

Introduction to Archaeology

Archaeology 201

Section: d100

Term: 2004 Fall

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Discussion Topics: This course will introduce students to archaeological method and theory. It will consist of a survey of principles, concepts, techniques, and interpretive approaches used by archaeologists to study human cultures of the past. Examples will be drawn from archaeological research from throughout the world, illustrated by slides and films. This is a lecture course with no tutorials. Students will be evaluated on the basis of three written assignments (short essay) and two exams.

Grading: Mid-term exam 20%

Assignment #1 15%

Assignment #2 15%

Assignment #3 (Essay) 25%

Final Exam 25%

Required Texts: Renfrew, Colin and Paul Bahn

2004 Archaeology: Theories, Methods and Practice. Fourth edition, Thames and Hudson, New York.

Recommended Texts:

Materials/Supplies:

Prerequisite/Corequisite:

Notes: This course may be applied toward the Certificate of Liberal Arts (Set 8).

Deferred Grades: Only given on basis of authenticated medical disability.

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