ANTHROPOLOGY ANP

Department of Anthropology
College of Social Science

101 Introduction to Anthropology
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3(3-0)

200 Navigating Another Culture
Fall, Spring, Summer. 2(0-4)
Understanding how cultural differences shape perspectives and behavior. Adapting to a new cultural setting.

201 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3(3-0)
Origins and diversity of cultural systems. Theories of culture. Patterns of kinship. Religious, economic, and political institutions.

203 Introduction to Archaeology
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) SA: ANP 360
Theory, methodology, and techniques of archaeology. Applications to questions about past human behavior. History and concepts of archaeology as an anthropological subdiscipline.

204 Introduction to Medical Anthropology
Summer. 3(3-0)
Concepts, methods and theoretical approaches of the field of medical anthropology.

205 Navigating United States Culture
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3(3-0)
Anthropological perspectives on social and cultural patterns that shape life in the United States. Includes gender, language, race and ethnicity, subcultures, values, class, manners, food. Ethnographic studies, and methods, as tools to better understand U.S. culture.

206 Introduction to Physical Anthropology
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0)
Problems, data, and methods of physical anthropology. Human genetics, hominid evolution, primate studies, human osteology, and human diversity.

220 Gender Relations in Comparative Perspective
Spring. 3(3-0)
Gender relations in different cultures. Economic and domestic division of labor between the sexes as a factor underlying power differentials.

236 The Anthropology of Peace and Justice
Spring of odd years. Summer. 3(3-0) SA: ANP 336
Anthropological, theoretical, ethnographic, and interdisciplinary approaches to the study of peace and justice. Violence, nonviolence, international law, social movements, economic justice, environmental racism, memory and trauma.

264 Great Discoveries in Archaeology
Spring. 3(3-0)
Great discoveries in archaeology that have captured the public’s imagination and shaped Western thought, from Olдуvai Gorge and Stonehenge to Machu Picchu.

270 Women and Health: Anthropological and International Perspectives
Fall. 3(3-0)

280 The Anthropological Film
Spring. 3(3-0)
Ethnographic film as a record of vanishing cultures, a tool for ethnological analysis, and a source of perspectives on different cultures and variability within cultures.

320 Social and Cultural Theory
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) P: (ANP 201) and completion of Tier I writing requirement
Major theoretical traditions of cultural anthropology. Functionalism, symbolism, structuralism, and contemporary developments.

321 Anthropology of Social Movements
Fall. 3(3-0)
How social movements within different cultures around the world organize, create or impede change on the basis of class, religion, race, ethnicity, language, and territory.

325 Anthropology of the Environment and Development
Spring. 3(3-0)
Anthropological approaches to contemporary environmental and development issues and their interrelation.

330 Race, Ethnicity, and Nation: Anthropological Approaches to Collective Identity
Spring. 3(3-0) RB: ANP 201
Understanding race and ethnicity. Models analyzing racial, ethnic, and national identities; boundaries; and collective identities and differentiations. Case studies from cultures worldwide.

362 Archaeology of Foragers to Farmers
Fall. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 203 or ISS 220 or ANP 202
Theories, problems, and issues in the study of foraging and farming as adaptive strategies. Archaeological evidence for the appearance and development of food production in prehistory.

363 Rise of Civilization
Spring. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 203 or ANP 264
Archaeological evidence for the appearance and development of the world’s earliest prehistoric civilizations. The nature of complex societies and the comparative evolution of states.

364 Pseudoarchaeology
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0)
Critical survey and discussion of pseudoarchaeological and pseudoscientific ideas about archaeology, archaeologists, and the human past.

370 Culture, Health, and Illness
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) P: (ANP 101 or ANP 201 or ANP 204) or completion of Tier I writing requirement
Cross-cultural perspectives on the definition and treatment of illness.

410 Anthropology of Latin America
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) P: Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement R: Not open to freshmen.
Comparative analysis of significant social issues confronting contemporary Latin American countries.

411 North American Indian Ethnography
Fall. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 201
Social and cultural patterns of North American Indian societies. History, economy, politics, social organization, religion, and social change.

414 Anthropology of South Asia
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 201
Anthropology of India, Pakistan, Nepal, Bangladesh, and Sri Lanka. Religion, social organization, village life, urban structures, economic organization, history, and social change.

415 China: Culture and Society
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 201
Socioeconomic and cultural continuity and change from traditional civilization to the contemporary state and the communist period. Village and urban society and their relationships.

416 Anthropology of Southern Africa
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 201
Structure and organization of major cultures. Transformations caused by global, national, and local forces.

417 Introduction to Islam in Africa
Spring of odd years. 3(3-0)

419 Anthropology of the Middle East
Fall. 3(3-0) P: ANP 201
Anthropological literature of the Middle East and North Africa. Cultural variation, religion, ethnicity, kinship, gender, representation, and cultural, political, and economic transformation.

420 Language and Culture
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with English. Administered by Anthropology. P: (ENG 302 or ANP 201 or ANP 320 or LIN 200 or LIN 401) and Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement

422 Religion and Culture
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) P: (ANP 101 or ANP 201) or completion of Tier I writing requirement
The anthropology of religion and the symbolic analysis of ritual. Theoretical and ethnographic literature.

423 Psychological Anthropology
Spring of even years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 201
Cross-cultural perspectives on culture and personhood. Enculturation, life cycle, person and self, emotion and cognition, mental illness.

425 Issues in Medical Anthropology
Fall. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. P: ANP 101 or ANP 201 or ANP 204 SA: ANP 435
Selected topics in the anthropological investigation of health issues with a emphasis on critical analysis of cultural, historical, and conceptual bases for trends in health research. Topics vary.
246  Urban Anthropology
Spring of odd years. 3(3-0)
The anthropological approach to urban issues. Cross-cultural perspectives on the informal economy, power, ideology, and community.

248  Environments of International Enterprise
Spring of odd years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 201
Anthropological commentary on (1) issues stemming from disparate cultures and objectives of transnational organizations and host countries; and (2) cultural and power issues that affect activity in international, inter-organizational business relationships.

249  Ethnographic Field Methods
Fall, Spring. 4(3-2) P: (ANP 101 or ANP 201) and completion of Tier I writing requirement R: Not open to freshmen or sophomores.
Field research in cultural anthropology. Research design, participant observation, relationship of techniques to methods, and ethics.

250  Culture, Resources, and Power
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) P: Completion of Tier I Writing Requirement R: Not open to freshmen. Not open to students with credit in ANP 836.
Production of knowledge and expertise regarding development, environment, culture, and rights. Effects of applying this knowledge.

251  Gender, Environment and Development
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 201 RB: Course work in international development and/or gender studies.

252  American Indian Women
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 201 RB: Background in social sciences.
Role of women in a variety of North American Indian cultures, both traditional and contemporary, using autobiography, life history, historical biography, ethnography, and fiction. Interaction of Indian women and their cultures with Western European and American cultures.

253  Contemporary American Indian Communities
Spring. 3(3-0)
American Indian communities today, both reservation and urban, including issues of tribalization, Pan-Indianism, culture change and revitalization, economic development, federal policy, religious freedom, and gender roles.

254  Globalization and Justice: Issues in Political and Legal Anthropology
Spring of odd years. 3(3-0) P: (ANP 201 or concurrently) or completion of Tier I writing requirement R: Not open to freshmen.
Anthropological perspectives on issues of justice linked to global forces of transnational capitalism, economic development, global governance, and international law.

255  Asian Emigrant Communities: A Global Perspective
Spring of odd years. 3(3-0)
Cross-cultural study of emigrant communities of people of Asian descent around the world. Anthropological study of how ideas of race, ethnicity, and national identity are constructed over time and space.

256  Human Rights: Anthropological Perspectives
Spring of even years. 3(3-0) P: (ANP 201 or concurrently) or completion of Tier I writing requirement R: Not open to freshmen.
Cross-cultural study of human rights. Anthropological perspective on the role of law, customs, values, and politics in defining, organizing, and understanding individual and collective rights.

257  Hominid Fossils
Spring of odd years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 206
Theories of human evolution during the past five million years fossil evidence.

258  Medical Anthropology
Spring of even years. 4(3-2) P: ANP 206 or CJ 210

259  Human Adaptability
Fall. 3(3-0) P: ANP 206
Human adaptation to physical, biological and social environments. Adaptive models from ecology, demography, genetics, physiology, nutrition and medicine. Theoretical and methodological issues in human adaptation studies across various populations.

260  European Archaeology
Spring of even years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 203 or ANP 264
Patterns of change in technology, subsistence, economy, settlement, social organization, and political complexity from the earliest human occupation through the Iron Age. Major issues in European archaeology.

261  North American Archaeology
Spring. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 203 or ANP 264
Change and processes of North American archaeology on a regional level. Economic, social, political and technological change through time.

262  Mesoamerican Archaeology
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) P: ANP 101 or ANP 203 or ANP 264
Emergence and development of civilizations from first occupation to Spanish Conquest. Use of archeology, ethnohistory, and history. Major theories of plant domestication and state evolution.

263  Archaeology of Ancient Egypt
Fall of even years. Summer. 3(3-0) P: ANP 203 or ANP 264 or ANP 101 or approval of department
The archaeology of ancient Egypt from the Neolithic through the Greco-Roman period.

264  Method and Theory in Historical Archaeology
Fall of odd years. Summer. 3(3-0) Summer: Europe. P: ANP 203
Theory and methodology in historical archaeology and its relation to history and anthropology.

265  Internship in Anthropology
On Demand. 1 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to juniors or seniors or graduate students.
Internship in anthropology.

266  Foundations of Museum Studies
Fall. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Arts and Letters and History of Art. Administered by Arts and Letters. R: Not open to freshmen or sophomores.
Activities, functions, and organization of museums. Changing role of museums as cultural institutions.

267  Museum Curatorial Practices
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Arts and Letters and History of Art. Administered by Arts and Letters. R: Open only to juniors or seniors or graduate students. S: HA 485
Methods and practices for the development, care, and use of museum collections in research, education, and exhibition activities.
810 Anthrohistoire: Exploring the Crossroads of Anthropology and History
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with History. Administered by History. RB: Advanced course work in either anthropology or history. R: Open to doctoral students or approval of department.
Recent trends in work between anthropology and history. Emphasis on themes of representation, methodology and epistemology.

811 Knowledge, Memory, and Archives
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) RB: HST 810
Readings in recent anthropological work concerning the construction of historical memory, transmission of knowledge, and the power of representation

812 Violence and the State: Anthropological Approaches
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) RB: ANP 830 or other graduate level theory and writing course in a related discipline in the social sciences or humanities.
Anthropological perspectives on the state and violence, including: transitional justice, memory, human rights, international justice, sovereignty, non-governmentality, trauma, evidence, exposure.

813 Power and Political Subjectivity
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) RB: ANP 830 or similar relevant coursework in sociocultural anthropology. R: Open to graduate students or approval of department.
Agency, political community, recognition, subject formation, subjection. Philosophical influences on anthropology of the subject, such as Hegel, Marx, Freud, Fanon, Foucault, Butler. Ethnographies of the politics of community. Nationalism, race, sexuali ty, violence, religion, domination, and resistance.

814 Capitalism and Modernity
Spring of even years. 3(3-0) Capitalism as a global phenomenon with specific attention to colonial and post-colonial contexts. Development of colonial knowledges. Political and economic transformations associated with modernization and developmentalist. Contemporary dynamics of globalization.

815 Transnational Processes and Identities
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) Critique of anthropological theories of transnationalism and globalization, modernity, diaspora, public culture, and ethnic identity.

820 Language and Cultural Meaning
Spring of odd years. 3(3-0) Intellectual history of 20th century linguistic thinking. Saussure's influence on cultural anthropology. Post-structuralist approaches.

821 Religion and Ritual
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) R: Open to graduate students. The anthropology of religion and the symbolic analysis of ritual. Theoretical and ethnographic literature.

825 International Social Science Research: Methods and Praxis
Fall, Spring. 1 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 3 credits in all enrollments for this course.
Issues in the design and implementation of anthropological field research. Development of field research proposals.

826 International Development Theory and Practice
Fall. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Community Sustainability and Forestry and Political Science and Social Science. Administered by Community Sustainability. SA: ACR 826, RD 826

829 Research Methods in Cultural Anthropology
Spring of even years. 3(3-0) R: One course in Statistics. R: Open only to graduate students in Anthropology.
Methodological underpinnings. Project design, field strategies, research techniques, and methods of data analysis.

830 Cultural and Linguistic Anthropological Theory: Key Issues and Debates
Fall. 3(3-0) R: Open to graduate students in the Department of Anthropology.
Key debates in current cultural and linguistic anthropological theory; analytical frameworks and disciplinary genealogies.

831 Seminar in Cultural Ecology
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) R: Open only to graduate students. Approval of department. Anthropological theories for understanding culture as system of mediation between humans and environment. Cultural ecological approaches applied to sociocultural change and stability.
851 The Analysis of Mortuary Practices
Spring of even years. 3(3-0)

852 Gender and Archaeology
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) R: Open to gradu- ate students in the Department of Anthro- pology.
Treatment of gender in archaeology. Theoretical and methodological issues. Material representation of gender in archaeological data.

853 Evolution of Civilization
Spring of even years. 3(3-0) RB: One 300- or 400-level archaeology course. R: Appro- val of department.
Major anthropological theories of the emergence and development of civilizations. Role of archaeo- logical data in formulating, testing, and refining these theories.

854 Archaeological Theory
Fall of even years. 3(3-0) RB: One 300- or 400-level archaeology course. R: Approval of department.
Archaeological theory and the nature of the ar- chaeological record. Use of archaeological data to test social theories of past human behavior.

855 Gender, Justice and Environmental Change: Issues and Concepts
Fall, 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Criminal Justice and Forestry and Fisheries and Wildlife and Geography and Sociology. Ad- ministered by Fisheries and Wildlife. RB: Background in social science, environment- al science, or natural resources. Issues and concepts related to gender, ecology, and environmental studies. Key debates and theoretical approaches to addressing environmental issues from a gender and social justice perspective. Gend- er and environment issues and processes from a global perspective.

859 Gender, Justice, and Environmental Change: Methods and Application
Spring of even years. 3(3-0) Interdepart- mental with Forestry and Fisheries and Wildlife and Geography and Resource De- velopment and Sociology. Administered by Anthropology. RB: Background in social sci- ence, environmental science, or natural re- sources. Methods and case studies related to gender, ecology, and environmental studies. Methodological and fieldwork issues from a feminist perspective in inter- national and intercultural contexts. Qualitative and quantitative methods for integrating social and envi- ronmental data.

870 Professional Issues in Anthropology
Spring of odd years. 3(3-0) R: Open to gradu- ate students in the Department of An- thropology or approval of department.
Ethics and professionalism in field work, behavior in academic and non-academic situations.

880 Issues in Contemporary Archaeology
Fall of odd years. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students in the Department of Anthropology. Approval of department.
Theories, issues, problems, and methodological innovations affecting the conduct of research in archaeology.

890A Individual Readings
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 8 credits. A stu- dent may earn a maximum of 16 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students. Approval of depart- ment.
Advanced study, based on prior preparation, under faculty direction.

890B Individual Research
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 8 credits. A stu- dent may earn a maximum of 16 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Approval of department.
Graduate student projects under faculty direction.

892 Seminar in Anthropology
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 4 credits. A stu- dent may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students in Anthropology. Ap- proval of department.
Studies in selected fields.

893 Internship in the Professional Applications of Anthropology
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 3 credits.
Supervised professional experience in federal or state agencies, nonprofit organizations, or corpora- tions related to the professional practice of anthro- pology.

894 Forensic Anthropology Internship in Forensic Pathology
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 4 credits. A stu- dent may earn a maximum of 4 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: ANP 842 RB: graduate coursework in human anatomy and skeletal biology
Supervised professional internship in postmortem analysis. Students will attend autopsies and learn procedures that are relevant for forensic anthropolo- gy. Individual research project.

895 Special Topics in Museum Studies
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 8 credits. A stu- dent may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. Interdepartmental with Arts and Let- ters and History of Art. Administered by Arts and Letters. RB: AL 485
Current issues in museum studies.

899 Master’s Thesis Research
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 8 credits. A stu- dent may earn a maximum of 99 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students in Anthropology. Ap- proval of department.
Master’s thesis research.

999 Doctoral Dissertation Research
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 24 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 36 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to graduate students. Approval of department.
Doctoral dissertation research.