June is Pride Month!

This month celebrates the increased visibility and support of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender people. It is a month to celebrate having community and celebrating the people that helped and are helping the fight for equal rights for the LGBTQA+ community.

History
Why June? On June 28, 1969, the Stonewall riots began, in which the queer community responded back to a police raid that is seen as a pivotal event in U.S. LGBTQA+ movement. The Stonewall Inn bar in New York served as a safe haven for the LGBTQA+ community. This night, the queer community decided to fight back.

The act of homosexuality was illegal at this time, and police were known to raid and shut down establishments that served gay patrons or had gay employees.

On June 28th, 1970, Stonewall had their first Pride parade which marked the first anniversary of the Stonewall riots.

Source: https://www.etonline.com/pride-month-how-it-started-and-how-to-celebrate-166317
The Bachelor of Science in Substance Use & Treatment (BSSUT) “The degree will use a multidisciplinary approach to understand the biological, psychological and social aspects of substance misuse,” said Scott Ryan, dean of the School of Social Work. “Its curriculum for assessment and treatment methods for substance misuse are based on evidence-informed and research-supported practices that will enable students and future professionals to understand and treat individuals, families, groups and communities while preparing graduates for careers in this field.”

Continue reading here

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For more info and FAQ’s Click Here

Degree Progress Worksheet Click Here
Advising

• Need to meet with your advisor but there's no upcoming appointment available? Drop-in either in person or virtually on Wednesdays. To schedule your 30-minute drop-in time, click here. Be sure to select in-person or virtual and your advisor. Remember, drop-in sessions are on a first come basis.

• If your advisor’s appointment schedule is full, please consider emailing them for email-advising, or attend their weekly Power Hour. Please check advising appointments every Monday when new availability opens up for the coming weeks.

BSW Academic Advisors:
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• Sabrina Earle – sabrina.earle@uta.edu
• Kyleigh Easter- kyleigh.easter@uta.edu

Licensing

• If you’re in your final semester and want to get started on applying to ASWB to take the LBSW licensing exam, click here to request the Dean’s Letter for Licensure, which UTA will send to ASWB. More info can be found on the ASWB site and our SSW licensure page. Click here for a recording of our Social Work Licensing Information Session, held in April 2021.
• Interested in the LCDC? Scroll to the end of this Licensure webpage and click on the Texas LCDC Licensing 2021 PDF for a chart that shows how different education levels can prepare you for the LCDC.

MSW Admissions

Did you know that if you pursue your MSW at UTA within 6 years of graduating with your BSW, you can finish your Masters in as fast as 1 year? We accept MSW admissions on a rolling basis. The admissions calendar can be found here. If you have any questions about the process of applying to the MSW, please contact doloresbevins@uta.edu

Field Placements

General

• All students, agencies, and Field Instructors should use this URL for InPlace: https://inplace.uta.edu/
• The InPlace fee is $67 per year or $130 for a lifetime. Each student will need to plan to pay the InPlace fee on the first day of class for that semester they are starting field.
• InPlace Training and Logbook Training can be found here!
• If you are having technical difficulties with InPlace please email sswfield@uta.edu and include a screenshot of the issue.
• Field forms are available here!
• Field FAQ
• Contact Sharon Martin, LMSW, Field Advisor, with any questions! You can also connect with her during her Field Power Hours every 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month from 3:00-3:30. Click here to join the meeting

Summer 2022

• The Summer 2022 Field Application is now closed.
• See the Summer 2022 Field Education Calendar for Block here and for Split here.

InPlace fee is due on the first day of class

Fall 2022

• The Fall 2022 Field Application is now open.
• Application Deadline is June 24, 2022.
• See the Summer 2022 Field Education Calendar for Block and for Split here.

InPlace fee is due on the first day of class
The School of Social Work Virtual Clinic

Need additional support? The School of Social Work Virtual Clinic offers FREE services. Support groups are offered virtually, weekly to BSW students. Please email SSWVirtualClinic@uta.edu for more information.

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JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteer Opportunities

Fill out this google form to volunteer:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1T8QdNnjzu8O3bazmQJ0hceAxnm7j0cqcTn7CmjW0KY/viewform?edit_requested=true
Research Study on the Impact of COVID-19 on Latina Dreamers

Are you a female DACA participant (Dreamer)?
- Are you currently enrolled in a year college or university in Texas?
- Are you interested in discussing how COVID-19 has impacted different areas of your life?

If you answered "yes" to these questions, you may be eligible to participate in a confidential research study exploring the experiences of Latina Dreamers during COVID-19.

If you are interested, please go to the link below or scan the QR code to complete the online screening.

[Link to screen for the study]

Dean Ryan’s Statement on Health Disparities

As a phoenix rises from the ashes...

"If you are medically cleared, 10 or older, and have transformed your team into a personal growth experience resulting in the growth and transformation of others, you may be eligible to participate in a research study."

Required COVID-19 testing and new protective measures for Spring 2022 (English and Español) (uta.edu)

Classroom density, updated info from university on testing and return to campus

Contact covidvaccine@uta.edu with any questions.

If the dates and times of these clinics don’t work for you, the COVID-19 vaccine is free and widely available in Arlington and surrounding communities. To find a vaccine or booster near you, enter your zip code into the CDC’s COVID-19 vaccine finder.

Click Here for more information.
RESOURCES

UTA Academic Calendar

Check Canvas for the MavsUnite Page!
To add please e-mail:
Emily Clark

MANAGING STRESS AND ANXIETY DURING COVID-19
UTA COUNSELING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES (CAPS)

- THERAPIST ASSISTED ONLINE (TAO)
  Visit TAOconnect.org

- MAVS TALK 24HR CRISIS LINE
  Call (817)272-3613

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

RESOURCES

UTA Library Accessibility

On-Demand & Live Fitness Classes

SAR Center
(Formerly Office of Students with Disabilities)

In Crisis?
Text HELLO to 741741

DREAMERS WELCOME

The Tarrant County Rental Assistance Program assists residents who have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. For more details, email renthelp@tarrantcounty.com or call 817-850-7940.

If you have any questions or content suggestion for the newsletter, please contact Tuesday Darling: tbd2290@mavs.uta.edu

Check Canvas for the MavsUnite Page!
To add please e-mail:
Emily Clark

Evidence-Based Practice Research Guide

Get Microsoft 365, The Wall Street Journal and Other Apps FREE with your student email!

How to gain access to SSW writing resources: Advising & Student Success Canvas

Rental Assistance Program

UTA students with a temporary financial hardship resulting from a sudden emergency may apply for financial help.

Emergency Assistance Fund

UTA/Tri-C Food Pantry Distributions
Currently distributing groceries on Thursdays only, from 9-11:45 a.m. and 2-4:45 p.m. To receive these grocery bags you must send an email to utafoodpantry@gmail.com to request a pickup time. Include student name, last four digits of UTA ID, requested grocery pickup time, choice of vegetarian, chicken, or any meat groceries.

211 S. Cooper Street, Arlington TX 76019
Social Work Program
(817) 272-3613

“You must not be fearful about what you are doing when it is right”
— Rosa Parks