



The University of Vermont

Minor in Anthropology with Archaeology and Heritage Management Focus

Students interested in the study of past human cultures, the preservation and interpretation of archaeological sites and the management of cultural resources will want to consider tailoring their minor in Anthropology to focus on archaeology and heritage management. Here we outline this focus by suggesting courses that will enable students to study major developments in human history, apply archaeological methods to the investigation of specific cultures and regions, and build professional skills surrounding the protection, preservation and interpretation of archaeological cultures, sites, and objects.

All three of these core courses in anthropology (9 credits):

- ANTH 021: Cultural Anthropology (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 028: Linguistic Anthropology (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 026: Biological Anthropology (3.00 credits)

Two or three elective courses (9 credits total) related to archaeology and heritage management, including the following:

- ANTH 104: Archaeology of the Americas (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 106: Preserving the Past (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 134: Prehistory of North America (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 135: Prehistory of the US Southwest (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 160: North American Indians (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 164: Indians of the NE: Vermont (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 188: Historical Archaeology (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 195/6: Special topics *if course has an archaeological or heritage management focus*
- ANTH 200: Field Work in Archaeology (**6.00 credits**)
- ANTH 209: Caribbean Archaeology (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 210: Archaeological Theory (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 240: Human Osteology and Archaeology (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 245: Laboratory Archaeology Topics (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 250: Museum Anthropology (3.00 credits)
- ANTH 295/6: Special topics *if course has an archaeological or heritage management focus*
- ANTH 295/6: Human Evolution and Diversity (3.00 credits)

Additional notes on the minor: We strongly encourage students to take a field school (such as ANTH 200) to obtain foundational training for research and meet the basic requirements for employment in archaeology

Students interested in completing the Minor in Anthropology with Archaeology and Heritage Management Focus are encouraged to consult their faculty advisor early in their program and submit a formal declaration of

the focus (see website for details). Students with the focus will fulfill all requirements of the Anthropology minor but choose the courses that they take to mostly focus on archaeology-related topics.