



**School of Social Work**  
**UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA**

# Bachelor of Social Work



# Nice to meet you!



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# Why University of Georgia?

## Kiplinger's Magazine:

- UGA **15<sup>th</sup>** among the nation's 100 Best Values in Public Colleges

## U.S. News And World Report:

- Ranks UGA's BSW Program **#9** nationally, **#1** in Georgia
- MSW program ranked in the **top 10<sup>th</sup>** percentile

## College Factual:

- Ranks UGA's BSW Program **#6** nationally!



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# Career Opportunities

**“Employment of social workers is projected to grow 9% from 2021 to 2031, faster than the average for all occupations”**

*- U.S. Department Of Labor Bureau Of Statistics. (2022). Occupational Outlook Handbook. Washington, D.C*

- Direct Practice/Therapy
- Healthcare
- College Student Affairs
- P-12 Education
- Federal Agencies
- State Agencies
- Policy Development and Implementation
- Criminal Justice
- Mental Health Services
- Nonprofits
- Community Organizing/Advocacy
- Program Management/Administration
- Professional/Personal Development

**Additional information on the UGA Career Center Website:**

**<http://career.uga.edu/outcomes/major>**

# UGA School of Social Work

UGA's School of Social Work is fully accredited by the **Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)**



COUNCIL ON SOCIAL WORK EDUCATION

and adheres to the **NASW Code of Ethics**



National Association of Social Workers



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# Values of the School of Social Work

## PrOSEAD<sup>®</sup> Values

We are committed to addressing:

**Power** and

**Oppression** in society in order to promote

**Social justice** by using

**Evidence-informed practice** and

**Advocacy** tools and the celebration of

**Diversity.**



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# BSW Curriculum

Our BSW program not only prepares students to **address human needs in social service settings** but to **also analyze and address policies that underlie pervasive problems**.

Lower Division Courses\*:

- **SOWK 2154 – The Profession of Social Work**
- SOWK 2155 – Communication in the Helping Process
- SOWK 2156 – Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (ProSEAD®)
- SOWK 2157S – Service Learning in Social Work

**\*Open as electives/requirements for other majors.**



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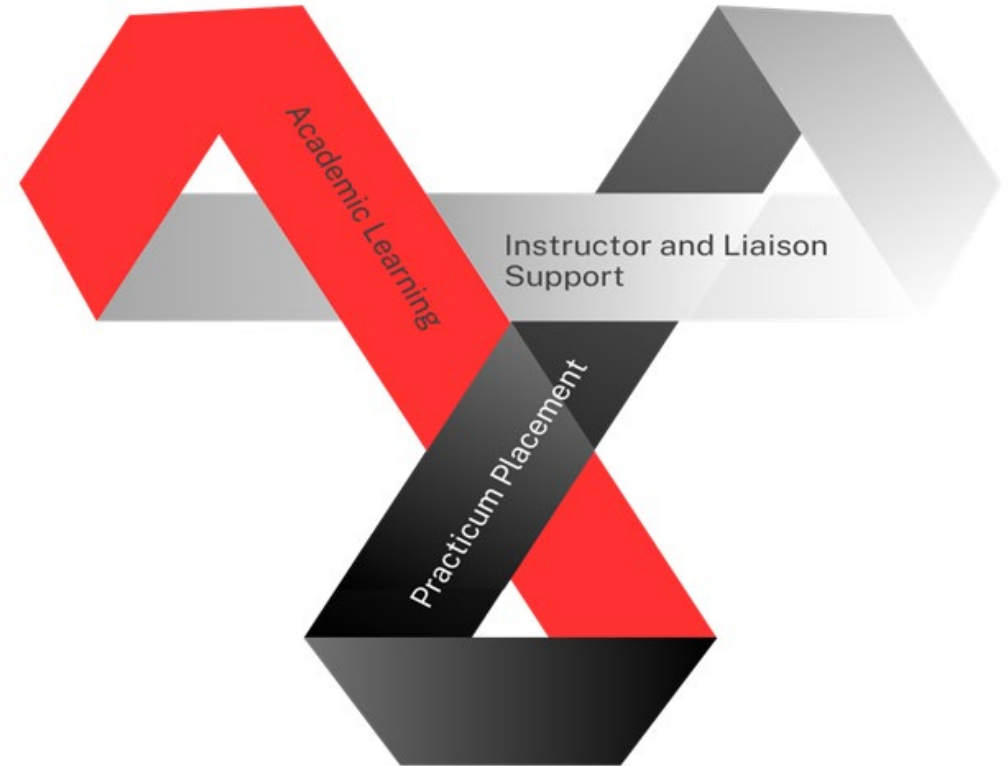
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# Practicum Education

Practicum education is the **heart** of Social Work Education.

Internship experiences blend classroom learning with real world experiences.

Senior students receive supervised internship experience **16 hours** per week at a local partner social service agency.





# Student Life Opportunities

**Opportunities to enhance your university experience and make a positive impact!**

- BSW Club
- Students for Global Social Work
- BSW Ambassadors
- Phi Alpha Honor Society
- BSW Student Liaison/Representative
- Other UGA clubs



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# Additional Opportunities

- Nonprofit Management & Leadership Certificate
- Other Undergraduate Certificates
- Interprofessional Education (IPE) Event
- International Exchange/Study Away



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- Double Dawgs
  - Advanced Standing MSW
  - MA NML
- Dual Degrees
  - MSW/JD
  - MSW/MBA
  - MSW/MPH



# Double Dawgs/Advanced Standing MSW

BSW graduates are ready for immediate entry-level social work positions or to apply to the **Advanced Standing MSW**.\*

Advanced Standing students complete their MSWs in just **one additional year!**

- Expanded Career Opportunities
- Expedited Path to Licensure
- Increased Pay

*\*Other majors may apply to regular standing MSW Options.*



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# Athens Campus Life

- Student Support Services
- Computer Labs/Libraries
- Lounge Space
- Micro Market
- Student Housing
- Athletic Events
- Close to downtown Athens



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# Nonprofit Management & Leadership



# Nonprofits and Career Goals

**“Nonprofit organizations account for 12.8 million jobs, or 9.9 percent of private-sector employment.”**

*– U.S. Department Of Labor Bureau Of Statistics. (2022)”*

## Where?

- Arts Organizations
- Education
- Public Health
- Child Welfare
- Faith-Based Organizations
- Corporate Charitable Foundations

## Who?

- Executive Director
- Community Advocate
- Grant Writer
- Development Director
- Board Member/Chair
- Program Manager

# Double Dawgs/MA NML

The following degrees qualify for Double Dawgs pathway to the MA MNL:

- Dance (AB)
- Finance
- Human Development and Family Science (BSFCS)
- Interdisciplinary Studies – Griffin Campus (AB)
- Latin American and Caribbean Studies (AB)
- Music (AB)/ Music Performance (BMus)
- Psychology (BS)
- Social Work (BSW)
- Sociology (AB)
- Theatre (AB)
- Women's Studies (AB)



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