

Plymouth State University

Program Information

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| Program Name | Plymouth State University |
| General Description / Special Programs | The Anthropology/Sociology major at Plymouth State offers an option in Anthropology; consists of specialty and area courses and field and archaeological field schools (prehistoric and historic archaeology) in New Hampshire. Plymouth State offers an MEd in Elementary/Secondary Education with a Heritage Studies Option and an MA in Historic Preservation. Focuses on the utilization of local resources for interpreting our past. |
| Established | |
| Country | UNITED STATES |
| State | NH |
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Program Details

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| Degrees Offered | Anthropology BA major MEd in Heritage Studies MA in Historic Preservation |
| Highest Degree Offered | MA/MS |
| BA/BS Field Areas | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthropology • Archaeology |
| BA/ BS Requirements | Completion of General Education requirements (55-78 credits); Satisfactory completion of courses in major; Minimum number credits is 120; Cumulative GPA 2.00 (minimum); min. of 2.20 in major; Completion of at least 30 semester hours course work at Plymouth State University; Foreign language required |
| MA/ MS Requirements | See website at www.plymouth.edu/graduate |
| Research Facilities | Archaeology laboratory (classroom/teaching laboratory) with wet laboratory, some storage. Internships available with New Hampshire Division of Historical Resources, New Hampshire Historical Society in conjunction with Plymouth State faculty, among other resources. |
| Support Opportunities | Archaeology laboratory assistant/work study money |
| Library Resources | Lamson Library: 325,000 print and non-print items; 1,200 periodical subscriptions; Special Collections with New Hampshire related items. |
| Internships Available | |
| Internship Required | |
| Certs Offered | |

Program Contacts

| Name | Phone | Email | Interest/Specialty Areas | Geographic Areas of Expertise United States | Geographic Areas of Expertise International |
|-------------------|-------|------------------------|---|---|---|
| David Starbuck | | dstarbuck@plymouth.edu | Historical and industrial archaeology, Native American prehistory and ethnohistory | Mesoamerica, North America, Scotland | Europe / Eurasia, Western Hemisphere |
| Laura Tilghman | | | Socio-cultural anthropology, migration, rural-urban linkages, health transitions, livelihoods, food security | Madagascar, US, China | China, Madagascar, Sub-Saharan Africa |
| Jason Paling | | | Mesoamerican archaeology, development of social complexity, political economy, lithic technology, faunal analysis | | |
| Grace Fraser | | gfraser@plymouth.edu | Conflict and law, political/economic change, rural communities, anthropology of food, tourism | Northeast | East Asia and the Pacific, Western Hemisphere |
| Katherine Donahue | | kdonahue@plymouth.edu | Social anthropology, religion, Islam in France | Northeast | Sub-Saharan Africa |

