Longwood’s Institute of Archaeology Research Fellows Program is offering a unique opportunity for undergraduate students to explore the field of archaeology, conduct archaeological field research and prepare for future opportunities as a paid student field researcher. The best part? Scholarships and research stipends. Scholarships are available to assist with tuition for the Field School, which is open to all majors. Students can also apply for advanced research experiences that include a generous stipend.
Students can get started by taking Anthropology 202 (Archaeology) in the fall semester. This course is open to all majors and all class levels. Freshmen are encouraged to take this course in their first semester.

**FALL SEMESTER**

ANTH 202  Archaeology (fulfills a Civitae requirement)  
Learn the basics of archaeological research by examining case studies from projects around the world. You’ll apply scientific methods to a small research project involving the use of a prehistoric spear thrower known as an atlatl.

ANTH 280  Archaeology Laboratory Methods  
Work with real artifacts to learn how archaeologists glean information from the material remains of past cultures.

**SPRING SEMESTER**

ANTH 350  Advanced Archaeology  
You'll be challenged to develop a research design to address a specific archaeological question. Then, as a class, you’ll implement the research design in the field over the course of several weekends of data collection. The final step will be to analyze the data and arrive at conclusions about the site and the original archaeological question you chose to resolve.

**SUMMER**

ANTH 296  Field Methods in Archaeology (Field School)  
This is the classic archaeology field school Longwood students have been experiencing for the past 40 years. Head out into the field to conduct a four-week archaeological research project. You’ll get extensive hands-on learning in the basics of archaeological field research.

Fifteen students will receive $900 each toward tuition for this course.

Advanced Field Research  
Includes stipend  
Ten students will be accepted to serve as Summer Advanced Field Researchers. They will be charged with developing a research project from scratch and bringing it to conclusion over an eight-week period. Working closely with Institute of Archaeology staff, student researchers will plan the project, implement the field research, analyze the data and arrive at conclusions. All of this will culminate in a technical report written to professional standards.

By application. Ten students will be accepted to participate in the Summer Advanced Field Research Program. Each will receive a $3,500 stipend for the eight-week experience.

**FALL SEMESTER**

Institute of Archaeology Student Research Associates  
Includes stipend  
Two students will be selected to participate in a semesterlong post-excavation research experience. Working on data derived from the summer field program, each student will conduct an in-depth analysis of data and write an article based on that analysis that will be submitted to a peer-reviewed journal. Students also will present their work at a professional conference.

By application. Research will result in a presentation at a professional meeting, and students will write an article and submit it to a peer-reviewed journal. Each will receive $3,500 stipend.

**QUESTIONS?**

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