

SOCIAL WORK MINOR

Students interested in a social work minor are required to take a sequence of six courses (totaling 18 hours) which must include four required courses and two social work electives. Grades of "C" or better must be earned in all minor courses.

Related Programs

Major

- Social Work (BSW) (<https://catalog.luc.edu/undergraduate/social-work/bsw-degree-program/>)

Combined

- Social Work (BSW/MSW) (<https://catalog.luc.edu/undergraduate/accelerated-bachelors-masters-program/bsw-msw-five-year-degree-program/>)

Curriculum

Code	Title	Hours
Minor Requirements		
SOWK 200	Introduction to Social Work	3
SOWK 307	Social Work Policy and Community Intervention	3
SOWK 305	Life Span Development, Human Behavior, Trauma, & Theory	3
SOWK 370	Power, Oppression, Privilege, and Social Justice	3
Elective Courses		
Select two of the following:		6
SOWK 361	Special Topics	
SOWK 390	Research and Evaluation in Social Work Practice	
SOWK 709	Social Work and Law	
SOWK 722	Introduction to Alcohol and Other Drug Disorders	
SOWK 730	Immigration Dynamics and U.S. Social Policy	
SOWK 731	Social Work Practice with Refugees and Immigrants	
SOWK 732	Migration, Social Justice, and Human Rights	
SOWK 733	North American Migration Dynamics, Challenges & Opportunity	
SOWK 734	Social Policy and Older Adults	
SOWK 735	Loss, Grief, and Dying	
Total Hours		18

Suggested Sequence of Courses

The below sequence of courses is meant to be used as a suggested path for completing coursework. An individual student's completion of requirements depends on course offerings in a given term as well as the start term for a major or graduate study. Students should consult their advisor for assistance with course selection.

Course	Title	Hours
Year 1		
Fall		
SOWK 200	Introduction to Social Work (Freshman year or later)	3
Hours		3

Year 2

Fall

SOWK 370	Power, Oppression, Privilege, and Social Justice (Sophomore year or later)	3
Hours		3

Year 3

Fall

SOWK 307	Social Work Policy and Community Intervention (Junior year or later)	3
SOWK Elective (Junior year or later)		3
Hours		6

Spring

SOWK 305	Life Span Development, Human Behavior, Trauma, & Theory (Junior year or later)	3
SOWK Elective (Junior year or later)		3
Hours		6
Total Hours		18