

Anthropology 327 (10775), 4 units Media Ethnography, Living Archives Spring 2025, Wednesday, 4:00–6:50pm | SCI 207 Prof. Jennifer Cool (cool@usc.edu)

2024 Student Projects: scalar.usc.edu/works/media-ethnography-living-archives/

What is an archive? What gets archived by and for whom? What does it mean to preserve a collection of photographs, songs, recipes, audio, video, or any other kind of media?

In this class, students take these questions as starting points for inquiries that bring ethnographic methods



into conversation with arts-based research in two video projects—one group, one individual addressed to alternative histories of topics they choose and develop over the semester.



ANTH-327 is an interdisciplinary class co-taught with Prof. Virginia Kuhn's IML 423, Remixing the Archive in Media Arts + Practice at the School of Cinematic

Arts.

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