

USING ANTHROPOLOGY TO SERVE STUDENTS

My Education

B.A in Social Science, Anthropology
Master of Public Administration Candidate

Programs I Manage

UNT Food Pantry Presented by Kroger
Mean Green Gowns for Grads
UNT Community Garden
UNT Natural Dye Garden
Campus Green Fund

Marketable Skills From Anthropology

Cultural Competency & Advocacy
Project Management
Holistic Problem Solving
Participatory Action Solutions
Collecting & Presenting Data
Grant Writing
Communication
Intentional Policy Creation



How I Use Anthropology To Serve Students

- **Advocacy:** As a resource hub for students, our department frequently advocates for underrepresented and underserved populations in our community.
- **Participatory Action:** Anthropology teaches the importance of putting patron's voices at the forefront of program creation and implementation. We engage with students directly; asking them to provide input whenever they like.
- **Communication:** Working in higher education requires communication across various departments and stakeholders.
- **Data:** Collecting data and presenting it is key to increasing success of a program, identifying any faults, and can be helpful when requesting monetary support.
- **Holistic Problem Solving:** Anthropology teaches us to identify and provide solutions to problems in unique ways that put the students at the forefront of the conversation.

From *Anthropologist* to *Geographer* to *Environmentalist* to *Public Administrator*...

Anthropology provides a holistic understanding of concepts that can be applied to various career paths. With my anthropology background, I was able to pursue a career in a field with that allowed me to live my passions for environmental protection, community engagement, and providing services to those in need.



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