

Module Details	
Module Title:	Advanced Skeletal Report
Module Code:	ARC7043-D
Academic Year:	2019-20
Credit Rating:	40
School:	School of Archaeological and Forensic Sciences
Subject Area:	Archaeology
FHEQ Level:	FHEQ Level 7 (Masters)
Pre-requisites:	
Co-requisites:	Analysis of Human Remains 2019-20, Palaeopathology 2019-20

Contact Hours	
Type	Hours
Practical classes and workshops	4
Tutorials	2
Directed Study	394

Availability	
Occurrence	Location / Period
BDA	University of Bradford / Semester 3 (June - Oct)

Module Aims
To present students with simulated commercial osteology contract undertaken to a professional standards.

Outline Syllabus
Introduction to module. Full analysis of a small population. Skeletal report undertaken.

Learning Outcomes	
1	Understand how commercial osteological contracts are undertaken in the UK.

2	Analyse and interpret an osteological population.
3	Select appropriate osteological methods and apply these to a skeletal population.
4	Plan and execute a challenging task within a defined timescale.
5	Complete a report to professional standards.

Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy

This is an intensive module taken in the summer period. The students are given a small skeletal assemblage from which to write an assessment report and present a research design (including costing) for complete analysis (Assessment 1). After consultation with the 'developer', full osteological analysis of these remains is undertaken and a full population level report is completed to appropriate professional standards (Assessment 2). Students will be able to use Directed Study for reading of literature detailed in the module documentation and for researching and preparing for coursework.

Mode of Assessment

Type	Method	Description	Length	Weighting
Summative	Coursework	Assessment	-8000 words	80%
Summative	Coursework	Assessment	-2000 words	20%

Reading List

To access the reading list for this module, please visit <https://bradford.rl.talis.com/index.html>.

Please note:

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