

Degree Requirements - ANTHROPOLOGY

Anthropology is the study of humankind. It is a discipline integrating four sub-fields: archaeology, linguistics, biological anthropology and sociocultural anthropology. Archaeologists recover material remains in order to interpret past cultures. Linguists study languages worldwide and in relation to society and culture. Biological anthropologists investigate human origins, growth and development in relation to environmental, genetic and sociocultural factors. Sociocultural anthropologists work with living groups world-wide, recording their ways of life and beliefs and interpreting their findings to better understand and explain the similarities and differences among people. Anthropologists investigate economic and social inequality; identity, ethnicity and nationalism; ethnocentrism and racism; gender and society; the individual and society; the role of technology and material culture; and tensions between global and local perspectives. A constant and distinctive feature of anthropology is its insistence upon the study of lived experience, the anthropology of everyday life.

Notes

- ANTH 1000Y (100) or both ANTH 1010H (101H) and 1020H (102H) are program requirements for all students completing a major or joint-major degree in Anthropology.
- Students who successfully completed all four of ANTH 2000Y (200), 2120Y (212), 2310Y (231) and 2400Y (240), may count one of them as equivalent to a 3000-level credit in order to satisfy the University requirement for at least 7.0 credits at the 3000- or 4000-level in the Honours program and at least 4.0 in the General program.
- Courses in Anthropology fulfilling University science course requirements for the B.Sc. are marked (Sc) in the individual course descriptions.
- Students who have fulfilled the requirements for a single-major Honours degree in another subject may apply to the Office of the Registrar for a minor in Anthropology if they have met the requirements for the joint-major General degree (see below).
- For the Emphasis in Sociocultural & Linguistic Anthropology, see p. 242
- For the Emphasis in Archaeology, see p. 235

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- See p. 27 for requirements which apply to all undergraduate degree programs.
- The same course may not simultaneously satisfy the requirements of both programs in a joint-major degree.
- The Anthropology department offers both a B.A. and a B.Sc. degree.
- Students undertaking the single-major Honours program in Anthropology have the option of bypassing 1000-series Anthropology courses if they can demonstrate previous experience of the discipline, have an 80% 4U/M average or equivalent and include all four of ANTH 2000Y (200), 2120Y (212), 2310Y (231) and 2400Y (240) in their first 10.0 credits. An interview with, and the written permission of, the chair of the department are required in all cases. This will not alter the minimum number of Anthropology credits required for the degree.
- Students in the joint-major program in Anthropology and International Development Studies may substitute IDST – ANTH 2210Y (221) for one of ANTH 2120Y (212), 2310Y (231) or 2400Y (240) in their Anthropology requirements.
- Students planning to enter graduate school are strongly advised to take ANTH 2000Y (200), 2120Y (212), 2310Y (231) and 2400Y (240); if they are planning to continue in archaeology, they are strongly advised to take both ANTH 3100Y (310) and 3990Y (399).
- MODL 1000Y; or MODL 1001H and 1002H may be counted as part of the course requirements for a major in Anthropology.

The single-major Honours program. 20.0 credits which include the following 10.0 credits:

- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 1000Y (100), or 1010H (101H) and 1020H (102H)

- 3.0 ANTH credits from ANTH 2000Y (200), 2120Y (212), 2310Y (231) or 2400Y (240)
- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 3100Y (310) or 3990Y (399)
- 5.0 ANTH credits in addition to the above, at least 4 beyond the 2000-level
- for the B.Sc., 14.0 science credits are required for the Honours degree, including 1.0 MATH credit; MATH 1050Y is recommended

The joint-major Honours program. 20.0 credits which include the following 7.0 credits:

- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 1000Y (100), or 1010H (101H) and 1020H (102H)
- 2.0 ANTH credits from ANTH 2000Y (200), 2120Y (212), 2310Y (231) or 2400Y (240)
- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 3100Y (310) or 3990Y (399)
- 3.0 ANTH credits in addition to the above, at least 2.0 beyond the 2000-level
- for the B.Sc., 14.0 science credits are required for the Honours degree, including 1.0 MATH credit; MATH 1050Y is recommended

The single-major General program. 15.0 credits which include the following 6.0 credits:

- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 1000Y (100) or 1010H (101H) and 1020H (102H)
- 3.0 ANTH credits from ANTH 2000Y (200), 2120Y (212), 2310Y (231) or 2400Y (240)
- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 3100Y (310) or 3990Y (399)
- 1.0 ANTH credit in addition to the above beyond the 2000-level
- for the B.Sc., 11.0 science credits are required in the General degree, including 1.0 MATH credit; MATH 1050Y is recommended

The joint-major General program. 15.0 credits which include the following 5.0 credits:

- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 1000Y (100) or 1010H (101H) and 1020H (102H)
- 2.0 ANTH credits from ANTH 2000Y (200), 2120Y (212), 2310Y (231) or 2400Y (240)
- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 3100Y (310) or 3990Y (399)
- 1.0 ANTH credit in addition to the above beyond the 2000-level
- for the B.Sc., 11.0 science credits are required in the General degree, including 1.0 MATH credit; MATH 1050Y is recommended

The minor in ANTH consists of the following 5.0 credits:

- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 1000Y (100) or 1010H (101H) and 1020H (102H)
- 2.0 ANTH credits from ANTH 2000Y (200), 2120Y (212), 2310Y (231) or 2400Y (240)
- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 3100Y (310) or 3990Y (399)
- 1.0 ANTH credit in addition to the above beyond the 2000-level

Please consult the academic timetable, available through myTrent, for information on courses that will be offered in 2011–2012 including when they will be scheduled.

Degree Program in Archaeology (New)

Notes

- Students are strongly advised to plan course selection carefully in order to acquire needed prerequisites and to prepare for graduate school or careers in different specialities. Advising information is available on the program website (www.trentu.ca/archaeology).
- Students are required to gain relevant archaeological field and/or laboratory experience through ANTH 3000Y or AHCL 3850Y or ANTH 3150Y. Alternatively, students may register in a field

school or lab methods course at another university by obtaining a Letter of Permission from the Office of the Registrar prior to registering in the course.

- Students already who have extensive field and/or laboratory experience (such as from previous archaeological employment) should consult with the program coordinator, who may consider waiving the requirement for a field or lab course.
- Courses fulfilling University science course requirements for the B.Sc. are marked (Sc.) in the individual course descriptions.
- Courses fulfilling the core 10.0 credits of the degree may not simultaneously satisfy the distributional requirements related to Categories A-D.
- Students considering graduate study should consult with program advisors for suggested language courses and other recommendations.

B.A. (Honours) in Archaeology

The Degree consists of at least 20.0 credits, including 10.0 credits in AHCL and/or ANTH:

Specialization in Anthropological Archaeology

- 1.0 credit from ANTH 1000Y (100), ANTH 1010H (101), ANTH 1020H (102), or AHCL 1001H; note prerequisites for 2000-level courses.
- 1.0 ANTH credit consisting of ANTH 2120Y (212)
- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 2000Y, 2310Y, or 2400Y
- 1.0 ANTH credit consisting of ANTH 3100Y (310)
- 1.0 credit from ANTH 3000Y (300), AHCL 3850Y (330), ANTH 3150Y, or equivalent field or lab experience
- 5.0 credits in addition to the above, chosen from at least three of the four categories (A-D) listed below. At least 4.0 of the credits must be beyond the 2000 level.

Specialization in Classical Archaeology

- 1.0 credit from ANTH 1000Y (100), ANTH 1010H (101), ANTH 1020H (102), or AHCL 1001H
- 1.0 ANTH credit consisting of ANTH 2120Y (212)
- 1.0 credit from ANTH 3000Y (300), AHCL 3850Y (330), ANTH 3150Y, or equivalent field or lab experience
- 2.0 AHCL credits consisting of AHCL 2100 and AHCL 2200
- 0.5 AHCL credit from AHCL 4001H, 4002H, or 4003H; must be in an archaeological subject.
- 4.5 credits in addition to the above, including at least 2.5 AHCL credits, chosen from at least three of the four categories (A-D) listed below. At least 4.0 of the credits must be beyond the 2000 level.
- ANTH 3100Y (310) is strongly recommended

B.Sc. (Honours) in Archaeology

The Degree in Archaeology consists of at least 20.0 credits, including 10.0 credits in AHCL and/or ANTH:

- 1.0 credit from ANTH 1000Y (100), ANTH 1010H (101), ANTH 1020H (102), or AHCL 1001H; note prerequisites for 2000-level courses.
- 1.0 ANTH credit consisting of ANTH 2120Y (212)
- 1.0 ANTH credit from ANTH 2000Y (200), 2310Y (231), or 2400Y (240)
- 1.0 ANTH credit consisting of ANTH 3100Y (310)

- 1.0 credit from ANTH 3000Y (300), AHCL 3850Y (330), ANTH 3150Y, or equivalent field or lab experience
- 5.0 credits in addition to the above; these must be beyond the 2000 level and chosen from at least three of the four categories (A-D) listed below.
- 14.0 science credits are required, including 1.0 MATH credit; MATH 1050Y is strongly recommended.

Category A (New World)

ANTH 3110Y (311), ANTH 3140Y (314), ANTH 3710H (371H), ANTH 3720H (372H), ANTH 3750H (375H), ANTH 4110Y (411), ANTH 4120Y (412), ANTH 4130Y (413), ANTH-CAST-INDG 4151Y

Category B (Old World)

AHCL-ANTH-GEOG 2230H (223H), AHCL-ANTH 2201H (220H), ANTH 3120Y (312), ANTH 3180H, AHCL-ANTH 3220Y (322), AHCL-ANTH 3240H (334H), AHCL-ANTH 3250H (325H), AHCL 3251, AHCL-ANTH 3252H

Category C (Methods)

ANTH 3000Y (300), ANTH 3150Y (315), ANTH-BIOL-FRSC 3415Y, ANTH 3650H (365H), ANTH-ERSC 3680H, ANTH 3730Y, AHCL 3850Y (330), ANTH 3995H, ANTH 4140H (414H), ANTH 4150 (415H), ANTH-AHCL 4410H, ANTH 4420H

Category D (Comparative Approaches)

AHCL 3101H, ANTH 3170Y, ANTH 4180H, ANTH 4170H, ANTH 4190H

Students who wish to include a Reading course, Special Topic course, or Thesis course that deals with archaeology as one of the 20.0 credits toward an Archaeology Degree must obtain written permission from the program coordinator in advance to register.

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