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College of Letters and Science
University of California, Santa Barbara

Student Name:	: Perm:	

MASTER OF ARTS DEGREE – ANTHROPOLOGY NORTH AMERICAN ARCHAEOLOGY SPECIALIZATION For Students Entering AY 2016-2017

In addition to departmental requirements, candidates for graduate degrees must fulfill University requirements described in the "Graduate Education" section of the UCSB General Catalog.

The M.A. in Anthropology, North American Archaeology Specialization, is a terminal M.A. program. Students must complete a minimum of **32 units** for the master's degree, 24 of which must be from the graduate series in Anthropology. The time-to-degree for the terminal M.A. is three years. These courses must be passed with a grade of B or better, with the exception of the Proseminar Requirements which must be passed satisfactorily.

	PROSEMINAR REQUIREMENTS (4.0 units total)		
COURSE#	COURSE NAME	UNITS	Grade (S/U)
ANTH 232	Graduate Proseminar (Spring of 1st year)	1.0	
ANTH 232	Graduate Proseminar (Spring of 2 nd year)	1.0	
ANTH 277	Faculty Proseminar (Fall of 1st year)	2.0	

ARCHAEOLOGY SPECIALIZATION REQUIREMENTS (12.0 units total)			
COURSE#	COURSE NAME	UNITS	Grade
ANTH 201A	Classical Archaeology Theory	4.0	
ANTH 201B	Contemporary Archaeology Theory	4.0	
ANTH 245A	Quantitative Data Analysis in Archaeology	4.0	

ELECTIVE COURSES (16.0 units total) Students will draft a study plan in consultation with and approved by their advisor.			
COURSE#	COURSE NAME	UNITS	Grade

A maximum of 12.0 units of ANTH 596, Directed Reading and Research, may count toward the total number of required units for the M.A. degree. ANTH 501 does not count toward the MA degree requirements.

MASTER'S COMMITTEE AND COMPETENCY CONTRACT

By the end of the winter quarter of the first year, students must form a valid master's committee, and file their M.A. Committee form with the Graduate Program Assistant. Committees must consist of at least three ladder faculty members, two of whom (including the chair) must be from the department. The chair of the committee must be from the archaeology subfield.

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M.A. Committee: Chair:	
Member:	
Member:	
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The M.A. committee will assist the student with determinin contract, which should be finalized and approved by winte spring quarter of the first year.	
CAPSTONE REQUIREMENT – COMPREH	ENSIVE EXAM and THESIS
The comprehensive exam for the Archaeology specializate the second year. Over a two week period, students write to chosen by the faculty for each individual student and are chunter-gatherer societies, 2) middle-range societies, and 3 Exam Scores: High Pass, Pass, or Fail. Students who fatto take it again (for Spring exam, deadline is the end of fol possible score for a re-take being Pass. If the deadline is recommended to the Graduate Dean for academic probate awarded by the deadline at the end of the Spring quarter anot be awarded the MA and will be recommended to the Country To earn the degree in the terminal MA program in Archaecand have it approved by his or her MA committee. This is student's residency.	wo article-length papers. Topics are chosen from two of the three areas: 1) (3) complex societies. il the exam will have one regular quarter llowing Fall quarter), with the maximum on the met, the student will be ion. If a passing score has not been a year after initial comps, the student will Graduate Dean for dismissal.
COMPREHENSIVE EXAM DATE:	SCORE:
COMMENTS: MASTER'S THESIS ACCEPTED DATE:	
WASTER STRESIS ACCEPTED DATE:	

MA DEGREE REQUIREMENTS SATISFIED:	Quarter/Year
DEPT GRADUATE ADVISOR SIGNATURE: _	
_	Print Name

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Residence Requirement (3 quarters)		
No Incomplete Grades		
Minimum Required Units (32)		
3.0 or Better GPA Overall		
B or Better in All Core Courses (200-level)		
Registered Quarter of Degree or Paid Filing Fee		
M.A. Degree Awarded (quarter):		