



Library Services Course Guide ~ Anthropology

About our Course Guides:

Each page is dedicated to the areas covered by the courses offered here at RPCC. Each page lists various types of resources, including printable guides and handouts, suggested databases for research, selected e-books and books in our collection, and links to relevant online resources.

For more information on course offerings, visit the following web pages:

Catalogs: <http://www.rpcc.edu/catalogs.cfm>

Technical Programs: <http://www.rpcc.edu/technicalPrograms.cfm>

Suggested Databases:

Click on any **Databases** link on the Library website to access these. Please note that access from off-campus will require your Library User ID (or Alt ID) & PIN, or, for some resources, a different User ID & Password. See our page on [Using Online Library Resources From Home](#).

- **Academic Search Complete**
- **JSTOR - The Scholarly Journal Archive**
- **Oxford Reference Online**
- **Psychology & Behavioral Sciences Collection**
- **Religion & Philosophy Collection**
- **SocINDEX with Full text**

Selected E-Books:

The **eBook Collection** from EBSCOhost is our largest provider of e-books (electronic copies of printed books PDF format), available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. **eBook Collection** has an easy-to-use search interface. You will be prompted to login with your 12-digit Library User ID to access these e-books from off-campus. Please see our Tutorials on eBook Collection from EBSCOhost for more information.

- *Encyclopedia of Social and Cultural Anthropology*, 1998, by Alan J. Barnard and Jonathan Spencer.
- *Great Jobs for Anthropology Majors*, 2000, by Blythe Camenson.
- *Perspectives in Cultural Anthropology*, 1987, by Herbert A. Applebaum.
- *Small Places, Large Issues: An Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology*, 2nd Edition, 2001, by Thomas Hylland Eriksen (you will also find the 1st Edition, 1995, in NetLibrary).
- *Social and Cultural Anthropology: The Key Concepts*, 2003, by Nigel Rapport.

Visit our eBook Collections, <http://library.rpcc.edu/ebooks.html>, for links to eBook Collection from EBSCOhost and other e-book collections. Please note that books that are still protected by copyright may not be available online in full-text from the free sources.

Locations of Anthropology Resources in the Library:

Anthropology-related topics can be found in resources located in these Library of Congress call number ranges:

- **GN1 to GN890** - Anthropology.
 GN301 to GN674 - Ethnology. Social and cultural anthropology.
- **GR1 to GR950** - Folklore.
- **GT1 to GT7070** - Manners and customs.

Selected Books in the Library:

- *Countries and Their Cultures*, 2001.
Call number: **GN 307 .C68 2001 REF**; A 4-volume encyclopedic set with information on 225 countries, including summaries, maps and photographs.
- *Encyclopedia of Human Evolution and Prehistory*, 2nd Edition, 2000.
Call number: **GN 281 .E53 2000**
- *Encyclopedia of Social and Cultural Anthropology*, 2002, reprinted in 2005.
Call number: **GN 307 .E525 2005 REF**
- *History of Physical Anthropology: An Encyclopedia*, 1997.
Call number: **GN 50.3 .H57 1997 REF**, in 2 volumes.

Selected Journals, Magazines & Newspapers:

Print periodicals are located in C-119 (LRC)

- *Inside Smithsonian Research*
- *National Geographic*
- *Smithsonian*

Online Resources:

The following resources have been reviewed and selected in collaboration with relevant faculty. Please note that websites outside of RPCC are beyond our control. We strive to ensure that the sites that we recommend are reliable and valid sources of high-quality information. Please let us know if you find any consistently dead links.

- **Cultural Anthropology Tutorials**

<http://anthro.palomar.edu/tutorials/cultural.htm>

Created and Maintained by Dr. Dennis O'Neil, Behavioral Sciences Department, Palomar College, San Marcos, California

- **Country Studies**

<http://memory.loc.gov/frd/cs/cshome.html>

From the Library of Congress, Researchers section, this provides historical, social, cultural and other information on countries around the world, searchable by country or continent. This site also provides a portal to websites from around the world.

- **Department of Anthropology: Smithsonian ~ National Museum of Natural History**

http://anthropology.si.edu/archives_collections.html

Includes access to rich digital collections of databases, exhibits, and more.

- **National Geographic: Travel & Cultures**

<http://travel.nationalgeographic.com/travel/>

Includes information and images on countries and cities throughout the world.