



**UNIVERSITY OF
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**Franklin College of
Arts and Sciences**

Department of Anthropology

Laboratory of Archaeology

To Be Filled out by Laboratory Personnel:

Researcher:

Site Name/Collection (s):

Initial Request Approved: Yes No

Initial Research Request

The Laboratory prohibits research, access, or use of NAGPRA material but other collections at the Laboratory of Archaeology are available for research to qualified researchers for scientific and educational research. Per Georgia law, the Laboratory prevents access to site location and information for the general public therefore; the Laboratory limits research and access to the collections to Laboratory staff, authorized visitors, and qualified researchers. Qualified researchers consist of professional archaeologists with at least a Master's Degree in Archaeology, Historic Preservation, Museum Studies, related field, official representative of a Federally recognized tribe or nation, be a current Registered Archaeologist with the Register of Professional Archaeologists, or students working in the field of archaeology under the supervision of a professional archaeologist. Due to Georgia law, site location and information is protected (OCGA 50-18-72[a][10]). Therefore, if you do not fall into those categories then we cannot accommodate your request. Please note various forms of consultation with descendant communities may be required depending on the institution that controls the collection. Please read the Laboratory's Research Request Policies for more information.

Researcher:

Phone:

Agency, Institution, CRM Firm:

Email:

Address:

Research Title (if available):

Site Name (s) or/Collection Name (s):

Site Number (s):

Additional Notes about Site or Collection:

Please provide a brief overview of anticipated project or add research proposal to end of form:

What types of analysis will occur on object (s) within this collection? Please list analysis that will occur:

Describe, if applicable, any changes to the collection (e.g. destructive analysis):

Please list any consultation that has occurred for this research, prior to this request:

The Laboratory also requires copies of data, reports, publications, presentations, imagery, etc. produced as a result of this research. What will be generated from this research?

If you are a student, please list your advisor for this research request and have them sign below:

Signature of Advisor to Student Researcher

Date

Following approval of this initial research request and determining the controlling agency for the collection, the Laboratory will assist in the next steps in the Research and Access process. Please note, the Laboratory requires completion of other forms before research can occur, including but not limited to the following forms: Initial Research Request, Consultation, Collections Access and Use, Loans, Transfers, Destructive Analysis, and Image Permission.

Signature of Researcher

Date

Signature of Laboratory Director/Operations Director

Date