

ARCHAEOLOGY MINOR

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The minor in archaeology draws on a number of disciplines and departments—principally anthropology, classics, and art—in the study of the ancient world, the reconstruction of past lifeways, and the interpretation of ancient social, political, and economic systems.

The minor helps prepare students for graduate study in anthropological archaeology, classical archaeology, cultural resource management, and historical preservation. It also provides any student with a strong intellectual interest in archaeology with a structured introduction to this field. Students interested in the minor in archaeology may contact the Director of Undergraduate Studies and consult the Web site (<http://archaeology.sites.unc.edu/home/ca/>).

Department Programs

Major

- Archaeology Major, B.A. (<http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/archaeology-major-ba>)

Minor

- Archaeology Minor (p. 1)

Requirements

In addition to the program requirements listed below, students must:

- take at least nine hours of their minor course requirements at UNC–Chapel Hill
- earn a minimum of 12 hours of C or better in the minor (some minors require more)

For more information, please consult the degree requirements section of the catalog (<http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/general-education-curriculum-degree-requirements/#degreerequirementstext>).

Core Requirements

Two core courses (no more than one of which is a field school) from the following list: 6-9

ANTH 220	Principles of Archaeology	
ANTH 291	Archaeological Theory and Practice	
ANTH 451	Field School in North American Archaeology ^H	
ANTH 453	Field School in South American Archaeology ^H	
CLAR 411	Archaeological Field Methods	
CLAR 650	Field School in Classical Archaeology	
One comparative course from the following list:		3
ANTH 121	Ancient Cities of the Americas	
ANTH 123	Habitat and Humanity	

ANTH 145	Introduction to World Prehistory	
ANTH 222	Prehistoric Art	
ANTH 456	Archaeology and Ethnography of Small-Scale Societies	
ANTH 468	State Formation	
ANTH 551	Origins of Agriculture in the Ancient World	
CLAR 50	First-Year Seminar: Art in the Ancient City ^H	
CLAR 120	Ancient Cities ^H	
One area-studies course from the list below		3
One topical course from the list below		3
Total Hours		15-18

^H Honors version available. An honors course fulfills the same requirements as the nonhonors version of that course. Enrollment and GPA restrictions may apply.

Additional Requirements

- The courses used to satisfy these requirements must come from at least two departments.
- Three of the courses must be numbered 200 or above and come from two different divisions.
 - Courses in the Division of the Humanities include AMST (<http://catalog.unc.edu/courses/amst>), CLAR (<http://catalog.unc.edu/courses/clar>), CLAS (<http://catalog.unc.edu/courses/clas>), LING (<http://catalog.unc.edu/courses/ling>), and RELI (<http://catalog.unc.edu/courses/reli>).
 - Courses in the Division of the Social and Behavioral Sciences include ANTH (<http://catalog.unc.edu/courses/anth>) and ARCH (<http://catalog.unc.edu/courses/arch>).
- At least one course must be numbered 300 or above.

Area-studies Course

ANTH 231	Archaeology of South America	3
ANTH 232	Ancestral Maya Civilizations ^H	3
ANTH 233	Prehistory of Southwest Asia and Egypt: From the Earliest Humans to the Rise of Civilization	3
ANTH 250	Archaeology of North America ^H	3
ANTH 550	Archaeology of the American South	3
CLAR 241	Archaeology of Ancient Near East	3
CLAR 242	Archaeology of Egypt	3
CLAR 243	Minoans and Mycenaeans: The Archaeology of Bronze Age Greece	3
CLAR 244	Greek Archaeology	3
CLAR 245	Archaeology of Italy	3
CLAR 247	Roman Archaeology	3
CLAR 262	Art of Classical Greece	3
CLAR 268	Hellenistic Art and Archaeology (350-31 BCE)	3
CLAR 375	Archaeology of Cult	3
CLAR 464	Greek Architecture	3
CLAR 465	Architecture of Etruria and Rome	3
CLAR 475	Frontiers and Provinces of the Roman Empire	3
CLAR 480	Egypt after the Pharaohs	3
CLAR 488	The Archaeology of the Near East in the Iron Age	3
CLAR 489	The Archaeology of Anatolia in the Bronze and Iron Ages	3

CLAR 491	The Archaeology of Early Greece (1200-500 BCE)	3	ARTH/CLAR 476	Roman Painting	3
CLAR/JWST/ RELI 110	The Archaeology of Palestine in the New Testament Period	3	CLAR 51	First-Year Seminar: Who Owns the Past? ^H	3
<p>^H Honors version available. An honors course fulfills the same requirements as the nonhonors version of that course. Enrollment and GPA restrictions may apply.</p>			CLAS 71	First-Year Seminar: The Architecture of Empire ^H	3
<p>Topical Course</p>			LING 558	Ancient Mayan Hieroglyphs	3
AMST/ANTH 54	First-Year Seminar: The Indians' New Worlds: Southeastern Histories from 1200 to 1800	3	LING 560	Mesoamerican Languages and Linguistics	3
ANTH 50	First-Year Seminar: Skeletons in the Closet	3	LING 561	Native Languages of the Americas	3
ANTH 60	First-Year Seminar: Crisis & Resilience: Past and Future of Human Societies ^H	3	RELI 63	First-Year Seminar: The Archaeology of Qumran and the Dead Sea Scrolls	3
ANTH 64	First-Year Seminar: Public Archaeology in Bronzeville, Chicago's Black Metropolis	3	RELI 512	Ancient Synagogues	3
ANTH 65	First-Year Seminar: Humans and Animals: Anthropological Perspectives	3	<p>^H Honors version available. An honors course fulfills the same requirements as the nonhonors version of that course. Enrollment and GPA restrictions may apply.</p>		
ANTH 143	Human Evolution and Adaptation	3	<p>See program page here (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/archaeology-major-ba/#opportunities) for special opportunities.</p>		
ANTH 148	Human Origins	3			
ANTH 149	Great Discoveries in Archaeology	3			
ANTH 252	Archaeology of Food	3			
ANTH 411	Laboratory Methods in Archaeology ^H	3			
ANTH 412	Paleoanthropology	3			
ANTH 413	Laboratory Methods: Archaeobotany	3			
ANTH 414	Laboratory Methods: Human Osteology	3			
ANTH 415	Laboratory Methods: Zooarchaeology	3			
ANTH 416	Bioarchaeology	3			
ANTH 417	Laboratory Methods: Lithic Seminar	3			
ANTH 418	Laboratory Methods: Ceramic Analysis	3			
ANTH 420	Public Archaeology	3			
ANTH 423	Written in Bone: CSI and the Science of Death Investigation from Skeletal Remains	3			
ANTH 454	The Archaeology of African Diasporas	3			
ANTH 455	Ethnohistory	3			
ANTH 458	Archaeology of Sex and Gender	3			
ANTH 460	Historical Ecology	3			
ANTH 538	Disease and Discrimination in Colonial Atlantic America	3			
ANTH 650	Reconstructing Life: Nutrition and Disease in Past Populations	3			
ANTH 651	Identity, Memory, and the Afterlife: The Space and Place of Death	3			
ANTH 674	Issues in Cultural Heritage	3			
ANTH/GEOL 421	Archaeological Geology	3			
ARCH 393	Internship in Archaeology	3-6			
ARCH 395	Research in Archaeology	1-6			
ARCH 396	Independent Study in Archaeology	1-6			
ARTH/CLAR 263	Roman Art	3			
ARTH/CLAR 460	Greek Painting	3			
ARTH/CLAR 461	Archaic Greek Sculpture	3			
ARTH/CLAR 462	Classical Greek Sculpture	3			
ARTH/CLAR 463	Hellenistic Greek Sculpture	3			
ARTH/CLAR 474	Roman Sculpture	3			