

## Illinois State University Prehistoric Archaeology Field School

### Ohio Hopewell Settlement Archaeology

Director: Dr. G. Logan Miller

May 23-June 17, 2016



**PROJECT:** The 2016 field season will focus on site 33-GR-1585, a Middle Woodland encampment or habitation near Dayton, Ohio. The vast majority of archaeological work on the Middle Woodland period has focused on earthworks associated with the Hopewell Interaction Sphere. This project will break new ground by examining the daily lives of people involved in Hopewell exchange and ceremonialism. Excavations will focus on testing anomalies revealed through geophysical survey and surface collection. Students will receive training and hands-on experience in all areas of archaeological excavation and documentation.

**DATES: MAY 23 to JUNE 17, 2016**

**SCHEDULE:** The field school is four weeks long. Our work schedule will be Monday through Friday, 8am – 5 pm. Transportation will be provided to and from the site each day. One day per weekend may be devoted to field trips to archaeological sites and local attractions. Detailed schedules will be given to students in a syllabus at a later date.

**ACCOMODATIONS:** We will stay in furnished apartments at Wright State University in Dayton, Ohio. Apartments include kitchens, separate bedrooms, bathrooms, washer/dryers, and common areas. Campus dining services, grocery stores, restaurants, and other activities are located a short distance away.

**COSTS:** Tuition: ISU students: your current rate; Non-ISU: tuition waiver funds are available to offset out-of-state costs

Undergraduate: 3 or 6 semester credits; Graduate: 6 semester credits

Lodging, transportation, and research expenses: \$750; Commuter (Ohio resident) \$150

**APPLICATION:** To apply, please email a one page letter describing your interest in attending the archaeological field school to [glmill1@ilstu.edu](mailto:glmill1@ilstu.edu). In addition to the letter of interest, please include your year in school, related courses taken, phone number, email address, and the name of one reference. The application deadline is April 18th.