



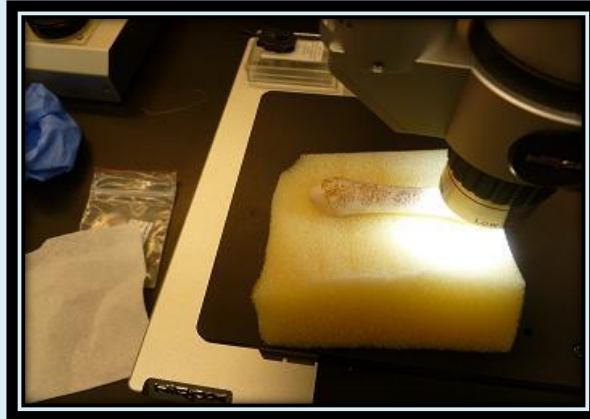
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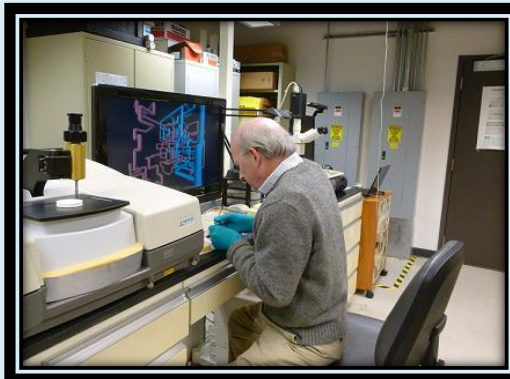
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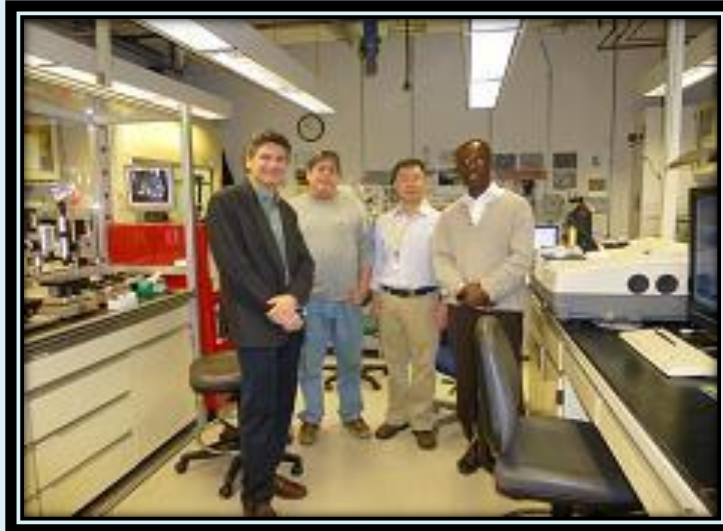
Lab News:



Dr. Christopher Stevenson, Assistant Professor of Anthropology at Virginia Commonwealth University brought a colonial wig curler to the lab for analysis. The curler was found on George Washington's boyhood home of Ferry Farm near Fredericksburg, Virginia. The curler is made of a ceramic material and Dr. Stevenson used our lab equipment to analyze a discolored area found on the curler.



More Lab Visitors



Brandt and Olga conducted a lab tour for **Dr. Raymond Samuel**, Hampton University Assistant Dean of Engineering & Technology and **Dr. Seth Fraden**, Director of Brandeis University Materials Research Science & Engineering Center (MRSEC) in Waltham, Massachusetts who was visiting the area. Brandt and Dr. Cao (ODU) are also pictured with the tour group.



Brandt provided assistance to **Tasnuva Ashrafee**, a doctoral student in ODU's Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering. She brought her CoS thin film on glass samples for analysis with the FESEM.



Dr. Prathal Basappa, Associate Professor in Norfolk State University's Department of Engineering and his students are pictured here with Olga analyzing samples with the Hirox microscope.