

# University of Memphis, Department of Anthropology

## Program Information

Program Name	University of Memphis, Department of Anthropology
General Description / Special Programs	The BA provides an overview of the discipline and subfields while preparing students for advanced studies in anthropology or related fields. The MA in Applied Anthropology prepares students to understand and address issues of social inequality as practitioners. Areas of interest include, but are not limited to, community development, medical anthropology, environmental justice & sustainability, and cultural identity and heritage.
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## Program Details

Degrees Offered	Anthropology BA, Applied Anthropology MA
Highest Degree Offered	MA/MS
Certificate Info	Graduate Certificates in Museum Studies, GIS, Nonprofits, Women's Studies. Graduate degrees in Public Health
Certificates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GIS</li> <li>• Museum Studies</li> </ul>
BA/BS Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anthropology</li> <li>• Applied Anthropology</li> <li>• Archaeology</li> <li>• Biological Anthropology</li> <li>• Cultural Anthropology</li> </ul>
BA/ BS Requirements	30 hours in ANTH 1100, 1200, 3200, 4065, plus 18 additional ANTH hours
MA/MS Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anthropology</li> <li>• Applied Anthropology</li> <li>• Cultural Anthropology</li> <li>• Museum/Curatorial Studies</li> </ul>
Experience Offered	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internship</li> </ul>
MA/ MS Requirements	30 semester hours coursework plus 6 hours practicum. Satisfactory completion of the core curriculum (14 hours) plus specialization requirements (6 hours). At least 70% of course work must be taken at the 7000 level. Satisfactory performance on a comprehensive exam. Students may take up to 15 hours of coursework outside of Anthropology.
MA/MS Specializations	MA in Applied Anthropology; Concentration available in Medical Anthropology
Research Facilities	Anthropological Research Laboratory; Chucalissa Museum
Support Opportunities	Graduate: 7-10 graduate assistantships yearly.
Internships Available	
Internship Info	BA Internship option MA Practicum (Research Internship) required
Internship Required	
Misc Information	Foundation funds student membership in professional associations and conference travel; Outstanding Senior Award; Outstanding Service Award; Speaker Series.
Certs Offered	

## Statistical Information

2018-19	Number of Male Grad Students	3
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	0
	Number of New Grad Students	8
	Number of Female Grad Students	14
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	0
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	66
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	100
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	31
	2017-18	Number of Male Grad Students
BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males		5
PHD Degrees Granted To Females		0
Number of New Grad Students		9
Number of Female Grad Students		15
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females		6
AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males		0
Number of Female Undergrad Students		57
Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students		85
PHD Degrees Granted To Males		0
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males		1
BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES		17
AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES		0
Number of Male Undergrad Students		27

2016-17	Number of Male Grad Students	4
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	9
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	0
	Number of New Grad Students	11
	Number of Female Grad Students	18
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	7
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	57
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	80
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	2
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	17
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	42
2015-16	Number of Male Grad Students	12
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	8
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	0
	Number of New Grad Students	15
	Number of Female Grad Students	15
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	7
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	64
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	85
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	5
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	18
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	42
2013-14	Number of Male Grad Students	8
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	8
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	0
	Number of New Grad Students	15
	Number of Female Grad Students	17
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	8
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	57
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	100
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	2
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	12
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
Number of Male Undergrad Students	34	

2012-13	Number of Male Grad Students	2
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	5
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	0
	Number of New Grad Students	15
	Number of Female Grad Students	20
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	11
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	74
	Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students	70
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	1
	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	22
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	47
	2011-12	Number of Male Grad Students
BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males		0
PHD Degrees Granted To Females		0
Number of New Grad Students		15
Number of Female Grad Students		25
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females		12
AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males		0
Number of Female Undergrad Students		65
Proportion Of Full-Time Grad Students		75
PHD Degrees Granted To Males		0
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males		2
BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES		0
AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES		0
Number of Male Undergrad Students		47

## Program Contacts

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