

Module Details				
Module Title	Themes in World Archaeology & Heritage			
Module Code	ARC4024-B			
Academic Year	2023/4			
Credits	20			
School School of Archaeological and Forensic Sciences				
FHEQ Level	FHEQ Level 4			

Contact Hours				
Туре	Hours			
Directed Study	162			
Seminars	26			
Lectures	12			

Availability				
Occurrence	Location / Period			
BDA	University of Bradford / Semester 2			

Module Aims

The module provides a global perspective of the past and contemporary themes in archaeological and heritage studies around the world. The module will develop knowledge and understanding of large global research themes, historical discipline foundations and contemporary professional developments.

Outline Syllabus

The module will involve an introduction to themes in world archaeology and heritage studies, the history of archaeology in different parts of the world (excluding Britain but noting that Britain is not isolated) including antiquarianism, colonialism and post-colonialism. Example topics may include: antiquarianism, development of archaeology, professionalisation of archaeology and heritage, global contexts of heritage; UNESCO and World Heritage; museum collection and heritage rights, repatriation, climate change and archaeology, archaeology, heritage and peacekeeping, and historical archaeology.

Learning Outcomes				
Outcome Number	Description			
01	Demonstrate an awareness of archaeological and heritage studies development around the world			
02	Articulate an awareness of typological-chronological systems from archaeological cultures around the world			
03	Identify contemporary key themes in archaeological and heritage practice around the world			
04	Identify issues relating to the sustainability of professional archaeology and heritage			

Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy

This module combines synchronous online lectures and seminars with directed study materials. Lectures and directed materials will introduce topics and themes The seminars will allow the opportunity to express ideas and thoughts, linking together the lecture content and directed reading.

Assessment will be by formative essay plan, and summative essay and presentation. An essay plan will be used to provide formative feedback for the essay.

Mode of Assessment					
Type	Method	Description	Weighting		
Summative	Presentation	Individual presentation (15 mins)	50%		
Summative	Coursework	Essay (2000 words)	50%		
Formative	Coursework	Essay Plan	N/A		

Reading List

To access the reading list for this module, please visit https://bradford.rl.talis.com/index.html

Please note:

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