



Archaeology of Yucatan, Mexico-2008

20th Anniversary!!!

ACC: May 27 – June 6
YUCATAN: June 9 – 23



Scholarships Available!

- 6 to 9 Hrs. College Credit in Anthropology
- Limited to 10 students-No Overloads or 2nd Group
- 3 Instructors

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CALENDAR

February 15 – Last Day for Applications, Interviews and Deposits.
Only 10 students taken on a first come basis, secured with a non-refundable \$450 deposit.

March 1 – Last Day to Submit Scholarship Applications.

May 1 – Last Day to Register and Pay for Courses.

May 2 – (6-8P) – Required Meeting-No Exceptions!

May 16 – (6-8P) – Required Meeting-No Exceptions!

May 27 thru June 6 (MTWThF) – Classes at RGC-Required!

June 9 thru June 23 – Yucatan Field Studies

COST

\$1,500.00 INCLUDES: Round Trip Air Fair (Austin to Merida, Yucatan) + Ground Transportation + 11 nights in Hotels (Multiple Occupancy) + All Scheduled Museum and Site Entrance Fees

DOES NOT INCLUDE: Course Payment (6 or 9 hours); Books and Field Materials; International Student ID; Food/Drink/Gifts; Passport; Transportation to/from Airports, Entrance and Exit Fees for USA and Mexico

Costs and Calendar Are Subject To Change Without Notification

2008 PROGRAM

For 2008 Austin Community College's archaeology program offers students the unique opportunity to earn 6-9 hours of college credit for anthropology which includes studying, and traveling in the Yucatan Peninsula of far south/eastern Mexico.

Professor Clint Davis and Dr. David Brown of Austin Community College, both Fulbright Research Scholars, direct and teach the archaeology program and courses. Dr. Mary Chipley of Austin Community College teaches and directs the Academic Cooperative Program which is designed to train students in the collection of ethnographic data as it relates to archaeological interpretation. Professor Davis has been teaching anthropology and geography for over 25 years and has been actively involved with research in Mesoamerica for over 35 years. Dr. Brown has been a professional archaeologist for over 28 years and a research associate with the University of Texas at Austin with research expertise in South America and Mexico. Dr. Chipley with her 25 years of experience in social structure and power, expertise in ethnographic data collection and research on women's roles in Mexico adds a unique dimension to the program. Maria Davis, a graduate student in the Sociology Department of the University of Texas handles all Mexico organization and as a native of Querétaro, Mexico provides the program with unique insights into Mexican and Precolumbian culture.

ENROLLMENT

- **Interview Required**
- **Student Must Be Actively Seeking Degree**
- **Student Must Be In Good Academic Standing**
- **Enrollment Limited to 10 Students**

RULES

Any student who violates the following rules will be terminated immediately from participation in all aspects of the program with no refund.

- **No Illegal Drugs or Alcohol Possession**
- **No Abusive or Critical Language or Behavior**
- **Designated Daily Curfews Must be Followed**
- **Failure to Meet Program/Course Requirements**
- **Failure to Register and Pay for Courses**

COURSES

(Introduction to Archaeology is a prerequisite for all program courses!)

I. ANTH 2373 Topic: Archaeological Field Methods

This course introduces the student to field and laboratory methods in archaeology. Course objectives include research design, surface survey and excavation design, analysis of artifacts, and preparation of final reports.

II. ANTH 2373 Topic: Mesoamerican Archaeology and Culture

“Proposed”

III. ANTH 2389 Academic Cooperative in Anthropology-Topic: Ethnographic Data Collection and Analysis

This course trains the student in the collection, recording, analysis, and reporting of anthropological data concerned with cultural description. Course objectives include field notes, data coding, and report writing

MESOAMERICA 2008

Yucatan Itinerary - Classes, Projects and Travel

<u>Day 1</u>	Monday – June 9	Austin to Merida
<u>Day 2</u>	Tuesday – June 10	Ethnography
<u>Day 3</u>	Wednesday – June 11	Ethnography
<u>Day 4</u>	Thursday - June 12	Ethnography
<u>Day 5</u>	Friday- June 13	Ethnography
<u>Day 6</u>	Saturday - June 14	Morning/Evening: Required Meetings Uxmal/Chichen/Progreso-Student Options
<u>Day 7</u>	Sunday – June 15	Morning/Evening: Required Meetings Uxmal/Chichen/Progreso-Student Options
<u>Day 8</u>	Monday - June 16	Dzibilchaltun-Architectural Recording
<u>Day 9</u>	Tuesday - June 17	Oxkintoc – Housemound Survey
<u>Day 10</u>	Wednesday - June 18	Ek Balam & Izamal – Iconography
<u>Day 11</u>	Thursday - June 19	Merida to Tulum
<u>Day 12</u>	Friday - June 20	Coba- Site Survey
<u>Day 13</u>	Saturday – June 21	Coba-Site Survey
<u>Day 14</u>	Sunday – June 22	Tulum to Merida
<u>Day 15</u>	Monday – June 23	Program Ends

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