



Case Western Reserve University, Department of Anthropology

Program Information

Program Name	Case Western Reserve University, Department of Anthropology
General Description / Special Programs	The graduate program focuses on the field of medical anthropology and global health and includes training in international health, psychological/psychiatric anthropology, and the biocultural bases of health. The department offers a joint MA/MPH and PhD/MPH program as well as a joint MD/MA and MD/PhD program with the School of Medicine. An intensive one-year terminal MA in Medical Anthropology and Global Health is available. Many opportunities for relevant coursework and research collaborations are found throughout the university. These include the Center for Global Health and Diseases in the School of Medicine, the Center on Aging and Health, and the Schubert Center for Child Studies, as well as relevant interdisciplinary programs, including Childhood Studies, Asian Studies, Evolutionary Biology, Women's Studies, and Ethnic Studies.
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Program Details

Degrees Offered	Anthropology PhD, MA, BA major; MD-PhD, MD/MA, MA/MPH, PhD/MPH
Tuition Information	
Highest Degree Offered	PhD
Certificate Info	
Other Degree Requirements	
AA/ AS Requirements	
BA/BS Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archaeology • Biological Anthropology • Cultural Anthropology
BA/ BS Requirements	30 credit hours of approved courses in addition to college requirements.
MA/MS Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultural Anthropology
MA/ MS Requirements	30 units course work, statistics, 6-hour written examination
MA/MS Specializations	Medical Anthropology and Global Health
PhD Field Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultural Anthropology
Phd Requirements	36 units course work beyond MA, written candidacy exams, 2 oral exams, dissertation prospectus, dissertation defense, fieldwork (except in special circumstances).
Research Facilities	Department computer and word processing labs; 490 square feet anthropology lab; Hamman-Todd Osteological Collections (3300 human; 350 nonhuman primates), HRAF
Support Opportunities	Applicants may request consideration for departmental graduate assistantships that provide tuition and stipend for 4-5 years. Contact the department for more information.
Library Resources	
Internships Available	
Internship Info	
Internship Required	
Publications	Graduate Discourse Journal and The Anthropologist (department newsletter)
Collections	
Grants Or Funding	
Misc Information	
Phd Specializations	Medical Anthropology and Global Health
Certs Offered	

Statistical Information

2021-22	Number of New Grad Students	8
	Number Of Total Grad Students	29
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	102
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	29
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	6
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	0
2020-21	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	4
	Number of New Grad Students	5
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number Of Total Grad Students	27
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	77
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	26
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	6
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	4
2019-20	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	3
	Number of New Grad Students	11
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number Of Total Grad Students	32
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	79
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	32
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	9
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	3
2018-19	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	3
	Number of New Grad Students	7
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	1
	Number Of Total Grad Students	30
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	81
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	18
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	4
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	4
2017-18	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	2
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	83
	Number of New Grad Students	5
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number Of Total Grad Students	33
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	79
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	24
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	9
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	2

2016-17	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	1
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	80
	Number of New Grad Students	6
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	1
	Number Of Total Grad Students	30
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	76
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	28
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	3
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	2
2015-16	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	1
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	84
	Number of New Grad Students	6
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number Of Total Grad Students	32
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	95
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	42
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	6
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	1
2014-15	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	1
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	92
	Number of New Grad Students	7
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	1
	Number Of Total Grad Students	31
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	103
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	35
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	4
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	2
2013-14	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	3
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	95
	Number of New Grad Students	4
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number Of Total Grad Students	31
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	118
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	39
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	6
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	3

2012-13	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	3
	Number of New Grad Students	8
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number Of Total Grad Students	37
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	107
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	24
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	6
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	3
2011-12	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	2
	Number of New Grad Students	4
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	1
	Number Of Total Grad Students	38
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	96
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	30
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	5
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	3
2010-11	PHD Degrees Granted To Females	4
	Percentage OF FULL-TIME GRAD STUDENTS receiving funding	80
	Number of New Grad Students	11
	PHD Degrees Granted To Males	0
	Number Of Total Grad Students	43
	Number Of Total Undergrad Students	86
	BA/BS Degrees Granted Total	29
	MA/MS Degrees Granted Total	7
	PHD Degrees Granted Total	4

Program Contacts

Name	Phone	Email	Interest/Specialty Areas	Geographic Area(s) of Expertise	Geographic Areas of Expertise International
Janet McGrath	+1 216.368.2287	janet.mcgrath@case.edu	Biomedical anthropology, anthropology of infectious disease, international and global health, AIDS, urban health	US, Africa	Sub-Saharan Africa, Uganda
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Cynthia Beall		cynthia.beall@case.edu	Physical anthropology, adaptation to high-altitude hypoxia on the Andean, Tibetan, and East African plateaus, genetics of human adaptation, evolutionary human biology, evolutionary medicine	Andes, Himalayas, Tibet, Ethiopia	Sub-Saharan Africa
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David Kaawa-Mafigiri			Biomedical anthropology; Anthropology of infectious disease; Global health; social patterning of health; community health interventions; child abuse and neglect; health sciences and social work educational systems	East and Central Africa, Uganda	Sub-Saharan Africa, Uganda
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