ANTHROPOLOGY (ANT)

ANT 100 Selected Topics (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Exploration of a topic (to be determined) not covered by the standard curriculum but of interest to faculty and students in a particular semester. Repeatable

ANT 111 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Economics, politics, religion, symbolism, rites of passage, developmental cycle, and expressive culture. Required for Anthropology majors. Shared Competencies: Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 112 Introduction to African American Studies (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with AAS 112

Historical and sociopolitical materials. Approaches to studying the African American experience, antecedents from African past, and special problems.

University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible Shared Competencies: Civic and Global Responsibility (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/civic-and-global-responsibility/)

ANT 121 Peoples and Cultures of the World (3 Credits)

Maxwel

Case studies of global cultural diversity. Exploration of daily life, rites of passage, marriage, family, work, politics, social life, religion, ritual, and art among foraging, agricultural, and industrial societies.

University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible

ANT 131 Introduction to Biological Anthropology (3 Credits)

Biological anthropology subfields; anthropology's relationship to history of science. Evolutionary theory; mechanisms of evolution; survey of the non-human primates; humans ancestral to modern Homo sapiens; and modern human variation. Required for Anthropology majors. University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 141 Introduction to Archaeology and Prehistory (3 Credits) Maxwell

Survey of the prehistoric past spanning the origins of humankind through the rise of complex societies. Class activities and field trips provide a hands on introduction to archaeological interpretation. Shared Competencies: Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 145 Archaeology of and in the Modern World (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with HST 145

Role of history and archaeology in our understanding of 17th- to 19th-century Europe, Africa, and America. Historical archaeology as a mechanism to critique perceptions of the past. Firsthand record of ethnic groups and cultural settings not recorded in writing.

University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible

ANT 180 International Course (1-12 Credits)

Maxwell

Offered through SUAbroad by educational institution outside the United States. Student registers for the course at the foreign institution and is graded according to that institution's practice. SUAbroad works with the SU academic department to assign the appropriate course level, title, and grade for the student's transcript.

Repeatable

ANT 185 Global Encounters: Comparing World Views & Values Cross-Culturally (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Predominant views of reality and values in the cultures of Asia, Africa, and the Americas. Humanistic study of cultures and nature of cross-cultural understanding.

University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible Shared Competencies: Civic and Global Responsibility (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/civic-and-global-responsibility/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 200 Selected Topics (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Exploration of a topic (to be determined) not covered by the standard curriculum but of interest to faculty and students in a particular semester. Repeatable

ANT 202 Diversity of World Languages (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with LIN 202

Broad survey of world languages, language diversity, identity, contact, and shift. Non-technical overview of linguistic phenomena, language documentation, preservation, and revitalization.

ANT 221 Morality and Community (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with REL 221

Examines how globally diverse religious groups create distinct moral systems in order to provide their members with the feeling of belonging to unique and meaningful communities.

Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/); Civic and Global Responsibility (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/civic-and-global-responsibility/)

ANT 249 Archaeology at the Movies: The Scientific Study of the Past in Popular Culture (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Introduction to modern archaeology and the scientific study of the past. Utilizing fictional portrayals of archaeological interpretation in popular culture the course examines some of the major research questions of modern anthropology.

Shared Competencies: Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 270 Experience Credit (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Participation in a discipline- or subject-related experience. Students must be evaluated by written or oral reports or an examination. Limited to those in good academic standing.

Repeatable

ANT 273 Indigenous Religions (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with REL 244, NAT 244

The connections between material life and religious life in cultures throughout the world. The diverse ways that various cultures inhabit their landscapes.

Shared Competencies: Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 280 International Course (1-12 Credits)

Maxwell

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Repeatable

ANT 290 Independent Study (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

In-depth exploration of a problem or problems. Individual independent study upon a plan submitted by the student. Admission by consent of supervising instructor or instructors and the department.

Repeatable

ANT 300 Selected Topics (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Exploration of a topic (to be determined) not covered by the standard curriculum but of interest to faculty and students in a particular semester. Repeatable

ANT 311 Anthropological Theory (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Anthropological theory focusing on debates about human nature, cultural and racial diversity, and the goals of anthropology as a discipline. Required for majors.

ANT 312 Race, Ethnicity & Cities (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Social and cultural variation throughout cities of the world. Historical, political, familial, and symbolic aspects of ethnicity, race, and social class in urban areas.

ANT 318 African Cultures (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Selected contemporary African cultures. West Africa and the impact of the slave trade. Aspects of colonialism and neocolonialism and their relationship to current social and political development.

ANT 322 South American Cultures (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with LAS 318

Archaeology and cultural history. Racial, linguistic, and cultural areas from 1492 to today. Studies of contemporary Indian and Mestizo populations.

ANT 323 Peoples and Cultures of North America (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with NAT 323

Racial, linguistic, and cultural areas of North America from the Rio Grande to the Arctic. Selected areas and tribes. Data from archaeology, historical records, and contemporary anthropological fieldwork.

Shared Competencies: Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 324 Modern South Asian Cultures (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with SAS 324, WGS 324

Societies of India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, and Sri Lanka. Social organization, economic and political structures, religions and world view, survey of languages, the arts. Transition and modernization, rural and urban problems.

ANT 325 Anthropology of American Life in Film (3 Credits)

Maxwel

Analysis of American culture using film and literature. Concept of "national character." Major cultural configurations and themes.

University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible
Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 326 Africa Through the Novel (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with WGS 327

Cultural, political, and social life of Africa and Africans through African literature. Each semester deals with a motif (e.g., novels of Achebe).

ANT 327 Anthropology of Race in Latin America and the Caribbean (3 Credits)

Maxwell. Arts & Sciences

Double-numbered with ANT 627

History of racial ideologies in Latin America and the Caribbean; interactions of racial ideologies with self concepts and life chances; racial ideologies' shaping of expressive culture and religion; antiracism movements and legislation; race and transnational migration.

ANT 331 Primate Evolution & Ethology (3 Credits)

Maxwel

Evolution of nonhuman primates and behavior patterns of their living descendants.

Prereq: ANT 131

ANT 332 Intro to Forensic Anthropology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Introduction to the analysis of human skeletal remains to determine a biological profile of the deceased. Methods used by forensic anthropologists, including osteological, archaeological, and cross-cultural techniques are studied as applied to medicolegal investigations.

ANT 342 Archaeology of American Life (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Examines archaeological studies of 19th-century life in the United States. Topics include: the archaeology of slavery, race, labor, social reform, public institutions (prisons, asylums, almshouses, etc.), health and sanitation, and industrialization.

ANT 343 The Maya: Ancient and Modern (3 Credits)

Maxwell

This course provides an introduction to the history and culture of the Maya; from the deep past to the modern world. Anthropologically informed archaeological, documentary and ethnographic research will quide our critical exploration.

ANT 345 Cyborgs, Aliens & Other Worlds (3 Credits)

Maxwell

This course provides students an introduction to anthropological and archaeological concepts, ideas, perspectives and critiques via the medium of science fiction novels, short stories and film.

ANT 346 Gender In The Past (3 Credits)

Maxwell

The study of gender and sexuality in archaeology from the late Stone Age to the 1800s

ANT 348 Mummies, Tombs, and Treasure (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Drawing on exciting discoveries from the history of archaeology the course traces the fields history from the first antiquarians to the emergence of the field as a scientific discipline.

Shared Competencies: Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 352 Food, Culture and Identity (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Offered only in London. Introduction to a variety of critical approaches; questions about power and representation; role of food in construction of identity.

Prereq: Renee Crown Honors program or 3.4 minimum GPA

ANT 355 Spanish Society and Pop Culture (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with SOC 345

Offered only in Madrid. Explores what is considered important, good, and fashionable in Spain today and how these values relate to historical developments as well as foreign influences.

Prereq: SPA 201

ANT 356 Applied Anthropology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Describes past and present uses of anthropology in social policy. Examines the discipline's role in addressing global issues such as economic development, environmental degradation, indigenous rights, refugees, and health care. Careers in nonacademic settings.

ANT 357 Health, Healing, and Culture (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-cultural perspective on illness, health, medicine, and the body; medical pluralism; biomedicalization; illness and moral reasoning; local and global political economies of health and healing; globalization and medicine. Applied medical anthropology.

Shared Competencies: Communication Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/communication-skills/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 358 Peace, War and Security (3 Credits)

Maxwel

Anthropology of peace, war and security examining the biological basis for war, archaeology of early warfare, effects of colonial expansion among indigenous peoples and postcolonial society, contemporary peacekeeping, and humanitarian intervention.

ANT 363 Anthropology of Family Life (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with WGS 363

Historical and cross-cultural study of forms of family and domestic organization, marriage, status and sex roles, ideals, and customs of family life.

ANT 365 Sexual Attraction in Cross-cultural Perspective (3 Credits) Maxwell

Sexual attractiveness across cultures. Cultural differences as well as cultural universals.

ANT 367 Gender in a Globalizing World (3 Credits)

Maxwel

Cross-listed with WGS 367, GEO 367

Economic and cultural processes of globalization as they affect different groups of men, women, and households; including gender and work, development and environmental change, and redefinitions of masculinity and femininity across the globe.

University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 371 Dimensions of Bilingualism and Multiculturalism (3 Credits)

Cross-listed with LIN 371

Double-numbered with LIN 671, ANT 671

Foundations, theory, and practice of bilingual/bicultural education. Critical concepts of linguistic, sociolinguistic, psycholinguistic issues and methods as applied to bilingualism/multiculturalism. Additional work required of graduate students.

Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/); Civic and Global Responsibility (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/civic-and-global-responsibility/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 373 Magic and Religion (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Crosscultural study of magical and religious behavior, ritual, and belief systems in simple and complex societies. Specialists and their craft: shamans, priests. Curing, possession, witchcraft. Millennial and counterculture movements. Religious ideologies and innovations. University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible Shared Competencies: Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 374 Topics in Sociolinguistics (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with LIN 374, SOC 372

Double-numbered with LIN 674, SOC 672, ANT 674

Functions of language in society. Geographical, socioeconomic, and male-female differentiation. Functions of various types of speech events. Requirements include a research project.

Repeatable 2 times for 6 credits maximum

University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible Shared Competencies: Civic and Global Responsibility (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/civic-and-global-responsibility/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 375 Forensic Linguistics (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with LIN 375

Double-numbered with LIN 675, ANT 675

Examines the application of core linguistic concepts, (including concepts of socio-psychological/pragmatic/discourse analysis), and interpretive techniques to investigate crimes, and other legal matters in which language data is used as pertinent evidence. Additional work required of graduate students.

Shared Competencies: Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 376 Folklore (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Folklore as a cultural system expressing the value orientations of nonliterate, illiterate, and minority populations. Various genres of folklore (myth, song, art) and the folklore of several specific societies.

ANT 377 Quilts and Community (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Explores role of quilts and quilting communities. Discussion, films, exploration of quilts and their makers-and communities that result. Class learns quilt making process. No sewing experience required.

ANT 378 Language Variation and Change (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with LIN 373

Double-numbered with LIN 673, ANT 678

An exploration of the theories, qualitative and quantitative methods, and the ideological, social, cultural, linguistic and structural factors involved in the study of language variation and change. Additional work required of graduate students.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: LIN 201

University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/); Civic and Global Responsibility (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/civic-and-global-responsibility/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 380 International Course (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

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Repeatable

ANT 381 Ancient Rituals and Beliefs in Modern Spain (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Offered only in Madrid. From Paleolithic and Neolithic settlements of the Iberian Peninsula to modern immigration into Spain, this course examines the complex layering of ancient belief systems in a modern country, using Spain as a laboratory.

Shared Competencies: Communication Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/communication-skills/)

ANT 382 Health in the Middle East (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with PHP 382, MES 382

Surveys major cultural, biological and environmental features of the Middle East and relates them to aspects of health including infectious disease, chronic disease, reproductive health, population, war, poverty and globalization.

ANT 390 Independent Study (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Exploration of a problem, or problems, in depth. Individual independent study upon a plan submitted by the student. Admission by consent of supervising instructor(s) and the department.

Repeatable

ANT 400 Selected Topics (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Exploration of a topic (to be determined) not covered by the standard curriculum but of interest to faculty and students in a particular semester Repeatable

ANT 402 Ethnic History of Britain (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with HST 422

Offered only in London. Examines the ways in which migration has shaped and reworked British national identity over the past two thousand years through the study of original historical sources, literature, film and music, and explores the contributions that migrants have made to modern British society.

ANT 405 Conservation and Management Protected Areas: South Africa-OTS (4 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with GEO 405

Taught in South Africa through the Organization for Tropical Studies program. Analyze management of wildlife and natural resources within ecological, political, social, historical, and economic context of South Africa.

ANT 406 History and Culture of South Africa OTS (4 Credits)

Maxwell

Taught in South Africa through OTS program. Human history of South Africa. Range of cultural, social aspects of current South African society. Origin and maintenance of cultural diversity of region, archaeological records, early migration patterns.

ANT 407 Environment and Policy in the Tropics OTS (4 Credits) Maxwell

Taught in Costa Rica through OTS program. Issues conservation biology and policy: habitat degradation and fragmentation, design of nature reserves, land-use planning, agro ecosystems, environmental economics, and conservation ethics.

ANT 408 The Practice of Eros:A History of Sexuality in Europe (1400-1800) (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with HST 408, WGS 408

Authorized and "alternative" sexuality in Europe 15th to 18th centuries (especially Italy, France, and England.) "Licit love" (courtship, marriage, conjugal relations) as opposed to "illicit unions" (adultery, rape, prostitution, bestiality, homosexuality, lesbianism). Offered only in Florence.

ANT 409 A History of Witchcraft (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with HST 409, REL 409, WGS 409

History of witchcraft from various perspectives: its intellectual roots, the causes and dynamics of the witch-hunt, and the beliefs and self-perceptions of those who were called "witches". Offered only in Florence. Shared Competencies: Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 414 Cities, Spaces and Power (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 614

Processes of urbanization, migration, adjustments of peasants in cities, ethnic and cultural variation in urban areas. Cultural differences in industrial development. Uses of applied anthropology in urban situations. Sometimes offered abroad.

ANT 415 Culture &Personality (3 Credits)

Maxwell

The person-in-culture and the function of culture in personality formation. Cross-cultural problems of child rearing, learning and education, life-cycle patterns, cultural conditioning, normality, and deviance. The individual and cultural milieu.

ANT 416 Political Anthropology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 616

Social power in the global political economy. Co-existence of various emergent and residual social formations such as tribe, peasant, and state. Conflicts over identities in terms of nationality, gender, ethnicity, race and/or class. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 417 Economic Anthropology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Survey of primitive modes of production: major adaptive strategies (collecting, hunting, horticulture, and pastoralism), division of labor, and ecological influences impinging on these productive techniques.

Prereq: ANT 111

ANT 421 Gender & Sexuality in South Asia (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with SAS 421

Double-numbered with ANT 621, SAS 622

Seminar examines gender and sexuality in South Asia through ethnographies and films. Topics explored relating to gender and sexuality include: colonialism; nationalism; development; globalization; kinship; the life cycle; caste and class; religion; same-sex/"third sex" identities. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 422 Etruscans and Romans: Ancient Art and Society in Italy (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with HOA 303

Explores art and society of ancient Italy from ca. 1000 B.C. to A.D. 138, with special emphasis on the early Etruscans through Rome under Hadrian. Requires previous course in art history. Offered only in Florence.

ANT 423 Effects of Globalization in Latin America (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with LAS 423

Double-numbered with ANT 623, LAS 623

A grassroots view of major transformations in Latin America due to globalization/global change, including adaptations to global warming, effects of and reactions to neo-liberal policies, internal and international migration, ethnic movements and social revolutions.

ANT 424 Negotiation: Theory and Practice (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 624

Negotiation skills for resolving differences effectively and achieving mutually satisfying outcomes. Position based versus interest based negotiation. Advanced techniques of communication such as chunking, reframing, anchoring, metaphor and rapport to obtain negotiation outcomes of excellence. Additional work required of graduate students. Shared Competencies: Communication Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/communicationskills/)

ANT 426 Cultures and Politics of Afghanistan and Pakistan (3 Credits)

Maxwell, Arts & Sciences

Cross-listed with LAS 426

Double-numbered with ANT 626, LAS 626

Introduction to Afghanistan and Pakistan, recent histories, cultures, current politics. Covers geography, religious systems, gender roles, economic systems, foreign policy issues, refugees, migration. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 427 Brazil: Anthropological Perspectives (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 627

History and culture of Brazil; indigenous populations; Afro-Brazilians; race and ethnic relations; development; kinship; gender; religion; urbanization; politics; nationalism; globalization. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 428 Transformation of Eastern Europe (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 629

Change and continuity after the demise of communism as experienced by ordinary citizens. Transformations in agriculture, industry, social, and political institutions; the rise of ethnic nationalism; and ethnic conflict. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 431 Human Variation (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Genetics as applied by anthropologists to humans. Description of the genetic systems most commonly studied. Descriptions of polygenic, polymorphic variations and the methods by which they are gathered.

ANT 433 Human Osteology (3 Credits)

Maxwel

Double-numbered with ANT 633

This course is an intensive study of the human skeletal system. The focus is identification of fragmentary skeletal elements and their osseous structure, skills relevant to archaeological and forensic contexts. Laboratory practicum forms the basis.

ANT 434 Anthropology of Death (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 634

Death in anthropological perspective. Survey of the many ways death has entered into the work of archaeologists, biological anthropologists, ethnographers and social theorists.

ANT 436 Bioarchaeology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 636

Surveys the analysis of human skeletal remains in archaeological and medico-legal settings. Methods and techniques of analysis and interpretation will be emphasized. Case studies will be used to illustrate application to variable social and historical contexts. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 438 Beyond the Biological Need to Eat: The Archaeology of Food (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 638

What does it mean for something to be "good to eat?" Survey of anthropological and archaeological perspectives on how culture, politics, and power inform what and how we eat. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 439 Climate Change and Human Origins (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with EAR 407

Double-numbered with EAR 607, ANT 639

This course considers the influence of long term climate changes on hominid evolution and human adaptation, as well as how abrupt climate events and transitions may have impacted the distribution of human populations, the development of agriculture, human conflict and societal change. Additional work required of graduate students.

Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://

coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/)

ANT 440 Topics in African Archaeology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 640

Topics might include West African Archaeology, Iron Age and Stone Age Africa, the Nile Valley, and East and Southern Africa. Additional work required of graduate students.

Repeatable

Prereq: ANT 141 or 145

ANT 442 Methods in Archaeology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 642

Formulation and conduct of archaeological research with a focus on field and laboratory methods used to obtain and analyze data. Survey techniques, excavation strategies, archaeological classification, and data base management. Additional work required of graduate students.

Prereq: ANT 141 or 145

Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/); Communication Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/communication-skills/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 443 Field Methods in Archaeology (6 Credits)

Maxwell

Supervised training in the excavation of archaeological sites, including analysis, cataloging and accessioning of artifacts.

Repeatable

ANT 444 Laboratory Analysis in Archaeology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 644

Introduction to archaeo-logical materials analysis, artifact-classification systems, processing of data, materials analyses (ceramic, lithic, etc.). Conservation and curation of collections. Extra work required of graduate students.

Prereq: ANT 141 or 145

Shared Competencies: Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-andresearch-skills/)

ANT 445 Public Policy and Archaeology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with NAT 445

Double-numbered with ANT 645, NAT 645

Proactive critique of public policy and implementation efforts to preserve and protect archaeological and historical sites and resources. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 446 Caribbean Archaeology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 646

Caribbean archaeology from the region's early prehistory through the historic period. Cultural diversity, indigenous societies, Hispanic and colonial impacts, and the African Diaspora.

ANT 447 Archaeology of North America (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with NAT 447

Double-numbered with ANT 647, NAT 647

Introduction to the regional prehistory of North America north of Mexico, from the late Pleistocene until European contact. Adaptation of prehistoric human populations to their ecosystems. Additional work required of graduate students.

Prereq: ANT 141 or 145

ANT 448 Imperial Remains: The Archaeology of Colonialism (3 Credits) Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 648

This course provides an introduction to the archaeology and anthropology of colonialism, with a particular focus on the variety of approaches to the study of colonization used by archaeologists. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 449 World Heritage Sites (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 649

A seminar exploring global perspectives on UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Review of laws and policies aimed at protecting cultural and natural sites that have been defined as universally significant. Includes evaluation and critique of policies and practices. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 450 Undergrad Research Prog (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Repeatable

ANT 452 Anthropology and Public Policy (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 652

Cultural aspects of the development and implementation of public policy. Emphasizing decision making methodologies and ethnographic studies of the consequences of implemented policies. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 453 Poverty, Policy, and Human Services (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 653

National programs and local interventions that address poverty related social conditions in Syracuse and Onondaga county. Field study of current policies and practices in government and in health, education, and human services agencies. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 455 Culture and AIDS (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with WGS 455

Double-numbered with ANT 655, WGS 655

Relationship between AIDS and cultures in which it spreads. Cultural practices and sexuality and social effects of widespread AIDS, including healthcare in Asia, Africa, Latin America, and USA. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 456 Representations of Indigenous Peoples in Popular Culture (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with NAT 456

Double-numbered with ANT 656, NAT 656

Contested images used by colonizers and other non-indigenous people to represent Native Americans and other indigenous peoples. How indigenous people represent themselves in a variety of media. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 459 Contemporary Native North American Issues (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with NAT 459

Double-numbered with ANT 659, NAT 659

Contemporary issues including federal Indian policy, population controls, fishing rights, religious freedom, land disputes, gaming, repatriation, environmental colonialism, and Native American artistic response. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 461 Museums and Native Americans (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with NAT 461

Double-numbered with ANT 661, NAT 661

The contested relationships among Native North Americans and museums from earliest contact until the present. Topics include: "salvage" ethnography, collecting practices, exhibition, and recent shifts in power. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 462 Culture and Reproductive Health and Medicine (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with WGS 462, PHP 462

Double-numbered with ANT 662, PHP 662

Cultural anthropological approaches to cross-cultural variations in reproductive practices (pregnancy, childbirth, infertility, etc.) Impact of globalization, biomedicalization, international development on reproduction and reproductive health. Medical anthropology and gender studies.

Shared Competencies: Civic and Global Responsibility (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/civic-and-global-responsibility/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 463 Global Health (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with PHP 463

Double-numbered with ANT 663, PHP 663

Global health in anthropological perspective. Examines how culture affects people's experience and response to morbidity and mortality. Considers topics like gender and health, reproductive health, infectious disease, health and inequality and health and war.

Shared Competencies: Communication Skills (https://

coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/communication-skills/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 465 Critical Issues in Medical Anthropology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 665

Illness and healing in ecological and cross-cultural perspectives; strengths and weaknesses of Western and non-Western methods of healing; problems of introducing Western medicine to other cultures. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 466 Culture and Sexual Behavior (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 666

Cross-cultural patterns of dating and court-ship, sexuality, marriage, fertility, and divorce from biosocial and medical perspectives. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 467 Culture and Mental Disorders (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 667

Mental disorders viewed as illnesses or social constructions. Cross-cultural variation and universals. Western and non-Western methods of treatment. Additional work required of graduate students.

Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/)

ANT 468 Middle East in Anthropological Perspective (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with MES 468

Double-numbered with ANT 668, PAI 668, MES 668

Anthropology of the social, cultural, geographical, and political realities of the Middle East. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 469 Medical Anthropology in Ecological Perspective (3 Credits)

Double-numbered with ANT 669

Interaction of biological and cultural factors in disease causation, diagnosis, and treatment in Western and non-Western societies. Introducing Western medicine to non-Western cultures. Additional work required of graduate students.

Shared Competencies: Critical and Creative Thinking (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/critical-and-creative-thinking/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/)

ANT 470 Experience Credit (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Participation in a discipline- or subject-related experience. Students must be evaluated by written or oral reports or an examination. Limited to those in good academic standing.

Repeatable

ANT 471 Religion and Society in Brazil (3-4 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with REL 471

Role of religion in society; religions of Brazil, including Catholicism, liberation theology, afro-religions. Spring break field stay in Rio de Janeiro; methods of study; preparation of research proposal.

ANT 473 Peace and Conflict in the Balkans: Anthropological Perspectives (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 673

Introduction to Balkan histories, cultures, and societies. Topics include ethnic nationalism, the wars of Yugoslav dissolution, effects of international humanitarian interventions on everyday life, and politics of reconciliation and reconstruction. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 475 Culture and Disputing (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Explores modalities of disputing, dispute resolution, and conflict management in cross-cultural perspective. Decision making in meetings and organizations, negotiation, mediation, intercultural negotiation, and third party interventions. Ethnographic materials are drawn from many cultures. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 476 Women, War and Peace (3 Credits)

Maxwell, Arts & Sciences

Double-numbered with ANT 676

Examines global politics, war and violence through a gender-sensitive lens. The topics include human trafficking, prostitution, militarization, poverty, nationalism, ethnic conflict, war-rapes, torture, genocide, reconciliation and recovery. Additional work required of graduate students.

University Requirement Course: IDEA Requirement Eligible

ANT 477 Culture and Conflict (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 677

An overview of conflict in cross-cultural perspective. Covers a variety of approaches to using cultural analysis in the study of conflict and reviews case studies of specific conflicts. Additional work required of graduate students

ANT 479 Anthropology of Global Transformations (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 679

Impact of global processes, including industrialization, capitalist expansion, transnational migration, environmental change, and international tourism on the daily lives of men and women in Third World contexts. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 480 International Course (1-12 Credits)

Maxwell

Offered through SUAbroad by educational institution outside the United States. Student registers for the course at the foreign institution and is graded according to that institution's practice. SUAbroad works with the S.U. academic department to assign the appropriate course level, title, and grade for the student's transcript.

Repeatable

ANT 481 Ethnographic Techniques (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 681

Research methods and techniques in cultural anthropology. Participant observation, interviewing, establishing rapport, research design, recording and analyzing field data, etc.

Shared Competencies: Communication Skills (https://

coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/communication-skills/); Ethics and Integrity (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/ethics-and-integrity/); Scientific Inquiry and Research Skills (https://coursecatalog.syracuse.edu/shared-competencies/scientific-inquiry-and-research-skills/)

ANT 482 Life Histories/Narratives (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 682

Evaluation of personal narratives (fieldwork memoirs, reflexive writings), oral histories and testimonials of respondents, a means of personalizing ethnographic discourse, giving more direct voice to respondents, and increasing multivocality. Issues of reflexivity, subjectivity, authority. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 483 Social Movement Theory (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Double-numbered with ANT 683

Theoretical approaches to analysis of social movements including Marxist and other Utopian traditions of social analysis, rational choice and resource mobilization models, new social movement theory, and Gramscian analysis of power and resistance. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 490 Independent Study (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Exploration of a problem, or problems, in depth. Individual independent study upon a plan submitted by the student. Admission by consent of supervising instructor(s) and the department.

Repeatable

ANT 494 Underground Railroad (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with AAS 434, HST 434

Double-numbered with AAS 634, HST 634, ANT 694

Myth and history of the Underground in the context of African American freedom efforts. Emphasis on events, personalities, and sites in upstate New York. Student field research and exploration of archival and Internet resources. Additional work required of graduate students.

ANT 495 Research for Distinction in Anthropology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Research and background study in preparation to write a capstone 'Distinction' paper. The project will involve significant library and/or field work under faculty supervision. GPA requirement and faculty approvals needed.

ANT 496 Distinction in Anthropology (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Distinction paper. Advanced research under the supervision of a faculty supervisor. The capstone "Distinction in Anthropology" paper involves significant library and/or field work. GPA requirement and faculty approvals needed.

ANT 499 Honors Capstone Project (1-3 Credits)

Maxwell

Completion of an Honors Capstone Project under the supervision of a faculty member.

Repeatable 3 times for 3 credits maximum

ANT 500 Selected Topics (1-6 Credits)

Maxwell

Exploration of a topic (to be determined) not covered by the standard curriculum but of interest to faculty and students in a particular semester. Repeatable

ANT 553 Women and Social Change (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Cross-listed with WGS 553

Function of changes in women's roles in sociocultural urbanization, revolution, and modernization. Women in Third World countries compared to women in industrialized countries.

ANT 574 Anthropology and Physical Design (3 Credits)

Maxwell

Interrelationship of social and spatial organization in traditional and modern societies. Nonverbal communication: use of space, territoriality, and impact of physical design on human behavior.

ANT 580 International Course (1-12 Credits)

Maxwell

Offered through SUAbroad by educational institution outside the United States. Student registers for the course at the foreign institution and is graded according to that institution's practice. SUAbroad works with the S.U. academic department to assign the appropriate course level, title, and grade for the student's transcript.

Repeatable 2 times for 12 credits maximum