

# Anthropology

## Special Resources and Facilities

Directed by professors Ludwig and Pryor, the Anthropology Department provides data collection, analysis, and student training in both archaeological and ethnographic studies. Advanced students may also pursue specialized training and research into the chemical composition of archaeological materials in our chemistry laboratory, which is under the supervision of Professor LaJeunesse. C. Kristina Roper manages our contract archaeology program, which provides students with practical experience in public archaeology.

## Faculty

Roger M. La Jeunesse, *Chair*  
Franklin Ng, *Coordinator for  
Asian American Studies*

Henry D. Delcore  
Walter A. Dodd  
Ellen Gruenbaum  
Mary A. Ludwig  
Jay O'Brien  
John H. Pryor

## Bachelor of Arts Degree Requirements

<i>Anthropology Major</i>	<i>Units</i>
<b>Major requirements<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>34</b>
A. <i>Core curriculum</i>	(19)
(required of all majors)	
ANTH 2	(3)
ANTH 3	(3)
ANTH 100	(3)
ANTH 101A or	
ANTH 111A&B ...	(6)
ANTH 104	(3)
ANTH 195	(1)

*In addition to the core curriculum, each student, in consultation with an adviser, will select the following:*

### Elective curriculum

15 units minimum.

Three classes within the student's area of concentration (e.g. cultural, physical, or archaeology) ..... (9)

Two classes, one in each remaining sub-discipline (e.g., an archaeology student would take one cultural and one physical course) ..... (6)

### B. Additional electives

Students may benefit from additional courses to supplement their

area of interest; please consult an adviser.

**General Education** ..... 51

**Second major, electives,**

**and remaining degree**

**requirements<sup>2,3</sup>** ..... 42\*

(See *Degree Requirements*);

may be used toward a dual major or minor

**Total** ..... **124**

\*This total indicates that ANTH 2 or 3 in G. E. Breadth D3 also may be applied to the anthropology major. Consult the department chair or faculty adviser for additional details.

### Advising Notes

1. CR/NC grading is not permitted in the anthropology major or minor.
2. Units in this category as well as in General Education, may also be applied toward a dual major or minor, as appropriate. (See *Dual Major* or departmental minor.)
3. Students must complete 40 upper-division units as part of the requirements to earn a B.A. degree.
4. No General Education Integration or Multicultural/International course offered by the Anthropology Department may be used to satisfy the General Education requirements for majors in the department.

## Anthropology Minor

<i>Anthropology Minor</i>	<i>Units</i>
A. <i>Core curriculum</i>	9
ANTH 2	(3)
ANTH 3	(3)
ANTH 100	(3)
B. <i>Elective curriculum</i>	9
Three upper-division courses	(9)

**Total** ..... **18**

See *Advising Note 1* above.

**Note:** The Anthropology Minor also requires a 2.0 GPA and 6 upper-division units in residence.

## Asian American Studies Minor

Courses in the Asian American Studies minor familiarize students with the historical, socioeconomic, and cultural adaptations that peoples from Asia make when coming to the United States. The curriculum is designed to enable professional men and women to understand and to interact with people from ethnic subcultures in our

pluralistic society. The Asian American Studies Minor therefore complements any major dealing with human behavior. For more information, see *Asian American Studies* on page 413.

## Minor and Certificate in Southeast Asian Studies

A minor and a certificate in Southeast Asian Studies are offered at this university. The requirements for both the minor and the certificate are listed under the Asian American Studies Program.

## COURSES

### *Anthropology (ANTH)*

#### A. THE CORE CURRICULUM

##### 1. Introduction to Physical Anthropology (3)

Examines the biological basis of being human. It compares us with our primate relatives, traces the evolution of our species from 4 million-year-old australopithecines, and accounts for the great anatomical and biochemical diversity among modern human populations. (CAN ANTH 2)

##### 2. Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (3)

Examines the nature of culture, humanity's unique mechanism for adapting to the changing environment. Explores the varieties of human life and explains how culture has made possible the range of different and successful societies, from hunters and gatherers to industrial civilization. G.E. Breadth D3. (CAN ANTH 4)

##### 3. Introduction to Prehistory and Physical Anthropology (3)

Examines the biological and cultural basis of being human. Compares us with our primate relatives, traces the biological and cultural evolution of our species from earliest ancestors, through the development of agriculture to the emergence of civilization. G.E. Breadth D3.

##### 30. Critical Thinking in Anthropology (3)

Distinguish belief vs. knowledge and fact vs. opinion; examine relationship between language/logic; use inductive/deductive reasoning; recognize informal/formal fallacies; appreciate socio-cultural context of critical thinking. These skills are applied to topics of race/intelligence, religion/values, and social policy. Skills demonstrated/assessed through oral and written performance. G.E. Foundation A3.