ANTH 1010.002 – Introduction to Anthropology (12466)
TuTh 3:30PM – 4:50PM Life A117 J. Johnson

Introduction to Anthropology. 3 hours. This course surveys and explains the cultural, linguistic and biological legacy of humankind, from antiquity to the present, using research tools of anthropology. Anthropology is both a scientific and humanistic endeavor that attempts to explain the differences and similarities between and among human groups. Anthropology studies where people come from, who they are, what they do, and why they do it.

Additional Notes: Satisfies the Social and Behavioral Sciences requirement of the University Core Curriculum.

ANTH 1010.810 – Introduction to Anthropology (12467)
Internet Course J. Johnson

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Additional Notes: Satisfies the Social and Behavioral Sciences requirement of the University Core Curriculum.

ANTH 1100.001 – World Cultures (12470)
TuTh 9:30AM – 10:50AM Th 121 A. Bass

World Cultures. 3 hours. Introduction to the ways humans, past and present, have thrived in three different cultural worlds: tribal, imperial, and commercial, including the interaction between people and their environments and the role of social power in determining the forms that human cultures have taken through history into the present day. Focuses on capitalism as a cultural form and examines its impacts on societies and groups in our increasingly interdependent world.

Additional Notes: Satisfies the Component Area Option A requirement of the University Core Curriculum.

ANTH 1150.810 – World Cultures through Film (12469)
Internet Course M. Nelson

World Cultures through Film. 3 hours. Through the use of ethnographic and documentary film, as well as lecture/discussion, this course illustrates the life ways, values and beliefs of human societies throughout the world. This survey includes examples from native North America, Latin America, Australia, Southeast Asia, Africa, East Asia, Melanesia, Polynesia, modern North America and Europe.
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Additional Notes: This course uses the discipline of anthropology to answer the question: How should we view cultural difference? We will explore this question through the theoretical prism of anthropology and case studies provided by ethnographic films. Specifically, we will discuss (a) the problems with ethnocentric portrayals of different cultures in mainstream cinema (ethnocentrism); (b) how cultures see themselves (the emic perspective); (c) whether we can compare cultures to each other (etic perspective); and finally, (d) what happens when different societies interact with each other in a globalized world (globalization).

Additional Notes: Satisfies the Component Area Option A requirement of the University Core Curriculum.

ANTH 2300.001 – Culture & Society (12471)
MWF 2:00PM – 2:50PM Cury 103 J. Carrington

Culture and Society. 3 hours. Cultural anthropology is the social science that tries to make sense out of people’s lifestyles around the world. It encompasses many subjects like law, religion, politics, health, language, economics, and globalization. It involves analyzing human ways of life with a holistic, comparative, global, and relativistic perspective. As we compare and contrast different cultures around the world, we will just as often analyze ourselves.

Additional Notes: Satisfies the Social and Behavioral Sciences requirement of the University Core Curriculum.

ANTH 2300.810 – Culture & Society (12774)
Internet Course J. Carrington

Culture and Society. 3 hours. Cultural anthropology is the social science that tries to make sense out of people’s lifestyles around the world. It encompasses many subjects like law, religion, politics, health, language, economics, and globalization. It involves analyzing human ways of life with a holistic, comparative, global, and relativistic perspective. As we compare and contrast different cultures around the world, we will just as often analyze ourselves.

Additional Notes: Satisfies the Social and Behavioral Sciences requirement of the University Core Curriculum.

ANTH 2700.002 – Introduction to Physical Anthropology (12621)
TuTh 11:00AM – 12:20PM Art 223 H. Gill-King

*Requires separately scheduled lab hours. Introduction to Physical Anthropology. 3 hours *(3:2). Study of human biological evolution from primate beginnings to the present era. Emphasis is placed upon anatomical and physiological variations and their adaptive significance. (Same as BIOL 2700.) May be used to satisfy a portion of the Natural Sciences requirement of the University Core Curriculum.
Introduction to Physical Anthropology Lab Hours

**ANTH 2700.300** (12622)
Th 3:00PM – 4:50PM   Life A112   Staff

**ANTH 2700.301** (12623)
We 3:00PM – 4:50PM   Life A112   Staff

**ANTH 2700.302** (12624)
Tu 1:00PM – 2:50PM   Life A112   Staff

**ANTH 2700.303** (12625)
We 6:00PM – 7:50PM   Life A112   Staff

**ANTH 2700.304** (12626)
Tu 3:00PM – 4:50PM   Life A112   Staff

**ANTH 2700.310** (12627)
Th 1:00PM – 2:50PM   Life A112   Staff

**ANTH 3101.810 – American Culture & Society** (12472)
Internet Course   A. Bass

American Culture and Society. 3 hours. Culture, cultural diversity and multiculturalism constitute some of the most significant social issues in America today. Oriented around the core concept of culture and cultural groups, the course is designed to introduce the student to the basic concepts of culture and cultural diversity, and develop an awareness and appreciation for the full range of diversity in the American (U.S.) culture. Special time and attention will be devoted to the origins, development and consequences of the diversity that plays such a central role in the lives of people in this nation-state culture.

Additional Notes: Satisfies the Language, Philosophy and Culture requirement of the University Core Curriculum.

**ANTH 3110.810 – Indigenous Peoples of North America** (12773)
INTERNET COURSE   A. Dunstan

Indigenous Peoples of North America. 3 hours. Examines the common stereotypes and media (mis)interpretations of Indigenous peoples and cultures in order to see beyond such one-dimensional portrayals of the American Indian. Introduction to a number of important themes in the history of Native American peoples over the last 500 years, including colonization and culture change. Students will gain a sense of the richness and diversity of Native American culture and experience.

Additional Notes: Satisfies the Language, Philosophy and Culture requirement of the University Core Curriculum.
ANTH 3130.001 – African American Anthropology (18281)
Tu 6:00PM – 8:50PM       BLB 015       K. Wren

African American Anthropology. 3 hours. This class develops a "double consciousness," of knowledge of African American (or Black) culture in the United States, the impact of Blacks on mainstream American culture, and vice versa. It covers the role of U.S. history, politics and economics as having shaped and been shaped by the presence of people of African descent on this continent and in this hemisphere, including historical roots, classic literature, religion, social structural aspects of African-American culture, oral traditions, identity, and representation.

ANTH 3220.001 – Mayan Culture (17092)
MoWeFr 9:00AM – 9:50AM       Wh 116       A. Re Cruz

Mayan Culture. 3 hours. Holistic understanding of the ancient Maya civilization, illuminating crucial economic, political, and ideological contemporary processes; exploring the analysis of intriguing symbolism embedded in ancient Maya culture; and understanding colonial and current Maya rebellions.

Additional Notes: Satisfies the Language, Philosophy and Culture requirement of the University Core Curriculum.

ANTH 3400.001 – Peoples & Cultures of Africa (13383)
MoWeFr 12:00PM – 12:50PM       CHEM 352       D. Henry

Peoples and Cultures of Africa. 3 hours. The diversity of African people and culture through a variety of sources - ethnographies, films, literature, and narratives. The reality of life in contemporary Africa as well as the way it has been portrayed by anthropologists, explorers, historians, and the media. Looks in detail at the continent's rich geography, environment, history, politics, religion, economics, and ethnicities, as well as the challenges that current events in Africa pose for the rest of the world.

ANTH 3500.001 – Cultures & Civilizations of the Middle East (12640)
Th 6:30PM – 9:20PM       CHEM 352       M. Sadri

Cultures and Civilizations of the Middle East. 3 hours. The prehistory, history, and contemporary situation of one of the most unusual areas of cultural diversity and human adaptation in the world. Special attention is given to the Colonial and religious history of the area that underlies much of its current problems. Its unique role in the developing world economic system will be addressed, as well as those current phenomenon which make it such a volatile area.

Additional Notes: Satisfies the Language, Philosophy and Culture requirement of the University Core Curriculum.
ANTH 4000.001 – Applied Anthropology (12763)
MoWeFri 11:00AM – 11:50AM  ENV 115  L. Henry

Applied Anthropology. 3 hours. Course is concerned with the development, theory, methods and approaches of applied anthropology. Through case materials, the course examines both the current and historical roles and contributions of the various subfields in the application of anthropology to the problems of culture. Special attention is directed at developing some understanding and appreciation of the problems and ethics involved in applied or practical activities and to developing the necessary skills and methods for assuming such a role as an applied anthropologist.

ANTH 4011.001 – Anthropological Field Methods (14653)
TuTh 12:30PM – 1:50PM  WH 113  M. Nelson

Anthropological Field Methods. 3 hours. Course concentrates on the field methods of anthropology, in particular, the various data gathering techniques, methods of analysis and field techniques of "participant observation." In addition to acquiring the skills of the participant observation method, the student also gains an increased awareness, understanding and appreciation of the problems associated with conducting research in cultures other than their own. Special attention is devoted to the interactional aspects of dealing with people from a variety of cultural backgrounds. Prerequisite(s): ANTH 1010 or 2250 or consent of department.

Additional Notes: This course is geared towards students that have already taken ANTH 2300. In particular, this course is recommended for junior and senior Anthropology majors. If you are not an anthropology major you should email the instructor before registering for this course. The perspective of this class through Professor Nelson’s instruction is very conceptual. It requires excellent attendance, participation, and an effort to be out of your comfort zone.

ANTH 4021.001 – Development of Anthropological Thought (12643)
TuTh 9:30AM – 10:50AM  Env 115  J. Johnson

*Prerequisite(s): ANTH 2300 or consent of department.

Development of Anthropological Thought. 3 hours. Overview of the history of Anthropological thought from its origins to the contemporary schools of Anthropology, with emphasis on the scientific, intellectual and sociopolitical causes and consequences of changes in major conceptual orientations to man and culture.

Additional Notes: This course is recommended for junior and senior Anthropology majors.

ANTH 4200.001 – Health, Healing and Culture: Medical Anthropology (14067)
MoWeFri 10:00AM – 10:50AM  Wh 316  TBD

Health, Healing and Culture: Medical Anthropology. 3 hours. Presents contemporary medical anthropology, with a focus on the biocultural basis of health and global sociocultural variations in illness and healing. Includes study of comparative health systems, political-economic and ethical issues in health and care, health professions,
patients' views of illness, and cross-cultural definitions and understandings of disease, illness, and cure.

**ANTH 4300.810 – Migrants & Refugees** *(12639)*
Internet Course  
A. Bass

Migrants & Refugees. 3 hours. An anthropological understanding of "uprooted" and displaced social groups who leave their country and culture. Worldwide political, economic, and social issues are analyzed as are the processes of accommodation, adaptation and recreation of their cultural systems in different socio-economic and political contexts. Beginning with general characteristics of the anthropological discussion on "displacement," the course then ventures into different models for the analysis and understanding of migration and refugee movements.

**ANTH 4400.001 – Environmental Anthropology** *(12613)*
TuTh 3:30PM – 4:50PM  
Curry 110  
A. Dunstan

Environmental Anthropology. 3 hours. Major environmental questions, theories, problems, issues, and possible solutions illustrated by case studies from different cultures around the world. Environmental issues pertaining to land, sea and natural resources, food production systems, deforestation, population problems, poverty and environmental justice, natural hazards and risks, resource conflicts and warfare, over-fishing, economic development, mineral and oil extraction, landscapes, ecofeminism, and biodiversity conservation.

**ANTH 4550.001 – Race, Ethnicity, & Identity** *(14172)*
TuTh 11:00AM – 12:20PM  
ENV 115  
J. Carrington

Race, Ethnicity, and Identity. 3 hours. How race, ethnicity, and identity operate as categories of social inequality. Draws on critical perspectives of race and ethnicity to analyze how they work as overlapping categories of both inclusion and exclusion that are used to divide, rank, and discriminate. Discussion of possible ways to overturn the social injustices caused by ethnic and racial subordination as currently experienced in the U.S.

**ANTH 4701.004 – Urban Anthropology** *(12772)*
TuTh 2:00PM – 3:20PM  
MATT 102  
A. Nelson

Topics in Sociocultural Anthropology. 3 hours. Selected topics of interest and significance in sociocultural anthropology. While this course is offered on a regular basis, particular topics are taught irregularly. Prerequisite(s): ANTH 1010 or ANTH 2300, or consent of department. May be repeated for credit as topics vary.

**Additional Notes:** Urban Anthropology. 3 hours. As more of the world's population settles in cities, anthropologists have increasingly shifted their sites of study from rural to urban settings. Despite this new geographic focus, it remains debatable whether anthropological studies merely take place in urban settings or are of the city. Our goal in this class is to question how anthropological insights and methods might contribute to our understandings of urban phenomena. In order to do so, we will ask the following big questions: (1) What is a city? What sort of conditions produced this spatial category in different parts of the world throughout history? (2) How did the industrial revolution reshape the city and structure
contemporary notions of spatial planning, social engineering and capitalist production? (3) What is the future of the city in the postmodern, post-industrial and post-national global era? Will future cities reduce or exacerbate social and economic inequality? (4) How have social and economic histories shaped the layout and structure of contemporary Denton and Dallas? Students will be asked to apply course material to their own ethnographic projects.

**ANTH 4701.039 – Stuff & Things**  
MoWeFr 2:00PM – 2:50PM  
GAB 438  
J. Johnson

Topics in Sociocultural Anthropology. 3 hours. Selected topics of interest and significance in sociocultural anthropology. While this course is offered on a regular basis, particular topics are taught irregularly. Prerequisite(s): ANTH 1010 or ANTH 2300, or consent of department. May be repeated for credit as topics vary.

Additional Notes: Stuff & Things. 3 hours. This course approaches human relationships in and with the material world from an anthropological perspective. Equipped with an array of theoretical perspectives and methodologies to analyze material culture ranging from art, architecture and adornment to tools, technology and transportation, students will study how people create, value, exchange, consume, contest, discard and dwell in a world of “stuff and things”.

**External Courses with Relevance to Anthropology Majors**

**ARCH 2800.001 – Archaeological Science**  
MoWeFri 9:00AM – 9:50AM  
Matt 311  
Staff

Archaeological Science. 3 hours. Human prehistory and methods of scientific investigation; emphasizes archaeological cultures from early hominid sites in East Africa to entry of peoples into the New World. Course stresses methods of interdisciplinary research, including geology, paleo-environmental reconstruction, paleo-diet and artifact-faunal analysis. Labs employ artifacts and bones for study. May be used to satisfy a portion of the Natural Sciences requirement of the University Core Curriculum.

**Archaeological Science Lab Hours**

**ARCH 2800.300** (3133)  
Tu 11:00AM – 12:50PM  
ENV 241  
Staff

**ARCH 2800.301** (3134)  
Tu 9:00AM – 10:50AM  
ENV 241  
Staff

**ARCH 2800.302** (3135)  
We 10:00AM – 11:50AM  
ENV 241  
Staff

**ARCH 2800.303** (13991)  
Tu 1:00PM – 2:50PM  
ENV 241  
Staff

**ARCH 2800.304** (4695)  
Mon 11:00AM – 12:50PM  
ENV 241  
Staff
ARCH 4620.024 – Classical Archaeology (17957)
TuTh 11:00AM – 12:20PM PHYS 112 Gallagher

Topics in Archaeology. 3 hours. Selected topics of interest and significance in archaeology. Subjects such as historic archaeology, Texas archaeology, New World archaeology, Old World archaeology and Meso-American archaeology are potential topics offered during different semesters. Prerequisite(s) : ARCH 2800

Archaeology
Any ARCH 3**/4*** course fulfills Advanced Elective Credit towards the Anthropology Major degree plan.

Ethnomusicology
Any MUET 3***/4*** course fulfills Advanced Elective Credit towards the Anthropology Major degree plan.

Outside Electives
*Any one of the following courses fulfills the 3 hr. outside elective credit towards the Anthropology Major degree plan.

PHIL 3330 – Modern Philosophy (4940)
MoWeFr 9:00AM-9:50AM SAGE 231 Thompson

3 hours. Advanced examination of selected philosophical thought from the Renaissance to the 19th century including Continental rationalism, British Empiricism and Kant. Prerequisite(s): None.

GEOG 1200 – Global Societies (3138)
MoWeFr 10:00AM-10:50AM CHEM 352 Oppong

3 hours. Explores the changing world by understanding how the far and near are connected by globalization, why markets rise and fall, why income gaps and international poverty persists, how terror and conflicts are produced, and how cultures are re-invented.

Prerequisite(s): None. Core Category: Social and Behavioral Sciences

PHIL 2600 – Ethics in Science
Multiple Sections

3 hours. Survey of the philosophical relationships between ethics (including political and cultural values) and science (as a practice and form of inquiry). Topics include research ethics, experimentation on animals, biotechnology, information technology, gender in science, religion and science, and science policy. Prerequisite(s): None. Core Category: Language, Philosophy and Culture

HIST 1050 – World History to the Sixteenth Century
Multiple Sections
3 hours. From the origins of civilization to the 16th century. Prerequisite(s): None. Core Category: Language, Philosophy and Culture

**GEOG 2170 – Culture, Environment and Society (3137)**
MoWeFr 10:00AM-10:50AM Th 120 Fry

3 hours. Exploration of the dynamic relations between culture and environment addressing ethnic diversity and conflict, development and underdevelopment, settlement patterns, movement of commodities and people (including refugees), and environmental degradation. Prerequisite(s): None.

**HIST 1060 – World History from the Sixteenth Century**
TuTh 11:00AM-12:20PM Cury 203 TBD

3 hours. World civilization from 1500 to the present. Prerequisite(s): None. Core Category: Language, Philosophy and Culture

*Internet Sections Available*