

# HONOURS BSOCSC ANTHROPOLOGY

Anthropology involves studying the diversity of human societies through comparative analyses. Anthropologists develop tools that contribute to identifying and exploring a variety of social, cultural, political, economic, environmental and other important issues. Anthropology is unique among disciplines because of its methodological approach, which involves in-depth qualitative field work. Our specialized programs in social and cultural anthropology enable students to better understand and analyze cultural changes and intercultural relations in the context of globalization, development, migration and new technologies.

Programs are offered in English and in French.

Learn more about this program (<https://www.uottawa.ca/faculty-social-sciences/sociological-anthropological-studies/undergraduate/anthropology-programs/>)

## Program Requirements

Co-operative education is available with this program.

The French immersion stream is available with this program.

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2025-2026 calendars (<http://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/>) for the previous requirements.

### Basic skills

ENG 1100	Workshop in Essay Writing	3 Units
ENG 1120	Selected Topics in Literature and Composition	3 Units

**Total: 6 Units**

### Compulsory courses

ANT 1101	Social and Cultural Anthropology	3 Units
ANT 2111	Introduction to Research Methods in Anthropology	3 Units
ANT 2121	Classical Theories in Anthropology	3 Units
ANT 2126	Anthropology and Indigenous Peoples	3 Units
ANT 2128	Anthropology for the 21st Century	3 Units
ANT 3142	Ethnographer's Magic: Reading and Writing Anthropology	3 Units
ANT 3144	Practical Training in Research Methods in Anthropology	3 Units
ANT 4123	Theoretical Currents in Contemporary Anthropology	3 Units
ANT 4301	Advanced Research Methods in Anthropology	3 Units

### Optional courses

3 course units from: 3 Units

ANT 3307 Contemporary Japanese Society

ANT 3340 Anthropology of Latin America and the Caribbean

ANT 3341 Anthropology of Oceania

ANT 3342 Anthropology of Africa

ANT 3344 Anthropology of South Asia

ANT 3345	Anthropology of the Maghreb and the Middle East	
6 course units from:		6 Units
ANT 3106	Environmental Anthropology	
ANT 3120	Anthropology of Science and Technologies	
ANT 3128	Political Anthropology	
ANT 3131	Capitalism and Ethnographies of Globalization	
ANT 3132	Psychological Anthropology	
ANT 3133	Medical Anthropology	
ANT 3140	Cultures, Societies and Identity	
ANT 3143	Visual Anthropology	
9 optional course units in anthropology (ANT) at the 3000 level		9 Units
6 optional course units in anthropology (ANT) at the 4000 level		6 Units
6 optional course units from the list of optional courses		6 Units
<b>Total:</b>		<b>57 Units</b>

### Elective courses

57 elective course units	57 Units
or 27 elective course units plus a minor	

**Total: 57 Units**

## List of Optional Courses

FEM 3108	Indigenous Feminisms	3 Units
GEG 2108	Contested Places	3 Units
GEG 3309	Social Landscapes of Métis Communities	3 Units
GEG 4125	Geographies of Transnational Migration and Settlement	3 Units
HIS 2170	Latin America, Colonial Period	3 Units
HIS 2171	Latin America, Modern Period	3 Units
HIS 2176	Introduction to the History of Southeast Asia	3 Units
HIS 2178	History of East Asia from 1600 to the Present	3 Units
HIS 2307	History of Indigenous Peoples in Canada	3 Units
HIS 2376	The African Past	3 Units
LIN 1300	What Is Language?	3 Units
LIN 1340	Language in Society	3 Units
LIN 2300	The World's Languages	3 Units
LIN 2301	Aboriginal Language	3 Units
SRS 1110	Witchcraft, Magic and Occult Traditions	3 Units
SRS 1112	The Religions of the World I	3 Units
SRS 2113	The Religions of the World II	3 Units
SRS 2115	Religious Ways of the Aboriginal Peoples	3 Units
SRS 2194	Anthropology of Religion	3 Units
SRS 3111	Aboriginal Myths and Philosophy	3 Units
SRS 3119	Shamanic Traditions	3 Units