

U20191 Advanced Topics in Social Anthropology

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267 items

1. Colonialism & Anthropology (34 items)

Core reading (5 items)

Anthropology & the colonial encounter, by Talal Asad, c1973

[Chapter](#) | See Asad's Intro. and papers by W. James, S. Feuchtwang, J. Faris

Anthropology & the colonial encounter, by Talal Asad, c1973

[Chapter](#) | James, W. "The Anthropologist as Reluctant Imperialist"

Anthropology & the colonial encounter, by Talal Asad, c1973

[Chapter](#) | Feuchtwang, S. "The Colonial Formation of British Social Anthropology"

Anthropology & the colonial encounter, by Talal Asad, c1973

[Chapter](#) | Faris, James C. 'Pax Britannica and the Sudan: S.F. Nadel'

Anthropology and anthropologists: the modern British school, by Adam Kuper, 1996

[Chapter](#) | Chapter 4

General reading (22 items)

The Politics of anthropology: from colonialism and sexism toward a view from below, by Gerrit Huizer; Bruce Mannheim; International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences, 1979

[Book](#) | Relevant Sections

Cultural anthropology: a contemporary perspective, by Roger M. Keesing; Andrew Strathern, c1998

[Book](#)

Cultural anthropology: a contemporary perspective, by Roger M. Keesing, c1981

[Book](#)

Colonialism and culture, by Nicholas B. Dirks, 1992

[Book](#)

Colonial subjects: essays on the practical history of anthropology, by Peter Pels; Oscar Salemink, 2000

[Book](#)

The anthropology of colonialism: Culture, history, and the emergence of Western governmentality. - in Annual Review of Anthropology, by Pels, P., 1997

Article

What has anthropology learned from the anthropology of colonialism? - in Social Anthropology, by Peter Pels, 2008

Article

The past as it lives now: an anthropology of colonial legacies - in Social Anthropology, by Benoît De L'Estoile, 2008

Article

Social anthropology and development policy, by R. D. Grillo; Alan Rew, 1985

Chapter | See Intro. by Grillo: "Applied Anthropology in the 1980's: Retrospect and Prospect"

Social anthropology and development policy, by R. D. Grillo; Alan Rew, 1985

Chapter | Strathern, A. "Research in Papua New Guinea: Cross-currents of Conflict"

Social anthropology and development policy, by R. D. Grillo; Alan Rew, 1985

Chapter | Gulliver, P.H. "An Applied Anthropologist in East Africa during the Colonial Era"

Colonial situations: essays on the contextualization of ethnographic knowledge, by George W. Stocking, c1991

Chapter | 'Afterword: from the history of anthropology to the anthropology of Western hegemony' pp. 314-324.

Colonial situations: essays on the contextualization of ethnographic knowledge, by George W. Stocking, c1991

Chapter | Turner, T 'Representing, resistance, rethinking: historical transformation of Kayapo culture and anthropological consciousness.'

Colonialism's culture: anthropology, travel and government, by Nicholas Thomas, 1994

Book | See esp. Chaps 1,2,6.

Caste, Colonialism, and the Speech of the Colonized: Entextualization and Disciplinary Control in India - in American Ethnologist, by Gloria Goodwin Raheja, 1996

Article

Orientalism, by Edward W. Said, 2003

Book | Several editions in Brookes Library. Search Library catalogue to check availability

Representing the Colonized: Anthropology's Interlocutors - in Critical Inquiry, by Edward W. Said, 1989

Article

Time and the other: how anthropology makes its object, by Johannes Fabian, 2002

Book | See esp. Chaps 1,2,5

Sorcery and Colonialism: Illness, Dreams and Death as Political Languages in West New Britain - in *Man*, by Andrew Lattas, 1993

Article

Creole world, purist rhetoric: Anglo-Indian cultural debates in colonial and contemporary Madras. - in *Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute*, by Caplan, Lionel

Article

Recapturing anthropology: working in the present, by Richard G. Fox, c1991

Book

| Trouillot, M. R. 1991. 'Anthropology and the Savage Slot: the poetics and politics of otherness.'

World Anthropologies: Cosmopolitics for a New Global Scenario in Anthropology - in *Critique of Anthropology*, by G. L. Ribeiro, 2006

Article

Seminar reading (7 items)

What is the relevance of debates about colonialism for Anthropology now?

Colonial situations: essays on the contextualization of ethnographic knowledge, by George W. Stocking, c1991

Chapter

| Asad 'Afterword etc.'

Colonialism's culture: anthropology, travel and government, by Nicholas Thomas, 1994

Book

| See esp. Chaps 1, 2, 6.

Representing the Colonized: Anthropology's Interlocutors

Original text - in *Critical Inquiry*, by Edward W. Said, 1989

Article

Colonial situations: essays on the contextualization of ethnographic knowledge, by George W. Stocking, c1991

Chapter

| Turner, T 'Representing, resistance, rethinking: historical transformation of Kayapo culture and anthropological consciousness.'

World Anthropologies: Cosmopolitics for a New Global Scenario in Anthropology - in *Critique of Anthropology*, by G. L. Ribeiro, 2006

Article

The past as it lives now: an anthropology of colonial legacies - in *Social Anthropology*, by Benoît De L'Estoile, 2008

Article

2. Ethics and Anthropology (23 items)

Core reading (5 items)

Ethnographic research: a guide to general conduct, by Roy F. Ellen; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth, 1984

[Chapter](#) | Akeroyd, S. 'Ethics in relation to informants, the profession and governments'

Anthropological realities: readings in the science of culture, by Jeanne Guillemin, 1981

[Chapter](#) | see part XIII, this also includes a piece by I.L. Horowitz "The Life and Death of Project Camelot", the whole thing is in OP filed under Guillemin

Anthropology's Ethical Dilemmas - in Current Anthropology, by George J. Kunnath, 2013

[Article](#)

Ethical Guidelines for Good Research Practice, by Association of Social Anthropologists (ASA)

[Webpage](#) | (This is the latest version, an earlier version is also available in the resources room)

American Anthropological Association

[Website](#) | find case studies, guidelines, recent reports etc.

General reading (13 items)

Anthropologists in the field, by D. G. Jongmans; Peter C. W. Gutkind, 1967

[Book](#) | Barnes, J.A. "Some ethical problems in modern fieldwork"

Who should know what?: social science, privacy and ethics, by J. A Barnes, 1980

[Book](#)

The ethics of anthropology: debates and dilemmas, by Patricia Caplan, 2003

[Book](#)

Ethics and the profession of anthropology: dialogue for a new era, by Carolyn Fluehr-Lobban, c1991

[Book](#) | (See esp. Berreman, G.D. "Ethics versus 'Realism' in Anthropology")

The rise and fall of project Camelot: studies in the relationship between social science and practical politics, by Irving Louis Horowitz, c1974

[Book](#) | Chapter 1

Anti-Social Anthropology? Objectivity, Objection, and the Ethnography of Public Policy and Professional Communities - in The Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute, by David Mosse, 2006

[Article](#)

The Politics of anthropology: from colonialism and sexism toward a view from below, by Gerrit Huizer; Bruce Mannheim; International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences, 1979

[Book](#) | see articles by A. Strathern, R. Keesing, N. Kielstra

Behind many masks: ethnography and impression management in a Himalayan village, by Gerald Duane Berreman; Society for Applied Anthropology, 1962

[Book](#)

The fieldworker and the field: problems and challenges in sociological investigation, by M. N. Srinivas; A M. Shah; E A. Ramaswamy, 1979

[Book](#) | (see Intro. and Chap. by Veena Dua)

Reflections on fieldwork in Morocco, by Paul Rabinow, c2007

[Book](#)

Social anthropology and development policy, by R. D. Grillo; Alan Rew, 1985

[Book](#) | Strathern, A. "Research in Papua New Guinea: cross-currents of conflict"

Interlopers and invited guests. - in Anthropology Today, by Price, David, 2002

[Article](#)

Yanomami: the fierce controversy and what we can learn from it, by Robert Borofsky; Bruce Albert, c2005

[Book](#)

Seminar reading (5 items)

Discuss the ethical problems that Anthropologists have faced and may be likely to face. How have debates about ethics changed over time?

Ethnographic research: a reader, by Stephanie Taylor; Open University, 2002

[Book](#) | Akeroyd, S. (1984) 'Ethics in relation to informants, the profession and governments' Chap 6

Anti-social anthropology? Objectivity, objection, and the ethnography of public policy and professional communities - in Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute, by David Mosse, 2006

[Article](#)

Anthropology's Ethical Dilemmas - in Current Anthropology, by George J. Kunnath, 2013

[Article](#)

and any of the above

3. Anthropology and The Writing Culture Debate (Post-modernism) (15 items)

Core reading (2 items)

Writing culture: the poetics and politics of ethnography, by James Clifford; George E. Marcus; School of American Research (Santa Fe, N.M.), c1986

[Book](#) | See Intro and any contributions: useful examples include Pratt, Crapanzano, Rosaldo.

Ethnographies as Texts - in Annual Review of Anthropology, by Marcus, George E.; Cushman, Dick, 1982

[Article](#)

General reading (9 items)

The predicament of culture: twentieth-century ethnography, literature, and art, by James Clifford, 1988

[Book](#) | See Intro & Chap 1.

Writing Culture at 25. Special issue of Cultural Anthropology to mark the 25th anniversary of the publication of Writing Culture - in Cultural Anthropology

[Article](#) | See any papers, but esp. papers by G.E Marcus, and J. Clifford

Works and lives: the anthropologist as author, by Clifford Geertz, 1988

[Book](#)

Rhetoric and the authority of ethnography: 'postmodernism' and the social reproduction of texts - in Vol. 29, No. 3, Jun., 1988 of Current Anthropology on JSTOR, by Sangren, S.

[Article](#)

Anthropology as a kind of writing - in Vol. 24, No. 1, Mar., 1989 of Man on JSTOR, by Spencer, J.

[Article](#)

Localizing strategies: regional traditions of ethnographic writing, by Richard Fardon, 1990

[Book](#)

Assessing cultural anthropology, by Robert Borofsky, c1994

[Book](#) | pp23-28

The Literary Turn in Contemporary Anthropology - in Critique of Anthropology, by B. Scholte, 1987

[Article](#)

After writing culture: epistemology and praxis in contemporary anthropology, by Allison James; Jennifer Lorna Hockey; Andrew H. Dawson; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth. Conference, 1997

[Book](#)

Seminar reading (4 items)

What is to be gained from critical attention to how anthropologists write?

Writing culture: the poetics and politics of ethnography, by James Clifford; George E. Marcus; School of American Research (Santa Fe, N.M.), c1986

Book

Anthropology as a Kind of Writing - in Man, by Jonathan Spencer, 1989

Article

Rhetoric and the Authority of Ethnography: "Postmodernism" and the Social Reproduction of Texts

Original text - in Current Anthropology, by P. Steven Sangren, 1988

Article

4. Anthropology and Women, Feminism, Gender (37 items)

Core reading (5 items)

The Politics of anthropology: from colonialism and sexism toward a view from below, by Gerrit Huizer; Bruce Mannheim; International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences, 1979

Book | Schrijvers, J. "Viricentrism and Anthropology"

Woman, culture and society, by Michelle Z. Rosaldo; Louise Lamphere, 1974

Book | Ortner, S. "Is Female to Male as Nature is to Culture?"

Feminism and anthropology, by Henrietta L. Moore, 1988

Book | Chapters 1, 2, 6

Feminism and anthropology, by Henrietta L. Moore, 2013

Book | Chapters 1, 2, 6

Companion encyclopedia of anthropology, by Tim Ingold, 1994

Book | Moore, H. 'Understanding Sex and Gender'

General reading (28 items)

i) Review articles: (3 items)

Anthropological Studies of Women's status - in Annual Review of Anthropology, by Quinn, Naomi, 1977

Article

Woman's Place: A Critical Review of Anthropological Theory - in Vol. 20, No. 1, Jan., 1978 of Comparative Studies in Society and History on JSTOR, by Rogers, S.C.

Article

Anthropological Studies of Women's Status Revisited - in Vol. 17, 1988 of Annual Review of Anthropology on JSTOR, by Mukhopadhyay, C. & P. Higgins

Article

ii) Male Bias: (8 items)

The Politics of anthropology: from colonialism and sexism toward a view from below, by Gerrit Huizer; Bruce Mannheim; International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences, 1979

Book | Schrijvers, J. "Viricentrism and Anthropology"

The Politics of anthropology: from colonialism and sexism toward a view from below, by Gerrit Huizer; Bruce Mannheim; International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences, 1979

Book | Leacock, E. "Woman, Development, and Anthropological Facts and Fictions"

The Politics of anthropology: from colonialism and sexism toward a view from below, by Gerrit Huizer; Bruce Mannheim; International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences, 1979

Book | Leavitt, R.R et al. "Aboriginal Women: Male and Female Anthropological Perspectives"

Toward an anthropology of women, by Rayna Rapp Reiter, 1975

Book | Leavitt, R.R et al. "Aboriginal Women: Male and Female Anthropological Perspectives"

Toward an anthropology of women, by Rayna Rapp Reiter, 1975

Book | Slocum, S. "Woman the Gatherer: Male Bias in Anthropology"

Male Bias in Anthropology - in Vol. 14, No. 1, Mar., 1979 of Man on JSTOR, by Milton, K.

Article

Culture in a Netbag: The Manufacture of a Subdiscipline in Anthropology - in Vol. 16, No. 4, Dec., 1981 of Man on JSTOR, by Strathern, M.

Article

Defining females: the nature of women in society, by Shirley Ardener, 1993

Book | James, W. 'Matrifocus on African Women'

iii) Frameworks for Universal Subordination of Women: (5 items)

Woman, culture and society, by Michelle Z. Rosaldo; Louise Lamphere, 1974

Book

Woman, culture and society, by Michelle Z. Rosaldo; Louise Lamphere, 1974

Book | Rosaldo, M. "Woman, Culture and Society: Theoretical Overview"

Woman, culture and society, by Michelle Z. Rosaldo; Louise Lamphere, 1974

Book | Rosaldo, M. "Woman, Culture and Society: Theoretical Overview"

Woman, culture and society, by Michelle Z. Rosaldo; Louise Lamphere, 1974

[Book](#) | Ortner, S. "Is Female to Male as Nature is to Culture?"

Perceiving women, by Shirley Ardener, (1975)

[Book](#) | Ardener, E. "Belief and the Problem of Women"

iv). Evaluation of Nature/Culture dichotomy: (1 items)

Nature, culture and gender, by Carol P. MacCormack; Marilyn Strathern, 1980

[Book](#) | see esp. Chapter 1, as well as Chapters by Harris, Strathern, Gillison, Goodale

v) Feminism, Gender: (11 items)

Feminism and anthropology, by Henrietta L. Moore, 1988

[Book](#) | very useful

Feminism and anthropology, by Henrietta L. Moore, 2013

[Book](#) | very useful

Companion encyclopedia of anthropology, by Tim Ingold, 1994

[Book](#) | Moore, H. 'Understanding Sex and Gender'

Cultural anthropology: a contemporary perspective, by Roger M. Keesing; Andrew Strathern, c1998

[Book](#)

Women of value, men of renown: new perspectives in Trobriand exchange, by Annette B. Weiner, c1976

[Book](#)

Gendered anthropology, by Teresa Del Valle; European Association of Social Anthropologists, 1993

[Book](#) | Introduction

Gendered anthropology, by Teresa Del Valle; European Association of Social Anthropologists, 1993

[Book](#) | Howell, S. & M. Melhuus, "The study of kinship; the study of person; a study of gender?"

Gendered anthropology, by Teresa Del Valle; European Association of Social Anthropologists, 1993

[Book](#) | Gullestad, M. "Home decoration as popular culture. Constructing homes, genders and classes in Norway"

Gendered anthropology, by Teresa Del Valle; European Association of Social Anthropologists, 1993

[Book](#) | Diemberger, H. "Blood, sperm, soul and the mountain. Gender relations, kinship and cosmovision among the Khumbo (N.E. Nepal)"

Sexual meanings: the cultural construction of gender and sexuality, by Sherry B. Ortner; Harriet Whitehead, 1981

[Book](#) | Strathern, M. 'Self-interest and the Social Good: Some Implications of Hagen Gender Imagery'

Readings for A history of anthropological theory, by Paul A. Erickson; Liam D. Murphy, c2010

[Book](#) | Strathern, M. 'Self-interest and the Social Good: Some Implications of Hagen Gender Imagery'

Seminar reading (4 items)

What if anything does the concept 'Gender' contribute to the theoretical concepts and approaches Anthropologists use to analyze societies

Feminism and anthropology, by Henrietta L. Moore, 1988

[Book](#) | Chapters 1,2,6

Feminism and anthropology, by Henrietta L. Moore, 2013

[Book](#) | Chapters 1,2,6

Companion encyclopedia of anthropology, by Tim Ingold, 1994

[Book](#) | Moore, H. 'Understanding Sex and Gender'

5. Anthropology and History (27 items)

Core reading (4 items)

Other histories, by Kirsten Hastrup, 1992

[Book](#) | See Intro. and papers by Davis, Herzfeld and Hastrup

History and ethnicity, by Elizabeth Tonkin; Maryon McDonald; Malcolm Chapman; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth, 1989

[Book](#) | Davis, J. "The social relations of the production of history"

Other histories, by Kirsten Hastrup, 1992

[Book](#) | Davis, J. "History and the people without Europe"

Europe and the people without history, by Eric R. Wolf; Noel Lallana Diaz, c2010

[Book](#)

General reading (16 items)

History and ethnicity, by Elizabeth Tonkin; Maryon McDonald; Malcolm Chapman; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth, 1989

[Book](#) | See Introduction

History and ethnicity, by Elizabeth Tonkin; Maryon McDonald; Malcolm Chapman; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth, 1989

[Book](#) | Leach, E. "Tribal Ethnography: past, present, future"

Political systems of highland Burma: a study of Kachin social structure, by Edmund Leach, 1970

[Book](#)

Grasping the changing world: anthropological concepts in the postmodern era, by
Va

clav Hubinger; European Association of Social Anthropologists, 1996

[Book](#) | Harris, Olivia. 'The Temporalities of Tradition. Reflections on a changing anthropology',

Ethnography and the historical imagination, by John L. Comaroff; Jean Comaroff, 1992

[Book](#) | See opening chapter

Time and the other: how anthropology makes its object, by Johannes Fabian, 2002

[Book](#)

Belmonte de los Caballeros: a sociological study of a Spanish town, by Carmelo
Liso

n Tolosana, 1966

[Book](#) | Chapter 8 'Anthropology and History in an Aragonese community'

Islands of history, by Marshall David Sahlins, 1985

[Book](#)

Making history: Pukapukan and anthropological constructions of knowledge, by Robert
Borofsky, 1987

[Book](#)

Comparative anthropology, by Ladislav
Holy

, 1987

[Book](#) | Peel, J.D.Y. "History, Culture, and the Comparative Method"

Making History: The Past in the Ijesha Present - in Vol. 19, No. 1, Mar., 1984 of Man on
JSTOR, by Peel, J.D.Y.

[Article](#)

The Pasts of an Indian Village - in Comparative Studies in Society and History, by Bernard
S. Cohn, 1961

[Article](#)

An anthropologist among the historians and other essays, by Bernard S. Cohn; Ranajit Guha, 1990

[Book](#) | Cohn, B. "The pasts of an Indian Village"

An anthropologist among the historians and other essays, by Bernard S. Cohn; Ranajit Guha, 1990

[Book](#) | Chapter 3 "Anthropology and History in the 1980s"

Critical junctions: anthropology and history beyond the cultural turn, by Don Kalb; Herman Tak, 2005

[Book](#)

"How We Built the Road": The Politics of Memory in Rural Galicia

Original text - in American Ethnologist, by Sharon R. Roseman, 1996

[Article](#)

Seminar reading (7 items)

Compare some anthropological studies of different societies' notions of the past and of history. In these examples, what are the relations between notions of the past, history, and the life of society in the present.

History and ethnicity, by Elizabeth Tonkin; Maryon McDonald; Malcolm Chapman; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth, 1989

[Book](#) | Davis, J. "The social relations of the production of history"

Other histories, by Kirsten Hastrup, 1992

[Book](#) | papers by Davis, and/or by Herzfeld and Hastrup.

Making History: The Past in the Ilesho Present - in Man, by J. D. Y. Peel, 1984

[Article](#)

The Pasts of an Indian Village - in Comparative Studies in Society and History, by Bernard S. Cohn, 1961

[Article](#)

"How We Built the Road": The Politics of Memory in Rural Galicia

Original text - in American Ethnologist, by Sharon R. Roseman, 1996

[Article](#)

or others from above

6. Anthropology at Home (24 items)

Core reading (5 items)

Anthropology at home, by Anthony Jackson; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth, 1987

[Book](#)

Anthropology at home, by Anthony Jackson; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth, 1987

[Book](#) | Jackson A. "Reflections on ethnography at home and the ASA"

Anthropologists at home in North America: methods and issues in the study of one's own society, by Donald A. Messerschmidt, 1981

[Book](#)

Anthropologists at home in North America: methods and issues in the study of one's own society, by Donald A. Messerschmidt, 1981

[Book](#) | Messerschmidt, D. "On Anthropology 'at home'"

Anthropologists at home in North America: methods and issues in the study of one's own society, by Donald A. Messerschmidt, 1981

[Book](#) | Aguilar, J. "Insider research; an ethnography of a debate"

General reading (14 items)

Anthropology at home, by Anthony Jackson; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth, 1987

[Book](#) | Strathern, M. "The limits of auto-anthropology"

Anthropology at home, by Anthony Jackson; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth, 1987

[Book](#) | Okely, J. "Fieldwork up the M 1: policy and political aspects"

Own or other culture, by Judith Okely, 1996

[Book](#)

Anti-social anthropology? Objectivity, objection, and the ethnography of public policy and professional communities - in Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute, 2006

[Article](#)

Locating the field: space, place and context in anthropology, by Simon Coleman; Peter Collins, 2006

[Book](#) | Coleman, Simon & Peter Collins 'Being...Where? Performing Fields on Shifting Grounds'

The Role of the Non-Western Anthropologist Reconsidered: Illusion versus Reality - in Current Anthropology, by Choong Soon Kim, 1990

[Article](#)

"Native" Anthropologists - in American Ethnologist, by Emiko Ohnuki-Tierney, 1984

Article

How Native Is a "Native" Anthropologist? - in American Anthropologist, by Kirin Narayan, 1993

Article

Culture & truth: the remaking of social analysis, by Renato I. Rosaldo, 1993

Book

Culture, Identity and the Project of a Cosmopolitan Anthropology - in Man, by Adam Kuper, 1994

Article

Anthropological Locations: Boundaries and Grounds of a Field Science in Anthropological locations: boundaries and grounds of a field science, by Gupta, A & J. Ferguson, 1997

Chapter | Gupta, A & J. Ferguson, "Discipline and Practice: 'The Field' as Site, Method, and Location in Anthropology"

Anthropological locations: boundaries and grounds of a field science, by Akhil Gupta; James Ferguson, 1997

Book | Passaro, J. "'You can't take the subway to the field!': 'Village' Epistemologies in the Global Village"

When Anthropology is at Home: The Different Contexts of a Single Discipline - in Annual Review of Anthropology, by Mariza G. S. Peirano, 1998

Article

Ethnography in/of the World System: The Emergence of Multi-Sited Ethnography - in Annual Review of Anthropology, by George E. Marcus, 1995

Article

Seminar reading (5 items)

Consider the debates within Anthropology about changing notions of 'The Field' and how these are linked to changes in anthropological thinking about the boundaries set up between 'home' and the 'field'?

Anthropological locations: boundaries and grounds of a field science, by Akhil Gupta; James Ferguson, 1997

Book | Gupta, A & J. Ferguson, "Discipline and Practice: 'The Field' as Site, Method, and Location in Anthropology"

Anti-social anthropology? Objectivity, objection, and the ethnography of public policy and professional communities - in Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute, by David Mosse, 2006

Article

Locating the field: space, place and context in anthropology, by Simon Coleman; Peter Collins, 2006

Book | Coleman, Simon & Peter Collins 'Being...Where? Performing Fields on Shifting Grounds'

Ethnography in/of the World System: The Emergence of Multi-Sited Ethnography

Original text - in Annual Review of Anthropology, by George E. Marcus, 1995

Article

7. Power and Resistance: Approaches to Everyday forms of Resistance (23 items)

Core reading (6 items)

James Scott has two books which are very important contributions to this topic:

Weapons of the weak: everyday forms of peasant resistance, by James C. Scott, c1985

Book

Domination and the arts of resistance: hidden transcripts, by James C. Scott, c1990

Book

However, you can get a good idea of his approach from his article:

Resistance without Protest and without Organization: Peasant Opposition to the Islamic Zakat and the Christian Tithe - in Comparative Studies in Society and History, by James C. Scott, 1987

Article

Contesting power: resistance and everyday social relations in South Asia, by Douglas E. Haynes; Gyan Prakash, 1992

Book | (my copy of this book will be also in the Resources Room). Introd. and any of the Chaps. But especially see:

Dirks, N B. 'Ritual and Resistance: Subversion as a Social fact' (Chap. 7) Prakash, Gyan 'Becoming a Bhuinya: Oral Traditions and Contested Domination In Eastern India' (Chap. 5).

Oldenberg, Veena Talwar 'Lifestyle as Resistance: The Case of the Courtesans of Lucknow' (Chap. 2).

General reading (11 items)

The Romance of Resistance: Tracing Transformations of Power Through Bedouin Women - in American Ethnologist, by Lila Abu-Lughod, 1990

Article

On Resisting Resistance - in American Anthropologist, by Michael F. Brown, 1996

Article

Body of power, spirit of resistance: the culture and history of a South African people, by Jean Comaroff, c1985

Book

Listen to the heron's words: reimagining gender and kinship in North India, by Gloria Goodwin Raheja; Ann Grodzins Gold, c1994

Book | Preface, Introd. and Chap3 or Chaps 2 or 4.

Hidden Transcripts among the Rarámuri: Culture, Resistance, and Interethnic Relations in Northern Mexico - in American Ethnologist, by Jerome M. Levi, 1999

Article | Also useful is this article criticizing Scott

Resistance - in Anthropological Theory, by S. Seymour, 2006

Article

Subaltern studies: writings on south Asian history and society, by Ranajit Guha, 1982

Book | The Subaltern Studies Group have been important contributors to the idea of resistance but they have in turn been criticized by among others:

Recovering the Subject Subaltern Studies and Histories of Resistance in Colonial South Asia - in Modern Asian Studies, by Rosalind O'Hanlon, 1988

Article

Resistance and the Problem of Ethnographic Refusal - in Comparative Studies in Society and History, by Sherry B. Ortner, 1995

Article

Rethinking Resistance: Dialogics of "Disaffection" in Colonial Fiji - in American Ethnologist, by Martha Kaplan and John D. Kelly, 1994

Article

Spirits of resistance and capitalist discipline: factory women in Malaysia, by Aihwa Ong, c2010

Book

Seminar reading (6 items)

Provide some examples of 'everyday resistance'. Consider how these forms of 'resistance' are related to and/or entangled with forms of power

Weapons of the weak: everyday forms of peasant resistance, by James C. Scott, c1985

Book

Domination and the arts of resistance: hidden transcripts, by James C. Scott, c1990

Book

Contesting power: resistance and everyday social relations in South Asia, by Douglas E. Haynes; Gyan Prakash, 1992

[Book](#)

The Romance of Resistance: Tracing Transformations of Power Through Bedouin Women

Original text - in *American Ethnologist*, by Lila Abu-Lughod, 1990

[Article](#)

Listen to the heron's words: reimagining gender and kinship in North India, by Gloria Goodwin Raheja; Ann Grodzins Gold, c1994

[Book](#) | Preface, Introd. and Chap3 or Chaps 2 or 4.

8. Globalisation and identities (33 items)

Core reading (4 items)

The anthropology of globalization: a reader, by Jonathan Xavier Inda; Renato Rosaldo, 2002

[Book](#) | This contains a number of useful papers: Part 1 covers general approaches (papers by Hannerz, Appadurai, and Gupta & Ferguson), other chapters: Friedman as above 1990, and J. Gross, D. McMurray, and T. Swedenberg 'Arab Noise and Ramadan Nights: Rai, Rap, and Franco-Maghrebi Identities'

The anthropology of globalization: a reader, by Jonathan Xavier Inda; Renato Rosaldo, 2007

[Book](#) | This second edition has some of the same articles but the majority of papers are new. Well worth a look.

Small places, large issues: an introduction to social and cultural anthropology, by Thomas Hylland Eriksen, 2010

[Book](#) | Chapter 19: Anthropology and the Paradoxes of Globalisation

Small places, large issues: an introduction to social and cultural anthropology, by Thomas Hylland Eriksen, 2010

[Book](#) | Chapter 19: Anthropology and the Paradoxes of Globalisation

General reading (19 items)

Vital relations: modernity and the persistent life of kinship, edited by Susan McKinnon; Fenella Cannell, 2013

[Book](#)

Globalisation: studies in anthropology, by Thomas Hylland Eriksen, 2003

[Book](#)

Globalisation: studies in anthropology, by Thomas Hylland Eriksen, 2003

[Book](#)

Globalization: the key concepts, by Thomas Hylland Eriksen, 2007

[Book](#)

Transnational connections: culture, people, places, by Ulf Hannerz, 1996

[Book](#) | Chaps 2, 4, 6, and useful also Chaps 1, 9.

Global culture: nationalism, globalization and modernity : a 'Theory, Culture & Society' special issue, by Mike Featherstone, 1990

[Book](#) | Friedman, J. 'Being in the World: Globalization and Localization'

Worlds apart: modernity through the prism of the local, by Daniel Miller; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth. Conference, 1995

[Book](#) | Friedman, J, & Kajsa Ekholm-Friedman, 'Complexity and the simplicity of everyday life'

Worlds apart: modernity through the prism of the local, by Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth. Conference, 1995

[Book](#) | Friedman, J, & Kajsa Ekholm-Friedman, 'Complexity and the simplicity of everyday life'

Shaping the Tourist's Gaze: Representing Ethnic Difference in a Nepali Village - in The Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute, by Arjun Guneratne, 2001

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Worlds apart: modernity through the prism of the local, by Daniel Miller; Association of Social Anthropologists of the Commonwealth. Conference, 1995

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The following Featherstone volumes are useful for general themes but not for detailed anthropological case studies:

Global culture: nationalism, globalization and modernity : a 'Theory, Culture & Society' special issue, by Mike Featherstone, 1990

[Book](#) | Appadurai, A. 'Disjuncture and Difference in the Global Cultural Economy'

Global culture: nationalism, globalization and modernity : a 'Theory, Culture & Society' special issue, by Mike Featherstone, 1990

[Book](#) | See Chaps by Featherstone, R. Robertson and A.D. Smith among others.

Undoing culture: globalization, postmodernism and identity, by Mike Featherstone, 1995

[Book](#) | See Chaps 1, 6, 7.

Goodbye to Tristes Tropes: Ethnography in the Context of Modern World History - in The Journal of Modern History, by Marshall Sahlins, 1993

[Article](#)

Assessing cultural anthropology, by Robert Borofsky, c1994

[Book](#) | abridged version of Sahlins, M. 'Goodbye to tristes tropes: ethnography in the context of modern world history'

Seminar reading (10 items)

Examine some of the ways in which anthropologists have explored the nature and effects of globalization on local identities? Illustrate your seminar with detailed case studies by Anthropologists

Globalisation: studies in anthropology, by Thomas Hylland Eriksen, 2003

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The anthropology of globalization: a reader, by Jonathan Xavier Inda; Renato Rosaldo, 2002

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9. Anthropology and Development. (36 items)

Core reading (6 items)

Perspectives on development: cross-disciplinary themes in development studies, by P. F. Leeson; Martin Minogue, c1988

[Book](#) | Turton, D. "Anthropology and Development"

Social anthropology and development policy, by R. D. Grillo; Alan Rew, 1985

[Book](#) | See various articles in this including: Chap 1 by Grillo "Applied Anthropology in the 1980's: retrospect and prospect", Chap 4 by S. Conlin "Anthropological Advice in a Government Context" and Chaps by others incl. Whisson and Strathern.

Anthropology, development and the post-modern challenge, by Katy Gardner; David J. Lewis, 1996

[Book](#)

The Anthropology of International Development - in Annual Review of Anthropology, by David Mosse, 2013

[Article](#) | Print journal in Brookes Library Headington Level 2 Shelfmark 301.2/ANN

Anthropology and development - in International Social Science Journal, by Arturo Escobar, 1997

[Article](#)

Anthropology and development : the uneasy relationship

[Article](#)

General reading (19 items)

Anthropologists and Development - in Annual Review of Anthropology, by Allan Hoben, 1982

[Article](#)

Development from below: anthropologists and development situations, by David C. Pitt; International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences, (1976)

[Book](#) | See papers by Pitt and Salisbury. Pitt: "The Anthropologist as Societal Ombudsman" in OP

Putting people first: sociological variables in rural development, by Michael M. Cernea; World Bank, 1985

[Book](#) | Intro and any other papers. But useful are Cernea's and Kottak's.

Social Development Handbook, by Overseas Development Administration, 1993

[Book](#) | This is only available from me

Practising development: social science perspectives, by Johan Pottier, 1993

[Book](#) | See Intro and any of other papers

Discourses of development: anthropological perspectives, by R. D. Grillo; R. L. Stirrat, 1997

[Book](#)

Cultivating development: an ethnography of aid policy and practice, by David Mosse, 2005

[Book](#)

Encountering development: the making and unmaking of the Third World, by Arturo Escobar, 1995

[Book](#)

Encountering development: the making and unmaking of the Third World, by Arturo Escobar, 2012

[Book](#)

An anthropological critique of development: the growth of ignorance, by Mark Hobart, 1993

[Book](#)

Development brokers and translators: the ethnography of aid and agencies, by David Lewis; David Mosse, 2006

[Book](#)

The aid effect: giving and governing in international development, by David Mosse; David J. Lewis, 2005

[Book](#)

Adventures in Aidland: the anthropology of professionals in international development, by David Mosse, c2011

[Book](#)

Negotiating local knowledge: power and identity in development, by Alan Bicker; Paul Sillitoe; Johan Pottier, 2003

[Book](#)

Participating in development: approaches to indigenous knowledge, by Paul Sillitoe; Alan Bicker; Johan Pottier, 2002

[Book](#)

Applications of anthropology: professional anthropology in the twenty-first century, by Sarah Pink, 2006

[Book](#) | Green, Maia, 2006, 'International Development, Social Analysis, ...and

anthropology? Applying Anthropology in and to Development'

Applications of anthropology: professional anthropology in the twenty-first century, by

Sarah Pink, 2006

Book | Green, Maia, 2006, 'International Development, Social Analysis, ...and anthropology? Applying Anthropology in and to Development'

Differentiating development: beyond an anthropology of critique, by Soumhya

Venkatesan; Thomas Yarrow, 2012

Book | Green, Maia, 2012, 'Framing and Escaping: Contrasting Aspects of Knowledge Work in International Development and Anthropology'

Differentiating development: beyond an anthropology of critique, by Soumhya

Venkatesan; Thomas Yarrow, 2012

Book | Yarrow, Thomas & Soumhya Venkatesan, 2012, 'Anthropology and Development. Critical Framings'

Seminar reading (11 items)

Why do Anthropology and Development have a troubled relationship?

Perspectives on development: cross-disciplinary themes in development studies, by P. F.

Leeson; Martin Minogue, c1988

Book | Turton, D. "Anthropology and Development"

Social anthropology and development policy, by R. D. Grillo; Alan Rew, 1985

Book | S. Conlin "Anthropological Advice in a Government Context"

Discourses of development: anthropological perspectives, by R. D. Grillo; R. L. Stirrat, 1997

Book

Anthropology, development and the post-modern challenge, by Katy Gardner; David J.

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Article

The Anthropology of International Development - in Annual Review of Anthropology, by David Mosse, 2013

Article

10. Visual Anthropology (15 items)

Main texts: (7 items)

Rethinking visual anthropology, by Marcus Banks; Howard Morphy, c1997

Book | Chapters see list below

For overview of history and main themes see:

Chap 1, H. Morphy and M. Banks, 'Introduction: rethinking visual anthropology'

For exploring new approaches in photography see:

Chap 3, E. Edwards 'Beyond the Boundary: a consideration of the expressive in photography and anthropology'

For examples of analysis of 'ways of seeing' see for example:

Chap 11 M. Banks, 'representing the bodies of the Jains'

Chap 8, G. Gillison, 'To see or not to see: looking as an object of exchange in the New Guinea Highlands'

Made to be seen: perspectives on the history of visual anthropology, by Marcus Banks; Jay Ruby, 2011

Book | On history of Photography see:
Chap 6, E Edwards, 'Tracing Photography'

Made to be seen: perspectives on the history of visual anthropology, by Marcus Banks; Jay Ruby, c2011

[Book](#) | On history of Photography see: Chap 6, E Edwards, 'Tracing Photography'

Doing visual ethnography, by Sarah Pink, 2013

[Book](#) | (see chaps 4 and 8)

Some examples of experimental approaches: (8 items)

Zooming out/zooming in: visualizing globalisation - in Visual Sociology, by Barndt, D., 1997

[Article](#)

Hunters and healers: social change and cultural conflict in rural Maine. - in Visual Studies, 2003

[Article](#)

Visually narrating post-colonial lives: ghosts of war and empire. - in Visual Studies, 2005

[Article](#)

Dangerous substances and visible evidence: tears, blood, alcohol, pills. - in Visual Studies, 2010

[Article](#)

Managing impressions on visually decoding the workplace as a symbolic environment - in Visual Sociology, by Pauwels, L., 1996

[Article](#)

Photographing social change - in Visual Sociology, by Reiger, J., 1996

[Article](#)

Superbowl XXVI: reflections on the manufacture of appearance - in Visual Sociology, by Schwartz, D., 1993

[Article](#)

Defiant Images: The Kayapo Appropriation of Video - in Anthropology Today, by Terence Turner, 1992

[Article](#)
