The 2013 UNL Summer Field School in Archaeology will involve you in a range of field experiences in Pre-Columbian archaeology in the Nebraska Sand Hills and High Plains. You will dig, map, photograph, draw, catalogue, interpret, present—all while camping—and earn 6 credits!

Instructors: Dr. Matthew Douglass and Dr. LuAnn Wandsnider

I. Sand Hills Archaeology
The first section of the field school will investigate the impacts of climate change on prehistoric populations living within the Nebraska Sand Hills. Between 900 and 1350 AD Nebraska’s first farmers saw the Sand Hills become active sand dunes. We will work within a geoarchaeological framework to investigate how past populations coped with this dramatic process. Students will complete test excavations to assess stratigraphy and collect samples for optically stimulated luminescence dating. We will also use pedestrian survey to look for evidence of other occupation here.
Field School participants will earn 6 credits in Anthropology (we will tell you which courses to register for).

**Tuition and Fees**
- $1,296.00 (undergraduate residential and nonresidential rate; 6 credit hours, scheduled during the 8-week Summer Session)
- Transportation & Supply Fee $400.00
- **TOTAL $1,696.00**

For application, see [http://www.unl.edu/anthropology/afield.shtml](http://www.unl.edu/anthropology/afield.shtml) or Department of Anthropology (810 Oldfather Hall). Please complete and submit ALL forms. We will need a photocopy of your insurance card (both sides); please note if you do not have insurance coverage. If possible please email forms and photocopy to bgarretson2@unl.edu and, typically, within 24 hours (Monday - Friday) you will receive a receipt confirming your application. If you do not receive a confirmation e-mail please send an e-mail or call to check on the status of your application. Or feel free to drop off your completed documentation at 810 Oldfather Hall.

Applications accepted until 15 April 2013; acceptance letters issued 20 April 2013.

You will need to make arrangements to pay the $400 fee 5 days after you are notified of acceptance into the field school.

Questions? Contact: Dr. LuAnn Wandsnider, 810 Oldfather or lwandsnider1@unl.edu

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II. High Plain Archaeology
This second portion of the field school will focus on surface survey and test excavation within the badlands of northwestern Nebraska. We will practice discovery and field documentation techniques for sites ranging from the Paleoindian time period up though the historic era. Students will learn infield techniques in lithic analysis, excavate test units, and collect charcoal samples for radiocarbon dating. Operating out of the Hudson-Meng Museum and Research Center facility on the Oglala National Grassland, near Crawford (NE), we will be living in a tent camp with kitchen facility, water, electricity, and showers for the duration.