

	Dossier exceeds expectations.	Dossier meets expectations.	Dossier does not meet expectations	Dossier raises significant concerns
The portfolio demonstrates familiarity with key texts and debates in cultural anthropology.				
The papers demonstrate historical and theoretical breadth.				
The portfolio demonstrates the student's understanding of key questions in cultural anthropology.				
The papers effectively summarize the contributions of the different texts and authors they discuss.				
The papers accurately define the theoretical concepts introduced in the argument.				
The papers demonstrate the student's ability to identify limitations of existing anthropological scholarship.				
The portfolio demonstrates the student's capacity to articulate an argument supported by relevant secondary literature.				
The papers link an argument with relevant literature.				
The portfolio demonstrates the student's ability to seek feedback and to incorporate critique productively.				
The writing is clear and logically organized.				
The documents meet basic requirements for structure and length.				

Comments:

Overall recommendation

- PhD pass
- MA pass (one or two categories graded as “does not meet expectations” or “raises concerns”)
- Fail (more than two categories graded as “does not meet expectations” or “raises concerns”)