

ANTHROPOLOGY

Learning Outcomes

Master of Arts (M.A.)

1. **KNOW:** Graduates will demonstrate understanding of the history and current knowledge and theory in the field of anthropology through written works, oral presentations, and course performance.
2. **APPLY/CREATE:** Graduates will be able to apply current anthropological knowledge and theory in their coursework and master's thesis or paper.
3. **COMMUNICATE:** Graduates will demonstrate effective communication of research ideas in written works and oral presentations.
4. **THINK:** Graduates will be able to identify and approach research questions in anthropology by presenting new ideas, data, analyses, and/or syntheses.
5. **PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE:** Graduates will demonstrate knowledge of the professional standards of scholarly and professional work in the field of anthropology through their written and oral works and interactions with colleagues.

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

1. **KNOW:** Graduates will demonstrate comprehensive understanding of the history and current knowledge and theory in the field of anthropology through written works, oral presentations, teaching endeavors, and course and qualifying examination performance.
2. **APPLY/CREATE:** Graduates will be able to develop an effective, original research proposal that is framed by current anthropological theory and methods.
3. **COMMUNICATE:** Graduates will demonstrate effective communication of current topics in anthropology through written works, and oral presentations, potentially including development of clear and engaging lectures and assignments for undergraduate courses.
4. **THINK:** Graduates will be able to identify research questions in anthropology, develop a research design to examine questions using appropriate data collection methods, analyze the data using appropriate statistical methodology, and interpret the results of data analysis.
5. **PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE:** Graduates will demonstrate knowledge of the professional standards of scholarly and professional work in the field of anthropology through their written and oral works and interactions with students and colleagues.