

FORENSIC ANTHROPOLOGY - MINOR

College of Arts and Sciences
Department of Anthropology
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Fully Offered

- **Delivery:**
 - In person
- **Location:**
 - Kent Campus

Description

The Forensic Anthropology minor introduces students to analyses of skeletal remains, bodily fluids and DNA profiles associated with missing persons cases and violent crimes. Courses focus on the science of forensic anthropology and the presentation of such data in the courtroom.

Admission Requirements

Admission to a minor is open to students declared in a bachelor's degree, the A.A.B. or A.A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree (not Individualized Program major). Students declared only in the A.A. or A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree in Individualized Program may not declare a minor. Students may not pursue a minor and a major in the same discipline.

Program Requirements

Minor Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Minor Requirements		
ANTH 18230	INTRODUCTION TO FORENSIC ANTHROPOLOGY	3
ANTH 28300	INTRODUCTION TO FORENSIC GENETICS	3
CRIM 12000	INTRODUCTION TO JUSTICE STUDIES	3
Anthropology Electives, choose from the following:		6
ANTH 48092	FORENSIC ARCHAEOLOGY FIELD SCHOOL (ELR)	
ANTH 48225	ARCHAEOLOGY OF DEATH (ELR) (WIC)	
ANTH 48300	ADVANCED FORENSIC GENETICS	
ANTH 48820	HUMAN MUSCULO-SKELETAL SYSTEM	
Criminology and Justice Studies Elective, choose from the following:		3
CRIM 22301	THE INVESTIGATIVE PROCESS	
CRIM 33200	CRIMINAL LAW	
CRIM 34200	CRIMINAL PROCEDURES AND EVIDENCE	
CRIM 46200	ADVANCED CRIMINAL AND LEGAL ISSUES	

CRIM 47211	COURT FUNCTIONS
Minimum Total Credit Hours:	
18	

Graduation Requirements

Minimum Minor GPA	Minimum Overall GPA
2.000	2.000

- Students must complete at least two upper-division (30000 or 40000 level) courses in the minor at Kent State on a graded basis (A-F).
- Minimum 6 credit hours in the minor must be upper-division coursework (30000 and 40000 level).
- Minimum 6 credit hours in the minor must be outside of the course requirements for any major or other minor the student is pursuing.
- Minimum 50 percent of the total credit hours for the minor must be taken at Kent State (in residence).