Required Background – 18 credits undergraduate
Anthropology courses
Specific recommended undergraduate courses at UCD or equivalent elsewhere:
___Anth 1302 (Intro to Archaeology w/ lab)
___Anth 1303 (Intro to Biological Anthropology w/ lab)
___Anth 2102 (Culture and Human Experience)
___Anth 3101 (Foundations of Cultural Anthropology)
___Anth 3121 (Language & Communication)
___Anth 3301 (World Prehistory)
___Anth 3512 (Human Evolution)

Each student’s undergraduate coursework should be considered to determine readiness for graduate core. Students are discouraged from attempting core courses before completing deficiencies.

GRADUATE PROGRAM REQUIRED COURSES:
All students take the following courses
___Anth 5053 Quantitative Methods in Anthropology or equivalent (unless already taken)
___Anth 5810 Integrating Anthropology (Taken 1st semester)

Students will also take two of the following three pairs of subdisciplinary core courses
A) Cultural Anthropology
___Anth 6103 Current Theory in Ethnography
___Anth 6063 Qualitative Research Design and Methods

B) Biological Anthropology
___Anth 6503 Biological Anthropology: The Fossil Record
___Anth 6513 Biological Anthropology: Modern Human Variation

C) Archaeology
___Anth 6307 Contemporary Perspectives in Archaeology
___Anth 6317 Archaeological Research Design and Analysis

Research Concentration
*Electives taken or planned (consult with Advisor)

*includes Independent Study (IS) credit hours (with approval of advisor)
Thesis option – maximum 6 IS credit hours
Non-thesis option – maximum 7 IS credit hours

Comprehensive Exam to be taken
Planned graduation date

CREDIT HOUR REQUIREMENTS
Thesis (30 credit hours); Non-thesis (36 credit hours)

All students must complete the core requirements (18 credit hours total). To graduate, those not writing a thesis must take another 18 credits in areas related to their research concentration for a total of 36 credit hours. Those writing a thesis must only take another 12 credits to graduate, or 30 credit hours total. The additional 12 credits must include thesis credits (3 minimum, 6 maximum), and may include additional courses and/or independent study (maximum of 6 credits).