ANTHROPOLOGY (BS)

Program Description

The Bachelor of Science in Anthropology provides students with a strong foundation in the scientific study of humanity, emphasizing empirical research, laboratory methods, and quantitative analysis. The program complements the B.A. in Anthropology by strengthening students' technical, analytical, and methodological competencies across archaeology, biological anthropology, and cultural anthropology. Graduates are prepared for professional work and advanced study in fields such as archaeology, forensics, bioanthropology, and applied fields such as environmental or health sciences, public health, and user experience research.

Degree Requirements

The academic regulations for this degree program, as entered in the University of Mississippi Catalog, are in effect for the current or selected academic year and semester. The University of Mississippi reserves the right to 1) change or withdraw courses; 2) change rules for registration, instruction, and graduation; and 3) change other regulations affecting the student body at any time.

General Education

Code	Title	Hours
Select one of the First Year Writing 1 courses:		3
WRIT 1000	Introduction to College Writing	
or WRIT 1010	First-Year Writing I	
Select one of the following First Year Writing II courses:		3
WRIT 1020	First-Year Writing II	
or LIBA 1020	First Year Seminar	
Select six hours of literature survey from the following:		6
ENGL 2220	Survey in Literary History	
ENGL 2221	Survey of World Literature to 1650	
ENGL 2222	Survey of World Literature since 1650	
ENGL 2223	Survey of American Lit to the Civil War	
ENGL 2224	Survey of American Lit since Civil War	
ENGL 2225	Survey of British Lit to 18th Century	
ENGL 2226	Survey of Brit Lit since Romantic Period	
Select 12 hours of Social Science and Humanities from the following: [1]		12
African American Studies		
American Sign Language		
Classical Civilization		
ENVS 1010	Humanities and the Environment	
Gender Studies		
Greek		
History		
LIBA 2020	Interdisciplinary Humanities	
LIBA 2030	Interdisciplinary Social Sciences	
LIBA 3050	Humanities and the Experience of War	
LIBA 3120	Advanced Interdisciplinary Humanities	
LIBA 3130	Advanced Interdisc Social Science	
Philosophy		
Political Science		
Psychology		
Religious Studies		
Any Speech, Rhetoric, or Writing course at the 2000 level or higher		
Sociology		
Southern Studies		
Any of the languages offered by the Dept. of Modern Languages		
Select three hours of Fine Arts courses from the following:		3
any Art History (ARTH) course		
DANC 2000	Dance Appreciation	
MUSC 1010	Introduction to Music Literature	
MUSC 1020	Fundamentals of Music Theory	
MUSC 1030	Introduction to Music	
MUSC 1040	Introduction to World Music Cultures	
MUSC 1050	Music Theory and Analysis I	
THEA 2010	Appreciation of the Theatre	
THEA 2020	Introduction to Cinema	
LIBA 1300	Introduction to the Fine Arts	
LIBA 2040	Interdisciplinary Arts	
LIBA 3140	Advanced Interdisciplinary Arts	
Select 6-8 hours of natural science [2]		6-8
Any Math course at the 1000 level or above [3]		3
Related Subjects - see footnote [4]		18
Total Hours		**54-56**

1. At least six hours must be chosen from among the social sciences, which consist of anthropology, economics, political science, psychology, and sociology.
2. Majors for the B.S. degree must have 2 courses of laboratory science.
3. Any MATH course at the 1000 level or above except for MATH 2451 and 2452
4. 18 hours required; choose from courses listed beside the major.
   Anthropology - biology, computer science, English, economics, chemistry, geology, history, mathematics, philosophy, political science, psychology, sociology
   Biology - anthropology, chemistry, CLSC 2010 Medical Terminology in Greek and Latin, geology, mathematics, physics, psychology
   Chemistry - mathematics, physics
   Economics - math (may include MATH 2611 Unified Calculus & Analytic Geometry I, MATH 2612 Unified Calculus & Analytic Geometry II, and MATH 3750 Introduction to Statistics I, but not MATH 2511 Calculus for Business, Econ., & Accy. I, MATH 2512 Calculus for Business, Econ., & Accy. II), finance, political science, computer science
   Forensic Chemistry - biology, mathematics, pharmacology, physics; up to 6 hours of pharmacology courses
   Mathematics - astronomy, biology, chemistry, computer science, economics, geology, physics
   Physics - mathematics
   Political Science - computer science, economics, mathematics, sociology, psychology
   Psychology - biology, computer science, economics, mathematics, philosophy, sociology
   Sociology - anthropology, computer science, English, economics, history, mathematics, philosophy, political science, psychology

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Major Requirements [1]		
ANTH 3030	Cultural Anthropology	3
ANTH 3040	Biological Anthropology	3
ANTH 3050	Archaeology	3
ANTH 4090	Anthropological Theory	3
Minimum 9 hours from the following:		9
ANTH 3200	Archaeozoology: Animal Use in History	
ANTH 3350	Archaeological Field Session	
ANTH 3440	Archaeological Science: Stones to Drones	
ANTH 3750	Digital Archaeology	
ANTH 3900	Bioarchaeology Abroad	
ANTH 3910	Archaeological Field Session Abroad	
ANTH 3920	Field Study: Culture of the Andes	
ANTH 3930	Ethnographic Field Methods Abroad	
ANTH 4050	Bone Detectives I: Human Osteology	
ANTH 4060	Methods in Ethnohistory	
ANTH 4070	Methods in Ethnography	
ANTH 4080	Laboratory Methods in Archaeology	
ANTH 4120	Earth, Water, & Fire: Ceramic Analysis	
ANTH 4130	Public Archaeology: Theory and Method	
ANTH 4190	Dental Anthropology	
ANTH 4250	Bone Detectives II: Biological Profiles	
Total Hours		**21**

[1] At least 27 hours of ANTH must be completed at the 3000-level or above.

Major II Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
3 hours in statistics from the following:		3
SOCY 2020	Intro Stats and Data Analysis in R Studio	
PSYC 2071	Statistics for Behavioral Sciences	
MATH 1150	Elementary Statistics	
CSCD 2020	Statistics for CSD	
3 hours from the following:		3
SOCY 3670	Data Visualization & Interpretation: GIS	
CIVE 4000	Geospatial Analysis for Engr & Vis Apps	
Total Hours		**6**

Overall Major GPA

Please contact your academic advisor for grade point requirements.

Resident Major GPA

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