



Social Work

Our Program

At Humboldt State University, you'll take what you learn in the classroom and apply your knowledge in your community and beyond in diverse settings ranging from Tribal social services and community organizations to public policy.

Our students form lasting partnerships with faculty and our professors are committed to mentoring. We focus on building reciprocal and dynamic relationships with you and your home community through professional internships; between the curriculum and your lived experiences; and among students and faculty through intentionally-fostered online learning communities.

In consultation with local Tribal communities, our program curriculum maintains an emphasis on working with Indigenous and rural peoples and is designed to assist our students in decolonizing social work by maintaining a commitment to Tribal sovereignty and the Rights of Indigenous Peoples through acknowledging and respecting the strengths and wisdom of Tribal communities.

It doesn't matter where you live or work, you can earn your Social Work degree from Humboldt State University. Our program is rigorous and fully accredited by the Council on Social Work Education. Courses are designed to support people who are rooted in their communities. Whether you want to advance in your current career, make a transition, or add a degree to amplify your voice and better serve the community you call home, our accessible program has an option to meet your needs.

Humboldt State University is situated in a geographic region with numerous community resources, including social and environmental justice organizations and movements with a long history of activism and involvement in local government.

We offer an affordable tuition rate wherever you live. With program-specific financial assistance, over half of our students are eligible for financial support including scholarships, grants and stipends.

For more information

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Bachelor of Arts

Master of Social Work (online or on campus)

Career Areas

- Addictions
- Adoptions
- Agency Administration
- Child Welfare
- Clinical Settings
- Community Organizing
- Corrections
- Domestic Violence
- Family Planning
- Foster Care
- Gerontology
- Group Homes
- Home Health
- Hospice
- Hospitals
- Independent Living
- Juvenile & Adult Probation
- Lobbying
- Media
- Mental Health
- Mentoring
- Parole
- Pregnancy & Parenting
- Public Health
- Public Officials
- Public Policy
- Rehabilitation
- Research
- Residential Treatment
- Schools & Colleges
- Youth Advocacy
- Youth Development

Some of the careers listed may require additional or specialized coursework.

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