Anthropology, B.A.

Academic Plans

Four-Year Graduation Plan

The following checkpoints list the minimum requirements students must complete by certain semesters in order to stay on the University’s Four-Year Graduation Plan.

Before the fifth semester begins: at least two courses in the major.

Before the seventh semester begins: at least seven courses in the major and at least 90 s.h. earned toward the degree.

Before the eighth semester begins: at least eight courses in the major.

During the eighth semester: enrollment in all remaining coursework in the major, all remaining GE CLAS Core courses, and a sufficient number of semester hours to graduate.

Sample Plan of Study

Sample plans represent one way to complete a program of study. Actual course selection and sequence will vary and should be discussed with an academic advisor. For additional sample plans, see MyUI.

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**First Year**

**Fall**

ANTH:1101 Cultural Anthropology<sup>b, c</sup> 3

RHET:1030 or ENGL:1200 Rhetoric or The Interpretation of Literature 3 - 4

GE CLAS Core: World Languages First Level Proficiency or elective course<sup>d</sup> 4 - 5

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

CSI:1600 Success at Iowa 2

**Hours** 15-17

**Spring**

ANTH:1301 Human Origins<sup>b, c</sup> 3

ENGL:1200 or RHET:1030 The Interpretation of Literature 3 - 4

GE CLAS Core: Diversity and Inclusion<sup>f</sup> 3

GE CLAS Core: World Languages Second Level Proficiency or elective course<sup>d</sup> 4 - 5

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

**Hours** 16-18

**Second Year**

**Fall**

ANTH:1201 World Archaeology<sup>b, c</sup> 3

ANTH:1401 Language, Culture, and Communication<sup>b, c</sup> 3

GE CLAS Core: Natural Sciences with Lab<sup>f</sup> 4

GE CLAS Core: World Languages Second Level Proficiency or elective course<sup>d</sup> 4 - 5

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 2

**Hours** 16-17

**Spring**

ANTH:1001 Issues in Anthropology 3

Major: upper-level anthropology course/track course 9

GE CLAS Core: Quantitative or Formal Reasoning<sup>f</sup> 3

GE CLAS Core: World Languages Fourth Level Proficiency or elective course<sup>d</sup> 4 - 5

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

**Hours** 16-17

**Third Year**

**Fall**

Major: Archaeology or Biological Anthropology course/track course 9

GE CLAS Core: International and Global Issues<sup>f</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

**Hours** 15

**Spring**

Major: Sociocultural or Linguistic Anthropology course/track course 9

GE CLAS Core: Values and Culture<sup>f</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

**Hours** 15

**Fourth Year**

**Fall**

Major: upper-level anthropology course/track course 9

Major: Area Studies Anthropology course/track course 9

GE CLAS Core: Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts<sup>f</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

**Hours** 15

**Spring**

Major: upper-level anthropology course/track course 9

GE CLAS Core: Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts<sup>f</sup> 3

Elective course<sup>e</sup> 3

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Degree Application: apply on MyUI before deadline (typically in February for spring, September for fall)

**Hours** 15

**Total Hours** 123-129

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<sup>a</sup> Sustainability must be completed by choosing a course that has been approved for Sustainability AND for one of these General Education areas: Natural Sciences; Quantitative and Formal Reasoning; Social Sciences; Historical Perspectives; International and Global Issues; Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts; or Values and Culture.
b Students may only use three ANTH courses to satisfy GE CLAS Core requirements.
c Fulfills a major requirement and may fulfill a GE requirement.
d Students who have completed four years of a single language in high school have satisfied the GE CLAS Core World Languages requirement. Enrollment in world languages courses requires a placement exam, unless enrolling in a first-semester-level course.
e Students may use elective courses to earn credit towards the total s.h. required for graduation or to complete a double major, minors, or certificates.
f GE CLAS Core courses may be completed in any order unless used as a prerequisite for another course. Students should consult with an advisor about the best sequencing of courses.
g Students have the option to choose one of four tracks in the major: gender and culture, cultural resource and heritage management, environmental anthropology, or medical anthropology. Courses must be numbered 2000 or above.
h Please see Academic Calendar, Office of the Registrar website for current degree application deadlines. Students should apply for a degree for the session in which all requirements will be met. For any questions on appropriate timing, contact your academic advisor or Graduation Services.