



ANTR2M

2024 - 2025

ANTR2M - Introduction

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ANTR2M - Teaching profile

Learning outcomes

Anthropology is the science which takes an interest in everything related to man, ranging from the evolution of the human species to the most astonishing achievements and phenomena of human communities.

At the end of this study programme, students will have acquired :

- research methods and techniques (field research, description, interpretation) putting social and cultural anthropology into practice , primarily by means of a placement in the field (3 to 6 month placement or 1 day per week of professional work placement) and the production of a monograph (dissertation) which takes account of recent developments in information technology, both in gathering and analysing data.
- fundamental principles and concepts in the field of basic anthropology, culture and social life, taking account of recent developments in Western societies
- a greater desire to improve their knowledge of anthropology and general culture, in a context which highlights the different yet complementary nature of other disciplines (interdisciplinary roots of anthropology)
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- AA-F-E.
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- AA-F-E.2.
- AA-F-E.3.

Programme structure

In addition to broadening knowledge of the areas that go to make up anthropology, a well structured piece of research is a key part of the 120 credit Master in Anthropology. It is possible to do a placement in the field to pursue basic research. This reflects the process of aligning anthropology and sociology, begun in the University in 1997, where there is a course on Socio-anthropology and also a professional focus, organized with the Sociology Department on the Socio-anthropology of Interculturality and Development.

The Master in Anthropology is centred on a research project selected by the student with the help of a tutor. This entails understanding how to do the so-called 'participant observation'(choice of location, outside placement, investigation, description, interpretation then production of a monograph - dissertation).

The 120 credit Master in Anthropology offers core subjects, optional 'area' subjects and three different focuses.

- the core subjects (75 credits) include courses on research techniques (29 credits) "theoretical cross-disciplinary issues" (20 credits), lectures where well-known researchers present their findings (Chaire Leclercq - 6 credits) and general subjects (20 credits).
- according to the area of their research project (15 credits), students may also choose options (for example trade, symbolic systems, town, gender, religion, kinship or globalisation) or a group of optional subjects.

The choice of one of three different focuses (30 credits each) will enable students to develop specific skills:

- the research focus develops basic research skills with a theoretical foundation and more rigorous methods of analysis ;
- the professional focus in the socio-anthropology of interculturality and development develops skills in identifying, carrying out and assessing development projects of an intercultural nature both in the Northern and Southern hemispheres ;
- the teaching focus develops teaching and training skills in the field of social sciences.

ANTR2M Programme

Detailed programme by subject

CORE COURSES [90.0]

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
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- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
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- (FR) Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

Year

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o Problématiques transversales (29 credits)

○ LANTR2020	Anthropology of Symbolic systems : Religion, Nature and Virtual Worlds	Olivier Servais	(FR) [q1] [20h] [4 Credits] 🌐	X
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Migrations : regards croisés

Bruno Schoumaker
(coord.)


PK [q1+q2] [30h] [5 Credits]

LIST OF FOCUSES

- > [Teaching Focus](#) [en-prog-2024-antr2m-lantr200d]
- > [Research Focus](#) [en-prog-2024-antr2m-lantr200a]

TEACHING FOCUS [30.0]

IMPORTANT NOTE: In accordance with article 138 para. 4 of the decree of 7 November 2013 concerning higher education and the academic organisation of studies, teaching practice placements will not be assessed in the September session. Students are required to make every effort to successfully complete the teaching practice in the June session, subject to having to retake the year.

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○ LAGES2809	Didactique du qualifiant dans le domaine des sciences humaines et sociales	Helina Egleme	PK [q1] [15h] [2 Credits] 	x	
○ LAGES2810					

				Year	
				1	2
○ LENVI2101	Societies, populations, environment, development: issues and interdisciplinary approaches	Martin Colla (compensates) Caroline Nieberding Nathalie Frogneux (coord.) Julie Hermesse Jean-Pierre Raskin	FR [q1] [45h] [6 Credits]	x	x

○ Cours au choix (9 credits)

L'étudiant doit prendre 9 crédits parmi les cours suivants:

⊗ LECON2421	History of Economic and Social Development	Jean-Christophe Defraigne	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits]	x	x
⊗ LDROI1309	Ethics as applied to law	Maxime Lambrecht (compensates) Christophe Lazaro Christophe Lazaro	FR [q1] [30h] [3 Credits]	x	x
⊗ LGEO2110	Mondialisation, développement et environnement	Eric Lambin	FR [q1] [30h+30h] [5 Credits]	x	x
⊗ LDVLP2315	Socio-political analysis of development	Emmanuelle Piccoli	FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits]	x	x
⊗ LDVLP2675	Dynamics of development - environment inter-actions	LGEO2110			

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⌘ LDROI1503	Law, Nature and Society	Olivier De Schutter (compensates Christophe Lazaro) Christophe Lazaro	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x
⌘ LFILO2281	Philosophy of Art and Culture (Advanced Questions)	Pierre Destrée (compensates Nathalie Frogneux) Nathalie Frogneux (coord.)	FR [q1] [30h+0h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x
⌘ LFILO1170	Philosophical anthropology	Nathalie Frogneux	FR [q2] [45h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x

⌘ Module 4 : Genre, sexualité et rapports de domination (30 credits)

○ Cours obligatoires (20 credits)

○ LDVLP2310	Gender and development	Jacinthe Mazzocchetti Emmanuelle Piccoli	FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	x
○ LANTR2045	Political anthropology : Power relations and Resistances	Bénédicte Fontaine (compensates Jacinthe Mazzocchetti) Jacinthe Mazzocchetti	FR [q2] [20h] [5 x credits] 🌐	x	x
○ LSOC2031	Gender and migration	Laura Merla	FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] Δ 🌐	x	x
○ LSEXM2810	Cultural anthropology of the family and couple	Julie Hermesse	FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x	

Supplementary classes

To access this Master, students must have a good command of certain subjects. If this is not the case, in the first annual block of their Masters programme, students must take supplementary classes chosen by the faculty to satisfy course prerequisites.

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⊗ LPOLS1113	Anthropology: of the observation to the theory	Olivier Servais	(FR) [q1] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐
⊗ LPOLS1326	Practical Research Seminars in Sociology and Anthropology	Mathieu Berger Hugues Draelants Jacinthe Mazzocchetti Lionel Simon (compensates Olivier Servais) Saskia Simon (compensates Olivier Servais) Marie Verhoeven	(FR) [q1+q2] [45h+20h] [7 Credits] 🌐
○ LPOLS1225	Social and cultural anthropology	Julie Hermesse	(FR) [q2] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐
⊗ LUCLA1000	MOOC Penser critique	Olivier Servais (coord.)	(FR) [] [] [5 Credits] 🌐
⊗ LUCLA1001	MOOC: Pratiquer la méthode de recherche en sciences humaines et sociales	Pierre Baudewyns	(FR) [] [] [5 Credits] 🌐
⊗ LUCLA1086	MOOC EDX - Découvrir l'anthropologie	Olivier Servais (coord.)	(FR) [] [50h] [5 Credits] 🌐

Course prerequisites

There are no prerequisites between course units (CUs) for this programme, i.e. the programme activity (course unit, CU) whose learning outcomes are to be certified and the corresponding credits awarded by the jury before registration in another CU.

The programme's courses and learning outcomes

For each UCLouvain training programme, a [reference framework of learning outcomes](#) specifies the the skills expected of every graduate on completion of the programme. Course unit descriptions specify targeted learning outcomes, as well as the unit's contribution to reference framework of learning outcomes.

ANTR2M - Information

Access Requirements

Master course admission requirements are defined by the French Community of Belgium Decree of 7 November 2013 defining the higher education landscape and the academic organisation of courses.

General and specific admission requirements for this programme must be satisfied at the time of enrolling at the university.

Unless explicitly mentioned, the bachelor's, master's and licentiate degrees listed in this table or on this page are to be understood as those issued by an institution of the French, Flemish or German-speaking Community, or by the Royal Military Academy.

In the event of the divergence between the different linguistic versions of the present conditions, the French version shall prevail.

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Specific access requirements

Mature students may have professional experience accredited under the special procedure for accrediting prior learning and experience known as VAE (Valorisation des Acquis de l'Expérience). It is up to the board of examiners or their designated representative to determine admission criteria (besides admission, exemption up to a maximum of 60 credits may be awarded). For mature students, it

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(ROM1BA)
Baccalauréat en langues

Bachelier en sociologie (ou
équivalent)

Bachelier en anthropologie (ou
équivalent)

Bachelier en philosophie

Bachelier en information et
communication

Bachelier en droit

Bachelier en théologie

Licence en Archéologie et histoire de l'art		
Toute licence non citée ci-dessus		Access based on application Accès sur dossier à la finalité spécialisée en socio-anthropologie de l'interculturalité et du développement ou à la finalité approfondie : direct ou moyennant compléments de formation
Masters		
Master en Anthropologie Master en Sociologie Master en Histoire Master en Philosophie Master en Sciences politiques Master en Sciences de la population et du développement Master en Information et communication Master en Archéologie et histoire de l'art	Programmes répondant aux conditions générales d'accès	Access based on application
Tout autre master non cité ci-dessus		Access based on application Accès sur dossier à la finalité spécialisée en socio-anthropologie de l'interculturalité et du développement ou à la finalité approfondie : direct ou moyennant compléments de formation

Holders of a non-University 2nd cycle degree

Entry to all Masters (with the exception of Advanced Masters) can be gained through the special procedure for accrediting prior learning and experience known as VAE (validation des acquis de l'expérience).

For more information, go to [Accrediting prior learning and experience \(VAE\) in the Department of Political and Social Sciences](#)

Access based on validation of professional experience

> It is possible, under certain conditions, to use one's personal and professional experience to enter a university course without having the required qualifications. However, validation of prior experience does not automatically apply to all courses. Find out more about [Validation of prior experience](#).

Access based on application

Access based on application : access may be granted either directly or on the condition of completing additional courses of a maximum of 60 ECTS credits, or refused.

Admission and Enrolment Procedures for general registration

Mature students may have professional experience accredited under the special procedure for accrediting prior learning and experience known as VAE (Valorisation des Acquis de l'Expérience). It is up to the board of examiners or their designated representative to determine admission criteria (besides admission, exemption up to a maximum of 60 credits may be awarded). For mature students, it is possible to enrol for the certificates successively and in a logical order in order to gain the relevant credits. At the end of this process they may enrol for the academic Master.

Specific professional rules

Successful completion of the master's course with **teaching focus** leads to the award of the master's degree with teaching focus and the title of secondary school education specialist.

The [Réforme des Titres et Fonctions](#) ("Titles and Functions Reform"), in force since 1 September 2016, is intended to harmonise the titles, functions and pay scales of basic and secondary education professionals in French Community of Belgium networks.

It also aims to guarantee the priority of preferred titles over minimum titles and to establish a regime for titles in short supply.

AESS holders can learn which functions they can carry out and the pay scales from which they can benefit by [clicking here](#).

The university cannot be held responsible for any problems that students may encounter at a later date with a view to a teaching appointment in the French Community of Belgium.

Teaching method

The Master in Anthropology is centred on a research project chosen by each student with the aid of a tutor. The objective is to train students in the technique of 'participant observation'. With this in mind, the Master programme is a progressive and coherent one lasting four semesters spread over two years : sessions on interdisciplinary methods and issues and preparation for the examining board (first semester) ; area studies or Erasmus exchange (second and third semesters); area studies and production of a monograph (fourth semester).

The research and teaching in the Anthropology and Sociology Unit (l'Unité d'Anthropologie et de sociologie - ANSO) make the most of the links with sociology and the Institute of Development Studies. Moreover, there are exchanges and agreements with many parts of UCL; the outstanding list of area studies (specific areas) allows students to study an area of their choice.

The quality of the training is guaranteed by the close link with the members of the Laboratory for Prospective Anthropology (Laboratoire en anthropologie prospective - LAAP) where about fifteen researchers are part of a dynamic team who are actively involved in many aspects of the Master programme (e.g. seminars, specific courses, tutoring). The lecturers and researchers work on many areas throughout the world and collaborate with various anthropology laboratories (www.uclouvain.be/laap).

The lectures organized by the Jacques Leclercq Chair are a key component of the Master in Anthropology at UCL and bring an outstanding international dimension to the programme. Twice a year, internationally renowned anthropologists give a series of guest lectures (2 x 15 hours). Assessment of these courses is done by a board of examiners.

In addition, the compulsory 3 to 6 month ethnography study, within the usual programme, enables students to study abroad if they wish. However, this study can also be done in Belgium in tandem with other activities in the programme. As far as students who also work are concerned, it may be organized in connection with their job (in Belgium or abroad). Agreements with many different European and North American universities also encourage students to be mobile. (The list of agreements is available from the POLS Department).

The conclusion of agreements with the Council of Universities ([Conseil Interuniversitaire de la Communauté française – CIUF](#) and [Coopération Universitaire au Développement CUD](#)) to welcome students from the Southern hemisphere to study at UCL will further enrich the programme.

Finally, an international Master is under discussion which would place the UCL Master in a network of excellence in anthropology in collaboration with the universities of Aix en Provence, ULB (Brussels), Mainz, EHESS (Marseille), Roskilde, Uppsala and Geneva (IED). Students would study a minimum of 30 credits at UCL.

Possible trainings at the end of the programme

Doctoral programme : doctorate in Anthropology

Certificates

Students who have another Master and mature students may enrol for the certificates successively and in a logical order in order to gain the relevant credits. At the end of this process they may enrol for the academic Master.

Contacts

Curriculum Management

Entity	
Structure entity	SSH/ESPO/PSAD
Denomination	(PSAD)
Faculty	Faculty of Economic, Social and Political Sciences and Communication (ESPO)
Sector	Human Sciences (SSH)
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