



Anthropology

The Anthropology program at UW-Superior provides students with the resources and opportunities to explore and understand the range of human experience and issues of human diversity and culture contact, past and present, at home and abroad.

A diverse and interdisciplinary faculty with international experience offers courses on Native American, African, Middle Eastern, Pre-Columbian and contemporary Latin America, Asian, and other culture areas. Courses address cultural diversity, gender, language diversity, archaeology, human evolution, research methods, human-environment interactions, and more. Students can engage in hands-on experiences in local research projects and through Study Away programs.

Find out more about UW-Superior's Anthropology program online at uwsuper.edu/acaddept/si.

Majors and Minors:

Minor: Anthropology

Let's talk Anthropology

The study of anthropology helps us understand those things that make us different by virtue of the communities we participate in, and those things that all human beings share as a species and global community. In short, anthropology helps us better understand the lives, actions, and beliefs of others and ourselves, apart and in contact with each other. Anthropology as a broad discipline looks at the range of human adaptation and experience in relation to culture, language, archaeological evidence of the past, physical adaptation and evolution, and application to problems. Courses at UWS include all of these, with a focus on understanding culture.

People in many fields use insights and methods from anthropology to better understand: consumer behavior and attitudes, workplace cultures, cultural diversity in child development and education, how members of different groups understand and deal with illness, ways to address cross-cultural conflicts and misunderstandings, youth subcultures, ethnic identity, human interactions with the environment, how people adapt to new technology and social changes, and much more.

Anthropology students at UWS have studied hand washing habits during flu epidemic; obstacles low-income families face in obtaining healthy food; Korean pop culture; curing rituals in Bali; and anthropological filmmaking.

Anthropology Club members have attended and presented at regional Anthropology conferences.

What can you do with a minor in Anthropology from UW-Superior?

An Anthropology minor is useful in any career field. In today's globalized, diverse world and workplace, businesses and organizations want graduates who recognize, understand, and deal with culture and human diversity.

For more information, contact:

We invite you to visit

A campus visit offers an opportunity to tour our campus and meet with an Admissions counselor. We can arrange for you to meet a professor and visit a class in any area you choose.

To arrange a visit

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