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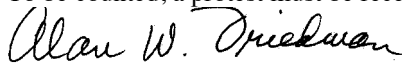
PROPOSAL TO CREATE AN ARCHAEOLOGY MINOR IN THE COLLEGE OF THE LIBERAL ARTS CHAPTER IN THE UNDERGRADUATE CATALOG 2018-2020

Dean Randy L. Diehl, in the College of Liberal Arts has filed with the Secretary of the Faculty Council the following proposal to create an Archaeology minor in the College of Liberal Arts chapter in the *Undergraduate Catalog, 2018-2020*. On April 25, 2017, Senior Associate Dean Richard Flores, on behalf of Dean Randy L. Diehl, approved the proposal. The Secretary has classified this as legislation of exclusive interest to one college or school.

The Committee on Undergraduate Degree Program Review recommended approval of the proposal on February 2, 2018, and forwarded it to the Office of the General Faculty. The Faculty Council has the authority to approve this legislation on behalf of the General Faculty. The authority to grant final approval on this legislation resides with the Provost on behalf of the President.

If no objection is filed with the Office of the General Faculty by the date specified below, the legislation will be held to have been approved by the Faculty Council. If an objection is filed within the prescribed period, the legislation will be presented to the Faculty Council at its next meeting. The objection, with reasons, must be signed by a member of the Faculty Council.

To be counted, a protest must be received in the Office of the General Faculty by March 13, 2018.



Alan W. Friedman, Secretary of the General Faculty and Faculty Council
The University of Texas at Austin

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ARTS CHAPTER IN THE UNDERGRADUATE CATALOG 2018-2020**

1. **Type of Proposal** New Transcript-Recognized Minor
 Change an Existing Transcript-Recognized Minor
 Delete a Transcript-Recognized Minor
2. **Official Name:** Archaeology Minor
3. **Proposed Implementation Date:** Fall 2018
4. **Field of Study, CIP Code** (administrative unit awarding the certificate): 45.0201
5. **Statement of Objective:** To provide students in majors other than anthropology an opportunity to pursue a transcript recognized minor in archaeology.
6. **Admissions requirement (if any):** Auto-Approved
7. **Number of Students Expected to Receive the Transcript-Recognized Minor Each Semester:** 10
8. **Anticipated Enrollment Capacity?** Thirty
8. **Number of Hours Required for Completion:** Fifteen
9. **Composition of the Minor Faculty Committee (including the committee chair):**
The Minor Faculty committee for this transcript-recognized minor (TRM) will consist of members of the Department of Anthropology's Undergraduate Studies Committee (USC), which comprises one or more faculty members from each of the four subfields of anthropology, including the department's undergraduate honors advisor. The composition of the USC is expected to shift periodically. The committee chair for the Archaeology TRM in will be the USC subfield representative from archaeology.

Name of Faculty Member	College/Department	Title at UT Austin	Highest Degree and Awarding Institution
Alan Covey (committee chair)	COLA/Anthropology	Associate Professor	PhD, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
Paola Canova	COLA/Anthropology	Assistant Professor	PhD, University of Arizona
James Slotta	COLA/Anthropology	Assistant Professor	PhD, University of Chicago
Fred Valdez	COLA/Anthropology	Professor	PhD, Harvard University
Anthony Di Fiore	COLA/Anthropology	Professor	PhD, UC Davis

10. **Academic Course Requirements:** Use this table to identify the courses that qualify for this minor program.

Introductory Coursework

Course Abbreviation and Number	Course Title	SCH
ANT 304 OR ANT 304T	Introduction to Archaeological Studies: Prehistoric Archaeology OR Introduction to Texas Archaeology	3

Applied Methods for Archaeology Research

At least one course in applied methods for archaeology, chosen from among the following (NOTE: each of the following courses can count for a maximum of 3 SCH towards the minor, even if they carry more units)

- ANT 324L Topic 3 • Primitive Technology
- ANT 324L Topic 33 • Geographical Information Systems and Remote Sensing for Archaeology and Paleontology.
- ANT 324L Topic 58 • Digital Data Systems in Archaeology
- ANT 453 • Archaeological Analysis #ANT 304 or 301
- ANT 353E • Archaeological Laboratory Analysis #ANT 662
- ANT 662 • Field Archaeology
- ANT 462M • Archaeological Techniques #ANT 453

Additional Coursework

Nine additional semester credit hours from the following:

- ANT 304 Introduction to Archaeological Studies: Prehistoric Archaeology
- ANT 304T Introduction to Texas Archaeology
- ANT 310L Topic 9 • Aztecs and Spaniards
- ANT 314C • Introduction to Mesoamerican Archaeology
- ANT 324L Topic 3 • Primitive Technology
- ANT 324L Topic 7 • Introduction to African Prehistory
- ANT 324L Topic 24 • Archaeology of African Thought
- ANT 324L Topic 33 • Geographical Information Systems and Remote Sensing for Archaeology and Paleontology
- ANT 324L Topic 34 • Iberian Prehistory and History
- ANT 324L Topic 39 • Theories of Archaeology
- ANT 324L Topic 57 • Archaeology of Climate Change
- ANT 324L Topic 58 • Digital Data Systems in Archaeology
- ANT 324L Topic 64 • The Bronze Age and the Iron Age in Atlantic Europe
- ANT 324L • The Inca World (will be added to inventory as a numbered topic)
- ANT 326C • Native Americans in Texas
- ANT 326D • Native Americans in the Plains
- ANT 326E • Plains Archaeology: Prehistory and History
- ANT 326F • Great Discoveries in Archaeology
- ANT 326L • Cultures in Contact
- ANT 327D • Colonial Latin American Archaeology
- ANT 334L • North American Archaeology
- ANT 453 • Archaeological Analysis #ANT 304 or 301
- ANT 353E • Archaeological Laboratory Analysis #ANT 662
- ANT 360K • The Civilization of the Maya
- ANT 361K • The Civilizations of Ancient Mexico #ANT 302
- ANT 662 • Field Archaeology (no more than 3 SCH total may count towards the minor)
- ANT 362K • Archaeology of Texas and Vicinity
- ANT 462M • Archaeological Techniques #ANT 453

11. Other Minor Requirements:

A minimum of nine hours must be upper-division.

A minimum of nine hours must be completed in residence.

A student must earn a grade point average of at least 2.00 in courses taken at the University and counted toward the minor requirements.

13. College/School Approval Process:

Dean approval date: April 25, 2017

Richard Flores, Senior Associate Dean

PROPOSED NEW CATALOG TEXT:

MINOR AND CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Archaeology Minor

Fifteen semester credit hours, nine of which must be upper-division, including:

Three semester credit hours, chosen from Anthropology 304 and 304T

Three semester credit hours, chosen from: ANT 324L Topic 3, Topic 33, or Topic 58, 453, 353E, 662, and 462M

Nine semester credit hours, chosen from an approved list available in the department office.