

# Ancient Societies and Human Origins

## Key transferable skills

Skills you will obtain in this degree that are transferable across many career options.



RESEARCH AND  
EVALUATION



IDENTIFY SOLUTIONS



CULTURAL LITERACY



PROFESSIONAL WRITING  
AND EDITING



CRITICAL THINKING



ADAPTABILITY AND  
FLEXIBILITY

The Ancient Societies and Human Origins major combines archaeological, historical, and scientific approaches to study ancient human societies and their worlds. Your studies will introduce you to the cultural and natural origins of humanity along with the very origins of the human as a species.

## Career pathways

Graduates will be well placed to find employment in a range of roles directly or after further study. Common roles include:

- Anthropologist
- Museum curator
- Archaeologist
- Cultural heritage consultant
- Primary/secondary teacher
- Research assistant
- Librarian
- Arts program coordinator
- Historic preservation consultant
- Archivist
- Tour guide
- Journalist/publisher

## Discipline specific/technical skills

Technical skills that you will develop as part of your course.

- Detailed knowledge of ancient societies and human origins
- Design and conduct research into complex problems
- Critically assess and utilise data from digital sources
- Ethical and culturally aware communication skills
- Knowledge of the cultural diversity of world civilisations
- Creative and analytical skills to address challenges
- Resourcefulness as an engaged global citizen

## Major employers

Graduates have found jobs in a range of organisations including:

- Heritage organisations
- Archeological consulting firms
- Arts and cultural centres
- Museums
- Government departments and agencies
- Universities and research institutes
- Libraries
- Historical societies
- Primary/secondary schools
- Tourism councils and agencies
- Media networks
- Magazine and book publishers

Source: LinkedIn Live Alumni, Burning Glass Technologies

## Boost your employability



BROADEN YOUR SKILLS



CONNECT WITH INDUSTRY



MANAGE YOUR CAREER



GAIN EXPERIENCE