

COURSES in ANTHROPOLOGY -Summer 2019-Updated 03-07-2019

ANTH 202: Introduction to Archaeology

Online Summer II (July 8-Aug 4) Instructor: Dr. Barbara Borg CRN#30802

An introduction to basic theory and methods in the archaeological recovery and interpretation of past cultural remains.

ANTH 328: Aztecs, Maya, and their Ancestors

Online Summer I (June 4-July 3) Instructor: Dr. Barbara Borg CRN#30233

This course is a multi-disciplinary approach to the study of Mesoamerica (Mexico and Central America) up to, and including, the arrival of the Spaniards in 1519. Although beginning with the peopling of this hemisphere, the emphasis is on the advanced civilizations of the Olmec, Teotihuacanos, Zapotec, Mixtec, Maya and Aztec.

ANTH 329: Peoples and Cultures of Ireland

Off Campus Maymester (May 13-May 31) Instructor: Dr. E. Moore Quinn CRN#30261

Anthropology confronts the challenges of culture in the contemporary social world. The special mandate of the field is to discover new and less harmful ways of perceiving, understanding, reporting on, and therefore validating the different experiences, histories, and values of peoples and communities from all parts of the world. The key goal of this course is to explore aspects of Ireland's history and culture from the lens of Anthropology. The course pays attention to Early Ireland, key moments in Irish history and culture, and Irish calendar customs, and Ireland in the twenty-first century. Students are encouraged to see themselves as anthropologists from the first day of class.

ANTH 340: Medical Anthropology

Online Maymester (May 13-May 31) Instructor: Dr. Allison Foley CRN#30801

This course is the cross-cultural study of health, illness, and healing. Topics discussed in this course include the ecology of health and disease; changing patterns of birth, disease, death and nutrition; ethno-medicine and medical specialists; and evolutionary medicine.

ANTH 352: Folklore of Ireland and the British Isles

Off Campus Maymester (May 13-May 31) Instructor: Dr. E. Moore Quinn CRN#30386

This course assesses how anthropologists use folklore to theorize about the complexities of human experience. Classic debates, theoretical approaches and strategies of interpreting folklore are examined. Irish cultural forms such as religious beliefs and practices, verbal art, material culture and music are explored.

Prerequisite(s): ANTH 101 or permission of the instructor

ANTH 493: Field School in Archaeology

Off Campus Maymester (May 13-May 31) Instructor: Dr. Barbara Borg CRN#30839

Students will participate in ongoing research conducted by professional archaeologists. This is a comprehensive archaeological field school in which participants will receive systematic in-depth training in all phases of basic archaeological field research.

Prerequisite(s): ANTH 202 or permission of the instructor.