Anthropology Honors Thesis Application
This form is due by June 1rst of your Junior Year

Eligibility Requirements

Departmental distinction: The department may award distinction, high distinction, or highest distinction to any Anthropology major whose overall and major grade point averages are 3.25 or higher; and who successfully completes 33 hours of anthropology courses, including 4-6 hours of ANTH 494 and ANTH 495 resulting in an Honors Thesis. The level of distinction is based on evaluation of the honors thesis.

After working under the close direction of an anthropology faculty member for 2 semesters, the quality of the thesis is assessed by how the work offers a thoughtful argument, is well formatted, written and well organized, and engages with relevant anthropological literature. Each student is then certified for graduation with “Distinction,” “High Distinction,” or Highest Distinction.”

Student’s Name ____________________________ UIN ____________________________

Faculty Advisor’s Name ____________________________

2 Terms You Will Completer the Thesis ____________________________

Tentative Title or Topic Statement ____________________________

Proposed Research Project Description (Please include your research questions and methods, which should be about 1-page in length or additional page)

Thesis Advisor’s Name (Print) ____________________________

Thesis Advisor’s Signature ____________________________ Date ______________

Applications should be submitted to the Undergraduate Advisor in 109 Davenport Hall.