

Anthropology and Social Theory

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Overview:	Anthropology is the study of the many societies and cultures of the world and their complex interaction. While Social Theory, drawing on observations from Anthropology and other social sciences, analyses the ways societies and cultures are organised and sometimes transformed. Anthropology's global comparative scope is complemented by a local focus; its unique perspective is made possible by intensive participation in the daily life and language of the communities studied. Contemporary social anthropology asks broad and detailed questions about what it means to be human in a globalising world, as well as providing a critical vantage point from which to reflect on ourselves and others.
Objectives:	See course objectives
Structure & Available Subjects:	<p>Anthropology & Social Theory</p> <p>Major</p> <p>A major in Anthropology & Social Theory consists of eight 12.5-point subjects (total 100 points) as follows:</p> <p><i>Level 1</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Anthropology: Studying Human Diversity or # The Developing World # One Interdisciplinary Foundation Subject <p><i>Level 2 (37.5 points)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # At least one level 2 core subject # maximum one level 2 elective subject (12.5 points) # Engaging the World in Theory and Practice (compulsory subject) <p><i>Level 3 (37.50 points)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Theory and the Anthropological Imagination (compulsory capstone subject) # At least one level 3 core subject # maximum one level 3 elective subject <p>Total 100 points</p> <p>Minor</p> <p>A minor in Anthropology & Social Theory consists of six 12.5-point subjects (total 75 points) as follows:</p> <p><i>Level 1</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Anthropology: Studying Human Diversity (or) # The Developing World # One Interdisciplinary Foundation Subject <p><i>Level 2 (25 points)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Minimum of one core at level 2 <p><i>Level 3 (25 points)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Minimum of one core at level 3 <p>Total 75 points</p> <p>The capstone subject is not available in the minor or as breadth studies outside the BA.</p>
Subject Options:	<p>Level 1</p> <p>Students completing a major or a minor in Anthropology and Social Theory must complete one Interdisciplinary Foundation Subject and one of the following level 1 subjects:</p>

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
ANTH10001 Anthropology: Studying Human Diversity	Not offered 2011	12.50
DEVT10001 The Developing World	Not offered 2011	12.50

Level 2 Compulsory

Students completing the major in Anthropology and Social Theory must complete the following subject:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
ANTH20012 Engaging the World in Theory & Practice	Not offered 2011	12.50

Level 2 Core

Students completing a major in Anthropology & Social Theory major must complete a minimum of one of the following level 2 core subjects:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
ANTH20001 Keeping the Body in Mind	Not offered 2011	12.50
ANTH20007 Working with Value	Not offered 2011	12.50
ANTH20008 Anthropology of Sex, Gender and Identity	Not offered 2011	12.50
ANTH20011 Ethnic Nationalism and the Modern World	Not offered 2011	12.50
SOTH20002 Modernity Revolution to Social Movements	Not offered 2011	12.50

Level 2 Electives

Students completing a major in Anthropology and Social Theory major may include a maximum of one of the following level 2 elective subjects:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
DEVT20001 Development and the Third World	Not offered 2011	12.50
ANTH20006 Culture Change and Protest Movements	Not offered 2011	12.50
GEND20001 Sex, Gender and Power	Not offered 2011	12.50
SOTH20003 Social Theory and Political Analysis	Not offered 2011	12.50
GEND20003 Genders, Bodies, Borders	Not offered 2011	12.50
POLS20006 Contemporary Political Theory	Semester 1	12.50

Level 3 Capstone

Students completing a major Anthropology and Social Theory major must complete the following compulsory capstone subject:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
ANTH30013 Theory & the Anthropological Imagination	Not offered 2011	12.50

Level 3 Core

Students completing a major in Anthropology and Social Theory must complete a minimum of one of the following level 3 core subjects:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
ANTH30003 The Human Cosmos	Not offered 2011	12.50

	ANTH30004 Anthropology of Kinship and Family	Not offered 2011	12.50
	ANTH30005 Power, Ideology and Inequality	Not offered 2011	12.50
	SOTH30001 Critical Theories	Not offered 2011	12.50
	Level 3 Electives		
	Students completing a major in Anthropology and Social Theory may include a maximum of one of the following level 3 elective subjects:		
	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
	ANTH30009 Anthropology of Nature	Not offered 2011	12.50
	SOTH30004 Psychoanalysis and Social Theory	Not offered 2011	12.50
	POLS30027 Global Movements: Protest and the Planet	Not offered 2011	12.50
	GEND30002 The Future of Sex and Gender	Not offered 2011	12.50
Links to further information:	School of Philosophy, Anthropology and Social Inquiry - http://www.arts.unimelb.edu.au/pasi/		
Related Course(s):	Bachelor of Arts		