

Education Requirements and Program Features

SCHOOL	DEGREE	ENROLLMENT (APPROXIMATE)	DEGREE CREDIT HOURS REQUIRED	ADVANCED STANDING	CONCURRENT SEMINAR REQUIREMENTS	GRADE	FIELD INSTRUCTOR REQUIREMENTS	PRACTICUM HOURS REQUIREMENTS	STUDENT FORMS REQUIREMENTS
Fontbonne	→ BSW	→ 80	→ 128	→ N/A	→ Both Semesters; 2 credits each	→ P/F	→ 3 years post-degree → 1 year at agency <i>Related degree OK for 1 practicum</i>	→ 2 Semesters → 240 hours each → 4 credits	→ Registration → Learning Agreement → Final Evaluation → Site and Field Instructor Evaluation
SLU	→ BSSW	→ 100	→ 120	→ N/A	→ Both Semesters	→ P/F	→ 2 years post-MSW → 1 year in position	→ 2 Semesters → 240 hours each → 5 credits each	→ Learning Agreement → Final Evaluation
SLU	→ MSW	→ 210	→ 57	→ 18 credits	→ Foundation and First Concentration	→ P/F	→ 2 years post-MSW → 1 year in position	Foundation → 1 semester → 240 hours → 3 credits Concentration → 3 semesters → 240 hours → 3 credits	→ Learning Agreement → Final Evaluation
UMSL	→ BSW	→ 270	→ 120	→ N/A	→ Both Semesters; 2 credits each	→ S/U	→ 3 years post-BSW or 2 years post-MSW	→ 2 Semesters → 285 hours each → 4 credits each	→ Learning Agreement → Mid-Evaluation → Final Evaluation
UMSL	→ MSW	→ 100	→ 60	→ 24 credits	→ Foundation only; 2 credits	→ S/U	→ 2 years post-MSW	Foundation → 1 semester → 300 hours → 4 credits Concentration → 2 semesters → 300 hours each → 3 credits each	→ Learning Agreement → Mid-Evaluation → Final Evaluation
Brown School	→ MSW	→ 400	→ 60	→ Up to 19 credits and evidence-based practice course	→ Foundation only; 1 credit	→ P/F	→ 2 years post-MSW → 1 year in position <i>Related Masters allowed for concentration</i>	Foundation → 1-2 semesters → 360 hours → 3 credits Concentration → 2 semesters → 600 hours → 5 credits	→ Educational Learning Agreement → Student Self-Evaluation → Final Evaluation → Student Evaluation of Practicum



Process for New Field Instructor Affiliation

1. Complete and submit the online Field Instructor and Organization Application form to each school with which the organization wishes to affiliate.
2. Receive an invitation from the Fontbonne, SLU, UMSL or Brown School to attend Session I.

New Field Instructors

- Participation in Session I is by invitation only. Upon completion, please register for remaining sessions online.
- New field instructors have a maximum of two years to complete the six sessions of the program to become certified.
- Field instructors can complete the program simultaneous to providing field instruction for social work students from any of the four programs.
- We are unable to offer credit for completion of similar courses offered by other sources.

CONCENTRATIONS/ SPECIALIZATIONS	CERTIFICATIONS/ BRIDGE PROGRAMS	DUAL/ JOINT DEGREES	LIASON/ SITE VISITOR	FIELD INSTRUCTOR BENEFITS
→ Generalist	→ None		→ Director of Field Education	→ Library Privileges → Discounted Courses → CEU Opportunities → CEU for Field Instruction
→ Generalist	→ None	→ Can double major with related disciplines	→ Practicum Liaisons	→ Library Privileges → Free Courses → CEU Opportunities → CEU for Field Instruction
Concentrations → Applied Behavior Analysis → Community and Organizations → Family Health and Mental Health	→ Applied Behavior Analysis (post-graduate) → Clinical Practice with Families → Community Mental Health Bridge Program → Gerontology → Nonprofit Administration → School Social Work	→ MSW/Deaconess Studies → MSW/Law → MSW/Pastoral Studies → MSW/Public Administration → MSW/Public Health	→ Practicum Liaisons	→ Library Privileges → Free Courses → CEU Opportunities → CEU for Field Instruction
→ Generalist	→ Gender Studies → Gerontology → Non-Profit Management and Leadership		→ Seminar Instructor	→ Library Privileges → CEU for Field Instruction
Concentrations → Family Practice → Gerontology → Social Work Leadership and Management	→ Gender Studies → Gerontology → Non-Profit Management and Leadership	→ Can double major with related disciplines → MSW/Policy Administration	Foundation → Director of Field Education Concentration → Faculty Advisor	→ Library Privileges → CEU for Field Instruction
Concentrations → Children, Youth, and Families → Gerontology → Health → Mental Health → Social and Economic Development → Individualized Specializations → Research → Management → Social Entrepreneurship	→ None	→ MSW/Law → MSW/Architecture → MSW/Business → MSW/Jewish Studies → MSW/Divinity → MSW/Pastoral Studies → MSW/Public Health	Foundation → Integrative Seminar Instructor Concentration → Office of Field Education & Community Partnerships	→ Library Privileges → Free Courses → CEU Opportunities → NEXUS Newsletter → Evidence-Based Practice Resource Area → CEU for Field Instruction → Online forms

Re-Certification

- Field Instructors are required to be re-certified every three years.
- The re-certification process for field instructors:
 - Complete a field instructor application every three years to update information with the respective social work programs
 - Demonstration of continuing professional development through attendance at workshops/sessions for continuing education units is encouraged
 - Each field instructor is required to have supervised at least one student over a three-year period
 - This requirement is applicable to each of the participating Schools
 - Field instructors who do not comply with this requirement may be deactivated as field instructor for each respective School.

Continuing Field Instructors

- Field instructors who were approved prior to August, 2007, are invited and encouraged to become certified by attending Sessions 2 - 6. Continuing field instructors have a maximum of two years to complete sessions 2 - 6 of the program to become certified. Please indicate your interest in becoming certified as a field instructor by registering online: fielded.com/fielded.

Non-MSW, Master-Degreed Professionals

- Professionals with masters degrees in related fields, such as MDiv, MPH, MBA, JD and others are eligible to become certified field instructors for the Brown School only.
- These professionals must be invited to complete the program by the Brown School.