

# Anthropology

Degree: Bachelor of Arts  
Specializations: General Anthropology, Archaeology, Biological Anthropology, Cultural Anthropology  
Minors: Anthropology, Latin American Studies  
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College: Arts and Sciences

Semester Hours Required for Degree: 120

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The Bachelor of Arts program in Anthropology provides a broad base of information about human culture and what makes humans unique. Culture is the totality of what we learn, and it is the basis for how we define the world. Anthropologists study all kinds of individual cultures, both living and dead, simple and complex, to gain an understanding of culture as a human phenomenon. The very nature of anthropology is multicultural and historical. Within Anthropology, there are specializations in General Anthropology, Archaeology, Biological Anthropology, and Cultural Anthropology. This is a hands-on program and students regularly participate in faculty-directed research projects in the Pensacola area. Senior internships and cooperative programs with private firms and government agencies also provide on-the-job training and lead to employment. The Anthropology program is a springboard to a wide range of jobs in the private or government sectors, as well as post-graduate academic programs.

The Archaeology Specialization in the Anthropology major prepares students for graduate study in anthropology-archaeology, and employment in cultural resource management in both the private sector and government agencies. The program includes both terrestrial and shipwreck archaeology. There are several archaeologists in the department and Archaeology Institute who teach and do research with students. There are almost continuous faculty-directed archaeology research and contracts in which students get hands-on experiences in the Pensacola area and surrounding region. Senior internships with regional and national employers and research institutes provide valuable and practical on-the-job training.

The Biological Anthropology Specialization in the Anthropology major prepares students for graduate study in Biological and/or Forensic Anthropology and employment in law enforcement and cultural resource management in both the private sector and government agencies. The program offers students the opportunity to gain hands-on experience analyzing human skeletal remains from both archaeological and forensic contexts through faculty-directed research projects and consultations with Escambia County Medical Examiner's Office and Florida Department of Law Enforcement. Senior internships with regional and national employers and research institutes provide valuable and practical on-the-job training.

## PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

In addition to general University requirements and General Studies requirements, students seeking the B.A. in Anthropology must meet the requirements listed below:

A grade of "C" or better is required in all Anthropology and major-related courses.

Course descriptions are listed alphabetically by prefix in the back of this *Catalog*.

### **General Studies (36 sh)**

For additional information see the General Studies section of this *Catalog*. Students should take ANT 2000 to satisfy the behavioral component, and ANT 2511/L and either BSC 1005/L or BOT 2010/L to satisfy the science component.

### **Common Prerequisites (6 sh)**

State mandated common prerequisites must be completed prior to graduation, but are not required for admission to the program.

Lower Division Anthropology Courses 6

Recommend that the requirement be met with ANT 2000 and ANT 2511/L (excess one hour may be used as elective).

### **Lower Division Electives (18-24 sh)**

Sufficient 1000/2000 level electives to complete at least 60 semester hours in the lower division. Current UWF students may use elective courses at any level (1000-4999) to meet this elective requirement.

*Recommend that these courses be taken as electives:*

Foreign language courses 8-14

## **GENERAL ANTHROPOLOGY SPECIALIZATION**

### **Major (36-44 sh)**

ANT	3101	Principles of Archaeology	3
ANT	3212	Peoples and Cultures of the World	3
ANT	3620	Language and Culture	3
ANT	4191C	Archaeological Data Analysis	3
		3000/4000 level Anthropology (ANT) courses	15

#### *Anthropology Theory: Choose One*

ANT	4034	History of Anthropology	3
ANT	4115	Method and Theory in Archaeology	3

#### *Anthropology Methods: Choose One*

ANT	3820	Archaeological Field Survey	3
ANT	4182C	Conservation of Archaeological Materials	4
ANT	4808	Applied Anthropology	3
ANT	4824	Terrestrial Archaeological Field Methods	3
		Course offered 1-9 sh per semester	
ANT	4835	Maritime Archaeological Field Methods	3
		Course offered 1-9 sh per semester	

#### *Anthropology of an Area: Choose One*

ANT	3153	North American Archaeology	3
ANT	3158	Florida Archaeology	3
ANT	3312	North American Indians	3
ANT	3363	Japanese Culture	3
ANT	4155	Archaeology of the Southeastern U.S.	3

#### *If not completed at the Lower Division:*

ANT	2000	Introduction to Anthropology	3
ANT	2511/L	Biological Anthropology/Lab	4

**Major-Related (6-9 sh)***Choose One:*

ENC	3240	Technical Writing	3
ENC	3250	Professional Writing	3

*Choose One:*

CGS	3523	Computer Graphics Applications	3
CGS	3823	Web Page Design	3

*If not completed at the Lower Division:*

CGS	2570	Personal Computer Applications	3
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**Upper Division Electives (7-18 sh)**

Sufficient 3000/4000 level electives to meet UWF's requirement of 48 semester hours in the upper division or completion of all departmental requirements at the 3000/4000 level, whichever is greater.

**ARCHAEOLOGY SPECIALIZATION****Major (39-53)**

ANT	3101	Principles of Archaeology	3
ANT	3212	Peoples & Cultures of the World	3
ANT	4034	History of Anthropology	3
ANT	4115	Method and Theory in Archaeology	3
ANT	4172	Historical Archaeology	3
ANT	4180L	Laboratory Methods in Archaeology	3
ANT	4190	Historic Preservation in Archaeology	3
ANT	4191C	Archaeological Data Analysis	3
		3000/4000 level Anthropology (ANT) courses	3-10

*Choose one:*

ANT	3153	North American Archaeology	3
ANT	3158	Florida Archaeology	3
ANT	4155	Archaeology of the Southeastern U.S.	3

*Choose one:*

ANT	4121	Combined Archaeological Field Methods	9
		Course offered 1-9 sh per semester	
ANT	4824	Terrestrial Archaeological Field Methods	9
		Course offered 1-9 sh per semester	
ANT	4835	Maritime Archaeological Field Methods	9
		Course offered 1-9 sh per semester	

*If not completed at the Lower Division:*

ANT	2000	Introduction to Anthropology	3
ANT	2511/L	Biological Anthropology/Lab	4

**Major-Related (3-6 sh)**

ENC	3240	Technical Writing	3
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*If not completed at the Lower Division:*

STA	2023	Elements of Statistics	3
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**Upper Division Electives (1-18 sh)**

Sufficient 3000/4000 level electives to meet UWF's requirement of 48 semester hours in the upper division or completion of all departmental requirements at the 3000/4000

level, whichever is greater. Focus through minors and advanced language work encouraged.

### **BIOLOGICAL ANTHROPOLOGY SPECIALIZATION**

#### **Major (29-47 sh)**

ANT	3101	Principles of Archaeology	3
ANT	3212	Peoples and Cultures of the World	3
ANT	4466/L	Human Osteology/Lab	4
ANT	4xxx	Primatology	3
ANT	4xx0	Modern Human Physical Variation	3
ANT	4xx2	Human Origins	3
		3000/4000 level advisor-approved Anthropology (ANT) courses	6-9

*Choose one:*

ANT	4034	History of Anthropology	3
ANT	4115	Method and Theory in Archaeology	3

*Choose one:*

ANT	3820	Archaeological Field Survey	3
ANT	3948	Service Learning Field Study II	1-3
ANT	4824	Terrestrial Archaeological Field Methods	3-9
		Advisor-approved field methods course	1-9

*If not completed at the Lower Division:*

ANT	2000	Introduction to Anthropology	3
ANT	2511/L	Biological Anthropology	4

#### **Major-Related (6 sh)**

ENC	3240	Technical Writing	3
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*Choose one:*

ANT	4191C	Archaeological Data Analysis	3
STA	4173	Biostatistics	3

#### **Upper Division Electives (7-25 sh)**

Sufficient 3000/4000 level electives to meet UWF's requirement of 48 semester hours in the upper division or completion of all departmental requirements at the 3000/4000 level, whichever is greater. Focus through minors and advanced language work is encouraged.

### **CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY SPECIALIZATION**

#### **Major (30-40 sh)**

ANT	3101	Principles of Archaeology	3
ANT	3212	Peoples & Cultures of the World	3
ANT	3403	Cultural Ecology	3
ANT	3620	Language & Culture	3
ANT	4034	History of Anthropology	3
ANT	4651	Aesthetics & Critical Theory	3
ANT	4808	Applied Anthropology	3
		3000/4000 level advisor-approved Anthropology (ANT) courses	3-6

*Choose one:*

ANT	4944	Anthropology Internship	3
		Course offered as 1-3 sh per semester	

Other approved field work course	3
<i>Choose one:</i>	
ANT 3312 North American Indians	3
Other approved area course	3

<i>If not completed at the Lower Division:</i>	
ANT 2000 Introduction to Anthropology	3
ANT 2511/L Biological Anthropology/Lab	4

### Major-Related (15-27 sh)

SYA 3300 Methods of Social Research	3
SYA 4110 History of Sociological Thought	3
3000/4000 level advisor-approved Sociological Analysis (SYA) course	3
An approved minor in sociology, geography, history, philosophy, or women's studies	3-15

<i>Choose one:</i>	
CRW 4211 Creative Non-Fiction	3
ENC 3240 Technical Writing	3
JOU 4308 Magazine Writing	3

### Upper Division Electives (0-15 sh)

Sufficient 3000/4000 level electives to meet UWF's requirement of 48 semester hours in the upper division or completion of all departmental requirements at the 3000/4000 level, whichever is greater.

Students with upper division flexibility are encouraged to pursue additional focus through advanced language study, acquisition of statistical tools, or directed individual field work. International study is strongly encouraged. Language courses taught outside the United States are also encouraged.

### MINORS

#### Anthropology (19 sh)

A 19 sh Minor in Anthropology is available. Anthropology electives are chosen in consultation with one of the Anthropology faculty. A grade of "C" or higher is required in all Anthropology courses. Anthropology majors may not earn this minor.

ANT 2511/L Biological Anthropology/Lab	4
ANT 3101 Principles of Archaeology	3
ANT 3212 People & Cultures of the World	3
3000/4000 level Anthropology (ANT) courses	9

#### Latin American Studies (18 sh)

The minor is designed to provide students with a multidisciplinary background in the themes and topics of most concern in Latin American Studies. All courses in the minor must be completed with a grade of "C" or better. This minor is available to all students.

Students must demonstrate competence in Spanish language skills by completing one of the following courses or equivalent:

SPN 2210 Intermediate Composition and Conversation	3
SPN 2220 Intermediate Reading and Translation	3

Students must take one course from five of the six disciplines listed:

**Anthropology**

ANT	4307	Cultures of Latin America	3
ANT	4321	Cultures of Mexico	3
ANT	4322	Mesoamerican Cultural Traditions	3

**Fine and Performing Arts**

ARH	4653	Art and Archaeology of Mesoamerica (May also be met with ANT 4163)	3
ARH	4656	Art and Archaeology of the Ancient Andes (May also be met with ANT 4164)	3

**Geography**

GEA	4400	Geography of Latin America	3
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**History**

LAH	3100	Colonial and Revolutionary Latin America	3
LAH	3200	Latin America Since Independence	3
LAH	4430	Mexico	3
LAH	4470	Cuba and Central America	3

**Literature**

SPN	4520	Latin American Culture and Civilization	3
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**Political Science**

CPO	4303	Politics of Spain, Portugal, and Latin America One course may be substituted with an approved relevant field experience taken for three hours credit.	3
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