

# MINOR IN ARCHAEOLOGY

The 18-credit minor in archaeology allows students to choose classes from a wide range of geographical regions, including The Aztec Empire, African Roots from Australopithecus to Zimbabwe and Archaeology of Israel. Students also take a Theory and Practice in Archaeology course to prepare for future fieldwork.

Visit the program website (<https://anthropology.columbian.gwu.edu/minors/>) for more information.

## ADMISSIONS

For more information on the admission process, please visit the Office of Undergraduate Admissions website (<https://undergraduate.admissions.gwu.edu/>). Applications may be submitted via the Common Application (<https://go.gwu.edu/commonapp/>).

Supporting documents not submitted online should be mailed to:

Office of Undergraduate Admissions  
The George Washington University  
800 21st Street NW, Suite 100  
Washington DC 20052

Contact for questions:  
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## REQUIREMENTS

The following requirements must be fulfilled: 18 credits, including 6 credits in required courses and 12 credits in elective courses.

| Code  | Title   | Credits |
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| <b>Required</b>   |   |         |
| ANTH 1003   | Archaeology                                     |         |
| ANTH 3838   | Theory and Practice in Archaeology              |         |
| Four courses from the following. An independent study course in archaeology or an approved art history course may be substituted for one of the four courses. |   |         |
| ANTH 2821   | Myths and Mysteries in Archaeology              |         |
| ANTH 2822   | Archaeology in Film and Television              |         |
| ANTH 3801   | African Roots from Australopithecus to Zimbabwe |         |
| ANTH 3801W  | African Roots from Australopithecus to Zimbabwe |         |
| ANTH 3802   | Human Cultural Beginnings                       |         |
| ANTH 3802W  | Human Cultural Beginnings                       |         |

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| ANTH 3803  | Old World Prehistory: First Farmers to First Cities |
| ANTH 3803W | Old World Prehistory: First Farmers to First Cities |
| ANTH 3804  | Origins of the State and Urban Society              |
| ANTH 3805  | Archaeology of Israel and Neighboring Lands         |
| ANTH 3806  | Art and Archaeology of the Aegean Bronze Age        |
| ANTH 3808  | Archaeology and the Celts                           |
| ANTH 3811  | Historical Archaeology                              |
| ANTH 3812  | The Aztec Empire                                    |
| ANTH 3813  | Archaeology of North America                        |
| ANTH 3814  | Ancient Mexican Civilizations                       |
| ANTH 3823  | Archaeology of Ritual and Religion                  |
| ANTH 3832  | Paleoanthropological Field Program                  |
| ANTH 3833  | Field Research: New World                           |
| ANTH 3834  | Field Research: Old World                           |
| ANTH 3835  | Historical Archaeology Field Program                |
| ANTH 3838W | Theory and Practice in Archaeology                  |
| ANTH 3839  | Lab Research Methods in Archaeology                 |
| ANTH 3891  | Special Topics in Archaeology                       |