

Re: OT: Malhi, Eshleman, haplogroup A, language, time, and direction.....

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> [...]

> >First, thank you for the data, now all I have to do is figure out where

> >Poverty Point and Cahokia are in relation to your data (and see if > >haplogroup A is involved to any great extent).

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> You should be able to answer your own question now. ("Would these > [harborers of haplogroup A sequences] be considered 'coastal' people > or 'inland' people?")

Yes, thanks---they are obviously both.

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> [...]

> >> How would you describe the distribution of microblades in the > >> Americas?

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> >One can look at it two ways. In total volume, the number of > >microblades produced in the Americas probably out numbers the total > >number made in the Old World by a million to one. If one takes the > >total number of individual sites where microblades have been found,

or

> >separate groups of people, bands, tribes etc., who used microblades,

> >then just the opposite pattern is true, the Old World wins hands down.

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> If this is true, then it requires an explanation. If more Old World > populations made microblades than New World, why is the volume greater

> in the Americas?

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- > *When I inquire about distributions, I'm usually referring to*
- > *geographic ones. How widespread are they (in frequencies worth*
- > *mentioning)?*
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- > *Another question comes to mind. Since, to my knowledge, most*
- > *archaeologists think microblade technology was dropped in NW Canada,*
- > *how do they explain the presence of microblades elsewhere in the New*
- > *World?*

You should be able to answer your own question now.

Dar: "I haven't been keeping up like I should, and, as admitted earlier, I get lost pretty quick in the Americas. Blood pressure is sufficiently low now, thank you."

Since I have cited names and source, the burden is on you to name exactly who these "most archaeologists" are.

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- > *Gisele*