

SOCIAL JUSTICE SPOTLIGHT

On November 30th, we celebrate Giving each other personal space.

On November 30th let us celebrate National Personal Space Day! Meaning to respecting personal boundaries amongst one another and giving time to ourselves.

Life can be stressful sometimes. Even though talking to others about the issues, spending alone time can also help us grow. This day provides an opportunity to bring awareness of out personal needs of who we are.

Therefore, when we celebrate this day, spend time with yourself and encourage others to do the same!

For more information, **CLICK HERE!**

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GRADUATE STUDENT LEADER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY



The GSL program is designed to build community and connections between MSW students and strengthen the bond that students have with the School of Social Work by facilitating the exchange of accurate and timely information. Each MSW student in the program is assigned to a GSL, a fellow student who has received extensive training on leadership, communication, and information on the School and MSW program.

Interested in becoming a GSL? Click here!

YOU MATTER

Your Attitude Matters

Did you know that your attitude determines your personality?

Therefore, as future social workers, it is necessary to have a positive attitude. It is important for our clients to know that it is good to have a positive mindset. Your attitude is with you in every part of daily communication. The attitude is always there and evident, not just in any words that you might say, but also in the tone you say them.

Your attitude affects hand gestures and facial expressions. Alongside this, it may affect your posture and other nonverbal cues. Your attitude will reflect outwardly in your behavior. Even if you attempt to carefully monitor what you say to your future clients.

It is important to know your unique connections with attitudes. Research has shown that many people are unaware of their attitudes or a change in behavior. It is important to know when our mindset change for the worse and immediately change it for the better.

Therefore, let us focus more on positivity rather than negativity. Whatever is bringing you down right now is temporary. You will feel better when thinking positive. Remember, your attitude make up who you truly are!

Warm Regards,
Olga Carrillo
MSW Student, Graduate Student
Leader, The University of Texas at Arlington

Graduating? Check your Outlook MyMav!





IMPORTANT DATES

FALL 2022

- · Dec. 6- Last day of classes
- Dec. 7- Student Study Day (no classes)
- Dec. 16- School of Social work Graduation, 6:30
 PM
- Jan. 16-- Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday
- Jan. 17 -- Late registration/First day of classes
- Feb. 1-- Census date
- Field advisors POWER HOUR UPDATED
- *Sharon & Natalie will be splitting MHSU students!
- IPE DEADLINE November 11th (Page 8)
- Focus Group opportunity on page 9!

Spring 2023

- The Spring 2023 Field Application is open
 October 03, 2022.
- Application deadline is NOW CLOSED.
- See the Spring 2023 Field Education Calendar for Block and for Split here.

InPlace fee is due on the first day of class



Need to meet with an 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.

Feeling a bit lost?
Start with
your
Graduate Student
Leader!

Don't know who that is?

Email Martaya Brown or Lecia
Edwards to get
connected!

LICENSING

- If you're in your final semester and want to get started on applying to ASWB to take the LMSW licensing exam, <u>click here</u> to request the Dean's Letter for Licensure, which UTA will send to ASWB. More info can be found <u>on the ASWB site</u> and our <u>SSW licensure page</u>.
- There's lots of great updated information about licensing in the Student Success and Advising Course on Canvas—Check it out!
- Interested in the LCDC? Scroll to the end of this
 <u>Licensure</u> 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.



FIELD PLACEMENTS

General

- InPlace has a new URL! All students, agencies, and Field Instructors will need to use the new URL. 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.
- <u>InPlace Training</u> and <u>Logbook Training</u> can be found here!
- Field forms are available here!
- Field FAQ
- If you are having technical difficulties with InPlace please email <u>sswfield@uta.edu</u> and include a screenshot of the issue.

FIELD POWER HOURS

This is an opportunity for you to ask questions, similar to Office Hours for faculty!

- Aging & Health (Interim Field Advisor for Mental Health last names A-L)
 - Field Advisor: Natalie Mangham
 - 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month, 2-3 pm
 - Click here to join the meeting
- CAP & Children & Families
 - Field Advisor: Monica Brown
 - 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month, 4-5 pm
 - Click here to join the meeting
- BSW/BSSUT (Interim Field Advisor for Mental Health last names M-Z)
 - Field Advisor: Sharon Martin
 - 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month, 3-4 pm
 - Click here to join the meeting

Foundation

- Field Advisor: Andrea Jameson andrea.jameson@uta.edu
- 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month, 6-7 pm
- Click here to join the meeting



JOIN THE SOCIAL **WORKERS FOR** CHILDREN AND **FAMILIES STUDENT ORGANIZATION!**

Join a new student organization for students interested in working in the social work field with children and families!

NETWORK WITH OTHER UTA STUDENTS
HAVE GUESTS/PROFESSIONALS VISITS
WITHIN THE SOCIAL WORK FIELD

For those interested in joining please reach or Oscar Aguila via email at 0x88654@mavs.uta.co

GET INVOLVED

MSW Click the flyer to fill in Thesis an interest form at https://forms.office. Peer com/r/WvfDxpeyaf Support

We're looking to start an ongoing group that will share space for coworking and



SAMSW IS COLLECTING







Study on the Current and Future School of Social Work Buildings

- We are seeking students to share their experiences with the manned and future. School of Social Words buildings.

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- By participating in an interview, you will be entered into a raffle to win a \$10 Pie 5 gift each.

Megan Werimose, LMSW and Dr. Regins Praetonins, PhD are researchers from the School of Social Work at the UT-Adington.

How Do I Become a Part of This Projecti

- You are slightly to participate if you are at least 18 years old, a coarset UTA social
 work indient, have taken at least one superiors date in the content School of Sone
 Work Building, a planning to that neversors social work classes in pages 2021, and
 planning to gardinate this Desember 2022, and can speak and undestrated English.
 Please content or from harm are presented as would like to sign up:
 Email merganories westmores@orks.

INTERESTED IN MACRO SOCIAL WORK?

STUDENT ASSOCIATION FOR MACRO SOCIAL WORK (SAMSW) DEC 5, 2022 @ 7PM

Fall Meetings: 7-8pm via

semester - December 5 (First Monday)

Click or Scan to Register!



Peer Support &

Professional Development for CAP Concentration,

Certificate, and BSW



Field Placement Opportunity for Catholic Social Work Students

LOOKING FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE:

- **V** Practicing Catholic
- ✓ Local (the school is in Arlington, close to UTA)
- Interested in social work in schools or with children and families

Block and Split Placements available depending or start date

If you are interested in a field placement within a

Catholic K-8 school, please reach out to Dr. Regina Praetorius.

rtpraetorious@uta.edu



EVENTS

SOCIAL WORK ADVOCACY DAY (SWAD) 2023

(a) March 3, 2023



@naswtx_advocacy

N A S W

Save the date!

aswtex.naswtx@socialworkers.org





Next meeting:

12.08.22



Scan to join us on Teams!

or go to: https://bit.lv/3TgYgBI

for more information, contact us at SGC.UTA@GMAIL.COM

Student and Academic Affairs MSW Student Guidance Protocol

Do you have questions about the MSW program, registration/course information, your degree plan, field, graduation, or something other about the MSW program? Are you having issues navigating your class information or have instructor questions? Follow the steps below to get the answers you need quickly!



> Step I: Initial point of contact

- 1. Registration issues, degree plan, graduation information:
 - Academic Advisor
- 2. Questions about field:
 - Reach out to your field liaison
 - o Still have questions, then:
 - Field Advisor



- 3. General questions about MSW program:
 - Reach out to a <u>GSL</u> (Graduate Student Leader)
 Still have questions or other program issues:
 - Reach out to the Office of Graduate Programs:
 - Dr. Joyce White





Ginger Jackson

- 4. Questions about your course assignments, Canvas, syllabus:
 - Reach out to your instructor first (see Canvas for details)

→ Step 2: Second point of contact



Still need answers after initial point of contact or issue not resolved from step 1?

- Academic Advising and Field Education Concerns:
 - o Ms. Patrice Green, Manager of Student Success & Advising



- Course or instructor issues:
 - o Dr. Amanda Hassan, Assistant Dean of Academic Affairs



- Graduate program issues:
 - o Dr. Diane Mitschke, Associate Dean of Student & Academic Affairs



UTA School of Social Work

Step 3:Third point of contact

Still need answers after second point of contact or issue not resolved from steps I or 2? Please contact:

Dr. Diane Mitschke, Associate Dean of Student & Academic Affairs



Process all together





JOB OPPORTUNITES

Trauma Therapist

Overview

Date Posted: 6/23/2022 Job Code: THRTDSP Position Type: Exempt

City: Fort Worth State: TX

Country: United States of America

Category: Direct Care - Clinical Therapist/Social Work/Case Worker

Requisition Number: 8977 Position Number: 12493

JOB DESCRIPTION

Caseworker - Community Lia State Senator Royce West

Job duties/responsibilities include but are not limited to:

- alloft Will recent, state, units, and now against Problem solving and modelsohousing. Coordination of assigned programs and projects; for the continuous and the Chief of Staff of all happenings by screening district re ources and interacting with constituents. Working on various issues with other senate and state agency staff, and various working on various issues with other senate and state agency staff, and various

- Working well under pressure and handles stress; Working a flexible schedule including long hours, nights and weekends;

- Ability to exercise discretion and independent judgment in fulfillment of

Interested Applicants please send a cover letter and resume to:

La Juana Barton

Chief of Staff

Office of State Senator Royce West lajuana_d.Barton@senate.state.tx.us

Parkland

ABOUT US

As the public hospital for Dallas, Parkland has been providing exceptional care stretches back for over a century. Today, many of Parkland's specialty areas have garnered national achievements in



OPENINGS:



CONTACT

(B) ParklandCareers.com

Blvd., Dallas, TX.

- · Life Insurance

BENEFITS

Additional Benefits



Click here for more information



Click here for more information



ACADEMIC **OPPORTUNITES**

STEPHANY JUNE BRYAN

BOLD SPIRIT OF ACHIEVEMENT

SCHOLARSHIP



SSW GRADUATE CERTIFICATES

LEADERSHIP



AFP COLLEGIATE CHAPTER Stand apart from the crowd. Invest in your future now by joining your AFP collegiate chapter. Before you graduate you'll start learning, networking and setting yourself apart. Put your career in motion!

TOP 5 REASONS TO JOIN AN

- Browse the latest job opportunities in the AFP Career Center.
- 3. Take advantage of discounted resources
- Get a mentor and start building your résumé with leadership opportunities
- Show potential employers and the rest of the fundraising community that you are committed to becoming a dedicated ethical fundraiser.





VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITES



The 2023 Patrocinio De Guzman

Scholarship Application

Study Abroad: Kenya

Volunteer for commencement

Volunteers are needed for UTA's fall commencement ceremonies at Globe Life Field. Help is needed for set up Thursday, Dec. 15, and ceremonies Friday, Dec. 16. Complete the Commencement Volunteer Form by

Monday, Dec. 5.

Volunteer

TODAY





Road To Recovery: Trauma Informed Care Applications Open for 2023

The Texas Center for Disability Studies is offering an exciting training opportunity - FREE to selected applicants. The Center is recruiting applicants to become master trainers of the Road to Recovery: Supporting Children with Intellectual/ Developmental Disabilities Who Have Experienced Trauma.

The virtual training offers IDD professionals, mental health professionals, family members, educators, direct processionals, internal reality processionals, family members, educators, direct care workers and others valuable insights into how to support children with intellectual and other developmental disabilities in healing from trauma.

> Interested in becoming a trainer? Complete the application on disabilitystudies.utexas.edu/R2R

Deadline to submit your application is November 14, 2022. Questions? Contact r2rtcds@gmail.com.

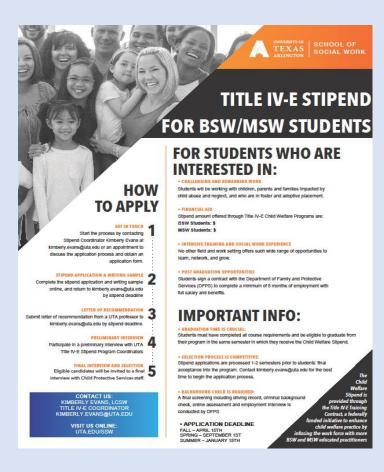






RESEARCH

Social Work Course Guides Student Research **Opportunity** Center





or booster near you, enter your zip code into the CDC's

Covid-19 Vaccine

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

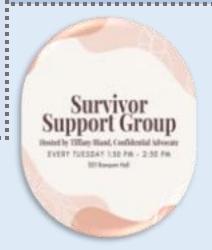
Click Here for more information.

COVID-19 vaccine finder.

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





RECRUITING PARTICIPANTS FOR

TRANS AND NONBINARY EXPERIENCES IN SOCIAL WORK EDUCATION

- Requirements:

 18 years old or older

 Identify as gender diverse (such as trans, two-spirit, nonbinary, agender)

 Are either:

 A) a social work student in the last two years
 - - (current, withdrawn, or graduated) OR
 B) social work faculty (part time or full-time)
 teaching within the last two years



Expectations:
Complete one 30-45 minute Zoom
interview about your experiences
in social work education as a
gender diverse person.



Compensation: 20-30 people will complete the interview and receive a \$15 gift card by email.



INTERESTED? Contact M. Killian Kinney (they/them) at markkinn@iu.edu or Richard Brandon-Friedman (he/him) at rifriedm@iu.edu





UTA Academic Calendar

Evidence-Based Practice Research Guide

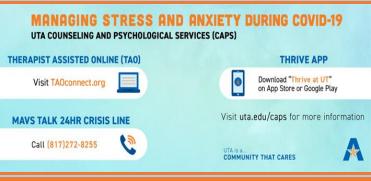


Check Canvas for the MavsUnite Page! To add please e-mail:

Emily Clark

SAR Center

(Formerly Office of Students with Disabilities)













UTA Library Accessibility

On-Demand & Live Fitness Classes



Rental Assistance Program

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



Emergency Assistance Fund

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

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

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.

If you have any questions or content suggestion for the newsletter, please contact Olga Carrillo: Olga.carrillo@mavs.uta.edu



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