

SEMESTER 2

Course Code:	ANTH 12233
Course Title:	History of Anthropology
Credit value:	3
Time Allocation:	Lectures 30 hours /Practical 30 hours / Independent learning 90 hours
Type:	Compulsory (C)

Intended Learning Outcomes:

At the completion of this course, the students will be able to explain the inception of Anthropology as a subject in the world and Sri Lanka, the way it expanded and its current trends, modern Anthropologists and their research with emphasis on the following:

- AnK 3.1. Colonization and the need of Anthropological knowledge in their administration
- AnK 3.2. The start of teaching Anthropology in the world
- AnK 3.3. Anthropological history of India and Sri Lanka

Course Capsule (Content):

The history of the expansion of Anthropology as a subject on a regional and global level (especially through America and Europe); expansion of Anthropology as a subject in Sri Lanka; initial Anthropological studies and Anthropologists; an insight to Anthropological data collection methods; history of Ethnological museums; history of human technology etc.

Assessment Components and Percentage Marks:

Continuous assessment Assignments , Tutorial, Presenting research papers through visual media	20%
End-semester written examination	80%

Recommended Texts:

Barnard, Alan (2000) *History and theory in anthropology*, Cambridge University Press, UK

Deliege, Robert (2004) *Levi-Strauss today: an introduction to structural anthropology*, Oxford University Press, UK

Freeman, Derek (1985) *Margaret Mead and Samoa: the making and unmaking of anthropological myth*, Penguin, UK

Henare, Amiria J.M. (Eds.) (2005) *Museums, Anthropology and Imperial Exchange*, Cambridge University Press, UK

Obeyesekere, Gananath (1990) *Work of culture: symbolic transformation in psychoanalysis and anthropology (Lewis Henry Morgan Lectures)*, University of Chicago Press, Chicago