

ANTHROPOLOGY Fall 2024 Course List

ANTH 10000 BEING HUMAN: INTRODUCTION TO ANTHROPOLOGY

MW 3:30-4:20 MTHW 210 Flachs
Distance Learning TBA

A general introduction to anthropology's holistic approach to human nature and behavior. A basic survey of biocultural development and evolutionary process, and of human uniformity and diversity through time and across space. CRN 11021; [DL-CRN 16082]

ANTH 20100 INTRODUCTION TO ARCHAEOLOGY AND WORLD PREHISTORY

TTH 12:00-1:15 HIKS G980D Otárola-Castillo

Introduction to the ideas and practices of archaeology that are used in the study of human prehistory, from the earliest stone tools to the development of agriculture and states. Emphasis is placed on the objectives and methods of contemporary archaeology. CRN 22787

ANTH 20300 BIOLOGICAL BASES OF HUMAN BEHAVIOR

TTH 10:30-11:45 WTHR 160 Veile

This course is an introduction to human social behavior from the perspective of biological anthropology, with special emphasis on human evolution and non-human primates. Topics include aggression, communication, learning, maturation, sexuality, and the evolution of social systems. CRN 20396

ANTH 20400 HUMAN ORIGINS

TTH 3:30-4:20 KRAN 140 Beasley

This course surveys biological anthropology through a review of evolutionary theory and genetics, the fossil evidence for current theories in human evolution with insight from modern non-human primates, and the influence of environmental stressors on modern human biological variation. CRN 11043

ANTH 20500 HUMAN CULTURAL DIVERSITY

MW 2:30-3:20 MTHW 210 Wirtz
MW 8:30-9:20 PRCE 277/Hybrid Eklund

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Using concepts and models of cultural anthropology, this course will survey the principal cultural types of the world and their distribution and will undertake a detailed analysis of society's representative of each type. CRN 48884; CRN 28382 & 28381; [DL-CRN 59240, CRN 54468, CRN 16099]

ANTH 21000 TECHNOLOGY AND CULTURE

MW 1:30-2:20 STON 217 Eklund
MW 3:30-4:20 WALC 2087 Eklund

Distance Learning TBA
This course explores the social dimensions of technology from the perspective of ancient, modern, and post-modern society. Topics include the origins of particular technologies; processes of technical development and dissemination; the politics of everyday artifacts; virtual identities; and technologies of the body. CRN 27223; CRN 15355; [DL-CRN 18670]

ANTH 21200 CULTURE, FOOD AND HEALTH

MW 3:30-4:20 STON 215/Hybrid Lindshield
Distance Learning TBA

This course is designed to provide an introduction to the field of Nutritional Anthropology in which we will examine issues related to diet, health and illness from holistic anthropological perspectives. CRN 15393 & 28396; [DL-CRN 29551]

ANTH 23000 GENDER ACROSS CULTURES

TTH 9:00-10:15 STEW 314 Cromer
TTH 3:00-4:15 PRCE 277 Valdez

Explores gender and sexuality from a cross-cultural perspective. Draws on case studies to explore the complexities of women and men's lives. Examines gender hierarchies, gender in a globalized world, and the cultural construction of sexuality and gender. CRN 36893; CRN 28400

ANTH 23500 THE GREAT APES

MW 4:30-5:45 STON 217 Lindshield

Students will learn about the behavior and conservation of our closest living relatives and how early ape studies changed our understanding of the human condition. Topics include gender in science, field and laboratory research ethics, and cross-cultural understandings. CRN 16169

ANTH 30600 QUANTITATIVE METHODS FOR ANTHROPOLOGICAL RESEARCH

TTh 10:30-11:45 KRAN G005 Otárola-Castillo

This course provides an introduction to the broad statistical methods used throughout the 4 fields of Anthropology. It covers elementary probability theory, basic concepts of statistical inference and study design. The course will motivate statistical methods through data analysis and visualization. It is designed for students who intend to focus in an anthropological discipline. It would also benefit a variety of students interested in 1) quantitative science literacy and planning for graduate work, 2) joining the workforce and becoming part of the educated citizenry. There are no pre-requisites from the Statistics or Mathematics Departments. CRN 28401

ANTH 30700 THE DEVELOPMENT OF CONTEMPORARY ANTHROPOLOGICAL THEORY

MW 11:30-12:20 STON 217 Wirtz

Explores the history of anthropological theories pertaining to the understanding of commonality and variation in human biology, behavior, society, and cultures as they have developed over the approximately two centuries since anthropology was founded as a separate discipline. Considers those social, cultural, and historical factors that have influenced the history of anthropological ideas. CRN 29471

ANTH 31000 MORTUARY PRACTICES ACROSS CULTURES

TTH 1:30-2:45 STON 217 Buzon

Explores how death is treated or has been treated in diverse world cultures and time periods. Death is viewed as an expression of social behavior and as an expression of symbolic meaning. CRN 28402

ANTH 31300 ARCHAEOLOGY OF NORTH AMERICA

MW 2:30-3:20 STON 217 Cooper

Archaeological overview of North America emphasizing Indigenous cultures prior to the arrival of Europeans, but including Contact and Post-Contact communities of the Historic Period. Topics will include the peopling of the Americas, culture and environment, social complexity, and Cultural Resource Management. CRN 28406

ANTH 33700 HUMAN DIET: ORIGINS AND EVOLUTION

TTH 4:30-5:45 STON 217 Beasley

This course will survey humans evolving relationship with food over the last few million years: from our Plio-pleistocene origins (foraging) through the origins of agriculture to modern industrial for production. CRN 27348

ANTH 34000 GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES ON HEALTH

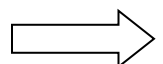
MW 4:30-5:45 SMTH 118 Wirtz
TTH 10:30-11:45 MTHW 304 Cromer

Distance Learning TBA
This course examines health issues and risks faced by individuals around the world, but especially in resource poor geographical areas. We will explore in-depth the gendered, ethnic, cultural, and class dimensions that underlie the patterning of disease and illness worldwide. CRN 15396; CRN 15397; [DL-CRN 24763]

ANTH 34100 CULTURE AND PERSONALITY

TTH 12:00-1:15 LILY 2102 Anderson

An inspection of the dynamic relations between culture and personality, with a view to understanding both culture-specific integration of these phenomena as well as psychobiological universal patterns of human behavior. CRN 27239



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ANTH 37900 NATIVE AMERICAN CULTURES
MW 12:30-1:20 BRNG 2280 Cooper
General survey of North American Indian cultures. Topics to be covered include prehistory; languages; economic, social, and political organization; religion, aesthetics; culture contact and change; and contemporary Native American issues. CRN 50866

ANTH 38000 USING ANTHROPOLOGY IN THE WORLD
TTH 9:00-10:15 STON 217 Renkert
This course considers how anthropology can be used in practical contexts, reviewing what anthropological practice is, how it originated, and the ethics of practicing anthropology. The course will also focus on career preparation and review several career paths for anthropologists. CRN 28416

ANTH 38400 DESIGNING FOR PEOPLE: ANTHROPOLOGICAL APPROACHES
M Lecture 1:30-2:20 WALC 2007 Briller/Kelley
W Lab 11:30-12:50 SHRV C113B
W Lab 1:30-3:20 SHRV C113B
This course is about designing for people. You will use anthropological knowledge and skills to better understand human and technology interactions. With students from other fields, you will learn how to apply an anthropological perspective to human centered design and design with the needs of a specific user group in mind. Lecture-CRN 19877; Lab-CRN 19876; Lab-CRN 23412

ANTH 39200DD ANTHROPOLOGY OF ASIA & THE ASIAN DIASPORA
TTH 12:00-1:15 STON 217 Docot
This course introduces the diversity of Asia and its peoples at home and in the diaspora. Through fiction, ethnography, films and art, students will reflect on race, sex, power, migration, etc., that shape perceptions about Asia and Asians. Students will have the opportunity to develop their interests and creative practices by engaging with the course materials in their preferred form: poetry, illustration, short video, text-based response, etc. CRN 18808

ANTH 39200CW MAKING TOGETHER: COLLABORATIVE ETHNOGRAPHY, MEDIA, & ART
TTH 3:00-4:15 PHYS 333 Wittekind
Researchers, journalists, and artists increasingly work collaboratively, creating projects made "with" rather than "about" people. For anthropologists, collaboration promises a more socially engaged research process that can produce new kinds of written, visual, and multimedia outputs. In this hands-on course, we will experiment with collaborative modes of "making together" employed across the humanities and social sciences and reflect on the questions of authorship, participation, and audience they raise. Exploring collaborative research partnerships, documentary productions, and artistic works, we will ask how collaboration can expand the boundaries of anthropological practice. CRN 28418

ANTH 39300 INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACHES TO ENVIRONMENTAL AND SUSTAINABILITY STUDIES
MW 4:30-5:45 WALC 3084 Zanotti
This course is the lynchpin of the undergraduate Certificate in Environmental and Sustainability Studies. It will present a series of case studies, core concepts, and problem questions that integrate the following three academic approaches: 1) Human Dimensions and Environment/Sustainability, 2) Engineering and Environment/Sustainability, and 3) Environmental/Sustainability Sciences CRN 17183

ANTH 41001 SENIOR CAPSTONE IN ANTHROPOLOGY
TTH 10:30-11:45 STON 217 Briller
Culminating experience required for all anthropology majors. The course synthesizes four-field anthropology coursework and training, and discusses academic/career options that benefit from anthropological training. Major elements of the course will include the synthesis paper and presentation, senior portfolio, and professional development. CRN 15187

ANTH 42500 ANTHROPOLOGICAL ARCHAEOLOGY
TTH 3:00-4:15 STON 217 Lindsay
Introduction to the theory and methods of contemporary American archaeology. Basic field and laboratory methods are placed in the context of theoretical viewpoints and problems. Major theoretical issues in the field are explored, showing the integration of American archaeology with anthropology. CRN 28421

ANTH 51400 ANTHROPOLOGICAL LINGUISTICS
TTH 3:00-4:15 STON 217 Anderson
Investigates the varieties of communication in human behavior and explores linguistics as a tool in social science research. Areas covered include structural linguistics, historical, and comparative linguistics. Sociolinguistic literature, nonverbal communication, origins of human language and speech, and other semiotic and extra-communication functions of language will be discussed. CRN 15191 CROSSLISTED WITH LING 598

ANTH 53400 HUMAN OSTEOLOGY
TTH 9:00-10:15 STON 154 Buzon
Anatomy of the human skeleton and dentition. Detailed study of skeletal elements and teeth, morphology, function, disease, and pathology. Identification of human remains with regard to age at death, gender, growth, and development in biocultural context. CRN 61631

ANTH 53500 FOUNDATIONS OF BIOLOGICAL ANTHROPOLOGY
TTH 1:30-2:45 STON 154 Veile
This course covers such topics important in Biological anthropology as applied to both living and extinct humans and primates. Possible topics include: evolutionary thought; genetics, race, and human variation; the intersection of biology and culture; fossils and paleoanthropology; ecology and speciation; primate behavior; and theories on the social behavior of early humans. CRN 28423

ANTH 60500 SEMINAR IN ETHNOGRAPHIC ANALYSIS
M 11:30-2:20 STON 154 Zanotti
A selection of ethnographic monographs will be read, reported on, and discussed by seminar participants under the direction of the anthropology staff. The monographs will be discussed in terms of field methods employed, particular theoretical strengths and weaknesses, and their value to current anthropological method and theory. CRN 28422

ANTH 60800 ANTHROPOLOGY PROSEMINAR
W 9:30-11:20 STON 217 Remis
Open to first- and second-year Anthropology Grad Students. 1 credit CRN 29804

ANTH 61100 CULTURAL HERITAGE IN THEORY AND PRACTICE
T 10:30-1:20 STON 154 Lindsay
In this seminar, we will engage with readings, discussion, and practical case exercise to focus on two major goals: (a) introduce the concept of cultural heritage, including its history and how it functions in today's world; and (b) critically examine the theories, technologies, and motivations that shape efforts to document, monitor, and interpret cultural heritage today in the intersecting contexts of international law, postcolonial relations, territorial conflicts (hot and "frozen"), climate change, and tourism. CRN 28425

ANTH 64000 FOUNDATIONS AND FRAMEWORK: APPLYING ANTH
TH 10:30-1:20 Lily 1101 Renkert
This course focuses on using anthropology in applied and practicing contexts, looking at the history of applied anthropology, the relationship between theory and practice, professional ethics, job opportunities, and skills needed as anthropological practitioners. CRN 15202

ANTH 64200 PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT: USING ANTHROPOLOGICAL KNOWLEDGE
W 11:30-2:20 STON 154 Flachs
This course is about using and communicating anthropological knowledge. We will discuss what it means to work as an anthropologist and "public intellectual". Effectively working with stakeholders, presenting information, offering solutions for addressing problems and implementing change are addressed. CRN 19004