BSW and BSW Pre-Major Information for Field Entry

The Bachelor of Social Work (BSW), which prepares students for entry-level professional social work practice, will be awarded upon completion of 121 credit hours of the courses listed on the degree plan. If you transferred here as a junior or senior or came as a freshmen of sophomores will be classified as a pre-major until you take the 4100 course. At that time you must complete the checklist below to be reclassified as a major in social work.

**Checklist for Pre-majors requesting Social Work Major Status**

- [ ] You are enrolled in the Special Topics 4100 seminar (1 Cr.)
- [ ] You have completion of both 2361 and 2371 intro courses
- [ ] 15 hours of volunteer hours completed in the Intro Course
- [ ] Transcript with Overall GPA of 2.50 or greater documented.
- [ ] Completion or enrollment in Practice 1 (documented by transcript)
- [ ] Criminal Background check completed (Field Director will provide info in 4100 Seminar and there is a fee involved.)

This information will be verified in the SOWK 4100 Special Topics Field Seminar before February 1st. The faculty will meet and discuss any exceptions before March 1st.