

Field Education Committee Minutes

Date: March 4, 2024

Purpose: To ensure curriculum integration between classroom and field education. To evaluate field program to ensure high quality social work education.

Members Present: Jenny Becker (field director), Kennedy Rohe (BSW student rep), Jet Kofoot (MSW Foundation student rep), Jonathan Bluemke (MSW Foundation student rep), Diane Rolf (MSW Specialization student rep)

Unable to attend: Rebecca Dickinson (faculty),

Agenda and Minutes Shared With: SW Department, SSWA, Posted online at www.uni.edu/csbs/socialwork/field-instruction

Follow Up

1. Spring 2024

- a. Learning Plan tutorial offered during first BSW field seminar
- b. Will continue with this support for all students at the onset of their field experiences.

2. IPT sorting features

- a. Primary and Secondary Agency Type
- b. Search option
- c. Other: Interactive maps = no, Depart of Ed = student give top 3 school districts
- d. IT Service HUB request made to explore UNI options for an interactive field map

3. Summary of Learning

a. BSW feedback

I like the format of the Summaries of Learning Assignments as it is now. I don't see any issues with how it is. It's very easy to follow.

b. MSW Foundation feedback – none

c. MSW Advanced Standing feedback:

- For consideration: practice behaviors - confusing, time consuming, redundant, feels forced, 4 is too many; supervisory agenda items are hit or miss
- Keep: hours, classroom connections, ethical standard
- Add: daily tasks with reflections

b. BSW Pilot – template & example shared

c. Creating standard template for all programs with recommendations from committee

New

1. SW 4200 Signature Assignment and Grading Rubric being reviewed this spring.

- a. Emailed BSW alumni in MSW Advanced Standing program for feedback – none received yet
- b. Committee recommended to keep assignment as is but to revise grading rubric

Future

2022 Educational Policy and Accreditation Standards (EPAS) worked on 2023-2024 for full implementation Summer 2024 (Fall 2024 for field evaluations)

Next meeting: Fall 2024