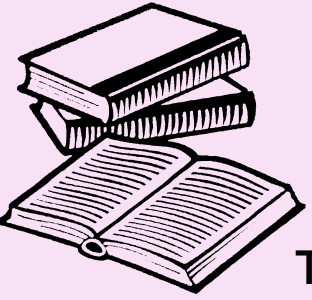


EXPLORING CAREERS IN CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY

RESOURCES AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS TO PLAN YOUR NEXT STEPS IN THE FIELD



Career Readiness

Competencies

These are the skills sought by employers that can set potential candidates apart, and the courses taken for an anthropology degree can hone these skills. Some examples include:

Professionalism

- ANTH 1040 - Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
- ANTH 3180 - Archaeology and Public Policy

Oral and Written Communication

- ANTH 3430 - Anthropological Approaches to Globalization
- ANTH 3810 - Language, Culture, and Society

Collaboration

- ANTH 4980 - Senior Seminar in Anthropology
- ANTH 3360 - Applied community studies

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusiveness

- ANTH 3380 - Evolutionary Medicine and Health
- ANTH 3820 - Native American Languages and Cultures
- ANTH 4420 - Museums and Meaning

Critical Thinking

- Nearly all courses!



What is Cultural Anthropology?

Cultural anthropologists study human diversity and use various methods, from participation and observation to site mapping, to examine how groups of humans negotiate the world. Cultures are made up of a multitude of facets, such as food, kinship customs, and rituals, so when an anthropologist studies a culture, there is an array of questions to ask or approaches to take. As is true for the other subfields as well, cultural anthropology can even crossover and explore questions pertaining to the medical or linguistic aspects of a culture. Students who wish to become a cultural anthropologist hone communication, critical thinking, and research skills, preparing them for the many careers they may choose from.



For more info about Anthropology visit the American Anthropological Association's website.

Where to Find Anthropologists

Professors at UCCS have conducted research in the United States, Southeast Asia, and South America. However, even before graduating, study abroad opportunities may also appeal to anthropology students. For more information about National Student Exchange at UCCS, check out nse.uccs.edu.

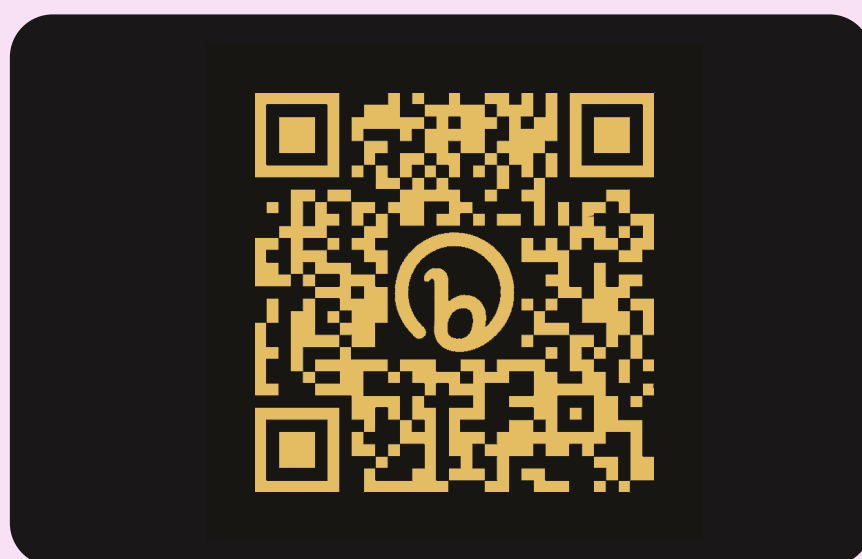
Who is Hiring Anthropologists?

Diplomatic Security Special Agent, **U.S. Department of State**
Case Manager, **Centennial Mental Health Center, Inc.**
Social Worker, **Moffitt Cancer Center**
Community Outreach Assistant, **Evolve, Inc. (Denver)**
Diaspora Specialist, **Wycliffe Bible Translators**
Sobriety Services Tech, **Intervention, Inc.**
Diversity and Complexity Associate, **Santa Fe Institute**
Data-Intensive Social Scientist, **University of Washington**
Human Services Coordinator, **Chadron Community Hospital**
Social Science Research Professional, **Stanford School of Medicine**

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT CAREER OUTLOOK, PAY, AND SIMILAR JOBS:

Use the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics Occupational Outlook Handbook to research pay scales for thousands of professions in the US.

<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/>



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