ANTHROPOLOGY

as a non-STEM major for MEDICAL SCHOOL

Anthropology is an ideal non-STEM major for students interested in medical school. Anthropology is a unique discipline that studies human diversity from several disciplinary angles, including natural science, social science, and the humanities. We study the diversity of human cultures – both past and present – and their interactions in a globalized context. We also study the biological, physiological, and evolutionary aspects of human diversity. These areas of study will not only fine-tune your critical thinking skills, but the courses offered through an Anthropology major will equip future health professionals with the knowledge and competence to effectively engage with people from diverse walks of life.

The skills and knowledge acquired while pursuing an Anthropology degree will give your transcript and resume an edge. Furthermore, during the medical school interviewing process, having an Anthropology major will make your application stand out among the crowd of STEM majors. Anthropology is the only discipline that studies humans from a systematic and holistic perspective, and this is what makes it an ideal non-STEM major for medical school applicants.

Thus, come and meet the faculty and students of the Department of Anthropology. We have two faculty members who specialize in medical anthropology specialization and a number of field research experiences for undergraduate on medical anthropological topics like refugee health, childhood diet and food insecurity, and environmental health. So come and meet us... we are located in Olin HTc(a)-63(r)-63(e)-66(y)-68)-64()-66(a)ETBT1 121()]TETBT0(e)-68

general education courses that would be of special interest to somebody who is interested in health professions:

Course number	Courses	Credits	General Education Tags	
3230:150	Human Cultures	3	Tier II Social Sciences	
3230:151	Human Evolution	4	Tier II Natural Sciences	
3230:251	Human Diversity	3	Tier II Social Sciences and Tier III Global Diversity	