

**LEHMAN COLLEGE
OF THE
THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY**

CURRICULUM CHANGE

- 1. Type of Change:** Change in course description
- 2. From: ANT 320: Anthropological Theory and Method I.** (3 hours, 3 credits). Consideration of the major theoretical and methodological approaches in the anthropology of the 19th century and the early decades of the 20th century.
- 3: To: ANT 320: Anthropological Theory and Method I.** (3 hours, 3 credits). Origins and evolution of theory and method in anthropology with special emphasis on the period from the mid-19th century to the end of World War II. Topics may include the comparative method; functionalism; evolution versus diffusion; and key ideas of progress, culture, and race.
- 4. Rationale:** ANT 320 had not been offered in many years. To offer the course and provide much needed specificity the course description needed updating.
- 5. Course Categories:** Liberal Arts & Sciences
- 6. Date of Department Approval:** March 4, 2014

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- 2. From: ANT 321: Anthropological Theory and Method II.** (3 hours, 3 credits). Focus on recent developments in anthropological theory and method.
- 3. To: ANT 321: Anthropological Theory and Method II.** (3 hours, 3 credits). Survey of main currents in anthropological theory and method from WW II to the present. Topics may include structuralism and post-structuralism; interpretive, Marxist, feminist, symbolic, post-modern, and historical anthropology; post-colonialism; non-Western anthropology; applied anthropology; and public anthropology.
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