ANTHROPOLOGY (ANTH)

ANTH-102C Intro to Cultural Anthropology  3 Credits
The study of culture emphasizing culture’s origins and processes. Concepts and theories about culture that apply to life in both developing and developed societies with the aim of solving human problems.

ANTH-317 Modern China  3 Credits
A study of the political and social history of China from the mid-nineteenth century, when European aggression forced China on a path to modernization, to the present.

ANTH-320 Social & Cultural Change  3 Credits
The study of change, its processes and consequences in non-Western and contemporary societies. Special emphasis will be given to cross-cultural change involving migrants, minorities, religious contacts, as well as change at the personal level.

ANTH-334 Gender/Culture/Society  3 Credits
Gender as a social construction with powerful consequences is explored in this course along with those cultural values and ideologies which perpetuate the discourse of differences. Contemporary studies of gender cross-culturally will enable an appreciation of the broad diversity in the application of gender constructs and their resultant cultural effects.

ANTH-339 Area Studies in Anthropology  3 Credits
Area Studies is an intensive examination of specific regions of the world. Each course gives a brief survey of the region with attention to cultural history, ethnicity, family structure, political organization, technology, social structure, ethnopsychology, economics and ideologies present within the region. Issues of cultural difference and commonality, regional minority sub-cultural groups, and the role that this region plays within ‘global’ culture are also addressed. (This course may be repeated for credit.) Areas of study in the rotation may include: Latin America, Pacific Rim, Japan, Middle East, Oceania, East Asia, South East Asia, China, Korea, Northern Africa, Sub-Sahara Africa, Eastern Europe, Western Europe, North America, and North America Diaspora.

ANTH-343 Class,Race,Ethnicity & Gender  3 Credits
This course focuses on the distribution of power and resources across racial and ethnic/cultural groups, class structure, and gender. Phenomenological, institutional, and structural aspects of prejudice and discrimination are examined using the matrix of domination (the intersection of attributes related to class, race, ethnicity and gender) to explore the life experiences of individuals. 
Prerequisite: ANTH-102C or SOC-100C

ANTH-346 Human Sexuality  3 Credits
Human Sexuality provides an overview of human sexual anatomy, physiology, gender identity, sex role development and expression, modes of sexual expression, sexual deviation, the meaning of sexuality within relationships, and ethical considerations. 
Prerequisite: SOC-100C or PSYC-103C (preferably both), Junior or Senior standing

ANTH-358 World Religions  3 Credits
A comparison of the major non-Christian religions, with emphasis on their cultural origins, elements, forms, and symbols, and the role of religion as an institution in such societies.

ANTH-371 Urban Studies System  3 Credits
A study of urban life with emphasis on its organization, unique functions, and problems.

ANTH-375 Soc Issues of Health/Wellness  3 Credits

ANTH-442 Globalization & Development  3 Credits
Course considers anthropological approaches to the analysis of economic development and change, with special attention given to contemporary development concerns as perceived at the local level. The organization of large- and small-scale development organizations, including non-government organizations, in non-Western settings will also be examined. Class is also designed to meet the needs of students interested in participating in both overseas and domestic community/organizations/economic development.

ANTH-450 Anthropology Teaching Internship  1-3 Credits
Students may be a teaching intern for classes they have previously taken. Regular hours each week for classes and/or meetings are established at the beginning of the semester. The intern will assist the instructor in course-related activities. May be repeated for a maximum of six units.

ANTH-453 Language,Culture/Linguistics  3 Credits
This course surveys the acquisition and use of language within a cultural context. It examines the relationship of language to culture, language acquisition, and language analysis or linguistics, emphasizing the utility of such knowledge for educators. Stress is given to understanding language’s reciprocal relation with culture, the nature of language systems, and linguistic analysis to enable educators a better comprehension of second language acquisition within learning environments.

ANTH-455 Research Assistantship  1-4 Credits
The undergraduate research assistantship engages students in original research projects of the faculty or student’s own design. Its aim is to apply those skills learned in prior research design and methodology coursework and/or expand on these as appropriate to the student’s skill set. A research agenda will be developed with each student, which then becomes the guide for the class. May be repeated for credit.

ANTH-470 Special Topic in Anthropology  1-3 Credits
Study of a special topic in one of the fields of anthropology. May be repeated for credit.

ANTH-480 Individual Studies:  1-3 Credits
May be repeated for credit.