

ANTHROPOLOGY

College of Liberal Arts
Department of Anthropology
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B.A., B.S. Degrees

Minimum Requirements for Degrees: B.A.: 120 credits; B.S.: 130 credits

The Department of Anthropology offers a balanced and flexible program of academic courses and research in cultural anthropology, linguistic anthropology, archaeology and biological anthropology. Anthropology contributes to an understanding of the complex problems of human behavior, biology, language, cultural and social organization, and the relationship of humans to their environments. Research carried out in the field, laboratory and library emphasizes past and present modes of living and the origins and distribution of peoples and cultures throughout the world. Although special attention is given to the circumpolar North, faculty also maintain active research programs elsewhere, such as Africa and North America.

Major — B.A. Degree

1. Complete the general university requirements. (See page 131. As part of the core curriculum requirements complete ANTH F100X*.)
 2. Complete the B.A. degree requirements (page 136).
 3. Complete the following program (major) requirements:
 - a. Complete the following:
 - ANTH F211—Fundamentals of Archaeology (3)
or ANTH F221—Introduction to Biological Anthropology (3).....3
 - ANTH F215—Fundamentals of Social/Cultural Anthropology.....3
 - ANTH F384—History of Anthropology.....3
 - ANTH F411O—Senior Seminar.....3
 - LING F101—Nature of Language.....3
 - b. Complete 6 anthropology electives, with degree classification designator 's' or 'h,' at least 4 (12 credits) of which are at the F400-level.....18
 4. Minimum credits required.....120
- * Students must earn a C grade (2.0) or better in each course.
Note: LING F101 satisfies part of the B.A. humanities requirements.

Major — B.S. Degree

1. Complete the general university requirements. (See page 131. As part of the core curriculum requirements complete ANTH F100X*.)
 2. Complete the B.S. degree requirements (page 136).
 3. Complete the following program major requirements:
 - a. Complete the following:
 - ANTH F211—Fundamentals of Archaeology.....3
 - ANTH F221—Introduction to Biological Anthropology.....3
 - ANTH F215—Fundamentals of Social/Cultural Anthropology (3)
or ANTH F320W—Language and Culture: Applications to Alaska (3)
or LING F101—Nature of Language (3).....3
 - ANTH F411O—Senior Seminar.....3
 - b. Complete the following:
 - ANTH F214—World Prehistory.....3
 - ANTH F405W—Archaeological Methods and Theory.....3
 - ANTH F423—Paleoanthropology.....3
 - ANTH F424—Analytical Techniques.....3
 - c. Complete one of the following:
 - ANTH F309—Circumpolar Archaeology.....3
 - ANTH F315—Human Biology.....3
 - d. Complete one of the following:
 - ANTH F415—Zooarchaeology and Taphonomy.....3
 - ANTH F422—Human Osteology.....3
 - e. Complete at least 2 of the following electives:
 - ANTH F426—Bioarchaeology.....3
 - ANTH F428—Ecological Anthropology.....3
 - ANTH F492—Seminar: Physical Anthropology.....3
 - ANTH F492—Seminar: Archaeology.....3
 4. Minimum credits required.....130
- * Students must earn a C grade (2.0) or better in each course.
** Courses not selected under "c" or "d" areas may be used to meet this area.

Minor

1. Complete the following:
 - ANTH F211—Fundamentals of Archaeology.....3
 - ANTH F215—Fundamentals of Social/Cultural Anthropology 3
 - ANTH F221—Introduction to Biological Anthropology.....3
 - ANTH F320W—Language and Culture: Applications to Alaska.....3
 - Anthropology electives.....6
2. Minimum credits required.....18

All degrees (e.g. B.A., B.S., etc.) require additional courses. Refer to specific degree and program requirements.

Baccalaureate Core Requirements

(Note: all courses for Core must be completed with C- or higher.)

COMMUNICATION (9)

Complete the following:

ENGL F111X(3) _____
ENGL F190H may be substituted.

Complete one of the following:

ENGL F211X OR ENGL F213X(3) _____

Complete one of the following:

COMM F131X OR COMM F141X(3) _____

PERSPECTIVES ON THE HUMAN CONDITION (18)

Complete all of the following four courses:

ANTH F100X/SOC F100X(3) _____
 ECON F100X OR PS F100X(3) _____
 HIST F100X(3) _____
 ENGL/FL F200X(3) _____

Complete one of the following three courses:

ART/MUS/THR F200X, HUM F201X OR ANS F202X (3) _____

Complete one of the following six courses:

BA F323X, COMM F300X, JUST F300X, NRM F303X,
 PS F300X OR PHIL F322X(3) _____

OR complete 12 credits from the above courses PLUS

- two semester-length courses in a single Alaska Native language or other non-English language **OR**
- three semester-length courses (9 credits) in American Sign Language taken at the university level.

MATHEMATICS (3)

Complete one of the following:

MATH F103X, MATH F107X, MATH F161X OR
 STAT F200X(3 – 4) _____
** No credit may be earned for more than one of MATH F107X or F161X.*

OR complete one of the following*:

MATH F200X, MATH F201X, MATH F202X,
 MATH F262X OR MATH F272X(4) _____
**Or any math course having one of these as a prerequisite.*

NATURAL SCIENCES (8)

Complete any two (4-credit) courses:

ATM F101X(4) _____
 BIOL F100X(4) _____
 BIOL F103X(4) _____
 BIOL F104X(4) _____
 BIOL F111X(4) _____
 BIOL F112X(4) _____
 BIOL F115X(4) _____
 BIOL F116X(4) _____
 CHEM F100X(4) _____
 CHEM F103X(4) _____
 CHEM F104X(4) _____
 CHEM F105X(4) _____
 CHEM F106X(4) _____
 GEOG F111X(4) _____
 GEOS F100X(4) _____
 GEOS F101X(4) _____
 GEOS F112X(4) _____
 GEOS F120X(4) _____
 GEOS F125X(4) _____
 MSL F111X(4) _____
 PHYS F102X(4) _____
 PHYS F103X(4) _____
 PHYS F104X(4) _____
 PHYS F115X(4) _____
 PHYS F116X(4) _____
 PHYS F175X(4) _____
 PHYS F211X(4) _____
 PHYS F212X(4) _____
 PHYS F213X(4) _____

LIBRARY AND INFORMATION RESEARCH (0 – 1)

Successful completion of library skills competency test **OR**
 LS F100X or F101X prior to junior standing.....(0 – 1) _____

UPPER-DIVISION WRITING AND ORAL COMMUNICATION (0)

Complete the following:

Two writing intensive courses designated (W)(0) _____
 and one oral communication intensive course
 designated (O).....(0) _____
OR two oral communication intensive courses designated
 (O/2), at the upper-division level (see degree and/or major
 requirements).....(0) _____

CORE CREDITS REQUIRED 38 – 39

Minimum credits required for degree 120



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