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The Zion Canyon Field Institute's Fern and J. L. Crawford Lecture Series is a collaborative presentation of ZCFI and the Division of Resource Management in Zion National Park. Lectures are hosted monthly and are free and open to the public.



# A PLACE FOR EVERYTHING:

## The Organization of Activities in the Prehistoric World

**Friday, February 27, 2015, 7:30 pm**  
**Canyon Community Center**  
**126 Lion Boulevard, Springdale, Utah**

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Structures, like tools, are usually created with a specific purpose in mind, primarily the organization of activities. However, also much like tools, structures are often "repurposed" during their lifespan, indicating changes in activity organization that could have demographic, social, or religious reasons and implications. We will examine the changes in Virgin Anasazi structures and site organization over time in order to explore the implications of architectural change.