Anthropology - 2015

Anthropology is the study of human life in all its diversity and richness. Anthropology employs a broad approach that also draws on other disciplines such as archaeology, human biology, linguistics and material culture studies. Anthropologists study the cultures and societies of the past few centuries, ranging from small-scale Indigenous peoples to the modern capitalist world system with all the globalising processes it has set in train. Many anthropologists conduct ethnography where they go and live with other peoples for a time in order to learn their cultures or ways of life. While performing fieldwork they might study, for example, how gender and kinship operate in social life, how language systems influence customary patterns of thought, and how indigenous peoples interact with nation states.

Anthropology can be studied as
- single and extended majors in the Bachelor of Arts or a major in the Diploma in Arts
- electives as part of the Bachelor of Social Science, or another degree program offered by UQ

Bachelor of Arts

Single Major (#16)
Each course is worth 2 units (#2)

#4 for gateway courses -
ANTH1008 Introduction to Anthropology: People, Cultures and Societies
ANTH1030 Anthropology of Current World Issues: An Introduction

and #2 cornerstone course -
ANTH2020 Anthropology: History, Theory, Practice

and #4 to #6 from -
ANTH2010 Anthropology of Aboriginal Australia
ANTH2018 Material Culture
ANTH2050 Ritual, Religion and Performance
ANTH2080 Environmental Anthropology
ANTH2088 Aboriginal Heritage: Anthropological and Archaeological Perspectives
ANTH2208 The Anthropology of Museums
ANTH2210 Independent Study for Anthropology
ANTH2250 Medical Anthropology: Local and Global Perspectives
ANTH2260 Applied Anthropology: Native Title and Indigenous Peoples
ANTH2270 Migration, Culture and Society
ANTH3019 Development Practice & Social Impact
SOSC2169 Media, Culture & Society
SOSC2190 Human Bodies, Culture & Society

which may include #2 from –
ABTS3020 Working with Indigenous People
ARCA2118 Cultural Heritage Management
ARCS2168 Human Evolution

plus #4 for capstone courses –
ANTH3090 Ethnographic Fieldwork
ANTH3140 Advanced Research Topics in Anthropology

Extended Major (#24)
Each course is worth 2 units (#2)

#4 for gateway courses -
ANTH1008 Introduction to Anthropology: People, Cultures and Societies
ANTH1030 Anthropology of Current World Issues: An Introduction

and #2 for -
ARCA1000 Discovering Archaeology

and #2 for cornerstone course -
ANTH2020 Anthropology: History, Theory, Practice

and #8 to #12 from –
ANTH2010 Anthropology of Aboriginal Australia
ANTH2018 Material Culture
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ANTH3140 Advanced Research Topics in Anthropology
Requirements for majors
Please note that a course can only count towards ONE major within the program. Students should declare their chosen majors via mySI-net by their third year.
Program rules and requirements for the Bachelor of Arts can be accessed online at http://www.uq.edu.au/study.

Bachelor of Social Science
This program offers students a sound academic basis for careers relating to people, or postgraduate study.

The following majors are available in the Bachelor of Social Science
- Criminal Justice
- Development
- Health and Society
- Social and Public Policy

Honours
Honours can be undertaken as a fourth year of study following completion of the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Social Science. Honours provides students with skills that are highly sought after by employers, particularly in advanced training in research design and methods, experience in conducting independent research and advanced communication skills. Students who do very well during their honours year may be eligible to go onto a research higher degree (Master or PhD).

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