UCLouvain

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Physical anthropology and archaeoanthropology

5.00 credits	30.0 h	Q1

This biannual learning unit is not being organized in 2021-2022!

Teacher(s)	Driessen Jan ;Villotte Sébastien ;
Language :	French > English-friendly
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Prerequisites	
Main themes	The physical and palaeo-anthropology section of the course discusses problematic issues relative to human remains from the archeological sites.
Learning outcomes	At the end of this learning unit, the student is able to: The aim is to give to archeologists the necessary knowledge to manage and to interpret human remains in collaboration with anthropologist.
Evaluation methods	According to the abilities of the teachers, the exam can be either oral or written. The precise mode is communicated at the beginning of the year
Teaching methods	Introduction to the differentiation of types of burials and to the analysis of the state and position of bones in order to understand funeral practices and provide information on the living practices of populations in the past.
Content	Methods to conserve, to describe and to measure (fragments of) human skeletons will be discussed both in theory and in practice. On this basis, the interpretation of the results will be considered to understand the characters retained in a variety of environments and climates. Human evolution will be explained to show the cognitive new abilities recognized in the archeological material and deduced from some emerging characters.
Faculty or entity in charge	EHAC

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)						
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes		
Master [120] in History of Art and Archaeology : General	ARKE2M	5		٩		
Master [60] in History of Art and Archaeology : General	ARKE2M1	5		•		