

Dear Prospective Student,

Thank you for your interest in our accredited Baccalaureate of Social Work (BSW) Program at UCF. Social work is a challenging and rewarding profession that offers you the opportunity to practice within many different settings meeting the needs of individuals, families and communities from diverse cultures.

The information on the social work website should assist you in understanding our process but I would like to provide you with a brief overview of the requirements. Student's wishing to enter our program must apply to the University of Central Florida by requesting application materials through the Undergraduate Admissions Office at (407) 823-3000 or by applying online at www.admissions.ucf.edu. This office will also be able to assist you in identifying admission requirements. The School of Social Work requires submission of a separate application (on the website) in order to be admitted into our BSW Program. Once your application is received, the BSW Committee will review it and a letter will be mailed notifying you of your status.

We have a six credit hour cultural diversity/foreign language requirement beyond UCF's foreign language requirement that can be taken prior to entering the program or while in the program. There are also five prerequisite courses (biology, sociology, economics, psychology, and American National Government), that students should have completed prior to admission, but if one or two remain outstanding these possibly may be worked in during your first or second semester. Statistics is now a requirement to be taken your first semester and can be applied to entering the Masters in Social Work Program (MSW) if you decide to continue with your higher education. Once UCF receives and posts your transcripts, I will be able to tell you if the requirements have been met.

I hope you find the enclosed information helpful. If you have any questions or concerns after reading the program information, please feel free to contact me by phone (407) 823-2967 or via e-mail rkohn@mail.ucf.edu. I look forward to having you join us.

Sincerely,

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