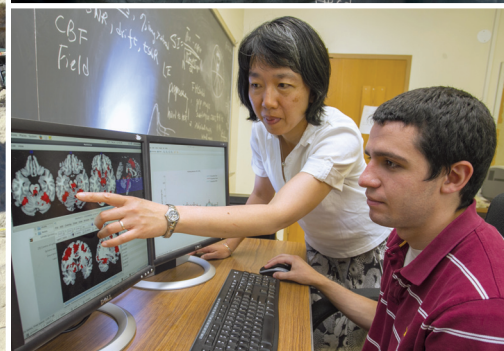
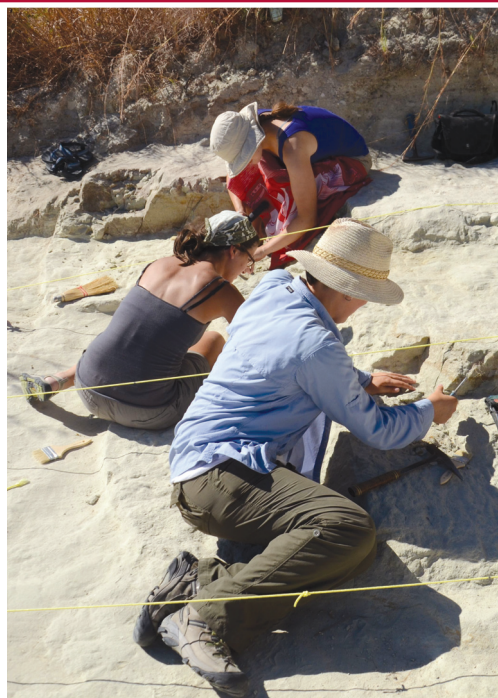


# GRADUATE PROGRAMS IN SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES



**R**anked as one of the top 80 universities in the nation and in the top 35 national public universities by *U.S. News & World Report*, Stony Brook is repeatedly recognized for its engagement in cutting-edge research and novel approaches to inquiry and understanding. We have been one of only 94 institutions in the country to be designated a “Very High Research University” by the Carnegie Foundation.

Three programs — Political Science, Psychology and Sociology — are ranked among the top 40 in *U.S. News & World Report*’s Best Graduate Schools category. Anthropology and Political Science were also among the top rated in faculty output nationally, according to *The Chronicle of Higher Education*.

With graduate program offerings in nearly 50 fields, The Graduate School is here and ready to provide you with the environment and resources you need to excel.

## WHY CHOOSE STONY BROOK?

### Research Excellence

The social and behavioral science programs at Stony Brook host interdisciplinary research and training opportunities for graduate students in areas such as human evolution, global prehistory and history, primate behavior and conservation, race, class and gender disparities, game theory and microeconomic theory, survey research and the study of developmental disabilities.

### Outstanding Faculty

Stony Brook faculty have been the recipients of numerous international awards and prizes, including four Nobel prizes, a National Book Critics Circle Award, and selections as MacArthur Foundation, Guggenheim, Fulbright Sloan Foundation, Russell Sage Foundation Visiting Scholar’s Residential, and Rockefeller Foundation Fellows.

### Stony Brook Manhattan and Southampton

The location is urban, but the accent is on Stony Brook. Offering graduate degree and certificate programs, Stony Brook Manhattan designs learning experiences with the Big Apple in mind, including trips to museums and film festivals. The Southampton campus offers MFA degree programs in both Film and Creative Writing and Literature, as well as courses in digital filmmaking that cross disciplines and promote collaboration in the creation of original work.

### Funding Opportunities

The Graduate School at Stony Brook University offers a variety of highly competitive funding opportunities for doctoral study, such as teaching and research assistantships, Graduate Council fellowships and the Dr. W. Burghardt Turner Fellowship, as well as tuition scholarships. Enrolled students also can compete for a variety of other fellowships and awards.

**Professional Development and Growth** The Graduate School works at the intersection of research and educational advancement to support the success of our scholars and promote diversity and inclusion in graduate education. The Graduate School’s Graduate and Postdoctoral Professional Development and External Fellowships staff, as well as its Center for Inclusive Education, offers a multitude of support programs and development opportunities to assist graduate students in achieving their academic and professional goals.



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## WHERE CAN OUR GRADUATE PROGRAMS TAKE YOU?

**LOUIS ESPARZA** graduated from the doctoral program in sociology in 2010. Under the advisement of Distinguished Professor Michael Schwartz, Louis' dissertation examined grassroots human rights activism in contemporary Colombia. A recipient of the prestigious Dr. W. Burghardt Turner Fellowship, Louis was also selected during his time at Stony Brook as a recipient of the Latin American Studies Association/Oxfam America 2010 Martin Diskin Dissertation Award.

Today, Louis is assistant professor of sociology and Latin American studies at California State University at Los Angeles, where he teaches courses in Latin American studies, social movements, human rights and contemporary sociological theory while continuing his research on grassroots social movements, their organizations and their strategies.



### DEGREE PROGRAMS

**Anthropology, MA**

**Anthropological Sciences, PhD**

**Economics, MA, PhD**

**Health Administration, MHA**

**Nutrition, MS, MPH/MS, graduate certificate**

**Political Science, MA, PhD**

**Political Science, MA in Policy**

**Psychology, MA**

**Psychology, PhD, Integrative Neuroscience, Clinical Psychology, Cognitive Science, Social and Health Psychology**

**Population Health and Clinical Outcomes, PhD**

**Public Health, MPH, MPH/MSW, MPH/MBA, MPH/MAPP, MPH/MD, MPH/DDS, MPH/MS in Nutrition**

**Science Education, PhD**

**Social Work, MSW, MSW/JD**

**Sociology, MA, PhD**



### INSTITUTES AND CENTERS

The **Turkana Basin Institute** is a multi-disciplinary enterprise facilitating fieldwork within the Lake Turkana Basin in Kenya and providing logistical support to researchers. The primary research focus is human prehistory and related Earth and natural science studies. It is a nonprofit initiative, founded by anthropologist Richard Leakey and Stony Brook, committed to safeguarding the extensive fossil deposits in the region.

Thinking as a global historian can have many beginnings but must eventually come to terms with how humans are now linked to one another and the Earth as never before. The **Center for Global and Local History** promotes global history as both an alternative to traditional world history and a historical perspective on globalization.

The **Language Learning Research Center (LLRC)** is where technical support is available for the teaching and learning of language, literature, and culture at Stony Brook University. One of the missions of the LLRC is to initiate innovative pedagogy enhanced by technology and facilitate cross-Departmental collaboration involving language learning and teaching.

The **Centre ValBio**, adjacent to Madagascar's Ranomafana National Park, a World Heritage Site, is a world class facility conducting research on biodiversity and conservation of the rain forest: its wildlife, especially lemur demography, behavior, ecology & genetics, and the human landscape. CVB also reaches out to over 50 villages in conservation education.



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