



# ARCHAEOLOGICAL STUDIES PROGRAM



## PROGRAMA sa ARALING ARKEOLOHIKO

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On 24 August 1995, the Board of Regents approved the proposal to establish the Archaeological Studies Program (ASP)<sup>a</sup> in U.P. Diliman. The Program oversees and coordinates instructional, research, and extension activities pertaining to the systematic discovery, reclamation, analysis, interpretation, and preservation of the material remains of ancestral Southeast Asian and Filipino cultures. Established as an intercollegiate and inter-disciplinary program, ASP is headed by a Director and is attached to the Office of the Chancellor. It has a Coordinating Council to develop and administer the degree programs offered. The Council is chaired by the Chancellor, with the Deans of the following colleges as members: Archaeological Studies Program, College of Arts and Letters, College of Engineering, College of Science, College of Social Science and Philosophy, College of Architecture, and Asian Center.

### PROGRAMS OFFERED

#### Diploma in Archaeology

It is a one-year program for the following:

- 1) students who are interested in pursuing a graduate degree in archaeology, but who are constrained to pursue a higher graduate degree in view of the demands and/or requirements of their full-time jobs and
- 2) those who want to pursue a Ph.D. in Archaeology, but whose master's degree is not in archaeology.

#### **MULTI-DISCIPLINARY PROGRAM**

#### Master in Archaeology (MA & MS)

The course is offered to students who want a formal training in archaeology, archaeological research, and extension activities pertaining to the systematic discovery, reclamation, analysis, interpretation, and preservation of the material remains of our cultural past.

#### PhD in Archaeology

It is offered to students who have the potential to be leaders and trendsetters in heritage research and who have the capabilities to transform the landscape of heritage work and maintain technical competence for basic research.

#### **ADMISSION POLICIES/REQUIREMENTS**

The general rules of the University on admission are followed for all applicants. In addition, all applicants have to undergo interviews and evaluation by a screening committee.

Applicants whose respective master's degrees are in other disciplines must first take all the core courses required for the Diploma in Archaeology before they can apply for the PhD in Archaeology program.

#### Additional Requirement for a PhD Program Applicant

A research proposal as a basis in assessing the applicant's research readiness to complete a PhD in Archaeology

Units earned in the Diploma program may be credited to the MA/MS program.

<sup>a</sup> Multidisciplinary program

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<b>DIPLOMA IN ARCHAEOLOGY</b> 21 units			
APPROVAL 72nd UPD UC : 06 December 2000   President FNemanzo: 21 December 2000			
<b>1st Semester</b> 6 units		<b>2nd Semester</b> 6 units	
Archaeo 201*	3	Archaeo 204	3
Archaeo 202	3	Archaeo 260	3
<b>Summer</b> 6 units			
Archaeo 206			3
Archaeo 207			3
<b>1st Semester</b> 3 units			
Archaeo 269	3		

\* Archaeo 201 is offered in the 1st and 2nd semesters

<b>DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN ARCHAEOLOGY</b> 42 units			
APPROVAL 107th UPD UC : 30 March 2009   BOR: 29 May 2009			
<b>1st Semester</b> 9 units		<b>2nd Semester</b> 9 units	
Archaeo 298*	3	Archaeo 302	3
Archaeo 299	3	Elective 1**	3
Archaeo 301	3	Elective 2**	3
<b>1st Semester</b> 9 units		<b>2nd Semester</b> 12 units	
Elective 3**	3	Archaeo 400	12
Archaeo 399	3		
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\* Must take any two of the following regional archaeology courses:

- African Archaeology
- American Archaeology
- Archaeology of China
- Archaeology of India
- Australian Archaeology
- British Archaeology
- European Archaeology
- Pacific Archaeology

\*\* In consultation with the thesis supervisor, the student shall take elective courses that are needed as skills relevant to the thesis topic.

<b>MASTER OF ARTS/MASTER OF SCIENCE in ARCHAEOLOGY</b> 42 units			
APPROVAL 103rd UPD UC : 23 April 2008   President ERRoman: 25 April 2008			
<b>Core Courses</b> 21 units		<b>Sub-Field Courses</b> 12 units	
Archaeo 201	3	Any Archaeology course not classified as a Core Course	3
Archaeo 202	3	Any Archaeology course not classified as a Core Course	3
Archaeo 204	3	Any Archaeology course not classified as a Core Course	3
Archaeo 206	3	Any Archaeology course not classified as a Core Course	3
Archaeo 207	3	Any Archaeology course not classified as a Core Course	3
Archaeo 269	3	Any Archaeology course not classified as a Core Course	3
Archaeo 299	3	Any Archaeology course not classified as a Core Course	3
<b>Cognate</b> 3 units		<b>Thesis</b> 6 units	
One course - 3 units - Any archaeology-related course in the arts, social sciences, and natural sciences		Archaeo 300	6

## COURSE OFFERINGS

## GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

Arkiyoloji/Archaeology (Archaeo)

**1<sup>b,c</sup> Ang Pilipinas: Arkiyoloji at Kasaysayan.** Tatalakayin ang kasaysayan ng Pilipinas, nakasentro sa kaalaman mula sa arkiyoloji. Ipaalam din ang malawak na ugnayan ng sinaunang kasaysayan ng rehiyon sa kasaysayan ng Pilipinas. 3 u.

**2<sup>c</sup> Archaeological Heritage: The Past is Not a Foreign Land.** A survey of archaeological research and its role in the development of knowledge about the human collective past, the past of specific cultures (especially those of Southeast Asia), and the nature and role of heritage in the contemporary world. 3 u.

## GRADUATE

Archaeology (Archaeo)

**201 Foundations of Archaeology.** Concepts and theories in Archaeology. 3 u.

**202 History of Archaeology.** 3 u.

**203 Archaeology and Culture.** Theoretical issues in the analysis of relations between archaeological remains and human behavior in the context of human culture. Prereq: Archaeo 201/COI.3 u.

**204 Scientific Archaeological Analysis.** General overview of the various analytical tools used in archaeology. Prereq: Archaeo 201. 3 u.

**205 Scientific Illustration and Photography for Archaeology.** Prereq: Archaeo 201, 204. 7 h. (1 lec, 6 lab). 3 u.

**206 Field Methods in Archaeology.** Methods used at different stages of fieldwork and the qualitative and quantitative analyses of recovered materials. Prereq: Archaeo 201, 204. 3 u.

**207 Laboratory and Applied Analysis of Archaeological Remains.** Fundamentals in the processing of artifacts. Prereq: Archaeo 201, 204. 7 h. (1 lec, 6 lab). 3 u.

**210 Statistics in Archaeology.** The use of statistics in exploration, excavation and analysis of materials for report writing. Prereq: Archaeo 201, 204/COI. 3 u.

**211 Computer Programs in Archaeology.** The use of computer programs in aid of exploration, excavation, and analysis of

materials for report writing. Prereq: Archaeo 201, 204/COI. 3u.

**218 Ethnoarchaeology.** Comparative studies of living ethnic groups and archaeological material culture. Prereq: COI. 3 u.

**219 Museology.** Principles of organization and administration of archaeological collections (cross-listed with Anthro 219). 3 u.

**220 Philippine Prehistoric Archaeology.** Prereq: Archaeo 201, 204/COI. 3 u.

**221 Stone Ages.** The earliest cultural phases of humankind indicated by archaeological remains up to sedentarism and domestication, chronology, paleo-ecology and technology, with emphasis on Southeast Asia. Prereq: Archaeo 201, COI. 3 u.

**222 Metal Ages.** The earliest evidence of the use of metals, diverse theories on the origin of metallurgy, with emphasis on Southeast Asia. Prereq: Archaeo 201, COI. 3 u.

**224 Southeast Asian Prehistoric Archaeology.** Prereq: Archaeo 201, COI. 3 u.

**230 Complex Societies in Southeast Asia.** Evolution, organization, and archaeology of ancient states. Prereq: Archaeo 201, COI.3u.

**231 Settlement Patterns and Household Systems in Southeast Asia.** Archaeological sites distribution and household systems. Prereq: Archaeo 201, COI. 3 u.

**234 Archaeology of Trade.** Trade patterns and exchange systems in the archaeological context, with emphasis on Southeast Asia. Prereq: Archaeo 201, COI. 3 u.

**240 Human Palaeontology.** Biocultural evolutionary stages of humans, with emphasis on Southeast Asia. Prereq: Archaeo 201, COI. 3 u.

**241 Mortuary Analysis in Archaeology.** Theories and methods in the analysis of skeletal remains and human burial practices, with emphasis on Southeast Asia. Prereq: Archaeo 201, 240. 3u.

**242 Archaeobiological Remains.** Study of botanical and faunal remains, with emphasis on Southeast Asia. Prereq: Archaeo 201, 240. 3 u.

**243 Lithic Analysis.** Methods, techniques, and theoretical discourses in the analysis of lithic implements. Prereq: Archaeo 204. 3 u.

**244 Ceramic Analysis.** Methods, techniques, and theoretical discourses in the analysis of ceramic materials. Prereq: Archaeo 204. 3 u.

**245 Geoarchaeology.** Concepts, theories, and techniques in understanding different processes that contribute to archaeological site formation. Prereq: Archaeo 206. 3 u.

<sup>b</sup> Maaaring isama sa mapagpipilian ng mga mag-aaral para sa 6 yunits na required courses sa Philippine Studies.

<sup>c</sup> Social Sciences and Philosophy domain.

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- 250 Historical Archaeology.** The aims, methods and rationale of the sub-field of historical archaeology. Prereq: Core courses and/or COI. 3 u.
- 251 Underwater Archaeology in Southeast Asia.** History, concepts, and methods in underwater archaeology. Prereq: Core courses and/or COI and students must be certified divers. 3 u.
- 260 Archaeological Resource Management.** Identification, preservation and protection of archaeological resources. Prereq: Core course and/or COI. 3 u.
- 269 Archaeological Applications of Geology.** Applications of geological principles, concepts, and laboratory methods to archaeology. Prereq: Archaeo 201; Coreq: Archaeo 204. 7 h. (1 lec, 6 lab). 3 u.
- 270 Readings in Archaeology.** Concentration on a specific topic for research purposes. Prereq: Core courses and/or COI. 3 u.; may be taken more than once provided the topics are different and the latter shall be indicated for record purposes.
- 297 Special Topics in Archaeology.** Prereq: COI. 3 u.; may be taken more than once provided the topics are different and the latter shall be indicated for record purposes.
- 298 Special Topics in Regional Archaeology.** The archaeology of a region or country, with discussions on its cultural chronology, major archaeological sites, and material remains. 3 u; may be taken a number of times, provided the region/country is different.
- 299 Research.** 3 u.
- 300 Master's Thesis.** 6 u.
- 301 Advanced Field Methods.** Methods in managing, leading, and integrating archaeological field excavation and methodology. 3u.
- 302 Heritage Management.** In-depth study of the different issues confronting world heritage management. 3u.
- 399 Independent Study.** A research-focused course that will allow Ph.D. students to develop their research interests. 3 u; must be taken twice.
- 400 Ph.D. Dissertation.** 12 u.