

ANTH 358

BIOLOGY OF HUMAN SKELETAL VARIABILITY

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course explores skeletal biology, variability in the modern human skeleton, and the mechanisms through which skeletal diversity is shaped in our species. The course assesses the ways in which this skeletal variation can tell us something about the origins of bipedality in our species, about behaviour and locomotion in the past, and about the importance of sport and physical activity in modern humans for bone health.