

MARITIME ARCHAEOLOGY MINOR

Maritime Archaeology is an interdisciplinary field of study, global in scope, focusing on the investigations of human interactions with the seas, lakes, and rivers through the excavation and documentation of submerged settlements and coastal facilities, wrecked vessels, lost cargoes, and human remains. The program integrates technology, such as side-scan sonar and undersea robotic vehicles, and science with traditional archaeological and historical studies. The minor introduces students to the development and application of current and future methods of exploration, research, and management of maritime heritage sites and resources. Students interested in pursuing this minor are advised to complete appropriate 1000-level courses in a number of fields as preparation for advanced courses in their program in Maritime Archaeology. These should include some of the following courses:

Course	Title	Credits
ANTH 1006	Introduction to Anthropology	3
ERTH 1050	Earth's Dynamic Environment	4
or EARTH 1051	Earth's Dynamic Environment (Lecture)	
GEOG 1000	Introduction to Geography	3
HIST 1201	Modern World History	3
HIST 1300	Western Traditions Before 1500	3
HIST 1400	Modern Western Traditions	3
MARN 1002E	Introduction to Oceanography	3
or MARN 1003E	Introduction to Oceanography with Laboratory	

Requirements for the Minor

Course	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
ANTH 2501	Introduction to Archaeology	3
ANTH 2510	Methods in Maritime Archaeology	3
<i>Science/Technology</i>		
Select one of the following:		3
ERTH/MARN 3230	Beaches and Coasts	
GEOG 2300E	Introduction to Physical Geography	
GEOG 2500	Introduction to Geographic Information Systems	
<i>History/Anthropology/Marine Studies</i>		
Select nine credits from the following:		9
ANTH 3990	Field Work in Archaeology (six credits) ¹	
HIST 2100	The Historian's Craft	
HIST/MAST 3544	Atlantic Voyages: European Maritime Expansion, 1400-1650	
ANTH 3531/ HIST 3209/ MAST 3531	Maritime Archaeology of the Americas	
ANTH 3532/ HIST 3210/ MAST 3532	Archaeology of the Age of Sail	
ANTH 3701	Lithic Technology	
ANTH 3902	North American Prehistory	

MAST 3991	Supervised Internship in Maritime Studies (one to three credits with advance approval by advisor and MAST program coordinator) ¹
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Total Credits **18**

¹ Students may count either ANTH 3990 Field Work in Archaeology or MAST 3991 Supervised Internship in Maritime Studies but not both for this category.

The minor is offered by Maritime Studies. Interested students may contact Kroum Batchvarov at Kroum.Batchvarov@uconn.edu.