

Potomac River Archaeology Survey, Department of Anthropology, American University

Program Information

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General Description / Special Programs	The Potomac River Archaeology Survey was founded in 1969 by archeologists from the DC Consortium of Universities with initial funding from the National Science Foundation. It is now the archaeological research arm of the Department of Anthropology at American University and is committed to a program of pure and applied archaeological research in the Middle Atlantic area. This program has provided extensive funding and research opportunities for undergraduate and graduate students in the department. In addition to the regular academic degrees, the department offers an MA in Public Anthropology with a specialization in cultural resource management. Students in this program have ample opportunity for practical field experience with the Survey.
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Program Details

Degrees Offered	MA in Public Anthropology from American University
Highest Degree Offered	MA/MS
Research Facilities	Collections: Archeological collections from historic and prehistoric sites in the Middle Atlantic region are maintained, including site files on over 1000 sites in the Potomac Valley. Facilities for Visiting Scholars: By appointment.
Library Resources	In addition to the university's Bender Library, libraries of the other universities of the DC Consortium are available, along with those of the Smithsonian and Library of Congress. The department also maintains a library of selected computer software for administrative and research use. It also maintains an archaeological analysis and management system servicing an electronic theodolite.
Internships Available	
Internship Required	
Certs Offered	

