

Anthropology 400 Honours Seminar and Thesis Research 2016-2017

The anthropology department provides a comprehensive research schedule and a lecture series to assist the advanced Honours students in proposal development, ethics review, field-based research, data analysis, thesis writing, research day presentations, defense preparation, and graduate school / grant applications. The monthly lectures are co-taught by all members of the department. The seminar works to build collegiality within and between students and faculty and exposes students to an excellent range of research and professional skills. Students make three public presentations; the first is their proposals at the end of mid-term, a second at student research day Thursday March 30, 2016, and a final defense of their findings where we celebrate their accomplishments in April.

Anthropology Honours Schedule 2016-2017

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Date	Time	Event	Location	Professor
September 28	10:30-12:30	Seminar: Orientation / ethics and proposal writing	JBB 306	McMillan
September 30		Last date for approval of senior honours thesis topics and supervisors		Supervisors Committees confirmed & contracts signed
October 13	10:00	Seminar: Proposal completion / research action plan	JBB 306	McMillan
October 31		Proposals Due		Supervisors (2 nd readers)
November 16	5:00	Seminar: Grant writing & Graduate School applications	Arch lab	Dr. Haller
December 5	12:00 lunch to follow	Thesis Proposal Presentations	TBA	All faculty
January 13	5:00	Seminar: Data management/ Field debrief	JBB 306	McMillan
February 18	8:00 pm	1st complete draft due to supervisor	electronic	Supervisors (2 nd readers)
February 28		Revisions returned to students		Supervisors (2 nd readers)
March 11	1:30	Seminar: Preparing for student research day	Ethnography lab	Dr. Fawcett
March 27		THESIS DUE		Supervisor / 2 nd reader
March 30	As per schedule	Student Research Day	KMC	All students
April 7	4:30	Thesis Defense	TBA	All faculty