Old Presbyterian Church--Cultural Arts Center

Friday March 17th 1:30-2:30 pm "Share a Little of that Human Touch" Exhibit Opening and guided tour by the exhibit curator Christopher Judge. Native American Studies Center

Friday March 17th 3:00-4:30 pm. Native American Studies Week Lecture by Dr. David G. Anderson University of Tennessee, a nationally recognized prehistoric archaeologist. Big Picture Archaeological Research in South Carolina and the Southeast and Beyond. "Old Presbyterian Church--Cultural Arts Center.

Saturday March 18th 9am-4pm 2017 Native American Studies Festival--- Native American Studies Center. We will host our Annual Native American Festival at the NASC with Native American arts and crafts vendors, Native American music, primitive technology demonstrations and exhibit tours.

All events are free and open to the public. All locations are within easy walking distance of NASC within the Lancaster Cultural Arts District. For more information see http://usclancaster.sc.edu/NAS/index.html

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