ALM in Anthropology & Archaeology
- Capstone track
- Thesis track

35 Average Age

Age Breakdown:
- <30: 40%
- 31-40: 38%
- 41+: 22%

55 Degree Candidates

While Earning the Degree
- 19% Live in MA
- 77% Live Outside MA
- 4% Live Outside the U.S.

Reasons for Pursuing the Degree
- Career Change: 44%
- Personal Enrichment: 39%
- Career Advancement: 11%
- Prep for Grad School: 6%

Graduate Certificate: Social Justice

Avg # of Courses Taken Per Semester
- 1 Course: 17%
- 2 Courses: 24%
- 3 Courses: 59%

Data pertains to academic year 2020-21
91% of students are employed full-time while earning this degree

Average Years of Professional Experience in the Field: 9 years

5 years
Average time to graduation

65%
Graduation Rate

92%
of recent graduates would recommend the program

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  - Capstone Track
  - Thesis Track

Related Graduate Certificate
  Social Justice

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  - 41+: 11 (22%)

Average Age
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Where Students Live While Earning the Degree
  - Live in MA: 9 (19%)
  - Live Outside MA: 37 (77%)
  - Live Outside the U.S.: 2 (4%)

Number of Degree Candidates
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