Guide to Participating Universities LAD2024

This guide provides an overview of undergraduate anthropology degrees, entry requirements and specialisms of the universities participating in London Anthropology Day 2024

- We suggest you speak to representatives during the day and visit universities' individual websites to check specific requirements and details.

- Please note that these tables have been compiled from information submitted by individuals from the universities.

- Please keep in mind that the information is subject to change.

An online version of this guide can be found at: <u>https://londonanthropologyday.co.uk/universities/</u>

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Table A: Overview	Social Anthropology	Biological Anthropology	Material Culture /Archaeology	Part time option?	Entry Requirements	Contact	Email
University of Birmingham	*		~		For AAB, IB 32 / HL 6, 6, 5. For ABB, IB 32 / HL 6, 5, 5. For BBB, IB 32 / HL 5, 5, 5		artsandlaw-ug@contacts.bham.ac.uk
Bournemouth University	*	*	4	~	104-120 UCAS Points, either min. 2 A-levels, 2 HL Certificates, BTEC Ex Diploma DMM, IB 29-31	Fiona Macdonald & Patrick Neveling	BA (Hons) Sociology and Social Anthropology: Dr Patrick Neveling (pneveling@bournemouth.ac.uk) BSc Anthropology, BA (Hons) Archaeology and Anthropology: Dr Fiona Coward (fcoward@bournemouth.ac.uk)
University of Bristol	~	✓	v		AAB/ IB 34/17 HL (BBB/ IB 31/15 HL contextual)	Theresia Hofer	theresia.hofer@bristol.ac.uk
University of Bradford		✓	*		BBC	Hannah Koon, Jodie Lewis	h.koon@bradford.ac.uk j.lewis5@bradford.ac.uk
Brunel University London	~				BBB/ IB 30	Anna Tuckett	anna.tuckett@brunel.ac.uk
University of Cambridge (Biological Anthropology)		~	*		A*AA/IB 41–42, with 776 at Higher Level	Joshua Giles	outreach@arch.cam.ac.uk
University of Dundee		~			BBB (BCC contextually)/ IB 30 points, including 5, 5, 5 at higher level	Dr Helen Langstaff	h.langstaff@dundee.ac.uk
Durham University	v	~	4		AAB/ IB 36	Sally Street	Rosie.legg@durham.ac.uk)
University of Edinburgh	~		v		AAA / IB 36/ 665 HL (ABB/ IB 34/655 HL contextually)		futurestudents@ed.ac.uk
University of Southampton	✓		v		ABB to BBB/IB 32 to 30/16 to 15 HL		enquiries@southampton.ac.uk
Goldsmiths College, University of London	~				ввв	Dr Kuldip Kaur	k.kaur@gold.ac.uk
Liverpool John Moores University		✓	*		2 A Levels, 112 UCAS points/ IB 26	Admission departments	courses@ljmu.ac.uk
LSE	✓				AAB (ABB contextual)/ IB 37/666 HL	Anthropology Dept. c.davies7@lse.ac.uk	Anthropology.Enquiries@lse.ac.uk
University of Manchester	✓		v		ABB/IB 34	Dr Chika Watanabe	chika.watanabe@manchester.ac.uk
University of Oxford	~	?	v		AAA/ IB 38 (including core points) with 666 at HL		ugsupport@arch.ox.ac.uk, admissions@ihs.ox.ac.uk
University of Plymouth	✓				104-120 UCAS Points	Brian Campbell	brian.campbell@plymouth.ac.uk
Oxford Brookes University	~	✓		✓ more info	BCC/IB 29	Course Administrator	social.sciences@brookes.ac.uk
Queen's University Belfast	✓				ABB/IB 33/655 HL	Dr. Fiona Murphy	f.murphy@qub.ac.uk
University of Reading	~	✓	v		BBB/IB 30	Alanna Cant	a.m.cant@reading.ac.uk
SOAS University of London	~				ABB (BBB Contextual)/ IB 32-30 (655-555 HL)		study@soas.ac.uk
University of Sussex	✓				ABB-BBB/ IB 30-32	Evan Killick	e.killick@sussex.ac.uk
University College London	✓	✓	v		AAB (BBC contextual)/ IB 36 (30 contextual)	Anthony Harris	uganthro@ucl.ac.uk
University of Winchester	*	~	*	4	104-120 UCAS points; BCC-BBB/ IB minimum of 2 Higher Level at grade 4	Lisa Bernasek	lisa.bernasek@winchester.ac.uk
University of Cambridge (Social Anthropology)	4	4	~		A*AA/ IB: 40-42/ 20 or 776 at HL		Archaeology - outreach@arch.cam.ac.uk Social Anthropology - enquiries@socanth.cam.ac.uk

Table B: Entry Requirements and Preferred Subjects	Entry Requirements	Preferred Subjects
University of Birmingham	AAB-BBB For AAB, IB 32 / HL 6, 6, 5. For ABB, IB 32 / HL 6, 5, 5. For BBB, IB 32 / HL 5, 5, 5	For Social Anthropology and History, a humanities A-level is required. For other programmes, no preferred subjects.
Bournemouth University	104-120 UCAS Points, either min. 2 A-levels, 2 HL Certificates, BTEC Ex Diploma DMM, IB 29-31	No preferences
University of Bristol	AAB/ IB 34/17 HL (BBB/ IB 31/15 HL contextual)	No preferences
University of Bradford	BBC	An A Level in a science subject
Brunel University London	BBB/ IB 30	All subjects considered. BTEC and Access courses given preference where they are social science or arts and humanities related.
University of Cambridge (Biological anthropology)	A*AA/ IB 40-42 points, with 776 at Higher Level	No preferences
University of Dundee	BBB (BCC contextually)/ IB 30 points, including 5, 5, 5 at higher level	A-level: Biology plus GCSE Chemistry and Mathematics at C/4
Durham University	AAB/ IB 36	No preferences
University of Edinburgh	AAA/ IB 36/ 665 HL (ABB/ IB 34/655 HL contextually)	no specific A Level subjects required. GCSEs: English at C or 4.
University of Southampton	ABB to BBB/IB 32 to 30/16 to 15 HL	No preferences
Goldsmiths College, University of London	BBB	No preferences
Liverpool John Moores University	2 A Levels, 112 UCAS points/ IB 26	Science or Social Science subjects (including Anthropology)
LSE	AAB (ABB contextual)/ IB 37/666 HL	No preferences
University of Manchester	ABB/IB 34	No preferred subjects; many of our students come with a mixture of humanities and natural or social science subjects. Commitment to studying Anthropology is more important than any specific A-level combination.
University of Oxford	AAA/ IB 38 (including core points) with 666 at HL	No preferences for the BA ArchAnth, but for BA Human Sciences we require Maths and Biology A-levels
Oxford Brookes University	BCC/IB 29	No preferences
University of Plymouth	104-120 UCAS Points	No preferences
Queen's University Belfast	ABB/IB 33/655 HL	No preferences
University of Reading	BBB/30 UCAS points IB 30	No preferences
SOAS University of London	ABB-BBB/ IB 32-30 (655-555 HL)	No preferences
University of Sussex	ABB-BBB/ IB 30-32	Prefer at least one essay-based subject
University College London	AAB (BBC contextual)/ IB 36 (30 contextual)	No specific A level subjects. GCSEs: English Language and Mathematics, plus any Science (Single Science, Biology, Chemistry or Physics) or Combined Science.
University of Winchester	104-120 UCAS points; BCC-BBB/ IB minimum of 2 Higher Level at grade 4	No preferences
University of Cambridge (Social Anthropology)	A*AA IB: 40-42/ 20 or 776 at HL	No preferences

Table C: Degrees	Single Honours	Joint Honours
University of Birmingham	BA Social Anthropology	BA Social Anthropology and African Studies; BA Social Anthropology and Archaeology; BA Social Anthropology and Classical Literature and Civilisation; BA Social Anthropology and Politics.
Bournemouth University	BSc Anthropology	BA (Hons) Sociology and Social Anthropology; BA (Hons) Archaeology and Anthropology
University of Bristol	BA Anthropology	BA in Archaeology and Anthropology
University of Bradford	Forensic Anthropology (BSc), Archaeology (BSc), Heritage and Archaeology (BA)	
Brunel University London	Anthropology BSc. Our programme gives you the freedom to choose one of our pathway options early on:- Anthropology BSc, Anthropology (Childhood, Youth and Education) BSc, Anthropology (Development, War and Humanitarian Assistance) BSc Anthropology (Global Health) BSc	Anthropology and Sociology BSc
University of Cambridge (Biological Anthropology)	BA Human, Social and Political Sciences BA Archaeology (Biological Anthropology is offered through the Archaeology course, either as a stand-alone track or as a combination with Archaeology)	Social Anthropology with A) Politics and International Relations B) Sociology BA Archaeology (Biological Anthropology is offered through the Archaeology course, either as a stand-alone track or as a combination with Archaeology)
University of Dundee	BSc (Hons) Forensic Anthropology	
Durham University	BA Anthropology, BSc Anthropology, BSc Health and Human Sciences	BA Anthropology and Archaeology, BA Anthropology and Sociology, BSc Anthropology and Psychology (also Anthropology as part of BA Combined Honours in Social Sciences, BA Liberal Arts or BSc Natural Sciences)
University of Edinburgh	MA Social Anthropology	MA Social Anthropology and Politics , MA Social Anthropology and Social Policy, MA Social Anthropology with Development, MA Arabic and Social Anthropology, MA Archaeology and Social Anthropology, MA Geography and Social Anthropology, MA Law and Social Anthropology , MA Linguistics and Social Anthropology , MA Persian and Social Anthropology, MA Sociology and Social Anthropology
University of Southampton		BA Archaeology and Anthropology Archaeology and Anthropology with Year Abroad (BA)
Goldsmiths College, University of London	BA Anthropology, BA Integrated Degree in Anthropology (4 year programme with a Foundation Year), BA Anthropology and Visual Practice	BA Anthropology and Sociology
Liverpool John Moores University	BSc (Hons) Forensic Anthropology	
LSE	BA Social Anthropology; BSc Social Anthropology	BA Anthropology and Law. Students admitted to the BA or BSc in Social Anthropology can also elect to undertake a specialism in Politics, International History, or a language. If a student takes a unit from one of these three disciplines in each year of their study, they will be eligible to graduate with the following degrees:BA/BSc Social Anthropology with Politics, BA/BSc, Social Anthropology with International History, BA/BSc Social Anthropology with a Language

University of Manchester	BSocSc in Social Anthropology (3 years or 4 years with study year abroad)	BSocSc Social Anthropology and Politics, BSocSc Social Anthropology and Philosophy, BSocSc Social Anthropology and Sociology, BSocSc Social Anthropology and Quantitative Methods, BSocSc Social Anthropology and Criminology, BA Anthropology and Comparative Religion, BA Social Anthropology and Linguistics, BA Archaeology and Anthropology
University of Oxford	BA Human Sciences	BA Archaeology and Anthropology
Oxford Brookes University	BSc Anthropology/ BA Social Anthropology/ BSc Biological Anthropology	Anthropology with: Communication, Media and Culture/ Criminology/ English Literature/ Geography/ History/ History of Art/ International Relations/ Philosophy/ Sociology.
University of Plymouth	BA (Hons) Anthropology	
Queen's University Belfast	Anthropology BA	Anthropology and English 3 yrs (QL36) Anthropology and French 4 yrs (RL16) Anthropology and History 3 yrs (VL16) Anthropology and Irish 3 yrs (QL56) Anthropology and Spanish 4 yrs (LR64) Anthropology and International Relations 3 years (LL6F) Anthropology and Philosophy 3 years (LV65) Anthropology and Politics 3 years (LL62)
University of Reading		BA Archaeology and Anthropology
SOAS University of London	BA Social Anthropology	BA Social Anthropology and Arabic*, Chinese*, Development Studies, East Asian Studies, Economics, History, History of Art, International Relations, Japanese*, Korean*, Languages and Cultures, Law, Linguistics, Music, Politics, World Philosophies *4 year degree with compulsory year abroad
University of Sussex	BA Anthropology	Anthropology BA (Hons) Anthropology and History BA (Hons) Anthropology and International Development BA (Hons) Anthropology with a Language BA (Hons) Arts and Humanities (with a foundation year) BA (Hons) Geography and Anthropology BA (Hons) International Relations and Anthropology BA (Hons) Social Sciences (with a foundation year) BA (Hons)
University College London	BSc Anthropology, BSc Anthropology with a Year Abroad.	BA Archaeology and Anthropology, UCL Institute of Archaeology
University of Winchester	BA (Hons) Anthropology	BA (Hons) Anthropology and Archaeology
University of Cambridge (Social Anthropology)	BA Human, Social and Political Sciences BA Archaeology (Biological Anthropology is offered through the Archaeology course, either as a stand-alone track or as a combination with Archaeology)	Social Anthropology with A) Politics and International Relations B) Sociology C) Religious Studies (Modern Religion) BA Archaeology (Biological Anthropology is offered through the Archaeology course, either as a stand- alone track or as a combination with Archaeology

Table D: Features and Interests	Interests	Special Features
University of Birmingham	Anthropology of Migration; Urban Anthropology; Ethnographic writing; Ethnographies of the Marginalised; Kinship, Gender, and Sexuality; Religion and Ritual; Anthropology of Africa; African Popular Culture; Anthropology as a Professional Practice; Anthropology of Islam Anticolonial, Postcolonial, Decolonial; Social Life of the Economy; Political Anthropology; Anthropology of the Future; Anthropology of/and Activism	 All of our students are eligible for the university's study abroad scheme – can apply to spend a year abroad at a foreign university, and there are over 300 possible destinations. All our our students are eligible to apply for an additional year in environmental sustainability. This additional year give students with an opportunity to study modules related to environmental sustainability, in particular global environmental issues Our degrees are structured to provide students with opportunities to put their knowledge into practice through your own research projects. This practical focus begins from the first year, when you will have the opportunity to apply an anthropological lens to the dynamic city of Birmingham, the UK's most ethnically-diverse city. In the second year of the course, you will undertake more systematic and applied research methods training, leading up to an individual dissertation project in your final year.
Bournemouth University	Department for Social Sciences and Social Work (for BA Sociology and Social Anthropology: economic anthropology, political anthropology. anthropology of Britain, social care and social reproduction, International conflict and anthropology of crime	Short and long placements , sandwich year placements with options for practical work training and year abroad
University of Bristol	Kinship, Migration, Evolutionary Anthropology, Primatology, Linguistic Anthropolgy, Forensics, Early Human Origins, Social Evolution, Material Culture, Cultural Evolution, Economic Anthropology, Amazonia, Human Health, Childhood, Africa, S.E. Asia.	Potential to spend a teaching block abroad in the second year, opportunity for work placement
University of Bradford	Heritage, Archaeology, Forensic Anthropology, Bioarchaeology, people and place, health and society	Placement year option as a year between the second and final year
Brunel University London	AIDS epidemic, Anthropology of emotion, Cosmology and witchcraft, Development, inequality and education, Development and race, Disability and human rights, Education, children's rights and social protection, Energy and resource conflict, Economic life in cross-cultural perspective, Infrastructure development, International development, Markets and trade, Masculinity and sexuality, Migration, '(il)legality', citizenship, Mobility and connectivity across regions, Nationalism, religion and social conflict, Personhood, history and landscape, Performance and the body, Post-colonial anthropology, Psychological and psychiatric anthropology Roads and transport infrastructure, Sectarian and identity politics, Trade, mobility, social life of work, Young people	Brunel anthropology undergraduate courses offer students the unique possibility to undertake either two six-month placements or a year-long placement while studying. Placements can be based at home or abroad. They range from supporting charities or development programmes to working in a museum or a school.
University of Cambridge (Biological Anthropol ogy)	Biological Anthropology - human origins, evolutionary history, ecology, adaptations, genetics, behaviour, primatology, human health and disease	Biological Anthropology is taught as part of the Archaeology course, either as a stand-alone track or as a combination with Archaeology. Papers can also be borrowed from Social Anthropology, Politics, Sociology or Psychology. Opportunity to undertake original research for dissertation in year 3. Includes 2.5 weeks excavation training and (for Archaeology track) 4 weeks independently organised fieldwork OR museum work (abroad or UK-based).
University of Dundee	Forensic anthropology and forensic archaeology	Study abroad
Durham University	Integrated anthropology, Social anthropology (e.g. politics, economics, energy, migration), Biological anthropology (e.g. primatology, forensic anthropology, palaeoanthropology, cognition and cultural evolution), Anthropology of health (e.g. global health, mental health, evolutionary medicine), Environment/climate change	All degrees can incorporate a year abroad or placement year. All students are trained in highly transferable research skills (both quantitative and qualitative) from year one. All students have the chance to take part in both local and residential fieldwork trips without additional costs.
University of Edinburgh	Our research is global in scope and at the heart of our teaching practice. It includes core themes in medical anthropology; religion and society; migration and refugee studies; politics and the law; science and technology; kinship and relatedness; peace and conflict studies; anthropology and the arts; media anthropology; cultural heritage; international development; human-animal relations; sexuality and reproduction; and infrastructure and energy transitions.	Students will have the opportunity to conduct your own research in the summer break between Years 3 and 4. Your dissertation supervisor will help you to plan and develop your research project which can take place in the UK or overseas.
University of Southampton	Archaeology and Anthropology at Southampton takes you on a 3-million-year journey to discover what it is to be human. Our course draws widely on the Humanities and Sciences, and allows you the opportunity to explore those aspects of human culture and physical being, past and present, that excite you most. Located on the sunny south coast of England, it is appropriate that one of our core specialisms is maritime archaeology and ethnography.	We have a purpose-built archaeology building, equipped with the latest science-based laboratories. On this anthropology and archaeology degree you'll gain hands-on experience with archaeological artefacts and materials, and receive the practical training needed for a career in archaeology or anthropology.

Goldsmiths College, University of London	Visual Anthropology, Political Economy, Museum Anthropology Human Rights, Social Justice, Development, Gender, Migration, Anthropology of Art, Human/Animal Relations, Indigenous Cosmopolitics, Critical Ecologies.	Work placement module 'Anthropology in Public Practice' and Erasmus agreements with Amsterdam, Cologne, and Lisbon.
Liverpool John Moores University	Forensic anthropology, evolutionary anthropology, biological anthropology, archaeology, palaeopathology, taphonomy, facial reconstruction and bioarchaeology.	BSc and MSc programmes are accredited by the Chartered Society of Forensic Sciences. Students have a Sandwich year option and overseas work-based learning opportunities. LIMU has extensive human skeletal collections for teaching and research projects.
LSE	Political and Economic Anthropology, Kinship, Family and Childhood, Digital Worlds, Environmental Anthropology, Morality, Law and Justice, Anthropology of Religion, Psychological Anthropology, Digital Worlds, Anthropology of Development, Health and Welfare.	Funded summer fieldwork projects; opportunity for Year Abroad; Away Days; regular field trips in London. Our BA in Anthropology and Law teaches prospective solicitors all the subjects they need to sit the SQE.
University of Manchester	Political and economic anthropology, Anthropology of development, Museums and material culture, Visual and sensory anthropology, Anthropology of childhood and education, Anthropology of migration and cities, Medical anthropology	Options for semester and year abroad study Options for hands-on training in digital film-making.
University of Oxford	Social & Cultural Anthropology, Medical Anthropology, Human Sciences, Cognitive & Evolutionary Anthropology, 'Migration, Policy & Society', 'Science, Innovation and Society', the 'Study of Social Cohesion'.	4 weeks compulsory fieldwork anywhere in the world, object handling classes in local museums including the Pitt Rivers Museum and Ashmolean Museum. 4 weeks of fieldwork anywhere in the world
Oxford Brookes University	Anthropology of Art, Ritual, Care, and Relatedness; Environmental and Economic Anthropology; Human Evolution; Osteology; Paleoanthropology; Primatology; Human-animal Relations.	You may be able to go on a European or international study exchange while you are at Brookes. Although we will help as much as we can with your plans, ultimately you are responsible for organising and funding this study abroad.
University of Plymouth	Religion, Ritual and Shamanism; Borders, Migration and Nationalism; Anthropology of Humour and Laughter; Environmental Anthropology; Decolonisation; Medical Anthropology; Anthropology of the Body; Mediterranean and European Anthropology; Anthropology of Southeast Asia; Anthropology of Truth and Conspiracy	Obligatory anthropological work placement; focus on teaching ethnographic fieldwork methods; transferable multimodal skills (film-making and editing, game design, website creation, ethnographic photography, creative writing, drawing as ethnography, story boarding and graphic novels); international fieldtrips
Queen's University Belfast	Anthropology at Queen's University Belfast is taught in the School of History, Anthropology, Politics and Philosophy. We cover the breadth of social anthropology in teaching and research although we have specialised in ethnomusicology, the study of performance and creativity, boarder and migration, conflict and peacebuilding, religion, cognition and morality, business anthropology and the use of ethnography in engagement for public policy. We encourage our students to study anthropology in interdisciplinary contexts, we share course with our colleagues in history, politics and philosophy and we work within the Senator George J. Mitchell Institute for Global Peace, Security and Justice, the Institute of Cognition and Culture and the Institute of Irish Studies.	Work placement; year abroad; dissertation with fieldwork.
University of Reading	Heritage, material culture, biological anthropology, osteology, prehistory, medieval archaeology, Roman archaeology	Archaeology field school, work placements, study abroad
SOAS University of London	Social Anthropology focusing particularly on the regions of Africa, Asia and the Near and Middle East.	Optional study abroad year for students who wish to apply for all Anthropology courses. Language joint honours combinations have a compulsory language year abroad built in
University of Sussex	Global Economy; Development; Rights, Justice and Violence; Ecology; Gender, Sexuality and the Body; Health, Technology and Science; Religion, Ethics and Morality; Sensory Anthropology	Work Placements and Study Abroad available
University College London	Humanity in all its aspects: from evolution as a species, to relationship with the material world, and our vast variety of social practices and cultural forms.	Free residential field trip in the first year, option of Turkana Basin Field School in the second year, option of year abroad in the third year.
University of Winchester	Art and visual anthropology, cultural heritage and resource management, migration and transnationalism, gender and childhood, human evolution, human osteology and palaeopathology, forensic anthropology, funerary archaeology, conflict and warfare, anthropological archaeology.	Opportunity to study abroad in North America in your second year; opportunities in second and final years for work placements that fit your interests and build employability skills; fieldwork opportunities; archaeological fieldwork experience for students on BA Anthropology and Archaeology.
University of Cambridge (Social Anthropology)	Kinship, Economics, Religion and Politics, Anthropological Theory, Ethnographic Methods and Writing, Development, Media, Post-Socialism, History and Memory, Science and Society, a range of specialist courses focused on different regions of the world.	