2013-2014** Advanced Standing 30-Hour Curriculum Plans

Welcome prospective or enrolled student!

If you are prospective student, please peruse carefully through the curriculum plans and their deadlines below to see what plan works best for you and your lifestyle and so you know when all of your documentation is due. After you have been accepted into the Master of Science in Social Work program, you will enroll for the classes based on which curriculum plan you decide to pursue.

If you are a current student, keep this curriculum plan close to you so you stay on track to graduate on time. Information on the exact process for enrolling in a course can be found on the last page.

Below are the curriculum plans and the due dates for each plan. Please look through it carefully to make the most informed decision on which plan is the best fit for you.

Please Note: If you wish to specialize in either **Gerontology**, **Psychosocial Oncology**, **Alcohol & Drug Counseling**, or **Mental Health**, you must decide before enrolling which specialization will be your focus and chose your electives accordingly. If you do not want to specialize, you may choose whichever electives you wish.

ADVANCED STANDING 30-HOUR PROGRAM	
Name of Plan	
AA. 2 Semester Full-Time Plan	
BB. 3 Semester Full-Time Plan	**(SUMMER START DATE)**
CC. 4 Semester Full-Time Plan	**(SUMMER START DATE)**
DD. 4 Semester Full-Time Saturday Plan	**CAMPUS STUDENTS ONLY (SUMMER)**
EE. 5 Semester Part-Time Plan	
FF. 3 Semester Full-Time Saturday Plan	**CAMPUS STUDENTS ONLY**
GG. 3 Semester MFT – Prep Plan	**CAMPUS STUDENTS ONLY (SUMMER)**
HH. 3 Semester Full-Time Plan	

***These are the curriculum plans and deadlines for the current year. The curriculum plans and deadlines are updated each summer for the following year.*

Curriculum Plan AA: 2 Semester Full-Time Plan

DEADLINES:
Jan 30 – If desiring a practicum that is not on the Kent agency roster
Feb 28 – Must select a practicum from the Kent agency roster
May 30 – FINAL DEADLINE—Must select a practicum from the Kent agency roster

First Year		
Fall	**Spring**	**Summer**
SW 641 Adv. SW Practice I* **SW 640** Adv. SW Practice II* **SW 668** Adv. Research Practice I **SW 672** Adv. SW Practicum I* **Elective 1****	**SW 677** Adv. SW Practice III* **SW 669** Adv. Research Practice II **SW 673** Adv. SW Practicum II* **Elective 2**** **Elective 3****	***Graduate in May***

**SW 641, SW 640 & SW 672 (Fall) and SW 677 & SW 673 (Spring) must be taken simultaneously.*
***Student may choose any elective course with a section number of 50-59.*

Curriculum Plan BB: 3 Semester Full-Time Plan

DEADLINES:
Jan 30 – If desiring a practicum that is not on the Kent agency roster
Feb 28 – FINAL DEADLINE—Must select a practicum from the Kent agency roster

First Year		
Summer	**Fall**	**Spring**
SW 641 Adv. SW Practice I* **Elective 1****	**SW 640** Adv. SW Practice II* **SW 668** Adv. Research Practice I **SW 672** Adv. SW Practicum I* **Elective 2****	**SW 677** Adv. SW Practice III* **SW 669** Adv. Research Practice II **SW 673** Adv. SW Practicum II* **Elective 3**** ***Graduate in May***

**SW 640 & SW 672 (Fall) and SW 677 & SW 673 (Spring) must be taken simultaneously.*
***Student may choose any elective course with a section number of 50-59.*

Curriculum Plan CC: 4 Semester Full-Time Plan

DEADLINES:
Jan 30 – If desiring a practicum that is not on the Kent agency roster
Feb 28 – FINAL DEADLINE—Must select a practicum from the Kent agency roster

First Year		
Summer^	**Fall**	**Spring**
SW 641 Adv. SW Practice I **Elective 1****	**SW 640** Adv. SW Practice II* **SW 668** Adv. Research Practice I **SW 672** Adv. SW Practicum I*	**SW 677** Adv. SW Practice III* **SW 669** Adv. Research Practice II **SW 673** Adv. SW Practicum II*
Second Year		
Summer^	**Fall**	**Spring**
Elective 2** **Elective 3****	***Graduate in August***	

**SW 640 & SW 672 (Fall) and SW 677 & SW 673 (Spring) must be taken simultaneously.*
***Student may choose any elective course with a section number of 50-59.*
^This plan is not available for specialization students because all three necessary electives for a specialization do not occur in summer semesters.

Curriculum Plan DD: 4 Semester Full-Time Saturday Plan

For CAMPUS Students ONLY

Curriculum Plan EE: 5 Semester Part-Time Plan

DEADLINES:
May 30 – FINAL DEADLINE (Student must be employed in social service agency where you can implement your evidence based practice research projects.)

First Year		
Fall	**Spring**	**Summer**
SW 668 Adv. Research Practice I **Elective 1****	**SW 669** Adv. Research Practice II **Elective 2****	**SW 641** Adv. SW Practice I **Elective 3****
Second Year		
Fall	**Spring**	**Summer**
SW 640 Adv. SW Practice II* **SW 672** Adv. SW Practicum I*	**SW 677** Adv. SW Practice III* **SW 673** Adv. SW Practicum II*	***Graduate in May***

**SW 640 & SW 672 (Fall) and SW 677 & SW 673 (Spring) must be taken simultaneously.*
***Student may choose any elective course with a section number of 50-59.*

Curriculum Plan FF: 3 Semester Full-Time Saturday Plan

For CAMPUS Students ONLY

Curriculum Plan GG: 3 Semester MFT – Prep Plan

For CAMPUS Students ONLY

Curriculum Plan HH: 3 Semester Full-Time Plan

DEADLINES:
Jan 30 – If desiring a practicum that is not on the Kent agency roster
Feb 28 – Must select a practicum from the Kent agency roster
May 30 – FINAL DEADLINE—Must select a practicum from the Kent agency roster

First Year		
Fall	**Spring**	**Summer**
SW 641 Adv. SW Practice I* **SW 640** Adv. SW Practice II * **SW 668** Adv. Research Practice I **SW 672** Adv. SW Practicum I*	**SW 669** Adv. Research Practice II **SW 673** Adv. SW Practicum II* **SW 677** Adv. SW Practice III* **Elective 1****	**Elective 2**** **Elective 3**** ***Graduate in August***

**SW 641, SW 640 & SW 672 (Fall) and SW 677 & SW 673 (Spring) must be taken simultaneously.*
***Student may choose any elective course with a section number of 50-59.*

Specializations for 30-Hour Curriculum Plans

*For specialization students, the electives and the advanced practicum (SW 672 & SW 673) are determined by the specialization. Please see the notes below to determine which electives **must** be taken to meet the requirements of the specialization.*

Gerontology

- SW 681 Social Gerontology
- SW 682 Social Work with Older Persons
- One of: SW 615 Mental Health, SW 636 Death & Grief, SW 642 Psychopathology, SW 662 Substance Abuse

Additional Gerontology Requirements:

- SW 686 PPP Supervision I (must be taken with SW 640 Adv. SW Practice II and SW 672 Adv. SW Practicum I)
- SW 687 PPP Supervision II (must be taken with SW 677 Adv. SW Practice III and SW 673 Adv. SW Practicum II)

Psychosocial Oncology

- SW 697 Psychosocial Practice in Oncology: Interpersonal Practice
- SW 697 Psychosocial Practice in Oncology: Organizations and Communities
- One of: SW 633 SW and Human Sexuality, SW 636 Death and Grief, SW 697 Health Care Delivery in Developing Countries

Additional Psychosocial Oncology Requirements:

- SW 697 Psychosocial Oncology Specialization Integrative Seminar I (Fall) (must be taken with SW 640 Adv. SW Practice II and SW 672 Adv. SW Practicum I)
- SW 697 Psychosocial Oncology Specialization Integrative Seminar II (Spring) (must be taken with SW 677 Adv. SW Practice III and SW 673 Adv. SW Practicum II)

Alcohol & Drug Counseling

- SW 660 Motivation & Change
- SW 661 Advanced Issues in Substance Abuse Treatment
- SW 662 Substance Abuse

Additional Alcohol & Drug Counseling Requirements:

- SW 678 Adv. ADCS Practicum Seminar Fall (must be taken with SW 640 Adv. SW Practice II and SW 672 Adv. SW Practicum I)
- SW 679 Adv. ADCS Practicum Seminar Spring (must be taken with SW 677 Adv. SW Practice III and SW 673 Adv. SW Practicum II)

Mental Health

- SW 615 Mental Health
- SW 642 Psychopathology
- SW 657 Group Methods

Additional Mental Health Requirements:

- SW 691 MH Integrative Seminar I (must be taken with SW 640 Adv. SW Practice II and SW 672 Adv. SW Practicum I)
- SW 692 MH Integrative Seminar II (must be taken with SW 677 Adv. SW Practice III and SW 673 Adv. SW Practicum II)

Once Enrolled (Please Review Before Applying)

Once you are enrolled at the University of Louisville in the Master of Science in Social Work, you will register for courses. Important information regarding registering for courses is listed below.

Information Regarding Registering for Classes:

- When registering for classes each semester, students should refer to their curriculum plan.
    - The curriculum plans are used to ensure that students proceed through the MSSW program as quickly and successfully as possible.
- **Students are required to follow their chosen curriculum plan every semester when registering for courses.**
    - Please note: All students initial an agreement when admitted that they will follow their chosen curriculum plan while at the Kent School.
- Before making any changes to their chosen curriculum plan, students must have the approval of the Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, Dr. Anna Faul (acfaul01@louisville.edu).
- Adding/Dropping classes not indicated on the curriculum plan may delay the students' graduation date and/or affect their financial aid award!

After a curriculum plan has been agreed on, you will complete the following steps:

How to View the Course Schedule:

1. Go to http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm
2. Term: semester & year to be viewed
3. Subject: Social Work
4. Press Search Button
5. **WRITE DOWN THE 4-5 DIGIT CLASS NUMBER**
    - The online courses have a section number of 50-59
6. Continue for all classes
7. See "How to Register for Courses"

Register for Courses:

1. Go to www.ulink.louisville.edu
2. Sign in
3. Student Services tab
4. Registration
5. Add Classes

We look forward to seeing you in class!