

# Archaeology Major Planning Form (Degree Requirements)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*Program of Study:* To be planned as early as possible with the program advisers, preferably before the end of the sophomore year, and no later than the beginning of the junior year. A total of 30 points within the major and 9 points of related courses are required for the major.

*Introductory Courses:* Any two of the following courses:

- \_\_\_ ANTH V1007: The origins of human society
- \_\_\_ ANTH V1008: The Rise of Civilization
- \_\_\_ ACLG W3002: Introduction to Archaeology
- \_\_\_ ACLG W4001: Archaeological Theory and Practice

*Upper-level courses:* Two courses from different regions of the world, in addition to three other upper-level courses, planned in consultation with the program advisers.

- \_\_\_ Region I: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ Region II: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ Upper-level course: \_\_\_\_\_
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*Field requirement:* Participation of four to six weeks in field projects with which Columbia University is affiliated, or independent study in excavation or other field projects; the school or project must be approved in advance by the program advisers.

*Project I:*

Name of Project: \_\_\_\_\_ Director of Project: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Your role in project: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of project participation: \_\_\_\_\_

*Project II (if more than one project):*

Name of Project: \_\_\_\_\_ Director of Project: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Your role in project: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of project participation: \_\_\_\_\_

*Laboratory requirement:* One laboratory course in archaeology (e.g., ANTH W4346) or its equivalent in the field, a museum, or on campus as approved by the program advisers; 3-6 pts.

- \_\_\_ ANTH W4346: Laboratory Techniques in Archaeology
- \_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

*Major seminar:* A seminar in archaeology, preferably taken in the senior year, to be decided on with the advanced approval of the archaeology program adviser.

\_\_\_ Seminar: \_\_\_\_\_

*Related courses:* 9 points, to be planned with the program advisers in accordance with the student's interests (equivalent of 3, 3 pt lectures)

- \_\_\_ Related course I: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ Related course II: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ Related course III: \_\_\_\_\_

*Senior thesis (Optional):* Recommended for students planning to continue for a graduate degree. Topics should be discussed with a faculty advisor during the junior year, allowing time for planning research and travel during the following summer. In the senior year, the student may register for the senior thesis course with their advisor (e.g. ANTH V3997 or AHIS 3997-3998) to cover the writing of the thesis, which must be submitted by March 25.

\_\_\_ ANTH V3997

\_\_\_ Or other thesis course number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of adviser: \_\_\_\_\_

Topic: \_\_\_\_\_

*Languages (Optional):* Students intending to pursue graduate degrees in archaeology should be aware that a reading knowledge of two languages is often required as part of graduate study. It is recommended that students learn two or more languages as appropriate to their area of interest.

*Other comments:*