



Syracuse University, Department of Anthropology

Program Information

Program Name	Syracuse University, Department of Anthropology
General Description / Special Programs	Anthropology brings a global perspective to the study of human diversity by means of in-depth research at the local level and comparative studies that explore human experience through time and across space. At Syracuse, we embrace a holistic approach to anthropology through teaching and research in archaeological, biological, cultural, and linguistic anthropology. The Anthropology Department is within the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs. The college encourages faculty and students to become engaged in scholarship for the public good and to seek out and address solutions to past, present and future human problems locally and globally. This objective is consistent to the central concerns of all of the subfields of anthropology.
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Program Details

Degrees Offered	Anthropology PhD, MA, BA major
Tuition Information	\$1,734. per graduate credit hour
Highest Degree Offered	PhD
Certificate Info	
Other Degree Requirements	
Associates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthropology • Biological Anthropology • Cultural Anthropology • Museum/Curatorial Studies
AA/ AS Requirements	
BA/BS Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthropology • Applied Anthropology • Archaeology • Biological Anthropology • Cultural Anthropology
BA/ BS Requirements	The program, leading to a B.A. in Anthropology, requires 33 credits in anthropology courses. Of these, 18 credits are taken in required courses and 15 are electives.
MA/MS Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthropology • Archaeology • Biological Anthropology • Cultural Anthropology
MA/ MS Requirements	30 graduate credits that must include at least four core courses, written exam, position papers/Master's Paper; separate tracks for sociocultural anthropology and archaeology
MA/MS Specializations	
PhD Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthropology • Archaeology • Biological Anthropology • Cultural Anthropology
Phd Requirements	72 graduate credits (past B.A.), language proficiency or database management, oral and written exams (preliminary and final thesis), fieldwork usually required
Research Facilities	The department has biological archaeology and archaeology laboratories. Bird Research Library includes special holdings on Africa and South Asia. Also, students and faculty have access to the Maxwell School's Interdisciplinary Institutes and Centers including the Moynihan Institute of Global affairs, Alan K. Campbell Public Affairs Institute, Program for the Advancement of Research on Conflict and Collaboration, Center for Policy Research, Aging Studies Institute, Institute for National Security and Counterterrorism, Institute for the Study of the Judiciary Politics and the Media, Center for Environmental Policy and Administration, Lerner Center for Public Health Promotion and Center for Technology and Information Policy.
Support Opportunities	Graduate: 15 teaching assistantships, \$22,000. plus remitted tuition; Claudia De Lys Scholarship for field research; 14 summer fellowships; South Asia (FLAS) Fellowship; SU Fellowship, \$25,290. plus 30 tuition credit hours; competitive assistantships for dissertation write-up.
Library Resources	
Internships Available	
Internship Info	
Internship Required	
Publications	
Collections	
Grants Or Funding	
Misc Information	

Phd Specializations	
Certs Offered	

Statistical Information

2020-21	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	20
	Number of New Grad Students	6
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	4
	Number of Male Grad Students	23
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	1
	Number of Female Grad Students	28
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	95
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	18
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	2
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	6
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	100
	Number Of Total Grad Students	51
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	113
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	26
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	2
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	5
	2019-20	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES
Number of New Grad Students		7
PHD Degrees Granted To Females		4
Number of Male Grad Students		19
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males		0
PHD Degrees Granted To Males		0
Number of Female Grad Students		40
Number of Female Undergrad Students		47
Number of Male Undergrad Students		9
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females		0
BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males		5
Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding		100
Number Of Total Grad Students		59
Number Of Total Undergrad Students		56
BA/BS Degrees Granted Total		16
MA/MS Degrees Granted Total		0
PHD Degrees Granted Total		4

2017-18	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	12
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of New Grad Students	6
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	2
	Number of Male Grad Students	2
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	1
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Grad Students	4
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	20
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	8
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	0
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	3
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	100
	2016-17	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES
AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES		0
Number of New Grad Students		4
PHD Degrees Granted To Females		1
Number of Male Grad Students		19
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males		0
PHD Degrees Granted To Males		1
AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males		0
Number of Female Grad Students		35
Number of Female Undergrad Students		19
Number of Male Undergrad Students		12
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females		0
BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males		8
Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding		100
2015-16		BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of New Grad Students	6
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	5
	Number of Male Grad Students	24
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	2
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Grad Students	41
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	36
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	18
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	0
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	6
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	100

2014-15	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	23
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of New Grad Students	7
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	3
	Number of Male Grad Students	21
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	4
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Grad Students	38
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	54
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	21
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	1
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	8
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	100
	2013-14	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES
AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES		0
Number of New Grad Students		7
PHD Degrees Granted To Females		0
Number of Male Grad Students		26
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males		0
PHD Degrees Granted To Males		1
AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males		0
Number of Female Grad Students		34
Number of Female Undergrad Students		78
Number of Male Undergrad Students		16
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females		2
BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males		3
Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding		100
2012-13		BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of New Grad Students	8
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	3
	Number of Male Grad Students	26
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	1
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Grad Students	37
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	91
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	23
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	2
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	9
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	100

2011-12	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	24
	AA/AS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES	0
	Number of New Grad Students	6
	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	4
	Number of Male Grad Students	27
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	2
	AA/AS Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number of Female Grad Students	35
	Number of Female Undergrad Students	114
	Number of Male Undergrad Students	22
	MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females	2
	BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males	2
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	100
	2010-11	BA/BS DEGREES GRANTED TO FEMALES
Number of New Grad Students		5
PHD Degrees Granted To Females		6
Number of Male Grad Students		28
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Males		3
PHD Degrees Granted To Males		4
Number of Female Grad Students		44
Number of Female Undergrad Students		137
Number of Male Undergrad Students		29
MA/MS Degrees Granted To Females		3
BA/BS Degrees Granted To Males		10
Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding		95

Program Contacts

Name	Phone	Email	Interest/Specialty Areas	Geographic Area(s) of Expertise	Geographic Areas of Expertise International
Douglas Armstrong	+1 315.443.2405	dvarmstr@syr.edu	Archaeology, historical archaeology, ethnohistory, African Diaspora, critique of capitalism and colonialism	Caribbean, North America	Antigua and Barbuda, Barbados, Jamaica, Western Hemisphere
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Guido Pezzarossi	+1 315.443.1359	gpezzaro@syr.edu	Archaeology of colonialism, capitalism, historical archaeology, Mesoamerican archaeology, postcolonial theory, materiality, archaeology of food	International: Guatemala and Latin America United States: 3) Northeast (New England), Midwest (Wisconsin)	Guatemala, Western Hemisphere
Lars Rodseth	+1 315.443.9710	rodseth@syr.edu	Historical anthropology, social and evolutionary theory, political ecology, kinship, violence, ideology, Hinduism, Tantrism	International: Himalayas, Nepal, Tibet; Caribbean, Guyana, Trinidad, United States: Mormon Corridor, Ozark Mountains	Guyana, Trinidad and Tobago, Western Hemisphere

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Robert Rubinstein	+1 315.443.3837	rar@syr.edu	Peace and conflict, medical and public health, peacekeeping, history, theory and method, language and cognition	Middle East, Urban US	Middle East and North Africa, Western Hemisphere
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Tej Bhatia		tkbhatia@syr.edu	Sociolinguistics and forensic linguistics, universal typology, language acquisition and bilingualism/multilingualism, South Asian Language (languages of India, Pakistan, Nepal and Afghanistan, particularly Hindi, Urdu, Punjabi and Saraiki)	India	India, South and Central Asia
Tom Brutsaert		tdbrutsa@syr.edu	Human adaptation to high altitude, exercise at altitude, fetal programming and effects on muscle function and physical activity	Bolivia, Peru, Mexico, Costa Rica	Bolivia, Costa Rica, Mexico, Peru, Western Hemisphere
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