

University of South Carolina, Department of Anthropology

Program Information

Program Name	University of South Carolina, Department of Anthropology
General Description / Special Programs	The department offers the BA, MA and PhD degrees within a four-field program (archaeology, cultural, linguistic, and biological/biocultural anthropology) focusing on comparative diasporas and social justice. Special opportunities include the South Carolina Institute of Archaeology and Anthropology (SCIAA), Museum Studies, Public Health, GIS skills (in Geography), and programs in Linguistics, Latin American, African American and Women's and Gender Studies. Four-field teaching is emphasized. The department has a certificate in Historical Archaeology and Cultural Resource Management.
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Program Details

Degrees Offered	Anthropology PhD, MA, BA major
Highest Degree Offered	PhD
Certificates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CRM
BA/BS Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthropology • Archaeology • Biological Anthropology • Cultural Anthropology • Linguistic Anthropology
BA/ BS Requirements	(120 - 126 hours) 1) General Education (University Core) Requirements (53-62 hours) 2) Major Requirements (27 hours): General BA - Introductory courses in cultural anthropology and arch/biological anthropology; topical course in Arch, biological anthropology, linguistic anthropology, and cultural anthropology; a 500-level anthropology course; four other anthropology courses (excluding senior thesis) 3) BA with Distinction (33 hours): Same as for General BA with the inclusion of a 2nd 500-level anthropology course; Field school, Laboratory, practicum, qualitative methodology or quantitative methodology course; ANTH 201 Inquiry or additional (3rd) 500-level course chosen in consultation with advisor; ANTH 498 Thesis; two other anthropology courses. 4) cognate (12 hours) or Minor (18 hours)
MA/MS Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthropology • Archaeology • Biological Anthropology • Cultural Anthropology • Linguistic Anthropology
MA/ MS Requirements	Minimum of 27 hours of coursework plus 6 hours of master's thesis credit, comprehensive exam, supervised fieldwork
PhD Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthropology • Archaeology • Biological Anthropology • Cultural Anthropology • Linguistic Anthropology
Phd Requirements	A degree in anthropology or a related field is an admissions requirement. Minimum of 30 hours of graduate work beyond the MA, including 12 hours of dissertation credits, a written and oral qualifying exam, written and oral comprehensive exam, two research skills (e.g., foreign language, GIS), prospectus, fieldwork, dissertation.
Research Facilities	The department has lab facilities for teaching and research in biological anthropology, archaeology, linguistics, ethnography, and visual anthropology. SCIAA has extensive collections of southeastern archaeological, and some ethnological, materials.
Support Opportunities	Teaching Assistantships, Graduate School Fellowships, SCIAA Research assistantships; More information at www.cas.sc.edu/anth/fellowship.html
Internships Available	
Internship Required	
Certs Offered	

Statistical Information

2015-16	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	3
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	2
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of Female Grad Students	22
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	0
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	1
	Number of New Grad Students	6
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	0
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	95
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of Male Grad Students	12
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	3
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	2014-15	PHD Degrees Granted To Males
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females		2
AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES		0
Number of Female Grad Students		20
Number of Female Undergrad Students		66
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males		1
Number of New Grad Students		4
Number of Male Undergrad Students		34
Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students		100
AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males		0
BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES		22
Number of Male Grad Students		14
PHD Degrees Granted To Females		0
BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males		16

2013-14	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	8
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of Female Grad Students	23
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	161
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	3
	Number of New Grad Students	5
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	116
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	95
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	20
	Number of Male Grad Students	15
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	1
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	12
2012-13	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	2
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of Female Grad Students	20
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	135
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	1
	Number of New Grad Students	9
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	116
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	95
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	38
	Number of Male Grad Students	14
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	1
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	17
2011-12	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	1
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	4
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of Female Grad Students	18
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	124
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	1
	Number of New Grad Students	7
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	92
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	100
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	34
	Number of Male Grad Students	14
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	1
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	12

2010-11	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	3
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	3
	Number of Female Grad Students	18
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	104
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	2
	Number of New Grad Students	5
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	82
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	100
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	22
	Number of Male Grad Students	17
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	16

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