



Massachusetts Archaeological Society

SOUTHEAST CHAPTER

DIGGING UP THE PAST

The Southeast Chapter Offers Monthly Presentations
Covering Archaeological and Historical Topics.

*The Meetings, Presentations and a Look Around the
Robbins Museum are Free and Open to the Public*

New Meeting Date and Time Change

Saturday March 16, 2019 6:30 PM

The Massachusetts Archaeological Society's
Robbins Museum
17 Jackson Street, Middleboro MA

Susanna Crowley PhD, RPA, aka "Dr. Dirt"
President of The Massachusetts Archaeological Society

**"The Story of Dirt:
Using Geoarchaeology to Explore the Past"**



Dirt: the forgotten artifact.

**Human beings of the past left their imprint on the
soils and landscapes they lived on, but stone tools
and pottery fragments generally receive the
archaeological spotlight.**

**Using techniques from the field of geoarchaeology,
researchers can explore new investigative avenues
into ancient social and economic systems through
the analyses of occupied landforms.**