# COCONINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE COURSE OUTLINE

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## A. Identification

1. Subject Area: Anthropology (ANT)

2. Course Number: 250

3. Course Title: Peoples of the World

4. Credit Hrs: 4

5. Course Description: This capstone course in anthropology provides the opportunity for students to apply anthropological theoretical perspectives and methodologies to topics of interest including both historic and contemporary subject matter. Prerequisites: ANT 102 and ENG 101. Co-requisite: English 102. Recommended: Anthropology 101. General Education: Social and Behavioral Sciences. Special Requirements: Intensive Writing/Critical Thinking, Ethnic/Race/Gender Awareness; Global and International Awareness Course. Historical Awareness. Four lecture.

## B. Course Goals

To provide opportunities for students to apply anthropological theories and methodologies to selected local and global peoples, increasing their understanding and respect for diverse cultures through participating in applied anthropology projects as well as critical thinking and writing assignments.

## C. Course Outcomes: Students will:

- 1. develop a personal and academic perspective that diminishes ethnocentrism and fosters cultural relativism;
- 2. demonstrate an understanding of various theoretical and methodological approaches utilized by anthropologists when working with communities worldwide;
- 3. apply anthropological theories and methods to a broad range of student designed projects;
- 4. analyze and compare holistically how diverse cultures function;
- 5. and develop writing and research skills pertinent to the field of anthropology.

## D. Course Outcomes Assessment will include a paper appropriate to the discipline.

## E. Course Content will include:

- 1. basic anthropological terms, concepts, ethnographic theories and methodologies;
- 2. a sampling of indigenous societies and cultures from around the world;
- 3. applying anthropological theories, methodologies, and ethics;
- 4. reflexive activities to identify one's own cultural viewpoint;
- 5. the importance of learning about, appreciating and respecting ethnic and cultural diversity;
- 6. anthropological research and writing guidelines;
- 7. ethical criteria and guidelines used in anthropological study;
- 8. and application of anthropological methods to real world topics.