





A NEW TWO-UNIT COURSE, ANT 98 (ANT 29), FOR SPRING 2016!!!

CRN # 63745

When: Wed/Fri 11-12 Where: Young 194

Who: Dr. Darwent (Arctic Archaeologist and Viking Enthusiast!)







Course Objective: This course presents an historical perspective of Viking culture beginning in the 8th century in Scandinavia and extending to their expansion across the North Atlantic in the 11th century, a time known as the Viking Age. It is the goal of this course to provide a deeper understanding of Viking history and culture—as well as of their lasting influence on the world around them—using archaeological and historical saga evidence (World Cultures GE).

• Haywood, John (1995) Historical Atlas of the Vikings. Penguin, New York. ISBN-13: 978-0140513288

Evaluation: The course covers the wider social, political and economic impact of Vikings on the cultures across Europe and the North Atlantic. Students will be assessed on their understanding of assigned readings, videos, and lecture material with: 1) midterm exam, 2) a short reflective response blog (related to the History Channel Series, *Vikings*), and a 3) final exam. Exams are multiple choice, matching, and true/false.