

Idaho State University Biological Anthropology Laboratories

Visit Request Form

Thank you for your interest in visiting the IUS Biological Anthropology Laboratories. Our facilities include:

- Bone Lab – teaching classroom
- Bioarchaeology Lab (Samantha Blatt) – archaeological and historic remains, histology
- Processing Lab (Christian Petersen) – cleaning of human and animal remains
- Forensic Anthropology Lab (Sara Getz) – modern remains

These laboratories perform work of a sensitive nature and routinely use substances that may pose chemical and/or biological hazards. Therefore, all visitation requests must be approved by each of the respective laboratory managers.

All applications should be submitted at least 48 hours (2 business days) before the requested visit to provide adequate time for approval and lab preparation. Please be aware that due to the unpredictable nature of forensic casework, some spaces may become restricted to outside personnel despite prior tour approval.

Please read entire form and complete the appropriate sections. If requesting multiple tours, please fill out one form per tour. You may return this form via email to getzsara@isu.edu or in person to the Dept. of Anthropology (155 Gravely, Bldg. #15).

Requester's Name: _____ Date: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Visit type:

- ☐ Lab Walk Through (traditional tour)
- ☐ On-Campus Classroom Lecture (for school or community groups only)

Please be aware that visits from the Biological Anthropology faculty to high school classrooms can be made through ISU Liberal Arts High. You can view their respective specialties and officially request visits here: <https://isu.edu/cal/liberal-arts-high/>

Requested Visit Day (circle one): Mon Tues Wed Thurs Fri Sat Sun

Requested Visit Start Time: _____

Please indicate the nature of the tour:

- ☐ ISU - Prospective Student
- ☐ ISU - Current Student, Faculty, or Staff
- ☐ ISU Sponsored Visitor (Not ISU Faculty or Staff)
- ☐ Community Member / Group

Group Name: _____

- ☐ School Class / Group

School Name: _____ Grade(s): _____

- ☐ Other: _____

Please list the full name of each individual who will enter the laboratories. Attach additional pages as necessary for larger groups (e.g., school classes).

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Laboratory Manager Approvals

Approve Decline

_____ _____ Processing Lab (Christian Petersen)

_____ _____ Bioarchaeology/Histology Lab (Samantha Blatt)

_____ _____ Forensic Anthropology Lab (Sara Getz)

Notes: