

# Anthropology

## ANTH 117. Anthropology of Health, Illness, and Healing (3)

A cross-cultural examination of health practices and of the cultural assumptions and attitudes on which they are based. Reviews ethnomedicine, ethnopsychiatry, and epidemiology in the health care systems of diverse cultures and of ethnic communities in pluralistic societies such as the United States. **S even**

## ANTH 118. Women: Culture and Biology (3)

(Same as WS 170.) A cross-cultural and interdisciplinary analysis of the determinants of female statuses and circumstances. Examines theories, including biological and cultural determinism, which explain variations in the expression of sexuality, maturation, reproduction, and the life cycle. **F odd**

## ANTH 119. Law and Culture (3)

A comparative, holistic perspective on the evolution of law. Examines its natures and origins, the basic assumptions behind legal systems, their cross-cultural expression and effects, and the directionality of legal evolution. **S even**

## ANTH 120. Ethnic Relations and Cultures (3)

Prerequisites: G.E. Foundation and Breadth Area D. The cultural and social origins of ethnicity, and its opportunities and problems for contemporary mass societies. Offers a critical review of major theories on ethnic politics, economics, and ideology in the light of cross-cultural evidence. G.E. Multicultural/International MI. **S even**

## ANTH 123. Peoples and Cultures of Southeast Asia (3)

Prerequisites: G.E. Foundation and Breadth Area D. An introductory survey of the cultural and historical adaptations of societies in Burma, Thailand, Laos, Cambodia, and Vietnam; and of Insular societies in Indonesia, Malaysia, and the Philippines. Examines the major effects of culture contact between East and West. G.E. Multicultural/International MI. **F odd**

## ANTH 124. Peoples and Cultures of East Asia (3)

Examines cultural pluralism. Considers cultural adaptations and change among minorities such as Moslems, Tibetans, and Mongolians in China, and ethnic groups of Japan and Korea. Outlines kinship, religion, organization, and technological factors in the Asiatic culture complex. **S even**

## ANTH 125. Tradition and Change in China and Japan (3)

(Same as HUM 140.) Prerequisites: G.E. Foundation and Breadth Area D. Examines the current aspirations and problems of the Chinese and Japanese in terms of their traditional cultures, and explains how their histories, values, world views, and intellectual traditions affect their lifestyles and their international relations today. G.E. Multicultural/International MI. **S even**

## ANTH 126. Cultures and Foods of East Asia (3)

(Same as ASAM 151.) Treats cuisine as a systematic product of the interaction between culture and ecology. Focuses on sociocultural rather than bio-nutritional factors in the preparation and ritual implications of food in Mainland and Insular Asia. Students learn to prepare and serve a variety of Oriental dishes. **F even**

## ANTH 128. Environmental Anthropology (3)

Examines the interactions between environment and human culture. Specific topics include theoretical and empirical trends in environmental anthropology, materialist and cognitive approaches to human-environment interactions, human culture in ecosystem perspective, religion and ecology, and contemporary environmental movements. **F even**

## ANTH 130. Peoples and Cultures of the Southwest (3)

A survey of Native American cultures of the Southwestern United States and Northwestern Mexico from their prehistoric origins to the present. Emphasis is placed on cultural continuity and change during the past 400 years of contact with western culture. **F odd**

## ANTH 134. Modern Africa (3)

(See HIST 157.) **F odd**

## ANTH 135. Muslim Communities in the Middle East (3)

A survey of both rural and urban Muslim cultures and societies in the Middle East. Emphasizes the variety of lived experiences of Islam, gender and ethnic relations, and the impact of the West. **F odd** (Formerly ANTH 138T)

## ANTH 138T. Topics in Cultural Anthropology

(1-6; max total 12 if no topic repeated) Prerequisite: varies with title. Special studies in the theory and practice of organized cooperation and conflict in nature and culture. **FS**

### C. ARCHAEOLOGY CURRICULUM

## ANTH 101A-S. Introductory Fieldwork in Archeology (6)

Introduces basic methods and strategies for archaeological excavation and site survey in a public service context. Involves a commitment by students to a block time in the field away from campus.

## ANTH 101B-S. Advanced Fieldwork in Archaeology (6)

Advanced methods and strategies for archaeological excavation and site survey in a public service context. Involves a commitment by students to a block of time in the field away from campus.

## ANTH 140. Contemporary Archaeology (3)

Examines archaeological theory (both historical and contemporary) as well as methods and techniques used by archaeologists to gather, analyze, and interpret data. **S odd**

## ANTH 141. Prehistory of North America (3)

Traces the development of Native American cultures from the Arctic to Mesoamerica, from the peopling of the continent to early historic times. Examines the archaeological evidence for the antiquity, spread, and variation of cultural adaptations to changing ecological conditions. **F odd**

## ANTH 142. Old World Prehistory (3)

Examination of current knowledge of the prehistory of one area of the Old World. Chronologies, current findings, and important issues in theory method are reviewed. Consideration of these matters in relation to work in archaeology throughout the world and to work in closely related disciplines such as biology and geology. Some historic archaeology may also be included. Areas include Europe, Asia, the Middle East, Africa, and Australia. **S even**