SOCIAL WORK

School of Social Work College of Social Science

200  Introduction to Social Work
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0)
Social work practice, ethics, and values, in the context of social welfare policy in the United States.

290  Selected Topics in Social Work
Spring. 2 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. Topics in social welfare, social policy, service delivery, research, theory, and practice. Basic social worker values and concepts.

310  Human Behavior and Social Environment
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) P:M: SW 200 and PLS 100 and (PSY 230 or PSY 235 or PSY 236 or PSY 239 or PSY 244 or PSY 270 or PSY 280) and (JSB 204 or PSL 101 or PSL 250 or ZOL 341 or PSY 206): R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the School of Social Work.
General systems and ecological theories within the context of lifespan development as applied to social work.

320  Social Work and Social Policy I
Fall. 3(3-0) P:M: SW 200 and PLS 100 and (EC 201 or EC 202): R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the School of Social Work.
Introduction to the social work profession and its career options.

321  Social Work and Social Policy II
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3(3-0) R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the School of Social Work.
Focus on writing skills for professional practice and career options.

330  Social Work and Social Policy III
Fall. 3(3-0) P:M: SW 310 and SW 320: R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the School of Social Work.
Ethical and philosophical basis for generalist social work practice. Interviewing skills, assessment, and problem solving within an ecological-systems and developmental framework.

340  Foundations of Social Work Practice
Spring. 3(3-0) P:M: SW 310 and SW 320: R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the School of Social Work.
Psychosocial impact of illness and trauma. Social work practice in healthcare settings. Role of culture, values, and life style.

370  Foreign Area Studies in Social Work
Fall, Spring, Summer. 2 to 12 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to juniors or seniors or graduate students in the School of Social Work.
Social work issues in settings outside the continental U.S.A.

371  Child Welfare
Fall. 3(3-0) R: Open only to juniors or seniors or graduate students.
Social work practice and policy approaches to intervention. Needs and problems of children from the prenatal period through infancy, childhood, and adolescence.

372  Social Work in Health Care
Fall. 3(3-0) R: Open only to juniors or seniors or graduate students.
Social work practice with individuals, families, and small groups.

380  Social Work Practice with Individuals, Families, and Groups (W)
Fall. 3(3-0) P:M: SW 340 and completion of Tier I writing requirement R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the School of Social Work. C: SW 494A concurrently.
Social work intervention with individuals, families, and small groups.

411  Social Work Practice with Task Groups, Organizations and Communities
Spring. 3(3-0) P:M: SW 440: R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the School of Social Work. C: SW 494B concurrently.
Planning and social intervention with task groups, organizations and communities.

470  Substance Abuse and the Human Services
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the School of Social Work.
Drug abuse and social work practice. Theories of groups, formal organizations, and community development, urban educational systems.

471  Child Welfare
Fall. 3(3-0) R: Open only to juniors or seniors or graduate students.
Social work practice and policy approaches to intervention. Needs and problems of children from the prenatal period through infancy, childhood, and adolescence.

490  Independent Study in Social Work
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 4 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 8 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to juniors or seniors. Approval of school required.
Individual reading and research supervised by a Social Work faculty member.

490H  Honors Independent Study
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 2 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the Honors College. Approval of school.
Study of a problem, phase or field of social work.

491  Special Topics in Social Work
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3(3-0) R: Open only to juniors or seniors or graduate students or approval of school.
Selected topics in social work. Topics include community dynamics or practice issues.

492  Seminar in Social Work
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to juniors or seniors in the School of Social Work. C: SW 494A concurrently.
Continuation of professionally supervised generalist social work practice in approved community agencies and campus-based seminar. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.

494A  Social Work Field Education: Foundation I
Fall. 5(1-16) P:M: SW 340: R: Open only to seniors in the School of Social Work. C: SW 440 concurrently.
Continuation of professionally supervised generalist social work practice in approved community agencies and campus-based seminar. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.

494B  Social Work Field Education: Foundation II
Spring. 5(1-16) P:M: SW 440: R: Open only to seniors in the School of Social Work. C: SW 441 concurrently.
Continuation of professionally supervised generalist social work practice in approved community agencies and campus-based seminar. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.
Focus on writing skills for professional practice and career options.

800  Introduction to Professional Social Work Practice
Fall, Summer. 2(2-0)
Introduction to the social work profession and its generic practice foundation.

808  Issues in Urban Policy and Services
Spring of even years. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Political Science. R: Open only to seniors in the School of Social Work. C: SW 440 concurrently.
Continuation of professionally supervised generalist social work practice in approved community agencies and campus-based seminar. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.

810  Theories of Groups, Organizations, and Communities in Social Work
Fall. 3(3-0) R: Open only to graduate students in the School of Social Work. Not open to students with credit in SW 812A or SW 812B.
Applications of social work theories to groups, organizations, and communities in a systems framework for social work practice. Ethical foundations of social work.

811  Social Work Perspectives in Human Development
Spring. 3(3-0) P:M: SW 810: R: Open only to graduate students in School of Social Work. Not open to students with credit in SW 812A or SW 812B.
Developmental theories applied to individuals and families within an ecological perspective. Biopsychosocial factors and interactions in human development for social work assessment and intervention.
891 Special Topics in Graduate Social Work
Spring, 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students in the School of Social Work.
Topics in social welfare, social policy, service delivery, research, theory, and practice.

891 Special Topics in Graduate Social Work
Spring, Summer, 1 to 4 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 8 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to graduate students in the School of Social Work or approval of school.
Topics in social welfare, social policy, service delivery, research, theory, and practice.

892 Graduate Seminars in Social Work
Fall, 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students in School of Social Work.
Selected professional issues, trends, programs, research, or methods in social work.

893B Social Work Field Education: Advanced Generalist Practice
Summer, 2(1-8) R: Open only to graduate students in the School of Social Work. Not open to students with credit in SW 894A or SW 894B. C: SW 842B concurrently.
Professionally supervised foundations of social work practice in approved community agencies. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.

894A Social Work Field Education: Graduate Generalist Practice I
Fall, 4(1-16) R: Open only to graduate students in the School of Social Work. Not open to students with credit in SW 893A or SW 893B. C: SW 840 concurrently.
Professionally supervised foundations of social work practice in approved community agencies. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.

894B Social Work Field Education: Graduate Generalist Practice II
Spring, 4(1-16) P:M: SW 894A R: Open only to graduate students in the School of Social Work. Not open to students with credit in SW 893A or SW 893B. C: SW 841 concurrently.
Continuation of professionally supervised foundations of social work practice in approved community agencies. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.

894C Social Work Field Education: Organizational and Community Practice I
Fall, 4(1-16) P:M: SW 893B or SW 894B R: Open only to graduate students in the School of Social Work. C: SW 863 concurrently.
Professionally supervised organization and community social work practice in approved community agencies. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.

894D Social Work Field Education: Clinical Practice I
Fall, 4(1-16) P:M: SW 893B or SW 894B R: Open only to graduate students in the School of Social Work. C: SW 850 concurrently.
Professionally supervised clinical social work practice with individuals, dyads, families, and small groups in approved community agencies. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.

894E Social Work Field Education: Clinical Practice II
Spring, 4(1-16) P:M: SW 894D R: Open only to graduate students in the School of Social Work. C: SW 851 concurrently.
Continuation of professionally supervised clinical social work practice with individuals, dyads, families and small groups in approved community agencies. Integration and application of concepts in social work practice.

900 Doctoral Proseminar in Social Work
Fall, 2(2-0) R: Open only to doctoral students in the School of Social Work.
Major issues in social work practice, theory, and research. Social work and the social science disciplines.

901 Knowledge Construction in Social Work
Fall of even years, 3(3-0) R: Open only to students in the Social Work major.
Historical evolution and contemporary status of social work knowledge. Epistemological and ethical issues in the construction of social work theory and knowledge.

902 Research in Social Welfare and Social Work History
Fall of odd years, 3(3-0) R: Open only to doctoral students in the School of Social Work.
Examine major writings in the history of American social welfare and social work.

910 Social Problems and Social Policy
Spring of even years, 3(3-0) R: Open to students in the Social Work major.
Impact of public policies on social problems, social welfare, social programs, and social work practice. Application of analytical frameworks to selected areas of social welfare.

920 Evaluation of Social Work Services and Practice
Spring of odd years, 3(3-0) R: Open to students in the Social Work major.
Evaluation of social service organizations, service delivery, and practice outcomes. Evaluation models, design issues, and professional roles in planning and implementing evaluation studies of social work practice.

990 Independent Study in Social Work
Fall, Spring, Summer, 1 to 4 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to doctoral students in the Social Work major. Approval of school.
Individual study of theoretical or applied problem in social work.