

DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY AND ARCHAEOLOGY

**ARCHAEOLOGY 506
ADVANCED ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELD TECHNIQUES
Spring 2018
14 May–26 June**

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Lecture/Practical: MTWRF (9 hours per day, plus travel time, 5 days/week))

PLEASE NOTE: The only day off (besides weekends) during the course is Victoria Day, May 21, 2018.

Prerequisites: ANTH 201 and 306

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Students will work to build on their previous knowledge of the theory and practice of archaeological field research and field work management. Course emphasis is on student acquisition of the advanced skills and knowledge required to work as senior members of academic and resource management archaeological crews, particularly as crew chiefs.

Term Projects

Each student will complete two term projects: a field management project and a site-based research project. The field management project will be assigned on the first day of class. Students will submit a site-based research project proposal by the end of the second week of classes for instructor approval. Students who do not have an approved project by the beginning of the third week of class will be assigned a field report project based on the work of their assigned crews.

GRADING:

Field Management Project.....20%
Field Crew Supervision40%
Site-based Research Project.....40%

All assignments are due on June 30, 2018.

Grading Scheme

A/A+	87-100%	C	63-66%
A-	83-86%	C-	59-62%
B+	79-82%	D+	55-58%
B	75-78%	D	50-54%
B-	71-74%	F	<50%
C+	67-70%		