

# VNIVERSITAT Đ VALÈNCIA

How to enroll in the 2003

## MAS D'IS SCHOOL OF FIELD ARCHAEOLOGY

1. Complete the application form.  
Initial application is due by March 31st.

2. Enclose receipt of your \$150 initial contribution.  
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3. Mail to:  
AMAPA School of Field Archaeology  
Department of Prehistory and Archeology  
University of Valencia  
Avenida Blasco Ibañez, 28  
Valencia, 46010  
SPAIN

### General Information

To enroll no particular experience is needed. However, there are certain general skills and experiences which do help. The Project Staff will review each application and select those best suited to our project.

Wilderness experiences, skills in observation, drawing, and photography. But most important is your flexibility, adaptability to other cultures, and your willingness to work as a team member. We will notify you once your application has been reviewed.

### Application

Tell Us About Yourself... (Please type or use black pen.)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Passport # \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: home (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ work (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Fax(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address (if different from above) phone(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Sex (M/F) \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation (indicate if retired) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer/School \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_  
 Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State/County \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: home(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ work (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is your participation contingent on the acceptance of another applicant?  
 \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Yes Name of other applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Interest in Expedition: Please describe why you chose this project(s) and what experience you have that may be of help. (Attach extra pages if needed).

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Please describe yourself in the following are as (circle):

	Excel.	Good	Fair	Poor	Comments
Flexibility	X	X	X	X	_____
Sense of humor	X	X	X	X	_____
Patience	X	X	X	X	_____
Ability to work as team member	X	X	X	X	_____
Ability to follow directions	X	X	X	X	_____
Observation skills	X	X	X	X	_____
Initiative	X	X	X	X	_____
Do you speak Catalan?	X	X	X	X	_____
Do you speak Spanish?	X	X	X	X	_____
Experience with other cultures	X	X	X	X	_____
Physical stamina	X	X	X	X	_____
Backpacking	X	X	X	X	_____
Hiking	X	X	X	X	_____
First aid	X	X	X	X	_____
Vehicle repair	X	X	X	X	_____
Driving truck/4-wheel drive	X	X	X	X	_____
Map reading	X	X	X	X	_____
Surveying	X	X	X	X	_____
Computer analysis	X	X	X	X	_____
Sketching/illustration	X	X	X	X	_____
Technical drawing/drafting	X	X	X	X	_____
Professional writing/journalism	X	X	X	X	_____
Still photography	X	X	X	X	_____
Video	X	X	X	X	_____

**Adaptability.**

Please describe any previous experience you have had with the following situations:

Living conditions:

Shared room \_\_\_\_\_ Dormitory \_\_\_\_\_

Rustic facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Unusual food or limited diversity \_\_\_\_\_

Working or camping in remote areas \_\_\_\_\_

**Climatic Conditions.**

Please explain how you respond to the following conditions:

Heat \_\_\_\_\_ Humidity \_\_\_\_\_

**Educational Background.**

Please tell us about the schools you have attended and courses you have taken which may relate to your expedition choice(s). List degrees if applicable.

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Foreign Travel Experience. Please tell us which countries you have visited and when.

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**Medical Conditions.**

Medical treatment may not be available near the research site, so it is important to list any special medical conditions you may have. Certain expeditions may require a physician's examination.

\_\_\_ Diabetes \_\_\_ Epilepsy \_\_\_ Asthma \_\_\_ Heart condition \_\_\_ Bloodtype \_\_\_\_\_

Special Medications \_\_\_\_\_

Special

Diet \_\_\_\_\_

(Vegetarians, please note: Some expeditions take place in remote areas where fresh produce is limited or unavailable. If you require certain foods, please indicate here, as you may need to bring a private supply.)

Allergies (grass, dust, cigarette smoke, etc.)

Do you smoke? \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Yes

Corrective lenses ? \_\_\_\_\_

Most recent physical exam date: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous hospitalization, major injuries or loss of consciousness (please explain and give year)

Do you have any other physical/medical conditions of which we should be aware?

(e.g., bad back, trick knee, etc.)

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Additional comments, skills or experience you would like us to know about.

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Please include a one-line description of yourself which will be included in the participant list sent to other team members.

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### **Conditions of Participation**

Participants are expected to adhere to the regulations and policies of the University of Valencia and to maintain a standard of conduct consistent with this institution. The project reserves the right to require the withdrawal at any time of a participant whose conduct or behavior jeopardizes the welfare or fulfillment of the project objectives. Neither AMAPA nor the University assumes responsibility, either financially or otherwise, for the illness or injury which might occur during an expedition. Emergency transport, medical or hospitalization costs resulting from illness or accident during the expedition are the responsibility of the person receiving such care. In cases where the staff in consultation with local medical authorities considers it necessary, a participant will be sent home or hospitalized. We will make every effort to ensure that injured or ill participants receive proper medical attention. However, obligations to the project may necessitate leaving a participant in the care of others. I am aware that while participating in the research project conducted by the University of Valencia in Spain certain exposures to risk may occur. These exposures include but are not limited to: accident and/or sickness without readily available medical facilities, the forces of nature, travel on the ground and in the air, and others. In consideration of the right to participate in this program, outside the United States, I do hereby assume all of the risks involved and agree to indemnify and hold the University of Valencia (Spain), and its officers and employees, harmless for any and all liability that may arise in connection with my participation in the activities which are part of the project I am enrolling. I understand that the balance of my contribution is due by June 15, 2001. If the balance of the contribution is not received when due, AMAPA reserves the right to offer my place to another applicant. AMAPA reserves the right to make changes in the expedition when conditions such as acts of war, civil strife, forces of nature or airline schedule changes require and/or to cancel any expedition with an insufficient number of participants or for any other reason considered detrimental to the success of the project. I have read and fully understand the conditions of participation detailed above.

Signature\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_

Please return the signed and completed application.

The principle purpose for requiring the information in this form is to assess an applicant's interest and suitability to participate in the field research expedition. University policy authorizes maintenance of this information. Furnishing the information requested on this form is voluntary. Individuals have the right to access to this record as it pertains to themselves. The official responsible for maintaining this form is the Project Director.

**Your contribution covers:**

As a volunteer you will share in the costs of the field and research expenses as well as the overall costs of planning and implementation. As a member of a research team, during the dates of your expedition you will be provided: \* Meals and shared lodging \* Ground transportation \* Field gear (except for personal items such as sleeping bags) \* Research equipment and supplies \* Information regarding field techniques, recommended reading, project area and conditions and a list of things to bring.

**Your contribution does not include\*:**

Air fare or travel costs to the assembly point (Participants are responsible for making their own travel arrangements to the assembly point. AMAPA is not responsible for changes in airline schedules, etc.) \* Visa, passports, inoculations \* Medical treatment or emergency evacuation expenses \* Alcoholic beverages and other personal expenses Some of these details will vary from expedition to expedition, but we will let you know of any changes well before you leave. Tax Information You should consult with the tax authorities or a tax advisor concerning any possible deduction.

**Expedition Conditions**

Accommodations in modest hotels or shared houses will be provided. The research projects is located in a remote area where facilities are limited. If you have special dietary needs (i.e., vegetarianism, low-salt, etc.) please make note of this on your application and be prepared to bring your own private supplies. Under the direction of the Project Staff, you will share field work, lab and house keeping responsibilities. It is critical that project team members observe and respect the customs of the host country. Field research inevitably involves unforeseen situations and changes in plans. Flexibility and cooperation are essential. It is extremely important that you realistically evaluate your own ability to meet the physical and emotional requirements of the project. We encourage you to complete a physical examination to ensure your fitness. Orientation You will receive full details on the project objectives, field techniques and site conditions. You will receive entry and health requirements when travelling for outside of the European Union. We will supply you with a list of what to bring along with recommended reading to help you prepare for the project. The more you learn ahead of time, the more meaningful you will find the expedition. In addition, there will be an orientation at the research site and ongoing instruction in field methods. Insurance and Medical Care We strongly encourage you to obtain private travel and accident insurance for the duration of the expedition. Emergency transport, medical or hospitalization costs resulting from illness or accident during the expedition are the responsibility of the person receiving such care. Current Information Dates, costs and other details included are based on information available at the time of printing. All sessions are contingent on a minimum number of participants. Please contact us for the most current information.