



# Archaeology of Ancient China

This course invites you to embark on an enthralling exploration of ancient China, from its earliest beginnings to the emergence of its first civilizations through quintessential archaeological excavations and recent ground-breaking discoveries, spanning from the primal Peking Man to the awe-inspiring Terra-Cotta Warriors, from the invention of pottery to ceremonial drinking rituals, and from the timeless beauty of jades to the intriguing world of ancient bronzes. This course seeks to illuminate how archaeology has profoundly rewritten historical narratives and transformed our understanding of the making of Chinese culture and society.



Course: ANTH 202B 003: Archaeology of Ancient China

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Course Schedule: Monday and Wednesday 15:30-17:00 pm

Location: Room 182, Irving K Barber Learning Centre

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