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## ABOUT US

Welcome to the Department of Ethnology and Anthropology at the University of Zadar.

Our program offers a variety of undergraduate and graduate courses and 3 degree types: bachelor degree, master degree and doctoral degree.

The research interests of our 9 faculty full-time and 10 associate members reflect interdisciplinarity and inclusiveness of anthropology as a discipline. We cover a broad array of topics including socio-cultural anthropology, linguistic anthropology, medical anthropology, anthropology of art, forensic anthropology, museums and heritage studies, performance studies, ethnomusicology etc. Our faculty has spent time visiting and doing research at universities in Ljubljana, Graz, Padua, Venice, Jerusalem, Malta, Benares (India), Philadelphia, Cork, Ioannina, Auckland and Melbourne. We participate actively in the European Erasmus scheme and we have hosted international faculty and students from various European countries and other parts of the world.

The Department has established partnership and extensive links with a number of universities including Karl-Franzens University in Graz (Austria), Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (Bulgaria), University of Heidelberg and Philipps University from Marburg (Germany), Universities of Ioannina and Thessalonica (Greece), University of Cork (Ireland), University Ca'Foscari from Venice, University of Padua and Sapienza University in Rome (Italy), University Hassan II (Casablanca, Morocco), University of Ljubljana (Slovenia), Comenius University of Bratislava and University of Ss. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava (Slovakia), University of Istanbul (Turkey), University of the West of Scotland (United Kingdom) and Florida Gulf Coast University (USA).

Our goal as a department is to provide students with fundamentals of discipline, to train them in ethnographic methods, and engage them with critical social and cultural theories. Our undergraduate and graduate students have possibilities to take diverse fieldtrips and to do fieldwork in different areas (especially in the region of the Mediterranean and South East Europe). Our special goal as a department is to teach our students to establish respectful engagement with communities they work with.

Our graduates have pursued many career paths in different fields, including in academia, museums, tourism, educational institutions, consulting agencies, government and non-government organizations.

## STUDY PROGRAMMES

### Undergraduate university study programme of Ethnology and Anthropology (Double major)

**Duration of the study:** Three-year study programme; 180 ECTS.

**Admission requirements:** High school certificate, including the required subjects of the state high school exit examinations.

**Competencies acquired upon finishing the study programme:** Six semesters of **undergraduate** coursework offer a range of topics in the field of ethnology and cultural anthropology including; anthropological theory, methodology and fieldwork, linguistic anthropology, anthropology of kinship and family, anthropology of religion, medical anthropology, visual and media anthropology, performance studies, anthropology of art, urban anthropology, race and ethnicity, as well as folklore and heritage studies.

Upon successful completion of the undergraduate study programme students will be able to:

- understand the diversity of human cultures
- understand the major topics, concepts, theories and methodologies of ethnology and anthropology
- understand ethical issues of the discipline
- analyse cultural and societal issues of identity, power and inequality
- develop strong skills in oral and written expression

**Professional title acquired upon finishing the study programme:** Bachelor of Ethnology and Anthropology (univ. bacc. ethnol. et anthrop.).

#### Course list by semesters:

Course title	Status	Hours per week			ECTS
		L	S	E	
<b>1st SEMESTER</b>					
Introduction to Ethnology and Cultural Anthropology	C	30	30	–	5
Introduction to Folklore Studies	C	30	15	–	5
Academic Practicum	C		15	30	3
Foreign Language	C	15	–	15	2
<b>2nd SEMESTER</b>					
Core Concepts in Anthropology	C	30	15	–	4
Methods, Techniques and Ethics of Ethnographic Research	C	30	15	15	4
Ethnographies of Croatia	C	30	30	–	5
Foreign Language	C	15	–	15	2

<b>3rd SEMESTER</b>					
Linguistic Anthropology	C	30	30	–	5
History of Croatian Ethnology	C	30	–	–	4
Ethnomusicology	E	15	15	–	3
Medical Anthropology and Ethnomedicine	E	15	15	–	3
Anthropology of Religion	E	15	15	–	3
Ethnographies of the South-Eastern Europe	E	15	15	–	3
<b>4th SEMESTER</b>					
Mediterranean Studies	C	30	15	15	5
Reading Culture: Selected Ethnographies of the World	C	30	15	–	4
Traditional Costumes and Clothing Culture	E	15	15	–	3
Anthropology of Dance	E	15	15	–	3
Intangible Cultural Heritage: Klapa Singing	E	–	30	–	2
<b>5th SEMESTER</b>					
Anthropology of Family and Kinship	C	30	15	–	4
Cultural Institutions and Heritage	C	15	–	15	3
Traineeship	C	–	–	60	2
Visual Culture	E	15	15	–	3
Anthropology of Religion	E	30	–	–	3
Performance in Everyday Life	E	15	–	30	3
<b>6th SEMESTER</b>					
Research Methodology: Experiment, Imagination, Writing	C	30	15	–	4
Final Exam	C	–	–	150	5
Pilgrimage and Sacred Places	E	15	15	–	3
Ethnology and Tourism	E	15	15	–	3

Traditional Costumes and Clothing Culture	E	15	15	–	3
Physical and Forensic Anthropology	E	30	–	–	3
Intangible Cultural Heritage: <i>Klapa</i> Singing	E	–	30	–	2

**Legend:**

C = compulsory course

E = elective course

**List of elective courses offered to students of other programmes in the winter semester:**

Course title	Status	Hours per week			ECTS
		L	S	E	
Anthropology of Religion	E	30	–	–	3
Ethnomusicology	E	15	15	–	3
Medical Anthropology and Ethnomedicine	E	15	15	–	3
Ethnographies of the South-Eastern Europe	E	15	15	–	3
Visual Culture	E	15	15	–	3
Performance in Everyday Life	E	15	–	30	3

**List of elective courses that offered to students of other programmes in the summer semester:**

Course title	Status	Hours per week			ECTS
		L	S	E	
Cultural Landscape	E	15	15	–	3
Pilgrimage and Sacred Places	E	15	15	–	3
Anthropology of Dance	E	15	15	–	3
Ethnology and Tourism	E	15	15	–	3
Physical and Forensic Anthropology	E	30	–	–	3
Intangible Cultural Heritage: <i>Klapa</i> Singing	E	–	30	–	2

## Graduate university study programme of Ethnology and Anthropology (Double major)

**Duration of the study:** Two-year study programme; 120 ECTS points

**Admission requirements:** Completed undergraduate university study programme (6th degree of the Croatian qualifications framework).

**Competencies acquired upon finishing the study programme:** The graduate studies programme in ethnology and anthropology offers students a more profound knowledge and theoretical understanding of human culture and diversity, the critical use of ethnographic methodology for various research needs, as well as practical applications of the acquired knowledge. The final requirements of this graduate programme in ethnology and anthropology are the completion of the master's thesis,

Upon successful completion of the graduate study programme, students will be able to:

- critically evaluate anthropological theory and ethnographic research
- approach cultural problems from multiple perspectives
- communicate sensitively across cultures and languages
- write effectively and plan their own projects
- continue their professional career and doctoral studies

**Professional title acquired upon finishing the study programme:** Master in Ethnology and Anthropology (mag. ethnol. et anthrop.).

### Course list by semesters:

COURSE TITLE	Status	Hours per week			ECTS
		L	S	E	
<b>1st SEMESTER</b>					
Interculturality in Contemporaray Theory	C	30	15	-	5
Field Research and Traineeship	C	-	-	30	2
Theories of Ritual	E	15	15	-	4
Urban Anthropology	E	15	15	-	4
Anthropology of Art and Public Space	E	15	-	30	4
Performance in Everyday Life	E	15	-	30	3
Ethnolinguistic seminar	E	15	15	15	4
<b>2nd SEMESTER</b>					
The Making of Heritage	C	15	15	15	5
Ethnographies of the Mediterranean	E	15	15	15	5

The Making of the Name	E	15	15	15	5
Intangible Cultural Heritage: Klapa Singing	E	–	30	–	2
<b>3rd SEMESTER</b>					
Anthropological Turns	C	30	15	–	5
Practicum of Ethnological Research and Presentation	E	15	–	15	4
Theories of Ritual	E	15	15	–	4
Ethnolinguistic Contacts in Croatia and Europe	E	15	15	–	4
Performance in Everyday Life	E	15	–	30	3
<b>4th SEMESTER</b>					
Master's Practicum	C	–	15	15	2
Master's Thesis	C	–	–	390	13

**List of elective courses offered to students of other programmes in the winter semester:**

Course title	Status	Hours per week			ECTS
		L	S	E	
Urban Anthropology	E	15	15	–	4
Anthropology of Art and Public Space	E	15	–	30	4
Practicum of Ethnological Research and Presentation	E	15	15	15	4
Ethnolinguistic Contact in Croatia and Europe	E	15	15	–	4
Performance in Everyday Life	E	15	–	30	3

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Course title	Status	Hours per week			ECTS
		L	S	E	
Ethnographies of the Mediterranean	E	15	15	15	5
The Making of the Name	E	15	15	15	5
Intangible Cultural Heritage: Klapa Singing	E	–	30	–	2