



**SUMMER
SPRINGBOARD**
Look Inward. Go Upward.

Archaeology Infosheet

New student admissions for
Summer 2024 are open.



Program Highlights

- Develop ideas about global challenges based on archaeological objects and heritage.
- Understand how archaeology builds knowledge and learn the process of generating knowledge from remains of the past.
- Develop a great understanding of mapping, measuring, artifact collection, cleaning, sorting, counting, and drawing artifacts.
- Discover techniques for studying archaeological materials in the laboratory.
- Identify sample artifacts and describe their function, as well as interpret possible associations.
- Explore academic pathways and career opportunities for those passionate about archaeology and heritage



2024 Dates

Oxford

- Session 1: July 14 - July 26



Academic Program Overview

Feeling inspired to travel and learn from centuries past? This is a great opportunity to investigate how we know what we know and why it matters. The world is faced with multiple challenges, such as hunger, global warming, and safe cities. How can archaeology enable us to learn from the past to understand these challenges better and think about possible solutions? By using an experiential learning approach, students will quickly think and act like archaeologists, discovering new knowledge and returning home with a true and deeper understanding of the importance of archaeology.



Excursions

Students will have the opportunity to meet distinguished speakers and leading scholars for interactive lectures within the University of Oxford's archaeology laboratories. Take part in workshops and enjoy excursions to Stonehenge, Bath, the Ashmolean Museum, and more.

Instructors

Oxford - Shadreck Chirikure

Professor Chirikure is an archaeological scientist who applies techniques from the hard sciences to study ancient materials and technologies. He uses the results of discoveries in the field and the laboratory to develop new understanding, conserve heritage, and tackle global challenges. Click [here](#) to learn more!

Tuition Information:

Residential Students:

- **Includes:** all meals, lodging, excursions, academic course, weekend excursions
- **Excludes:** optional airport pickup and drop off service (available for an additional fee)
- **Price:** \$6,098

Commuter Students:

- **Includes:** lunch, academic course, excursions, programming from 9am to 6pm, Monday-Friday
- **Excludes:** lodging, breakfast, dinner, weekend excursions
 - Weekend excursions can be added on for \$125 per day
- **Price:** \$3,198

Supplements:

- Application fee: \$99 (mandatory, non-refundable)
- Tuition Protection Plan: Allows for cancellation for any reason up until the day of the program. Click [here](#) for more info.

[Apply Now!](#)



Course Structure

There are nine 3-hour class sessions over the two-week course. During week one, students have class from 9am-12pm, Monday - Friday. During week two students have class from 9am-12pm Monday through Thursday. Wednesday afternoons are dedicated to additional academic time (excursions, speakers).



Typical Schedule



More info on [Airport Transfer](#)

More info on [Unaccompanied Minor Service](#)

Summer Springboard programs are not run by our campus partners (with the exception of Cal Poly which is run in partnership with SSB). Universities and their affiliated departments and partners do not control and are not responsible or liable in any manner for any part of the Summer Springboard program.

2024_V5

