

SOCIAL WORK

Study in the field of social work examines social problems from multiple perspectives and encourages change among individuals, families, groups, organizations and communities. Social work practitioners work in child welfare, gerontology, mental and physical health, and community leadership. This program partners with hundreds of agencies to prepare graduates with hands-on field experience.

Programs

- Aging, Minor (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/aging-minor/>)
- Applied Gerontology, Graduate Certificate (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/applied-gerontology-graduate-certificate/>)
- Healthy Aging, Undergraduate Certificate (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/healthy-aging-undergraduate-certificate/>)
- Social Welfare, PhD (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/social-welfare-phd/>)
- Social Welfare, PhD/Criminal Justice and Criminology, MS (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/social-welfare-phd-criminal-justice-ms/>)
- Social Work, BS (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/social-work-bs/>)
- Social Work, MSW (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/social-work-msw/>)
- Social Work, MSW/Criminal Justice and Criminology, MS (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/social-work-msw-criminal-justice-ms/>)
- Social Work, MSW/Public Health, MPH (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/social-work-msw-public-health-mph/>)
- Social Work, MSW/Social Welfare, PhD (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/joint-social-work-msw-welfare-phd/>)
- Social Work, MSW/Women's and Gender Studies, MA (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/social-work-msw-womens-gender-studies-ma/>)
- Suicide Prevention Across the Lifespan, Undergraduate Microcredential (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/suicide-prevention-across-lifespan-undergraduate-microcredential/>)
- Trauma Informed Care, Graduate Certificate (Helen Bader School of Social Welfare, Department of Social Work) (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/community-engagement-professions/social-welfare/social-work/trauma-informed-care-graduate-certificate/>)

Faculty

Name	Rank	Degree	School	Graduate Faculty	Emeritus Faculty
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Lisa Berger	Associate Dean and Professor	PhD	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	✓	
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Colleen Galambos	Helen Bader Endowed Chair in Applied Gerontology	PhD	The Catholic University of America National Catholic School of Social Service	✓	
Ke'Andra Hagans	Clinical Assistant Professor and Field Liaison	MSW	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee		
Jane Hereth	Assistant Professor	PhD	University of Chicago	✓	
Colleen Janczewski	Associate Professor	PhD	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	✓	
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Jennifer Kahn-Pettigrew	Clinical Assistant Professor	MSW	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee		
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