Join us in discovery

The School of Human Evolution and Social Change's proactive solicitation and good stewardship of funding has enabled more than 150 local and international research projects to date around important issues such as:

- **Human evolution**
- **Identity**
- **Mitigating natural disasters**
- **Cooperation and culture**
- **Urban environments**
- **Material culture**
- **Disease prevention**
- **Clean water**
- **Diet and health**
- **Migration and immigration**
- **Inequality**
- **Social networks**

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### Many hands, one goal

Our affiliated research centers enhance and expand the influence and output of our academic unit through collaboration at the community level, the international level and across scientific lines.

#### Our centers:
- Center for Archaeology and Society
- Center for Bioarchaeological Research
- Center for Digital Antiquity
- Center for Global Health
- Deer Valley Petroglyph Preserve
- Teotihuacan Research Laboratory

#### We also share faculty and staff with:
- Center for Evolution and Medicine
- Center for Social Dynamics and Complexity
- Institute of Human Origins
- Simon A. Levin Mathematical, Computational and Modeling Sciences Center

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Fact sheet

Social sciences
A legacy of academic excellence
As the original home of anthropology at ASU, it's no surprise we're ranked No. 1 for research expenditures nationally and research production in the latest NSF HERD and Center for World University Rankings. Our reputation for excellence spans each of our degree programs, as we transform and enhance our collective learning through one-of-a-kind collaboration opportunities.

Where faculty are unprecedented.
33 of our faculty hold titles of national distinction, including Fulbright American Scholars, National Academy of Sciences Fellows, American Academy of Arts and Sciences Fellows and more. Together, they've founded and reshaped entire fields of study, and authored or edited more than 233 books, chapters and papers in 2018 alone.

Your story is our focus
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Building a foundation for innovation and impact
Our school is a place where great minds help to bring the past, present and future of the human kaleidoscope into sharper focus though diverse perspectives, experiences and methods. Their work preserves, creates and continually transfers information and opportunities to those who desire to change our world for the better.

Where experiences are global
With a research presence in more than 40 countries, we're making an impact worldwide. But it's not just faculty who get to go global. We also offer 12 different study abroad, field school and global internship experiences, with activities designed to help students grow as scientists and as individuals.

Where students are diverse and driven
43% of our students are online, 35% come from racially and ethnically diverse backgrounds, and 34% of our incoming undergrads each year are first-generation scholars. Collectively, our students took part in 185 internships, apprenticeships and opportunities for independent study from fall 2018 to spring 2019.

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