

Academic year 2021/22

Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Ancient History and Archaeology

UCAS Code: VV14 (3 years)

Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Ancient History and Archaeology (with Study Abroad)

Internal Code: 1467U (4 years)

Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Ancient History and Archaeology (with Year Abroad)

(only available in 21/22)

Internal Code: 1701U (4 years)

Notes

- (i) *These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.*
- (ii) *All optional modules are offered subject to the constraints of the timetable and to any restrictions on the number of students who may be taught on a particular module. Not all modules may be offered in all years and they are listed subject to availability.*
- (iii) *Unless otherwise stated under 'Type', modules are not core.*
- (iv) *A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.*
- (v) *A core module is a module which a student must pass, and in which a fail mark may neither be carried nor compensated; such modules are designated by the board of studies as essential for progression to a further stage of the programme or for study in a further module.*
- (vi) *All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.*
- (vii) *Candidates are required to participate in approved excavations, fieldwork or other practical work of at least two weeks' duration at the end of Stage 1 and at least two weeks' duration at the end of Stage 2, either in each of the two long vacations during the degree programme, or at other times specified by the Degree Programme Director. Students needing to postpone their Stage 1 or Stage 2 fieldwork must have the written approval of the fieldwork co-ordinator.*
- (viii) *You may not take more than 70 credits in any one semester (thus, your credit balance over two semesters must be 60/60 or 70/50)*

1. Stage 1

- (a) 120 credits must be taken in this stage, of which at least 40 credits of ARA modules (including compulsory modules) and 40 credits of CAH/CAC/CAG/CLA modules (including compulsory modules) must be taken.
- (b) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
ARA1027	Introduction to Archaeology	20	20		4		
ARA1030	The Archaeology of Britain from the Romans to the 20th	20		20	4		

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CAC1012	Greek and Roman Art and Archaeology	20	20		4		

(c) Students must select two, and may take three from the following electives:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
ARA1026	Introduction to Archaeological Science	20		20	4		
ARA1028	Prehistoric Britain	20	20		4		
CAC1013	Life and Literature in the Roman Republic	20		20	4		
CAC1014	Tragedy, Comedy, History: The World of Greek Literature	20	20		4		
CAC1015	How Should I Live? An Introduction to Ancient Moral Philosophy	20		20	4		
CAG1001	Beginners' Greek in Action 1	20	20		4		
CAG1002	Beginners' Greek in Action 2*	20		20	4		
CAH1012	West meets East: Greek History and Society	20		20	4		
CAH1014	The Roman World from Romulus to Heraclius: history and culture from 753 BC to AD641	20		20	4		
CLA1001	Beginners' Latin in Action 1	20	20		4		
CLA1002**	Beginners' Latin in Action 2**	20		20	4		
HCA1001	Slavery	20	20		4		
HCA1002	Big History: From the Big Bang to Climate Change	20		20	4		
HCA1007	Stuff: Living in a Material World	20		20	4		
HCA1008	Global Ancient Histories	20	20		4		

**must have taken CAG1001 in Sem 1 **must have taken CLA1001 in Sem 1*

(d) If only two modules are selected under (b) one additional 20 credit open elective module may be selected with the approval of the Degree Programme Director.

(e) All candidates must also take the following compulsory module:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
ARA1000	Foundational Fieldwork Training*	0		0	4		

** This module relates to the fieldwork completed by students over the summer.*

Fieldwork opportunities will be guided by national and institutional policy at the time.

2. Study Abroad (Year 2)

Candidates may, subject to approval of the Degree Programme Director, undertake the Erasmus programme which would entail undertaking 120 credits over two semesters in an Erasmus-partner institution.

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
HIS2100	Erasmus Student exchange	60	60		5		
HIS2101	Erasmus Student exchange	60		60	5		

For academic year 2021/22 only, the intercalating year studying abroad can be undertaken following completion of Stage 3 for candidates completing Stage 1 in 2019/20. For all other candidates the intercalating year studying abroad shall be taken upon completion of Stage 1 and before entering Stage 2.

3. Stage 2

(a) 120 credits must be taken in this stage, of which at least 40 credits of ARA modules (including compulsory modules) and 40 credits of CAH modules must be taken.

(b) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
ARA2012	Fieldwork and Archaeological Practice	20	20		5		
ARA2091	Archaeologies of the Roman Empire: The Roman World from Augustus to Justinian	20	20		5		

(c) Students must select three of the following modules, and may select four:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
ARA2001*	Archaeological Theory and Interpretation	20		20	5		
ARA2004	Animals, Plants and People: an Introduction to Environmental Archaeology	20	20		5		
ARA2011	Prehistoric Europe	20		20	5		
ARA2097	Historical Archaeology of the Modern World (post 1492)	20		20	5		
ARA2102	Cold Case: Archaeological Science in Action	20		20	5		
ARA2092	The Medieval World: AD 400-1500	20	20		5		
CAH2006	Hellenistic Empires from Alexander to Cleopatra	20		20	5		
CAH2007	Caesar's Gift: Rome under the Emperors	20	20		5		
CAH2020	Greek and Roman Religions	20	20		5		

CAH2061	Slavery in Greco-Roman Antiquity	20		20	5		
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**Recommended for students intending to take ARA3001 or ARA3002 at Stage 3*

- (d) If only three modules are selected under (c) one additional 20 credit open elective module may be selected. The following is a recommended choice:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
NCL2100	Developing Enterprise, Entrepreneurship and Employability	20	10	10	5		

- (e) All candidates must also take the following compulsory module:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
ARA2000	Advanced Fieldwork Training*	0		0	5		

** This module relates to the fieldwork completed by students over the summer. Fieldwork opportunities will be guided by national and institutional policy at the time.*

4. Stage 3

- (a) 120 credits must be taken in this stage, of which at least 40 credits of ARA modules (including compulsory modules) and 40 credits of CAH modules (including compulsory modules) must be taken.

- (b) All candidates shall take **one** of the following modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
ARA3001	Dissertation in Archaeology	40	10	30	6		
ARA3002	Dissertation in Ancient History and Archaeology	40	10	30	6		
CAH3000	Portfolio in Ancient History II: Dissertation*	40	20	20	6		

** Students wishing to choose this module must contact the Degree Programme Director prior to module selection*

- (c) Students must select three, and may take four of the following electives:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
ARA3016	The Archaeology of Byzantium and its Neighbours	20	20		6		
ARA3021	Frontier Communities of Roman Britain	20	20		6		
ARA3100	Archaeologies of the Middle Sea: An armchair voyage across the Mediterranean	20	20		6		

ARA3031	Historical Archaeology of Britain 1500-Present	20	20				
ARA3129	You Are What You Make: Archaeology and Experiment	20		20			
ARA3036	Neolithic and Early Bronze Age Britain in its European Context	20	20		6		
ARA3117	The Archaeology of Animal Bones	20		20	6		
CAH3005	City of Athens: Power, Society and Culture	20	20		6		
CAH3033	The Fall of the Roman Republic	20		20	6		
CAH3035	The World of Herodotus	20		20	6		
CAH3036	Roman Egypt	20		20	6		

- (d) If only three modules are selected under (c) one 20 credit open elective module may be selected with the approval of your DPD. The following is a recommended choice:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
NCL3007	Career Development for Final Year Students	20	10	10	6		

5. Year 4 (Intercalating Year)

For academic year 2021/22 only, the intercalating study abroad year shall be undertaken following completion of Stage 3, for candidates completing Stage 2 in 2019/20. Travel and study abroad will be guided by institutional and governmental policy at the time. Please see section 2 above for full details.

- (a) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
HIS2100	Erasmus Student exchange	60	60		5		
HIS2101	Erasmus Student exchange	60		60	5		

6. Assessment methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the module outline.

7. Degree classification

Candidates will be assessed for degree classification on the basis of all the modules taken at Stages 2 and 3 with the weighting of the stages being 1:2 for Stage 2 and Stage 3 respectively.

8. Degree title

Candidates who complete the 3-year programme will graduate with a BA (Hons) in Ancient History and Archaeology. Candidates who choose to take part in the Study Abroad year will be transferred onto the four-year version of the programme. They will be on degree programme code 1467U and will graduate with a BA (Hons) in Ancient History and Archaeology (with Study Abroad).

Candidates who study abroad for one year after completion of Stage 3 will be transferred onto 1701U and will graduate with a Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Ancient History and Archaeology (with Year Abroad)