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About the LHAC

Founded in 2007 by Dr. Lucianne Lavin, Director of IAIS Research & Collections, Emeritus, LHAC is a hands-on group operating with IAIS and affiliated with the Archaeological Society of Connecticut. It is a great way to join fellow teachers, students, professional and avocational archaeologists and everyone with an interest in discovering more about the past. The club offers a setting for exchange of ideas, lectures covering a wide range of archaeology-related topics, and opportunities to participate in local digs.