

SOCIAL WORK (BSW)

Major Course Requirements

Social work majors are required to complete 52 credits in the major. These include:

Course	Title	Credits
SOWK 3000	The Social Work Profession and Practice	3
SOWK 3100	Human Behavior and Social Environment I	3
SOWK 3101	Human Behavior and Social Environment II	3
SOWK 3200	Social Welfare Policy and Services	3
SOWK 3201	Advocacy for Social Policy Change	3
SOWK 3250	Understanding Social Justice and Diversity through Intergroup Dialogue	3
SOWK 3350	Research Methods for Social Work Practice	3
SOWK 3501	Social Work Practice with Individuals and Families	3
SOWK 3502	Social Work Practice with Groups	3
SOWK 3503	Social Work Practice with Communities and Organizations	3
SOWK 3700	Field Education I	3
SOWK 3701	Field Education II	3
SOWK 3800	Field Seminar I	3
SOWK 3801	Field Seminar II	3
SOWK 4100W	Senior Seminar in Social Work	4
Two electives		6
Total Credits		52

Students are reminded that the University requires a total of 120 credit hours, minimum to be eligible for graduation from the University. The 54 credits required before entering the program, along with the 52 credits of Social Work major requirements, only total 106 credits. Therefore, students must register for an additional 14 credit hours to meet the minimum of 120 credit hours. It is important that students discuss course options with their academic advisor prior to finalizing course registrations.

Bachelor's Degree Requirements

Upon the recommendation of the faculty, the degree of Bachelor of Social Work is awarded by vote of the Board of Trustees to students who have met the following requirements:

1. earned a total of 120 degree credits
2. earned at least a 2.5 grade point average for all calculable course work
3. met all the requirements of the School of Social Work and University General Education Requirements (catalog.uconn.edu/general-education (<http://catalog.uconn.edu/general-education/>)).

Students must have grades of C (2.0) or higher in all field education placements.

University General Education Requirements

Every student must meet a set of core requirements to earn a baccalaureate degree, in addition to those required by the student's

major course of study and other requirements set by the student's school or college. For more information about these requirements, please see General Education Requirements (<https://catalog.uconn.edu/undergraduate/gen-ed-requirements/>).

School of Social Work Degree Requirements

Students must meet a set of requirements established by the school in addition to the University's General Education requirements. For more information, see the School of Social Work (<https://catalog.uconn.edu/undergraduate/social-work/#requirementstext>) section of this catalog.