

**PROPOSAL: Create the Undergraduate Certificate in Cultural Resources Management**

Background

The Undergraduate Studies Council of the Faculty Senate has approved the creation of the Undergraduate Certificate in Cultural Resources Management offered by the Institute of Intercultural and Anthropological Studies in the College of Arts and Sciences.

The Certificate in Cultural Resource Management (CRM) aims to train students specifically in archaeology and for employment in the growing CRM field, also sometimes called contract archaeology. Students will learn about relevant federal and state laws that impact the industry and their requirements. As part of the program, students will learn fieldwork methods and laboratory analysis techniques required by the field. We will also teach them how to draft requests for proposals and communicate results after a project is complete. The certificate also provides students with skills in applying to jobs in this field.

Recommended Action

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