

- Complete all lower-division General Education courses
- Complete SWRK 20 (or the equivalent)
- Earn a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.3
- Formally apply for upper-division social work major status

Transfer students and students changing to the social work major who have met the above prerequisites, upon declaring a social work major, will be able to register for upper-division courses in the major without further action. Transfer students and students changing to the social work major, who have not already completed the above prerequisites prior to registration, must request the Social Work Education Department to screen their transcripts (to be provided by the student) for successful completion of the prerequisite requirements before enrollment in restricted, 100-level social work courses will be permitted.

Students may apply for upper-division social work major status in the Social Work Education Department office during the semester in which they expect to successfully complete the above prerequisite requirements. Approval will be contingent upon satisfactory fulfillment of these requirements.

Currently enrolled students who wish to change to the social work major must first obtain the change-of-major form in the Social Work Education Department office or in the north lobby, Joyal Administration Building.

Bachelor of Arts Degree Requirements

<i>Social Work Major</i>	<i>Units</i>
Major requirements	42
SWRK 20, 123, 135, 136, 160, 161, 170, 171, 180, 181, 182, 183	

Note: Students must attain a minimum grade of C in each required course in the social work major. Students who receive a grade of less than C in any of the above courses must meet with their Department of Social Work Education academic adviser and develop a plan for repeating the course and continuing the major. Refer to the *Undergraduate Advising Booklet* for complete information on policies. See *Advising Notes*.

Additional requirements	18
May also count toward General Education ECON 25, 40, or 50	(3)
HS 90 or 135	(3)
Approved upper-division electives (see list in de- partment office)	(9)
Cultural Diversity — Eth- nic Studies including	

African American Stud-
ies and American Indian
Studies; Chicano and
Latin American Studies,
Asian American Studies,
or Women's Studies..... (3)

Six units from two of the
following areas: Anthropol-
ogy, Criminology, Psy-
chology, or Sociology (6)
Select three units from the
following: SWRK 124,
125, 128, 129, 137, or 152..... (3)

General Education requirements.....	51
Electives and remaining degree requirements	9-24*
(See <i>Degree Requirements</i>); may include a double major or minor.	
Total	120

*This figure takes into consideration that, with proper selection, 15 units of additional requirements for the social work major also may be applied toward fulfilling General Education requirements (see *General Education*). Consult the social work department chair, program coordinator, or faculty adviser for details.

Advising Notes

- Foundational social work major courses must be taken in the sequence specified below:
 - Junior year (semester 1): SWRK 123, 135, and 160
 - Junior year (semester 2): SWRK 136, 161, and 170
 - Senior year (semester 1): SWRK 171, 180, 181
 - Senior year (semester 2): SWRK 182, 183, and SWRK elective
- Approved course listings are available in the department office and on the Web. Consult your faculty adviser for assistance in selecting a pattern of courses to fit your particular interests and goals.
- CR/NC grading is not permitted in the social work major with the exception of SWRK 181 and 182.
- General Education, additional require-
ments, and elective units may be used
toward a double major or minor (see
Double Major or departmental minor).
Consult the appropriate department chair,
program coordinator, or faculty adviser
for further information.
- No General Education Multicultural/In-
ternational course offered by the Social
Work Education Department may be used
to satisfy the General Education require-
ments for majors in the department.
- Senior year internships are arranged by
the field coordinator. Applications must
be filed and interviews with the field coor-
dinator and interviews for agency selection
must be completed in the semester *prior*
to entering the field.

- Students who have prior knowledge of
Spanish or Southeast Asian languages
but lack fluency are encouraged to take
additional coursework in the languages.
- A booklet describing the program more
fully is available in the department office
and on the Web.

Certificate in Alcohol/Drug Studies

The Department of Social Work Educa-
tion participates in a certificate of special
study awarded to those students who suc-
cessfully complete a minimum of 12 units
of interdisciplinary academic coursework
in the area of alcohol and drug abuse.
(For complete details, see *Health and
Human Services Interdisciplinary Courses*,
page 377, in this catalog.)

Certificate in Cross-Cultural Competency

The College of Health and Human Services
and the Department of Social Work Edu-
cation jointly offer a certificate of special
study in cultural competency. Twelve units
of selective study are required that include
two core courses and two related interdis-
ciplinary electives. The certificate is designed
to prepare students for professional practice
in culturally diverse settings in the fields of
business, education, health care, and human
service. All coursework must be taken for a
letter grade and completed with a grade of
C or better in each of the six required units
and six units of electives.

	<i>Units</i>
Required courses	6
SWRK 136, 137	
Elective courses	6
Take two 3-unit courses, each from different categories.	
<i>Language and Culture:</i> ANTH 118, 123, 124; CLAS 116; CDDS 139; CI 140ECE; SPAN 125; GERON 111, 161; HUM 130; LING 110, 120, 130; PHIL 135, 138; COMM 120, 164	
<i>Health/Mental Health:</i> AAIS 141; ANTH 117; HS 90, 100, 104; PSYCH 169; RLS 125	
<i>Ethnicity:</i> AAIS 56, 100, 101, 103, 135, 136, 142, 144, 148; ANTH 115, 116W, ASAM 110, 138, 140; CLAS 128, 152, 156; CRIM 174; AAIS 104W; SOC 111	
<i>Women:</i> AAIS 137; CLAS 162; GERON 18; HS 126, 130; HIST 101; SOC 132; WS 120, 125, 135	
Total	12