Degree Completion

SOCIAL WORK

About the profession

Few occupations can offer the variety found in social work. Social workers are found in public agencies, private businesses, hospitals, clinics, schools, nursing homes, private practices, police departments, courts, and countless other places.

Social workers serve individuals, families and communities. They are managers, supervisors and administrators. They serve at all levels of government. They are educators, therapists, and researchers. They are also elected political leaders and politicians.

Social Work Careers

- Gerontology
- Child Welfare
- Justice/Corrections
- Mental Health/Clinical Social Work
- Developmental Disabilities
- Employment/Occupational Social Work
- Public Welfare
- Communities
- Administration and Management
- Public Interest Groups

For more information visit:

www.umsl.edu/~socialwk/

UMSL School of Social Work

The School of Social Work offers courses leading to a Bachelor of Social Work degree (B.S.W.)

The B.S.W. program is fully accredited by the Council on Social Work Education. The faculty stresses the scientific and applied aspects of social work. Professional social work education enables students to integrate the knowledge, values, and skills of the profession into competent practice. The Department's approach is reflected in an emphasis on the development of theoretical and methodological tools. There is a strong emphasis on practice, with community and social agency fieldwork as important parts of the program.

Faculty members are engaged in research on urban-related issues and work with various agencies, particularly in the areas of health care, family violence, social welfare, community development, gerontology, and education.

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BSW IN SOCIAL WORK COURSE PLAN
(UMSL at Mineral Area College)

**Fall Semester**
- SW 3510 Human Behavior in Social Work (3)
- SOC 2160 Social Psychology (3)
- SW 3100 Introduction to Strategies for Social Work Practice (3)
- ENG 3100 Advanced Expository Writing (3)

Hours: 12

**Spring Semester**
- SW 4300 Social Work Practice with Communities (3)
- SW 3410 Research Design in Social Work (3)
- SW 4110 Social Work Practice with Individuals, Families and Groups (3)
- Elective (3)

Hours: 12

**Fall Semester**
- SW 4300 Social Work Practice with Communities (3)
- SW 3410 Research Design in Social Work (3)
- SW 4110 Social Work Practice with Individuals, Families and Groups (3)

Hours: 12

**Spring Semester**
- SW 4350 Human Service Organizations (3)
- SW 4800 & 4801 Practicum (6)
- Elective (3)

Hours: 12

Courses are subject to change.

- This includes completing the AA degree at Mineral Area College and transferring 66 credit hours.

  - If you want to qualify for Latin honors, you must take an additional 6 hours of electives from UMSL.

Notes: