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# News from Co-Director Sherry L. Smith

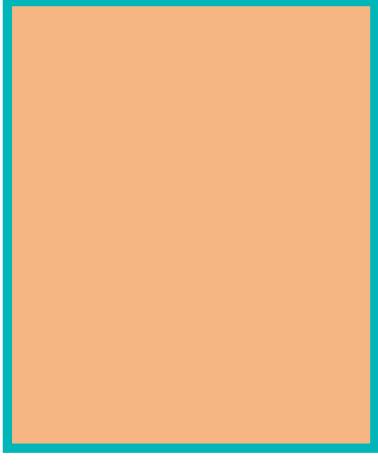
he last day of class is one of my favorites. I f nd a



Thomas Buckley (Ph.D. student, Henley Business School, University of Reading, U.K.) u h . .0 h Ö K Thomas conducted research for his dissertat on in the JC Penney company archives, searching for material on the key factors that af ected the product vity of largescale retail frms operating in Great Britain between 1945-1980. He sought to ident fy the most important developments that occur within retail f rms and then to measure the ef ects those factors had on the f rm's growth. @ . .@U .

7 8 (Ph.D., History of Science, University of Bari, Italy) *u* 8 *h* \ - *O* ) 8 Last summer while at the University of Oklahoma on a Mellon fellowship, Francesco visited the DeGolyer Library to research the Mexican oil industry in the 19

Ty Welborn (Ph.D. student, University of Houston) " o u # k O U o During the



- 1. Clements Center board member Ron Tyler recently received the CASETA (Center for the Advancement of Early Texas Art) 2014 Lifet me Achievement Award, presented to an individual who has dist nguished himself or herself with a lifet me of involvement with Texas art as either an art st, a patron, a collector, or a scholar.
- 2. SMU Professor of Anthropology, Director of the SMU-in-Taos campus, and Clements Center Advisory panel member Mike Adler leads members of Clements Center's "Food Across Borders" symposium on a tour of the Pot Creek Pueblo archaeological site last fall at the SMU-in-Taos campus.
- ${\bf 3}.$  The Clements Center and their families went bowling with some elves during the holiday season.

4. At ending Clements fellow) U manuscript workshop last fall were (f rst row): V 7 8 " K o o o o o o h o K ; (second row): h 7 U M - # K &

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- 11. Clements Center fellows 8 Doug Miller say good-bye to o the University of Oulu, Finland.
- " k 'o 'K '' \ and 'O 'on the last day before his return home to
- 12. Bill Childs (emeritus, Ohio State University), K  $\$  '(the New School), the Clements Center's Summerlee Fellow for Texas History 8 " # # (California State University-Sacramento), and =  $\$  'M (Tarleton State University) at Gavin's manuscript workshop last fall.

# **Announcing the Weber- Clements Prize and Finalists**

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