

Anthropology

Mission

The mission of the Department of Anthropology is to research and teach about global human diversity from the distant past to the present. Anthropology applies theoretical and practical tools to understanding the human past, human biology and evolution, language, contemporary society, and culture, and provides cross-cultural, environmental, and global perspectives on past and present human behavior. Our mission is to apply anthropological concepts to the resolution of important social, cultural, health, and environmental problems of our times. The Department of Anthropology offers courses leading to the Bachelor of Arts degree and the Master of Arts or Master of Science degrees. For a full description of the M.A. and M.S. degrees, refer to the Graduate Catalog (<http://coursecat.isu.edu/graduate>). The Anthropology major provides training in the four sub-disciplines of archaeology, biological anthropology, anthropological linguistics, and sociocultural anthropology. The department also offers an Associate of Arts degree in Shoshoni; minors in Anthropology, American Indian Studies, Latino Studies, and Linguistics; and specialization in archaeological science, ecological anthropology, medical anthropology, applied anthropology, forensics, and language preservation.

Undergraduate Learning Objectives And Outcomes

Program Objectives – Students who have completed an undergraduate major in Anthropology at Idaho State University should be able to:

1. Understand basic methods, concepts, theories and approaches, and modes of explanation appropriate to each of the sub-fields of the discipline.
2. Read and understand anthropological theory at the level of Bachelor of Arts.
3. Understand the use of quantitative and qualitative analyses in anthropological research.
4. Understand a comparative approach to the human condition, both cross-culturally and chronologically.
5. Demonstrate technical writing skills at the level of Bachelor of Arts.

Learning Outcomes – Students in the Senior Seminar will demonstrate the following competencies based on the above objectives:

1. Apply knowledge of anthropological methods, approaches, and modes of explanation to contemporary social issues.
2. Use theory to formulate a testable explanation for a given cultural behavior.
3. Select and perform quantitative and qualitative analytical techniques at a basic level.
4. Carry out a research project using cross-cultural and/or diachronic comparative methods.
5. Write a competent senior research paper.

Faculty

Chair and Professor

Reedy, Katherine L., Department Chair and Professor, Anthropology. B.A. 1997, University of Wisconsin; Ph.D. 2004, University of Cambridge, U.K. (2007)

Professors

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Loether, Christopher, Professor, Anthropology. Program Director, American Indian Studies Program. B.A. 1981, M.A. 1988, Ph.D. 1989, University of California, Los Angeles. (1989)

Associate Professor

Dudgeon, John V., Associate Professor, Anthropology. B.A. 1990, University of Colorado; M.A. 1998, University of Washington; Ph.D. 2008, University of Hawaii. (2008)

Assistant Professors

Speer, Charles A., Assistant Professor, Anthropology. B.A. 2003, M.A. 2006, Ph.D. 2013, University of Texas San Antonio. (2015)

Michael, Amy M., Visiting Assistant Professor, Anthropology. B.A. 2006, University of Iowa; M.A. 2009, Ph.D. 2016, Michigan State University. (2017)

Lecturers

Petersen, Christian, Associate Lecturer, Anthropology. B.S. 1992, M.S. 2002, Ph.D. 2017, Idaho State University. (2005)

Thomas, Lewis K., Assistant Lecturer, Anthropology. B.A. 1989, M.A. 1995, Idaho State University; ABD, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. (1998)

Native Language Instructor

Gould, Drusilla, Native Language Instructor, Anthropology. (1993)

Emeriti

Holmer, Richard N., Professor, Anthropology. 1983-2011

Stocks, Anthony, Professor, Anthropology. 1979-2006

Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology

Beyond the general university requirements (8 of the 9 General Education Objectives--see the General Education Requirements (<http://coursecat.isu.edu/undergraduate/academicinformation/generaleducation>) in the Academic Information section of this catalog), a student seeking Bachelor's degree with a major in anthropology must complete at least 45 credits in the following curriculum, earning at least a C grade in all lower and upper division core courses. Students for both the major and the minor in anthropology must have a minimum of 1 year of foreign language at the college level to graduate. These courses also partially satisfy Objective 4 of the General Education requirements. All students, particularly those planning graduate work, are strongly urged to pursue additional foreign language training beyond this requirement. Major and minor students must select their upper division anthropology elective courses in consultation with their major advisor.

Required Lower Division Courses:

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ANTH/ENGL/LANG 1107	Nature of Language (Satisfies General Education Objective 7)
ANTH 2203	Discover Archaeology
ANTH 2230	Introduction to Biological Anthropology
ANTH 2250	Introduction to Sociocultural Anthropology
Two (2) semesters of a foreign language	

Required Upper Division Courses:	16
ANTH 4492 Senior Seminar	
ANTH 4495 Department Colloquium	
ANTH 4401 History and Theory of Sociocultural Anthropology	
ANTH 4403 History and Theory of Archaeology	
ANTH 4430 Human Evolution	
Any upper division linguistics class (ANTH 33XX or 44XX)	
Additional Courses:	9
Upper division anthropology elective courses	
Total Credits	45

Minor in Anthropology

Required Courses

ANTH/ENGL/LANG 1107 Nature of Language (Satisfies General Education Objective 7)	3
ANTH 2203 Discover Archaeology	3
ANTH 2230 Introduction to Biological Anthropology	3
ANTH 2250 Introduction to Sociocultural Anthropology	3
Two (2) semesters of a foreign language	8
In Addition:	
Upper Division Anthropology Courses	9
Total Credits	29

Minor in American Indian Studies

Required Courses

ANTH 2238 Peoples and Cultures of the New World (Satisfies General Education Objective 9)	3
ANTH/HIST 2258 Native American History	3
ANTH/ENGL 4453 American Indian Literature	3
Select FOUR of the following courses:	12
ANTH/SHOS 1101 Elementary Shoshoni I	
ANTH/SHOS 1102 Elementary Shoshoni II	
(Either of the 2 courses above partially satisfies General Education Objective 4)	
ANTH 2206 Indigenous Traditional Parenting	
ANTH 3301 Introduction to Shoshoni Folklore	
ANTH 4406 American Indian Health Issues	
ANTH 4452 American Indian Verbal Arts	
ANTH 4454 Survey of American Indian Languages	
ANTH 4472 Native American Arts	
ANTH 4474 Topics in Indian Education	
ANTH/POLS 4478 Federal Indian Laws	
ANTH/POLS 4479 Tribal Governments	
ANTH 4489 Topics in American Indian Studies	
Total Credits	21

Minor in Latino Studies

Required Courses

ANTH 2239 Latino Peoples and Cultures (Satisfies General Education Objective 9)	3
ANTH 2250 Introduction to Sociocultural Anthropology	3
HIST 2251 Latin American History and Culture	3
One year intermediate Spanish	6-8
SPAN 2201 Intermediate Spanish I & SPAN 2202 and Intermediate Spanish II	
(Either course above satisfies General Education Objective 9)	
OR	
SPAN 3301 Spanish Conversation and Composition I & SPAN 3302 and Spanish Conversation and Composition II	
OR	
Others with permission of Latino Studies Director	
Plus 6 credits from the following for a total of at least 21 credits (3 credits must be 3000 level or above)	6
ANTH 2239 Latino Peoples and Cultures (Satisfies General Education Objective 9) ¹	
SPAN 3342 Survey of Latin American Literature and Civilization	
SPAN 3375 Topics in Culture and Literature	
SPAN 3381 Hispanic Current Affairs	
SPAN 4475 Topics in Culture and Literature	
Total Credits	21-23

¹ Repeatable for 6 credits choosing different courses such as Contemporary Latinos in the U.S., Peoples of Mexico Through Film, Ancient Mesoamerica, or other approved classes).

Minor in Linguistics

Required Courses

ANTH/ENGL/LANG 1107 Nature of Language (satisfies General Education Objective 7)	3
ENGL 2281 Introduction to Language Studies	3
ANTH/LANG 4455 Phonetics	3
or ENGL 4484 Rotating Topics in Linguistics	
or PHIL 4410 Philosophy of Language	
or ANTH 4450/ ENGL 4488 Sociolinguistics	
One year of a foreign language	8
Plus nine credits from the following, for a total of 26 credits:	9
ENGL 2280 Grammar and Usage	
ANTH/ENGL 3367 Language in the United States	
ANTH 4452 American Indian Verbal Arts	
ANTH/LANG 4455 Phonetics	
ANTH/LANG 4456 Phonology and Morphology	
ANTH 4458 Historical Linguistics	
ANTH 4459 Linguistic Field Methods	
ANTH/LANG 4457 Survey of Indo European Languages	

ANTH/ENGL/LANG 4484	Rotating Topics in Linguistics	
ENGL/ANTH 4480	Varieties of American English	
ENGL 4481	Studies In Grammar	
ENGL 4486	Old English	
ENGL 4487	History of the English Language	
PHIL 2201	Introduction to Logic (satisfies General Education Objective 7)	
PHIL 4410	Philosophy of Language	
Total Credits		26

Associate of Arts in Shoshoni

Students seeking an Associate of Arts degree in Shoshoni must complete the following:

SHOS/ANTH 1101	Elementary Shoshoni I (Partially satisfies General Education Objective 4)	4
SHOS/ANTH 1102	Elementary Shoshoni II (Partially satisfies General Education Objective 4)	4
SHOS 2201	Intermediate Shoshoni I (Satisfies General Education Objective 9)	4
SHOS 2202	Intermediate Shoshoni II (Satisfies General Education Objective 9)	4
Students must select four (4) courses from the following:		12

ANTH/ENGL/LANG 1107	Nature of Language	
ANTH 2206	Indigenous Traditional Parenting	
ANTH/HIST 2258	Native American History	
ANTH 3301	Introduction to Shoshoni Folklore	
ANTH 4452	American Indian Verbal Arts	
ANTH/ENGL 4453	American Indian Literature	
ANTH 4454	Survey of American Indian Languages	
ANTH 4472	Native American Arts	
ANTH/POLS 4478	Federal Indian Laws	
ANTH/POLS 4479	Tribal Governments	
ANTH 4489	Topics in American Indian Studies	

General Education Objectives ¹

Free electives to bring total to 60 credits

¹ The number of credits required for the General Education Objectives (<http://coursecat.isu.edu/undergraduate/academicinformation/generaleducation>) varies depending on the student's performance on proficiency or placement tests in English, foreign languages, and mathematics.

Anthropology Courses

ANTH 1100 Discover Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Introduction to fields of anthropology: physical anthropology, archaeology, linguistics, and ethnology, and to biological and cultural development of humans. Partially satisfies Objective 6 of the General Education Requirements. F, S, Su

ANTH 1101 Elementary Shoshoni I: 4 semester hours.

Basic communication skills and grammar of Shoshoni and introduction to Shoshoni culture. Equivalent to SHOS 1101. Partially satisfies Objective 4 of the General Education Requirements. F

ANTH 1102 Elementary Shoshoni II: 4 semester hours.

Furthering basic communication skills and grammar of Shoshoni and introduction to Shoshoni culture. Equivalent to SHOS 1102. PREREQ: ANTH/SHOS 1101 or equivalent. Partially satisfies Objective 4 of the General Education Requirements. S

ANTH 1107 Nature of Language: 3 semester hours.

General survey of structure and use of language. Topics include language origins, descriptive and historical linguistics, language and culture, and history of the English language. Equivalent to ENGL 1107 and LANG 1107. Satisfies Objective 7 of the General Education Requirements. S

ANTH 1199 Experimental Course: 1-6 semester hours.

This course is not described in the catalog. The course title and number of credits are announced in the class schedule by the scheduling department. Experimental courses may be offered no more than three times.

ANTH 2201 Intermediate Shoshoni I: 4 semester hours.

Intermediate communication skills and grammar of Shoshoni. Deepens understanding of Shoshoni culture and builds on skills and knowledge gained in Elementary Shoshoni. Equivalent to SHOS 2201. PREREQ: ANTH/SHOS 1102 or equivalent. Satisfies Objective 9 of the General Education Requirements. F

ANTH 2202 Intermediate Shoshoni II: 4 semester hours.

Intermediate communication skills and grammar of Shoshoni. Deepens understanding of Shoshoni culture and builds on skills and knowledge gained in Elementary Shoshoni. Cross-listed as SHOS 2202. PREREQ: ANTH 2201 or equivalent. Satisfies Objective 9 of the General Education Requirements. S

ANTH 2203 Discover Archaeology: 3 semester hours.

Introduction to basic methods, data and concepts of archaeology. F, S.

ANTH 2206 Indigenous Traditional Parenting: 3 semester hours.

Using the traditional knowledge of a Shoshoni language speaker, course is based in language and philosophy. Includes concepts of personhood, relations between parent and child, and the philosophy and use of childcare artifacts such as cradleboards. F

ANTH 2210 Conversational Shoshoni: 3 semester hours.

Refresher in Shoshoni words and phrases for those with previous exposure to the language and culture. S

ANTH 2212 Introduction to Folklore and Oral Tradition: 3 semester hours.

Folklore genres and folk groups, including introductory experience in folklore fieldwork focused on study of a genre or group of genres within verbal, customary, or material culture. Equivalent to ENGL 2212. Satisfies Objective 9 of the General Education Requirements. R1

ANTH 2230 Introduction to Biological Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Introduction to human biology, including human origins, evolution, human adaptation, and diversity. F

ANTH 2233 Sex and Human Evolution: 3 semester hours.

Examination of worldwide variation in human sexuality from an anthropological and evolutionary perspective. D

ANTH 2237 Peoples and Cultures of the Old World: 3 semester hours.

Examination of human social and cultural diversity from different parts of the Old World. Topics include social structure, ecology, religion, politics, and language. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. Satisfies Objective 9 of the General Education Requirements. D

ANTH 2238 Peoples and Cultures of the New World: 3 semester hours.

Examination of the human, social, and cultural diversity from different parts of the New World. Topics include social structure, ecology, religion, politics, and language. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. Satisfies Objective 9 of the General Education Requirements. F, S

ANTH 2239 Latino Peoples and Cultures: 3 semester hours.

Examination of the human, social and cultural diversity among Latino people in different regions of the world. Topics include ethnicity, health and healing, social structure, ecology, religion, politics, prehistory and language. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. Satisfies Objective 9 of the General Education Requirements. F, S

ANTH 2250 Introduction to Sociocultural Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Explores cultural and biocultural behavior including cross cultural examination of enculturation, culture and personality, social organization, kinship and marriage, economics, politics, and ideology. Focus on cultural dynamics and contemporary issues in cultural anthropology. F

ANTH 2258 Native American History: 3 semester hours.

Assesses diversity of North American natives, their life and thought; European impact; federal policy; and natives' response to continual cultural and physical assault. Equivalent to HIST 2258. D

ANTH 2299 Experimental Course: 1-6 semester hours.

This course is not described in the catalog. The course title and number of credits are announced in the class schedule by the scheduling department. Experimental courses may be offered no more than three times.

ANTH 3301 Introduction to Shoshoni Folklore: 3 semester hours.

Survey of Shoshoni beliefs, customs, music, dance and various genres of oral tradition including tales, legends and myths. Includes the material manifestations of Shoshoni culture, including arts and crafts, costuming and folk technology. R1

ANTH 3367 Language in the United States: 3 semester hours.

A survey of the languages of the United States (American Indian languages, immigrant languages, and ethnic and regional varieties of English) along with the social and political aspects of American language use. Equivalent to ENGL 3367. PREREQ: ANTH/LANG/ENGL 1107. D

ANTH 3399 Experimental Course: 1-6 semester hours.

This is an experimental course. The course title and number of credits are announced in the class schedule by the scheduling department. Experimental courses may be offered no more than three times with the same title and content.

ANTH 4401 History and Theory of Sociocultural Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Survey of the development of anthropology, various schools of thought, important personalities, and concepts that have contributed to anthropology over time. PREREQ: ANTH 2250 or permission of instructor. S

ANTH 4402 Ecological Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Interaction of human bio-cultural systems and environment. Relations of natural resources, technological inventories, social organization, cultural categories. Native resource management practices. PREREQ: ANTH 2203, ANTH 2250, ANTH 2230, BIOL 1100 or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4403 History and Theory of Archaeology: 3 semester hours.

History of the development of current methods and theory in archaeology and contemporary applications. PREREQ: ANTH 2203 or permission of instructor. F

ANTH 4404 Material Culture Analysis: 3 semester hours.

Methods and analyses used in archaeology and anthropology to understand the relationship between objects and culture. PREREQ: ANTH 2203 or permission of instructor. COREQ: ANTH 4405. D

ANTH 4405 Analytical Techniques Laboratory: 1 semester hour.

Analytical techniques laboratory to accompany ANTH 4404. Students will complete an assigned project in material culture analysis. PREREQ: ANTH 2203 or permission of instructor. COREQ: ANTH 4404. D

ANTH 4406 American Indian Health Issues: 3 semester hours.

An overview of health concerns, both current and past, of American Indian people, and the biological and sociocultural factors which influence health status. PREREQ: Permission of instructor. AF

ANTH 4407 Anthropology of Global Health: 3 semester hours.

How cultures define health and illness, and how these definitions ultimately influence the health status of individuals. F

ANTH 4408 Topics in Medical Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Rotating topics, including international health issues, ethno-psychiatry, ethnomedicine and non-western healing systems. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: Permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4409 Clinical Medical Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Explores the culture of biomedicine and the beliefs of patients. Topics include doctor/patient communication, cultural competency, cultural construction of risk, critiques of high-tech medicine and the international pharmaceutical industry. S

ANTH 4410 Cultural Resources Management: 3 semester hours.

Introduction to CRM reviewing historic preservation and federal legislation as they pertain to archaeology; practical experience in site survey and recording. PREREQ: ANTH 2203 or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4411 Advanced Global Health: 3 semester hours.

This class uses medical anthropology theories and approaches to explore and analyze current global health issues. Emphasis is on trans-disciplinary approaches to understanding and problem solving. The class content reflects current, on-going global health crises. ANTH 2239 or ANTH 4407/ANTH 5507 are recommended but not required requisites. D

ANTH 4413 Old World Archaeology: 3 semester hours.

Prehistory of the Old World. Precise areal focus and periods may vary. Includes both theory and exposition. May be repeated for up to 6 credits with different course topics. PREREQ: ANTH 2203 or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4414 New World Archaeology: 3 semester hours.

Examination of the prehistory of the Americas with emphasis on the North American Continent. May be repeated for up to 6 credits with different course topics. PREREQ: ANTH 2203 or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4420 Applied Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Introduction to the use of theories, methods, practices, and ethnographic findings of anthropology to solve human and environmental problems in academic, professional and global contexts. Special emphasis on future research and anthropological career trajectories. ANTH 2250 recommended as a prerequisite. D

ANTH 4422 Globalization: 3 semester hours.

An examination of issues surrounding the intersection of anthropology and globalization. Emphasis on the social scientific study of the intensity of flows of capital, labor, commodities, and ideologies across national borders. Cultural, political, and economic connections and transformations are interpreted through an ethnographic lens. D

ANTH 4425 Food and Culture: 3 semester hours.

A global examination of the role of food in human culture as a necessity and symbolic reflection of cultural processes. Among topics considered are why food shapes identity, culinary meaning and belief, development and change of food habits through cultural interaction, identity, ritual uses of food, taboos, diet, health, and globalization, drawing on historical and modern case studies. D

ANTH 4426 Reading and Writing Ethnography: 3 semester hours.

This course explores both contemporary and historical ethnographic writings that are foundational to the discipline. Students also engage in learning the art of ethnographic writing by producing short pieces of their own during the semester. ANTH 2250 or ANTH 2239 recommended as a prerequisite. D

ANTH 4429 Survey of Primates: 3 semester hours.

Evolution and adaptations of fossil and extant non-human primates through their anatomy, behavioral ecology, and adaptive diversity, including a history of primate/human interactions. D

ANTH 4430 Human Evolution: 3 semester hours.

Examines relevant topical issues/problems in human evolution from a bioanthropological, ecological and demographic perspective, including paleoanthropology, evolutionary genetics, and the impact of health, nutrition and disease in human populations. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: ANTH 2230 or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4431 Special Topics in Biological Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Rotating review of topics dealing with issues in biological anthropology. ANTH 2230 is recommended as a prerequisite. D

ANTH 4432 Human Osteology: 3 semester hours.

Provides a comprehensive, working knowledge of the human skeletal system presented in a laboratory context, including identification of individual bones, osteogenesis, pathologies, demography and the applications of knowledge and techniques in real world settings. PREREQ: ANTH 2230 or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4434 Forensic Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

An introduction to forensic anthropology, an applied field within the larger discipline of biological anthropology, that analyzes human skeletal remains recovered from medico-legal contexts. The course will cover theoretical foundations and methodologies associated with forensic anthropology and will provide students with an informed appreciation for the field, as well as knowledge regarding the roles, responsibilities, and limitations of a forensic anthropologist. ANTH 2230 and ANTH 4432 recommended as prerequisites. D

ANTH 4436 Human Variation: 3 semester hours.

This senior level course is designed to investigate the biological basis of human diversity, the meanings we apply to race, and how race is perceived. Topics covered include the origin and mechanisms of human population variation, the nature of racial and racist studies in both historical and social contexts, and the question of race as a valid subject of scientific inquiry. D

ANTH 4438 Human Growth and Development: 3 semester hours.

This course covers the phenomenon of human growth, how growth and development can be measured, the molecular basis of growth, secular changes, genetic and environmental effects on growth, plasticity of the human phenotype, and applications to forensic age estimation in subadults. ANTH 2230 is recommended as a prerequisite. D

ANTH 4439 Principles of Taphonomy: 3 semester hours.

Effects of processes which modify organisms between death and the time the usually fossilized remains are studied. Emphasis on vertebrates. Equivalent to BIOL 4439 and GEOL 4439. PREREQ: Permission of instructor. AS

ANTH 4449 Qualitative Research Methods: 3 semester hours.

Study of the methods of field work and analysis in sociocultural anthropology; design of field studies; data types; techniques for collection and analysis of empirical data; report writing; experimental field projects. AF

ANTH 4450 Sociolinguistics: 3 semester hours.

Study of the patterned covariation of language and society, social dialects and social styles in language; problems of bilingualism, multilingualism, creoles and language uses. Equivalent to ENGL 4488. PREREQ: ANTH 1107, ENGL 2280 or ENGL 2281, or permission of instructor. F

ANTH 4452 American Indian Verbal Arts: 3 semester hours.

Analysis of current theories in the study of oral literature and ethnopoetics, focusing on the oral traditions of American Indians. PREREQ: ANTH 1107 or permission of instructor. AF

ANTH 4453 American Indian Literature: 3 semester hours.

Considers literary works by and about North American native people, especially in relationship to history, genre, and culture, including oral traditions. Equivalent to ENGL 4453. PREREQ: Objective 1. R2

ANTH 4454 Survey of American Indian Languages: 3 semester hours.

History of scholarship, analysis and classification of American Indian languages with emphasis on the languages of a particular phylum or geographical area. PREREQ: ANTH 1107 or permission of instructor. AF

ANTH 4455 Phonetics: 3 semester hours.

Introduction to descriptive linguistics focusing on the phonetics and phonetic phenomena of English and the other languages of the world. Extensive practice in perception and production of such phenomena. Equivalent to LANG 4455. PREREQ: ANTH/ENGL/LANG 1107. D

ANTH 4456 Phonology and Morphology: 3 semester hours.

Phonological theory and analysis; current theories in morphology. Phonological rules, representations, underlying forms, derivations, justifications of phonological analyses; morphological structure, derivational and inflectional morphology; relation of morphology to phonology. Equivalent to LANG 4456. PREREQ: ANTH/ENGL/LANG 1107. D

ANTH 4457 Survey of Indo European Languages: 3 semester hours.

Survey of Indo-European languages from ancient to modern times, their relationships to one another, and chief characteristics. Equivalent to LANG 4457. PREREQ: Completion of Objective 9. D

ANTH 4458 Historical Linguistics: 3 semester hours.

The methods and theories of the historical study of language. The comparative method, internal reconstruction, linguistic change over time, genetic typology of languages, and applications to prehistory. PREREQ: ANTH 1107. AS

ANTH 4459 Linguistic Field Methods: 3 semester hours.

Practical experience in linguistic analysis of a language using data elicited from a native speaker. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: ANTH 4456 or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4463 Applied Statistics in Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Practical applications of commonly used statistical analyses in anthropology. PREREQ: MATH 1153 or permission of instructor. AF

ANTH 4464 Analytical Methods: 4 semester hours.

Examination of and practical experience in applying advanced quantitative, qualitative, and laboratory methods and analyses. May be taken for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: ANTH 4463 or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4472 Native American Arts: 3 semester hours.

Survey of Native American arts and industries, including prehistoric, ethnographic, and contemporary venues. PREREQ: ANTH 2238. D

ANTH 4474 Topics in Indian Education: 3 semester hours.

Rotating review of topics dealing with issues in Indian education. Consult current schedule of classes for exact course being taught. D

ANTH 4478 Federal Indian Laws: 3 semester hours.

Examination of tribal governments; their relationship with the federal government; sovereignty, jurisdictional conflicts over land and resources; and economic development. Equivalent to POLS 4478. D

ANTH 4479 Tribal Governments: 3 semester hours.

Complex legal position of Indian tribes as self-governing entities; principles of inherent powers; governmental organization, lawmaking, justice, relation to state and federal government. Equivalent to POLS 4479. D

ANTH 4480 Varieties of American English: 3 semester hours.

In-depth study of various dialects of American English, including historical evolution of different dialects, effects of migration on dialects, and influences of non-English immigrant languages on development of American English. Field-work studying the Snake River dialects of Idaho. Equivalent to ENGL 4480. PREREQ: ANTH/LANG/ENGL 1107. D

ANTH 4481 Topics in Sociocultural Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Selected topics in social, political, economic, and religious systems/organization. Intensive survey of literature and analysis of relevant materials. See current schedule of classes for exact course titles. May be repeated for up to 9 credits with different course topics. PREREQ: Upper division status or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4482 Independent Problems in Anthropology: 1-3 semester hours.

Investigation of an anthropological problem chosen by the student and approved by the staff. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: Permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4483 Field Research: 3 semester hours.

Practical experience in field research. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: Permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4484 Rotating Topics in Linguistics: 3 semester hours.

Rotating topics in different areas of linguistics and linguistic analysis. Consult current schedule of classes for exact course being taught. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. Equivalent to ENGL 4484 and LANG 4484. PREREQ: ANTH/ENGL/LANG 1107 or ENGL 2280 or ENGL 2281. D

ANTH 4485 Anthropology of War and Violence: 3 semester hours.

Survey of war and violence from its evolutionary foundations through its modern representations. History and ethnography of violent conflict around the world. PREREQ: Any upper division Social Science course. AS

ANTH 4486 Archaeology Field School: 1-6 semester hours.

Practical field and laboratory training in archaeological excavation techniques and methods of analysis. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: ANTH 2203 or permission of instructor. Su

ANTH 4487 Ethnographic Field School: 1-6 semester hours.

Supervised fieldwork in cultural anthropology in a given ethnographic setting where students and faculty work on a specific set of field problems. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: ANTH 2250 and ANTH 4449 or permission of instructor. D

ANTH 4489 Topics in American Indian Studies: 3 semester hours.

Rotating review of topics dealing with issues in American Indian studies. Consult current schedule of classes for exact course being taught. May be repeated with different content. D

ANTH 4490 Topics in Folklore: 3 semester hours.

Focused study of an issue in folkloristics or a particular genre of folklore, including history of the scholarship concerning that issue or genre. Rotating topics. May be repeated for up to 9 credits with different topics. Equivalent to ENGL 4490. R1

ANTH 4491 Archaeology Laboratory Analysis: 3 semester hours.

Directed analysis of archaeological remains and report writing. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: Permission of instructor. F, S

ANTH 4492 Senior Seminar: 3 semester hours.

Integration and application of anthropological theories and methods to current research issues. PREREQ: ANTH 4401 or permission of instructor. S

ANTH 4494 Visual Anthropology: 3 semester hours.

Documentary and ethnographic filmmaking techniques including story structure, interviewing, audio and lighting, camera handling, composition, POV, and editing. Anthropological critiques of visual representation. Students create their own short film for a final project. May be repeated for up to 6 credits. PREREQ: ANTH 1100 or ANTH 2250 or permission of instructor. F

ANTH 4495 Department Colloquium: 1 semester hour.

Presentations of current research issues in Anthropology by faculty and students. S

ANTH 4499 Experimental Course: 1-6 semester hours.

This course is not described in the catalog. The course title and number of credits are announced in the class schedule by the scheduling department. Experimental courses may be offered no more than three times.

Shoshoni Courses**SHOS 1101 Elementary Shoshoni I: 4 semester hours.**

Basic communication skills and grammar of Shoshoni and introduction to Shoshoni culture. Equivalent to ANTH 1101. Partially satisfies Objective 4 of the General Education Requirements. F

SHOS 1102 Elementary Shoshoni II: 4 semester hours.

Furthering basic communication skills and grammar of Shoshoni and introduction to Shoshoni culture. Equivalent to ANTH 1102. PREREQ: ANTH/SHOS 1101 or equivalent. Partially satisfies Objective 4 of the General Education Requirements. S

SHOS 2201 Intermediate Shoshoni I: 4 semester hours.

Intermediate communication skills and grammar of Shoshoni. Deepens understanding of Shoshoni Culture and builds on skills and knowledge gained in Elementary Shoshoni. Equivalent to ANTH 2201. PREREQ: ANTH/SHOS 1102 or equivalent. Satisfies Objective 9 of the General Education Requirements. F

SHOS 2202 Intermediate Shoshoni II: 4 semester hours.

Intermediate communication skills and grammar of Shoshoni. Deepens understanding of Shoshoni culture and builds on skills and knowledge gained in Elementary Shoshoni. Cross-listed as ANTH 2202. PREREQ: SHOS 2201 or equivalent. Satisfies Objective 9 of the General Education Requirements. S