





# ANKULEGI

**Basque Anthropology Society**  
**Antropologia Elkarte**  
**Asociación Vasca de Antropología**  
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**Ankulegi** was founded in Donostia-San Sebastián (Euskal Herria) in 1994 by a group of social anthropologists from the University of the Basque Country (EHU-UPV). The name is formed by the Basque words *ANtropología*, *KULTura Eta Glzartea* (anthropology, culture and society).

This non-profit-making association is now independent from the University where it was founded and is open to everyone who has an interest in the discipline, whether they are students or graduates, professionals or amateurs. To date, the membership totals 50 people.

Ankulegi belongs to the Federation of Associations of Anthropology in the Spanish State (F.A.A.E.E.).

## Aims

- To institutionalise and divulge anthropology as a scientific discipline.
- To promote anthropological research.
- To publish the magazine of anthropology *Ankulegi*.
- To support professional and formative or educational activities.
- To provide a space for the members of the association to meet and debate.
- To interact with other related associations and institutions.

## Main activities

- Organization of Ankulegi conference on anthropology (annually) since 1997.
- Edition of *Ankulegi. Gizarte antropologia aldizkaria / revista de antropología social / revue d'ethnologie* (annually) since 1997.
- Organization of courses: "Identity and ethnicity in the Basque Country" (ITA-ICA, 1997), "Ethnographic photography" (EHU-UPV, 2002) and "Mediation. Alternative resolution of conflicts" (EHU-UPV, 2002).
- Work group on anthropologists' professional profile and job opportunities (2001-2002).
- Elaboration of *A city by your side*, a guide of resources for immigrants (2002-2003, project sponsored by Town Council of Donostia-San Sebastián and the Basque Government).

## Servicies

- Library: wide range of magazines and journals on anthropology.
- On-line forum (*Ankuplaza*) for the difusion of news and information, computerized articles, chat, etc.
- Society's web page for the electronic publication of the members' monographs.

## Exchanges and agreements of collaboration

Ankulegi collaborates with different groups and institutions in the sphere of the social sciences and humanities, through the interchange of information and publications. The association is always prepared to establish new contacts with individuals and collectives interested in the discipline of anthropology.