



**Cover Sheet for New Undergraduate Curriculum Proposals**

**Date:** 3/19/2020

**Proposal Number:**

(Assigned by the Registrar)

**Department:** ANSC

**Current Course or Program ID:**  
Archaeology and Prehistory Minor

**Contact Person:** C. Urista

**Proposal Category:** (✓ all that apply). A separate cover sheet must be submitted for each proposal.

<input type="checkbox"/> Course Prerequisite Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Change to Catalog Description
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Title Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Minor Change to Course
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Deletion	<input type="checkbox"/> New Course
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Number Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Revision
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Credit Hour Change	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New or Discontinued Program (Major, minor, or certificate)
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Syllabus Change	

**Other Proposal Requirements:** (✓ as applies and attach form)

<input type="checkbox"/>	For New Course Proposals, attach the New Course Proposal.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	For New or Discontinued Majors or Certificates, or significant changes in program requirements contact the SCHEV liaison, the Assistant Provost for Academic Operations, to compose and attach the proposal in SCHEV format.

**Proposal Description with Rationale:** For changes in catalog entries or syllabi, include the current language and use track changes to indicate proposed changes. Explain why the change is desired.

We are proposing a new minor in Archaeology and Prehistory. This minor will introduce students to the study of prehistory through archaeological methods and analysis. Students are often very interested in learning about archaeology and prehistory and this will allow them to study these areas without having to commit to a full major in Anthropological Sciences. Please see the attached document for proposed minor requirements.

**Effective Date:** Fall 2021

### **Archaeology and Prehistory Minor (20 credit hours)**

This minor serves to introduce students to the study of prehistory through archaeological methods and analysis. Students will be introduced to a broad overview of human prehistory and the methods used to study it and then chose from elective classes to explore the prehistory of cultural regions of interest to them.

### **Required Courses (14 credit hours)**

ANSC 101- Anthropology of the Human Past, 3 hours  
ANSC 301- Principles of Archaeology, 4 hours  
ANSC 302- Principles of Biological Anthropology, 4 hours

AND

ANSC 106 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology

OR

ANSC 103- Ancient Worlds of the Maya, the Aztec and the Inka

### **Elective Courses (6 credit hours)**

ANSC 106- Introduction to Cultural Anthropology- 3 hours  
[ANSC 103 - Ancient Worlds of the Maya, the Aztec, and the Inka- 3 hours](#)  
[ANSC 333 – Old World Prehistory- 3 hours](#)  
[ANSC 361 - Human Impacts on the Prehistoric Environment- 3 hours](#)  
ANSC 371- Weiriding Archaeology: Exploring the Popular Perception of Archaeology- 3 hours  
ANSC 415- Anthropology of Death, 3 hours  
ANSC 433- The Ancient & Living Maya: Anthropological Perspectives on Maya Culture, 3 hours

## Approval/Recommendation Signature Sheet for Undergraduate Curriculum Proposals

Signature	Title	Date
	Department Curriculum Committee Chair	
	Department Chair (on behalf of faculty)	
	College Curriculum Committee Chair	
	College Dean	
For courses proposed to be included in the Core Curriculum:		
	Core Curriculum Advisory Committee Chair	
For new majors and certificates:		
	Library Liaison	
For new or discontinued majors, minors, certificates, concentrations, options or significant changes in program requirements:		
	Faculty Senate President following review by the Faculty Senate	
	Provost and VP for Academic Affairs	
For proposals going to BOV, SCHEV and/or SACSCOC:		
	President	
	Board of Visitors approval date	
	SCHEV approval date	
	SACSCOC approval date	
	Entered into catalog by Registrar's Office	