

Cultural Anthropology, BS (Boston)

Cultural anthropology is the holistic, cross-cultural study of humanity that explores the multiple ways humans live and create meaning in the world. The cultural anthropology major at Northeastern exposes students to diverse cultural perspectives from past and present societies; fosters student engagement with key contemporary issues such as global inequality, development, urbanization, and cultural change; and provides greater appreciation for the complexities of the world in which they live.

Program Requirements

Complete all courses listed below unless otherwise indicated. Also complete any corequisite labs, recitations, clinicals, or tools courses where specified and complete any additional courses needed beyond specific college and major requirements to satisfy graduation credit requirements.

Universitywide Requirements

All undergraduate students are required to complete the Universitywide Requirements (<https://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/university-academics/university-wide-requirements/>).

NUPath Requirements

All undergraduate students are required to complete the NUPath Requirements (<https://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/university-academics/nupath/>).

Cultural Anthropology Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Cultural Anthropology		
SOCL 1101	Introduction to Sociology	4
ANTH 1101	Peoples and Cultures	4
ANTH 2305	Global Markets and Local Culture	4
ANTH 3421	Foundations of Anthropological Theory	4
ANTH 3410	Ethnographic Field Experience	4
ANTH 4600	Senior Seminar	4
or ANTH 4100	Making Anthropology Public	

Advanced Area Courses

Complete two area courses in the range ANTH 4101 to ANTH 4520 not used to satisfy other requirements. 8

Anthropology Electives

Complete eight ANTH courses not used to fulfill other requirements. Two study-abroad courses may count toward this requirement with prior permission from the department. 32

Cultural Anthropology Major Grade Requirement

A cumulative GPA of 2.000 for all major courses is required.

Cultural Anthropology Major Credit Requirement

Complete 64 semester hours in the major.

Experiential Liberal Arts

All students in this College of Social Sciences and Humanities program are required to complete the Experiential Liberal Arts Requirement (<https://catalog.northeastern.edu/undergraduate/social-sciences-humanities/#ela>).

Program Requirement

128 total semester hours required

Plan of Study

Four Years, Two Co-ops in Summer 2/Fall

Year 1							
Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours	Summer 1	Hours	Summer 2	Hours
ANTH 1000		1 ANTH 2305		4 Elective		4 Elective	4
ANTH 1101	4	SOCL 1101	4	Elective	4	Elective	4
ENGW 1111	4	ANTH elective	4				
ANTH elective	4	Elective	4				

Elective	4							
	17		16		8		8	
Year 2								
Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours	Summer 1	Hours	Summer 2	Hours	
ANTH 3410		4 EESH 2000		1 Elective		4 Co-op	0	
ANTH 3421		4 ANTH area course		4 Elective		4		
ANTH area course		4 ANTH elective		4				
Elective		4 ANTH Elective		4				
		Elective		4				
	16		17		8		0	
Year 3								
Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours	Summer 1	Hours	Summer 2	Hours	
Co-op		0 ANTH elective		4 Elective		4 Co-op	0	
		ANTH elective		4 Elective		4		
		Elective		4				
		Elective		4				
	0		16		8		0	
Year 4								
Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours					
Co-op		0 ANTH 4600		4				
		ANTH elective		4				
		ANTH elective		4				
		Elective		4				
	0		16					
Total Hours: 130								