

2016-2017 PETITION/PROGRAM SHEET
Minor: Forensic Anthropology



About This Minor . . .

The Forensic Anthropology minor introduces students to the knowledge and skills necessary to employ anthropological techniques in a forensic context. Students will become familiar with both field and laboratory techniques used in forensic anthropology. Students in the minor use the Forensic Investigation Research Station a facility built to study the decomposition of the human body. The Minor especially complements such degree programs as Criminal Justice and Biology. Students with the background in Forensic Anthropology will be better prepared for jobs in areas related to death investigation.

POLICIES:

1. Please see the catalog for a complete list of graduation requirements.
2. This program sheet must be submitted with your graduation planning sheet to your advisor during the **semester prior to the semester of graduation, no later than October 1 for spring graduates, no later than March 1 for fall graduates.** You must turn in your "Intent to Graduate" form to the Registrar's Office **by September 15 if you plan to graduate the following May, and by February 15 if you plan to graduate the following December.**
3. Your advisor will sign and forward the Program Sheet and Graduation Planning Sheet to the Department Head for signature. Finally, the Department Head will submit the signed forms to the Registrar's Office. (Students cannot handle the forms once the advisor signs.)
4. If your petition for graduation is denied, it will be your responsibility to reapply for graduation in a subsequent semester. Your "Intent to Graduate" does not automatically move to a later graduation date.
5. NOTE: During your senior year, you will be required to take a capstone exit assessment/project (e.g., Major Field Achievement Test).

NAME: _____ STUDENT ID #: _____

LOCAL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER: _____

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I, (Signature) _____, hereby certify that I have completed (or will complete) all the courses listed on the Program Sheet. I further certify that the grade listed for those courses is the final course grade received except for the courses in which I am currently enrolled and the courses which I complete next semester. I have indicated the semester in which I will complete these courses.

Signature of Advisor _____ Date _____ 20____

Signature of Department Head _____ Date _____ 20____

Signature of Registrar _____ Date _____ 20____

Students should work closely with a faculty advisor when selecting and scheduling courses prior to registration.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:

- At least 33 percent of the credit hours required for the minor must be in courses numbered 300 or above.
- A GPA of 2.00 or higher in the minor is required.
- The number of minors a student may receive at Colorado Mesa University shall not exceed two.
- A student must follow the CMU graduation requirements either from 1) the program sheet for the major in effect at the time the student officially declares a major; or 2) a program sheet for the major approved for a year subsequent to the year during which the student officially declares the major and is approved for the student by the department head. Because a program may have requirements specific to the degree, the student should check with the faculty advisor for additional criteria. It is the student's responsibility to be aware of, and follow, all requirements for the degree being pursued. Any exceptions or substitutions must be approved by the student's faculty advisor and Department Head.
- When filling out the program sheet a course can be used only once.
- See the "Requirements for Undergraduate Degrees and Certificates" in the catalog for additional graduation information.

| Course No | Title | Sem.hrs | Grade | Term |
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| REQUIRED COURSES (16 semester hours) | | | | |
| FOAN 180 | Survey of Phys Anthro | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| FOAN 180L | Survey of Phys Anthro Lab | 1 | _____ | _____ |
| OR FOAN 232* | Survey of Forensic Science | 2 | _____ | _____ |
| FOAN 232L | Survey of Forensic Science Lab | 1 | _____ | _____ |
| FOAN 280 | Crime Scene Processing | 2 | _____ | _____ |
| FOAN 280L | Crime Scene Processing Lab | 1 | _____ | _____ |
| FOAN 350 | Forensic Anthropology | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| FOAN 480 | Professional Issues in Forensic Science | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| FOAN499 | Internship (3-4 cr min) | 3-4 | _____ | _____ |

* The number of internship credits will be determined by whether the student takes FOAN 180/180L (4cr) or FOAN 232/232L (3cr). Either way, the student will take sufficient internship credits to bring the total of required course credits to 16.

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| ELECTIVES (Choose at least 6 credits from the following): | | | | |
| FOAN 396 | Topics | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| FOAN 475 | Human Remains and Detection and Recovery | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| ARKE 300 | Human Evolution | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| ARKE410 | Field Methods in Archaeology* | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| ARKE410L | Field Methods in Arch – Lab* | 2 | _____ | _____ |
| BIOL217 | Forensic Entomology | 2 | _____ | _____ |
| BIOL217L | Forensic Entomology lab | 1 | _____ | _____ |
| BIOL410 | Human Osteology** | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| BIOL410L | Human Osteology Lab** | 1 | _____ | _____ |

*Prerequisites: ARKE 205 and ARKE 225, or consent of instructor

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