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GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 120 credit hours
- 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
- Residency: At least 30 credit hours of the degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at UCCS.

Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: catalog.uccs.edu/
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course prerequisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule. See degree audit for course prerequisites within the academic major.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Explore Cognitive Archaeology: [Cognitive Archaeology Degree Plan | Interdisciplinary Studies \(uccs.edu\)](https://www.uccs.edu/interdisciplinary-studies/cognitive-archaeology-degree-plan)

Major Requirements			
Interdisciplinary Studies Major Cognitive Archaeology Option (45 hours)	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires a minimum of 45 credit hours of course work. • All courses must have a grade of "C-" or better. • Requires a minimum of 25 credit hours of upper-division (3000-4999 level) course work. • A minimum 2.0 GPA must be maintained in all Cognitive Archaeology course work taken toward the degree. 	ANTH 2250 OR INDS 2250 OR PSY 2250	Introduction to Cognitive Archaeology	3
	ANTH 1030	Introduction to Biological Anthropology	3
	ANTH 3190	Field Practicum in Applied Archaeology	6
	ANTH 3240	The Archaeology and Genetics of the Stone Age	3
	ANTH 3340	Human Evolution	3
	PSY 1000	General Psychology	3
	PSY 2100	Introduction to Psychological Statistics	4
	PSY 2110	Introduction to Psychological Research	4
	PSY 3130	Learning and Cognition	3
	PSY 3270	Introduction to Biopsychology	4
	PSY 3280	Abnormal Psychology	3
	Capstone Course	ANTH 4310 - Cognitive Evolution OR PSY 4130 - Senior Seminar in Learning and Cognition	3
	Cognitive Archaeology Electives	Complete 3 hours from the following courses: ANTH: 2220, 2800, 3320, 4115, 4215, 4345, 4355, 4915 PSY: 3240, 3400, 3620, 3650, PSY 4650 or ANTH 4650	3
	Students wishing to pursue the Interdisciplinary Studies major must submit an application to be accepted into the major. Check the Interdisciplinary Studies website for specific details.		

General Education and Elective Requirements

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Core Writing Requirement (6 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">ENGL 1310, 1308, or 1305 (<i>Students choosing ENGL 1305 must complete ENGL 1300 first.</i>)ENGL 1410Writing Portfolio – PORT 3000 (0 credits) or PORT 4000 (1 credit) or alternative – See Degree Audit	
Reasoning Skills (4 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">MATH 1040	
Core Humanities (3 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">HUM 3990<ul style="list-style-type: none">This course also fulfills Navigate and one Writing Intensive course.	
Natural Sciences Lab (1 hour)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">See Degree Audit<ul style="list-style-type: none">This can be taken as part of an Explore – PNW course that has a lab component	
Oral Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none">See Degree Audit<ul style="list-style-type: none">This course may also fulfill general education or major requirements.	
LAS Language other than English Requirement	Complete two semesters of a language other than English equivalent to 1010 & 1020 with high school, transfer, placement exam, or UCCS coursework. <i>Courses taken to fulfill this requirement may also count toward Compass Curriculum Explore - Arts, Humanities and Cultures or general electives. See degree audit for details.</i>	
Compass Curriculum (21 hours) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Explore and Navigate courses must be taken in departments other than the major.Writing Intensive, Inclusiveness, and Sustainability courses may count toward other requirements within the degree.	Component	Course
	Gateway Program Seminar	GPS 1010
	Explore – Arts, Humanities and Cultures (2 courses)	See Degree Audit
	Explore – Society, Behavior and Health (2 courses)	See Degree Audit
	Explore – Physical and Natural World (2 courses)	See Degree Audit
	Navigate	HUM 3990 (included in LAS gen ed requirements)
	Summit	ANTH 4310 OR PSY 4130 (included in major requirements)
	Writing Intensive Courses (WIC) (2 courses) <i>Must include one upper-division (3000+ level)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">HUM 3990 (included in LAS gen ed requirements)PSY 2110 (included in major requirements)
	Inclusiveness (2 courses)	See Degree Audit
	Sustainability	See Degree Audit
General Electives (40 hours)	Complete additional courses to meet total and upper-division requirements for your degree program.	

FOUR-YEAR DEGREE PLAN

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

Year One	✓	FALL	<i>Hours</i>	✓	SPRING	<i>Hours</i>
		ENGL 1310	3		ENGL 1410	3
		GPS 1010	3		MATH 1040	4
		Intro Course – ANTH 2250, INDS 2250, or PSY 2250	3		ANTH 1030	3
		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3		Explore – Society, Behavior & Health Course	3
		General Elective	3		General Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	16

Year Two	✓	FALL	<i>Hours</i>	✓	SPRING	<i>Hours</i>
		PSY 1000	3		PSY 2100	4
		Explore – Physical & Natural World Course	3		Explore – Physical & Natural World Course	3
		Explore – Society, Behavior & Health Course	3		Natural Science Lab	1
		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3		General Elective (<i>Inclusiveness</i>)	3
		General Elective (<i>Oral Communication</i>)	3		General Elective (<i>Sustainability</i>)	3
					ANTH 3190 (SUMMER)	6
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	14/6

Year Three	✓	FALL	<i>Hours</i>	✓	SPRING	<i>Hours</i>
		PSY 2110	4		PSY 3270	4
		PSY 3130	3		ANTH 3340	3
		ANTH 3240 (<i>fall only</i>)	3		Cognitive Archaeology Elective	3
		General Elective (<i>Inclusiveness</i>)	3		General Elective	3
					General Elective	2
		TOTAL	13		TOTAL	15

Year Four	✓	FALL	<i>Hours</i>	✓	SPRING	<i>Hours</i>
		PSY 3280	3		ANTH 4310 or PSY 4130	3
		HUM 3990	3		UD General Elective	3
		Upper-Division (UD) General Elective	3		UD General Elective	3
		UD General Elective	3		UD General Elective	3
		UD General Elective	2			
		TOTAL	14		TOTAL	12