

What Can I Do With a Major In **ANTHROPOLOGY?**

Anthropology is the study of humans and their cultural and physical environments. Anthropology programs include topics such as:

Sociology

Ethnology

Human paleontology

Research methodology

Human cultures

Prehistoric humans and primates

Cultural studies

Typical Coursework

Anthropological Theory

Biological Anthropology

Human Origins

Primate Evolution

World Prehistory

Anthropology of Food

Asian People and Culture

Indians of North America

Archeological Methods

Cultural Anthropology

Linguistics

Survey of World Societies

African People and Culture

Anthropology of Religion

Forensic Anthropology

Medical Anthropology

Related Major Skills

Planning projects

Writing grant proposals

Interviewing Surveying

Sampling, gathering and organizing data

Examining data and artifacts

Conducting field studies

Summarizing results

Communication across cultures/languages

Recognizing cultural differences/similarities

Directly Related Occupations (may need advanced education)

Anthropologist

Archivist

Curatorial Assistant

Field Archaeologist

Museum Technician

Peace Corps Volunteer

Research Associate

Travel Agent/Guide/Consultant

Bilingual/Bicultural Program Specialist

Cultural Artifact Specialist

Forensic Anthropologist

Medical Anthropologist

Museum Education Director

Park Service Supervisor/Director

Archaeologist

Art Conservator

Ecotourism Director

Multicultural Program Leader

National/State Park Interpreter

Program Coordinator/Assistant

Ethnologist

Peace Corps Area Director

College Professor/Teacher/Trainer

Cultural Resource Manager

Genealogist

Multicultural Education Specialist / Director

Paleontologist

Environmental Impact Assessment Researcher

Who Hires for this Occupation?

Anthropologists work for research firms, colleges/universities, schools, or the government.

Minnesota Colleges and Universities with a major in ANTHROPOLOGY

Bethel University	Carlton College
Gustavus Adolphus College	Hamline University
Macalester College	Minnesota State University, Mankato
Minnesota State University, Moorhead	St. Cloud State University
St. Olaf College	University of Minnesota, Duluth
University of Minnesota, Morris	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

Professional Association Links

American Anthropological Association (<http://www.aaanet.org>)
American Board of Forensic Anthropology (<http://www.theabfa.org/>)
American Association of Physical Anthropologists (<http://www.physanth.org/>)
Archaeological Institute of America (<http://www.archaeological.org/>)
Center for American Archeology (<http://www.caa-archeology.org/>)
National Association for the Practice of Anthropology (<http://practicinganthropology.org/>)
National Association of Student Anthropologists (<http://www.studentanthropologists.org/>)
National Geographic Society (<http://www.nationalgeographic.com/>)
Society for American Archaeology (<http://www.saa.org/>)
Society for Applied Anthropology (<http://sfaa.net/>)
Society for Historical Archaeology (<http://www.sha.org/>)

For More Information

Contact ARCC Career Counseling: (763) 433-1240 (CR campus), (763) 433-1840 (Cambridge campus)
or stop by the campus Information Desk

Information adapted from: Minnesota Career Information System <https://mncis.intocareers.org>, and the Career Center at the University of North Carolina at Wilmington <http://uncw.edu/career/WhatCanIDoWithaMajorIn.html>