

# Archaeology

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Archaeology is the study of the material remains brought about by or related to past human activity. These material remains, the archaeological record, are the focus of archaeological research. However, research problems, interpretations, and associated analytical approaches vary widely across the many disciplines involved in archaeological research. As such, archaeological research is doubly interdisciplinary: first, archaeologists use perspectives and techniques from fields as diverse as geology, history, geography, biology, physics, art history, and literature, among others; and, second, theoretical approaches range widely across both the humanities and the social sciences. Archaeologists at the University of Chicago work in every part of the world on time periods from those of very early human ancestors to the last several hundred years.

Although the Committee on Archaeology does not offer a concentration in archaeology, courses with archaeological content are offered by a number of departments and include theoretical, analytical, and area-specific courses. Students should seek advice from their College adviser and from the faculty counselor in their area of concentration in putting together groups of courses. In addition, College students with an interest in archaeology are encouraged to attend the Interdisciplinary Archaeology Workshop.

## Faculty

M. Dietler, M. Gibson, S. Harvey, A. L. Kolata, N. Kouchoukas, M. Laird, M. Lycett, K. Morrison, R. Neer, D. Schloen, A. Smith, G. Stein, D. Whitcomb, A. K. Yener

## Courses

### Anthropology

**ANTH 20200. Sociocultural Dynamics of Pre-Columbian Civilization.** (=ARTH 18400) *T. Cummins, A. Kolata. Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 21205. Intensive Study of a Culture: Colonial New Mexico.** *M. Lycett. Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 21217. Intensive Study of a Culture: The Luo of Kenya.** *M. Dietler. Winter.*

**ANTH 21219. Intensive Study of a Culture: Early Industrial South.** *N. Kouchoukos. Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 21231. Archaeology of Eurasia.** *A. T. Smith. Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 21232. Eurasian Complex Societies.** *A. T. Smith. Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 21306. Modern Readings in Archeological Theory.** A. T. Smith. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 21401. The Practice of Anthropology: Logic and Practice of Archaeology.** M. Lycett. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 21404. The Practice of Anthropology: Great Excavations.** A. T. Smith. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 22000/35500. The Anthropology of Development.** (=ENST 22000) A. Kolata. *Spring.*

**ANTH 25900/39400. South Asia before the Buddha.** (=ANST 25900) K. Morrison. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 26100/46500. Ancient Celtic Societies.** M. Dietler. *Spring.*

**ANTH 26300/36300. Andean Prehistory.** A. Kolata. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 26400/46200. Archaeology of Industry.** N. Kouchoukos. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 26500/46300. Archaeology and the Natural Sciences.** N. Kouchoukos. *Autumn.*

**ANTH 26700/36100. Nomads and Settlers.** N. Kouchoukos. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 26900/46900. Archaeological Data Sets.** M. Lycett. *Spring.*

**ANTH 28000. Health and Demography in Archaeological Perspective.** M. Lycett. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 28200. Archaeology of the Spanish Borderlands.** M. Lycett. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 28400/38800. Bioarchaeology and the Human Skeleton.** *Lab and seminar format class meet weekly.* M. C. Lozada. *Winter.*

**ANTH 29100/39100. Archaeobotanical Analysis.** K. Morrison. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 29200. Archaeology of Place.** M. Lycett. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 29300. History, Ethnohistory, and Archaeology.** M. Lycett. *Spring.*

**ANTH 32001. Topics on Native Americans: Federal Indian Law.** A. T. Straus. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 32002. Topics on Native Americans: Native Americans in Cities.** A. T. Straus. *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 32003. Topics on Native Americans: Black Indians.** *R. Fogelson, A. T. Straus. Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 36200. Ceramic Analysis for Archaeologists.** *PQ: Consent of instructor. N. Kouchoukos. Autumn.*

**ANTH 36400. Archaeological Field Studies: Southwestern Archaeology.** *PQ: Must be taken concurrently with ANTH 36500. Consent of instructor. Class limited to sixteen students. M. Lycett. Summer.*

**ANTH 36500. Archaeological Field Studies: Design and Method.** *PQ: Must be taken concurrently with ANTH 36400. Consent of instructor. Class limited to sixteen students. M. Lycett. Summer.*

**ANTH 36900. Commerce and Culture: The Indian Ocean Trade.** (=ANST 26900) *K. Morrison. Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**ANTH 39800. Archaeology of Technology.** (=NEAA 30081) *N. Kouchoukos, A. Yener. Spring.*

**ANTH 39900. Instrumental Analysis.** (=NEAA 30093) *A. Yener, N. Kouchoukos. Spring.*

### **Near Eastern Art and Archaeology**

**NEAA 20081/30081. The Archaeology of Technology.** (=ANST 22700) *PQ: Concurrent registration in NEAA 20093/30093. No auditors permitted. N. Kouchoukos, A. Yener. Spring.*

**NEAA 20093/30093. Instrumental Analysis in Archaeology.** (=ANST 22800) *PQ: Concurrent registration in NEAA 20081/30081. No auditors permitted. A. Yener, N. Kouchoukos. Spring.*

**NEAA 20101-20201-20301-20351-20501/30101-30201-30301-30351-30501. Art and Archaeology of the Near East I, II, III, IV, V.** *May be taken in sequence or individually. This sequence does not meet the general education requirement in civilization studies.*

**NEAA 20101/30101. Art and Archaeology of the Near East: Mesopotamia.** (=ANST 21601) *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**NEAA 20201/30201. Art and Archaeology of the Near East: Egypt.** (=ANST 21602) *S. Harvey. Autumn.*

**NEAA 20301/30301. Art and Archaeology of the Near East: Syria-Palestine.** (=ANST 21603) *D. Schloen. Winter.*

**NEAA 20351/30351. Art and Archaeology of the Near East: Anatolia.** (=ANST 21604) *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**NEAA 20501-30501. Art and Archaeology of the Near East: Islamic Archaeology.** (=ANST 21605) *Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**NEAA 20221-20222-20223/30221-30222-30223. Egyptian Archaeology I, II, III.** *May be taken in sequence or individually.*

**NEAA 20221/30222. Egyptian Archaeology I: Old Kingdom to Middle Kingdom.** (=ANST 24101) *S. Harvey. Spring.*

**NEAA 20222/30222. Egyptian Archaeology II: New Kingdom.** (=ANST 24102) *S. Harvey. Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**NEAA 20223/30223. Egyptian Archaeology III: Late Period.** (=ANST 24103) *S. Harvey. Not offered 2003-04; will be offered 2004-05.*

**NEAA 20381/30381. Problems in Anatolian Archaeology (Alalakh).** (=ANST 27400) *A. Yener, M. Roth, T. van den Hout. Winter.*

**NEAA 20523/30523. Islamic Archaeology of Iraq and Iran.** *D. Whitcomb. Autumn.*

**NEAA 20531/30531. Problems in Islamic Archaeology: Islamic Art and Artifacts.** *D. Whitcomb, D. Schloen. Spring.*

**NEAA 20550/30550. Jerusalem through the Ages.** *D. Whitcomb, D. Schloen. Spring.*