

# PCSS Post Secondary Spotlight

## So, you want to be an...

# Anthropologist?



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Social and Cultural Anthropologists ask questions such as: How does culture impact business transactions? Can society benefit from organized violence?

Do all cultures experience disease the same way?

Anthropology is the comparative study of human society and culture. Anthropology recognizes the connections and diversities between cultures, societies and species to bring a holistic yet particularistic approach to contemporary global challenges. During the course of your studies, you'll gain statistical analysis skills, research capabilities, written and verbal communication skills, and a deeper understanding of cultures and world views that differ from your own.

## Anthropology (Bachelor of Arts)

### Required courses for admission:

- English Language Arts 30-1
- 3 approved courses
- An approved course or option

### Career opportunities

As an Anthropology graduate, you'll be prepared for career opportunities in areas such as the:

- civil service
- non-profit sector
- business world

A degree in Anthropology can also be used as a stepping-stone to graduate studies or another professional degree such as law, medicine, veterinary medicine, or education.

Average Wage

\$44.68

Per Hour

Average Salary

\$82,211.00

Per Year

<https://alis.alberta.ca/occinfo/occupations-in-alberta/occupation-profiles/anthropologist/#wage-salary>

<https://www.ucalgary.ca/future-students/undergraduate/explore-programs/anthropology-arts>