Anthropology

Please note that even though a program is no longer offered in this area, there are Anthropology courses that may be taken for credit as part of a program in a related area.

Anthropology Courses

ANTH 1100 Becoming Human - Tracing our Origins (3 credits)
Humans as biological and cultural organisms. The physical origin of humans and the primates; the interplay of biological and cultural factors in our evolution; physical variations among modern human populations. Liberal Education Goal Area 5.

ANTH 1110 Cultural Anthropology (3 credits)
Comparative study of a variety of modern human groups serves to illustrate the methodology of Cultural Anthropology. Analyses of technologies, family forms, social organizations, religions, and cultural change. Liberal Education Goal Area 8.

ANTH 2100 Native North Americans (3 credits)
Examination of the variety of native North American cultures (north of Mexico). Survey of linguistic and archaeological background; emphasis on social and ecological adjustments. Liberal Education Goal Areas 5 & 7.

ANTH 3117 Religions of Preliterate Societies (3 credits)
Functions of religion in preliterate societies. A comparative analysis of the role of religion on a scale of increasing societal complexity. Might not be offered every year.

ANTH 3119 Ojibwe Culture (3 credits)
Surveys aspects of and observances and changes in Ojibwe culture from the contact period to the present. Prerequisite: ANTH 1110 or ANTH 2100. Might not be offered every year.

ANTH 3200 Methods in Archaeology (3 credits)
Archaeological methodology with an emphasis on methods and techniques of excavation. Laboratory sessions will demonstrate methods of artifact analysis. Might not be offered every year.

ANTH 3208 North American Prehistory (3 credits)
Origins and development of the prehistory cultural traditions of North America. Culture areas will be studied from an ecological perspective. Might not be offered every year.

All-University Courses

The course numbers listed below, not always included in the semester class schedule, may be registered for by consent of the advisor, instructor, or department chair, or may be assigned by the department when warranted. Individual registration requires previous arrangement by the student and the completion of any required form or planning outline as well as any prerequisites.

1910, 2910, 3910, 4910 DIRECTED INDEPENDENT STUDY
1920, 2920, 3920, 4920 DIRECTED GROUP STUDY
1930, 2930, 3930, 4930 EXPERIMENTAL COURSE
1940, 2940, 3940, 4940 IN-SERVICE COURSE
1950, 2950, 3950, 4950 WORKSHOP, INSTITUTE, TOUR
1960, 2960, 3960, 4960 SPECIAL PURPOSE INSTRUCTION
1970, 2970, 3970, 4970 INTERNSHIP
1980, 2980, 3980, 4980 RESEARCH
1990, 2990, 3990, 4990 THESIS