

ANTHROPOLOGY (ANT)

ANT 101 - Introduction to Anthropology (3 Credits)

3 lecture, 3 total contact hours

Addresses such central questions as "What does it mean to be human?" and "How did we get to be the way we are?" Among the topics to be examined will be human, physical and cultural evolution, the origin of culture, language, religion, kinship, economics and the impact of contemporary life on the world's populations. IAI S1 900N
World Culture and Diversity

Typically offered: Fall, Spring, Summer

ANT 202 - Cultural Anthropology (3 Credits)

3 lecture, 3 total contact hours

Describes and analyzes how people throughout the world define and resolve the problems of life that are found everywhere. Some of the specific topics studied will be religion, social structure, law, "the unknown," economics and the formation of behavior within particular groups. IAI S1 901N

World Culture and Diversity

Typically offered: Fall, Spring, Summer

ANT 205 - Physical Anthropology (3 Credits)

2 lecture, 2 lab, 4 total contact hours

Studies the origins and evolution of humans as physical and cultural beings. Includes origin, history and behavior of primates, fossil records and the principles of population genetics and their application to study of human variation. IAI S1 902

Typically offered: Spring

ANT 206 - Archeology (3 Credits)

3 lecture, 3 total contact hours

Surveys archeological concepts, research and methods for the study of prehistoric cultures. Includes rise and development of modern civilization, land and land use, agriculture, current archeological investigations, interpretations of finds and introduction to field work techniques. IAI S1 903

World Culture and Diversity

Typically offered: Fall

ANT 215 - Introduction to Forensic Anthropology (3 Credits)

2 lecture, 2 lab, 4 total contact hours

Studies the field dealing with human skeletal remains resulting from unexplained deaths. Both osteology (bones) and odontology (teeth) will be investigated. Students will learn the techniques involved including: basic human skeletal analysis, preliminary examination methods, burial aspects, distinguishing human from animal remains, identifying the sex of an individual, estimating the age of death, calculating stature, trauma analysis of different types (e.g., blunt, sharp, projectile), as well as various related topics. (NOTE: Although skeletal lab materials will be provided, no soft tissue will be examined.)

Typically offered: Spring

ANT 220 - Topics in Anthropology (1-6 Credits)

1 - 6 lecture, 1 - 6 total contact hours

Studies selected problems or topics in social science. The exact content and instructional methodology will vary from semester to semester depending on the material to be studied. A syllabus or course outline containing additional information will be available with pre-registration materials each time that the course is offered. This course may be repeated two times to a maximum of six credit hours.

Typically offered: Fall