

One Year Advanced Standing MSW Curriculum (Campus)

Summer Bridge Course Work (6 units)

Students accepted into the one year Advanced Standing MSW Program must complete two summer "bridge" courses prior to joining the current foundation cohort in the Advanced Year MSW coursework. Summer Advanced Standing course fees are handled through the Office of Extended Education and are higher than Fall/Spring fees (currently \$510/unit).

SW 541 - *Social Work Practice in Native American and Rural Communities* (3 units): Within the historical context of colonization, the spirit and culture of Native American and rural communities are explored. Knowledge, values, and skills to work with and within these contexts are examined.

SW 581 – *Research Methods for Advanced Standing* (3 units): This course is a summer bridge research course designed to help advanced standing MSW students understand and appreciate research as an analytic and interpretive approach to developing a knowledge base for social work practice. Students are expected to carry out an IRB, previously pre-approved research project. Students develop skills to conduct research, gather data, analyze data, present findings, and write research reports. Students will continue to develop research evaluation skills.

Advanced Year MSW Course of Study (30 units)

Fall Semester - Advanced Year (15 units)

- SW 640 – Child and Family Welfare (3 units)
- SW 641 – Integrated Clinical Practice (3 units)
- SW 649 – Wellness and Sustainability (3 units)
- SW 655 – Advanced Internship & Seminar (240 hours) (3 units)
- SW 682 – Master's Project Development (3 units)

Spring Semester - Advanced Year (15 units)

- SW 651 – Advanced Practice in Indigenous and Rural Communities (3 units)
- SW 648 – Clinical Social Work Practice (3 units)
- SW 643 – Communities & Organizations (3 units)
- SW 655 – Advanced Internship & Seminar (240 hours) (3 units)
- SW 683 – Master's Project Implementation (3 units)

Total Units for AY Coursework = 30*

Total Units for AS Program = 36*

**Students who receive either the CalSWEC Child Welfare Training Project Stipend or Mental Health Educational Stipend must take an additional 1.5 unit mandatory seminar each semester.*