

Anthropology 2240
Mid-term Exam II Study Guide, Fall 2006

The exam will be 1 hour and fifty minutes long and held during class time on November 8, 2006. You are responsible for material in all lectures, readings, films, and discussion groups since the last midterm. This time, the exam will include questions related to *Writing Women's Worlds*, by Lila Abu-Lughod.

Format of the exam

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| A) Five '2 sentence answers' where you will identify the significance of a term, name, concept, or idea from the course. | 10 points |
| B) Four short answer questions where you will discuss the significance ideas from the class. | 20 points |
| C) Two longer answers where you will apply ideas from the class. Comparison and examples may be required. | 20 points |
| Total | 50 points (20% of grade) |

The following list summarizes the material we covered in the last several weeks in lectures. It is meant as a guide for your exam preparation and may not be an exhaustive list.

Weeks 6-7: Influence of Material Conditions on Gender and Sexuality / Foragers

Incest, incest taboo, foraging, modes of production, Iskut Village, *Tahltan Foragers* (slides), social equality, social inequality, egalitarianism

Weeks 8-9: Horticulture and Pastoralism

Masai Women, Masai Men (film segments), kinship, unilineal descent, patrilineal descent, matrilineal descent, horticulture, pastoralism, nomadism, polygamy, polygyny, polyandry, circumcision, Lila Abu-Lughod, Vanatinai

Weeks 9-10: Agriculture, Industry, and the State

Asante Market Women (film), social stratification, ascription, achievement, leadership, class-based societies, agriculture, Christine Gailey, industrial revolution, technocratic model of birth, state-level political systems