

Human Origins

Archaeology 131

Section: E100

Term: 2002 Fall

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Morning course

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Discussion Topics: Course description:

This course is a basic introduction to Physical Anthropology with an emphasis on Palaeoanthropology and human evolution from the fossil record. Lectures will focus on the historical development of the discipline, principles of evolution, the living primates and models for early human behaviour and development, homonid evolution and modern human diversity.

Grading: Midterm examination: 30%

Assignments 35%

Final examination 35%

Required Texts: Jurmain, Robert, Harry Nelson, Lynn Kilgore and Wenda Trevathan Introduction to Physical Anthropology 8th edition 2000 Wadsworth Publishing Company ISBN 0 534 51463 4 Paperback

Recommended Texts: none

Materials/Supplies: none

Prerequisite/Corequisite: none

Notes: This is a lecture course with no tutorials.

Quizzes and midterms missed for valid reasons will be written during the final examination week at the convenience of the instructor.

Deferred grades will be given ONLY on the basis of authenticated medical disability.

This course may be applied toward the Certificate in Liberal Arts (Set 10).

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