

## **Material Culture Analysis**

Archaeology 372

Section: D100

Term: 2004 Spring

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### Discussion Topics: Course description:

The goal in this course is to learn to recognize various products of traditional technology on a general level. This will be achieved via class lectures, readings, exercises and tests on the topics of rock identification, stone tools, pottery, botanical remains, faunal remains, human remains, measurements, mapping, typology and conservation. The emphasis will be on pre-industrial technology and how to recognize and analyze its waste products. Interpretive frameworks and simple statistical descriptions will also be emphasized. Although this is a lab course, time outside of class will be required for satisfactory completion.

Grading: Tests 30%

Exercises 70% (No final exam)

Required Texts: Banning, E.B. *The Archaeologist's Laboratory: The Analysis of Archaeological Data*. New York: Kluwer. 2000

Recommended Texts: none

Materials/Supplies: Graph paper, shell, bone, and stone.

Prerequisite/Corequisite: ARCH 201-3 (prerequisite)

Notes: Labs will be held the first week of classes.

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

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