Northwest Arkansas Community College

(Social & Behavioral Sciences Division)

Discipline Code

CMJS

Course Number

2093

Course Title

Introduction to Forensic Anthropology

Catalog Description

Application of human identification methods to skeletal/dental tissues. Topics include human osteology, skeletal aging and sexing techniques, trauma analysis, skeletal recovery, and the evolving role of forensic anthropology in medico-legal system.

Prerequisites

N/A

Credit Hours

3 credit hours

Contact hours

45 contact hours

Load hours

3 load hours

Semesters Offered

Fall

ACTS Equivalent

N/A

Grade Mode

A-F

Learning Outcomes

Upon completing this course students will be able to:

- Explain human identification methods and apply them to examples of skeletal / dental tissues.
- Explain the history of forensic anthropology in the medical legal system and predict the future of its in criminal justice.
- List and explain the topics contained in the study of forensic anthropology, including human osteology, skeletal aging and sexing techniques, trauma analysis, and skeletal recovery.

General Education Outcomes Supported

N/A

Standard Practices

Topics list

N/A

Learning activities

N/A

Assessments

N/A

Grading guidelines

N/A