



### **Prerequisite Update**

Students pursuing a social work major currently complete either STAT 1450 or > or Math 1116 or > as a prerequisite in order to prepare them for a successful experience in our 2-course research sequence, *Social Work 3401 Research & Statistics for Understanding Social Work Problems and Diverse Populations* and *Social Work 3402 Research & Statistics for Understanding Social Work Interventions*.

Upon review of the STAT 1350 and STAT 1450 syllabi, our Undergraduate Studies Committee determined that STAT 1350 content will effectively prepare students for our research coursework. Our College would thus like to revise our prerequisite to STAT 1350 or > or Math 1116 or >.

Thank you for your consideration.



## Bachelor of Science in Social Work Degree Plan: AU22

## Pre-Major and General Education Courses

Social Work Pre-Major Requirements (22 cr.)			General Education Courses and Free Electives (39 cr.)		
Course Requirement	Credits	Completed	Course Requirement	Credits	Completed
Social Work 1100: Social Work Survey (or equivalent)	1		Launch Seminar (enroll during 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , or 3 <sup>rd</sup> term)	1	
Social Work 1120: Introduction to Social Welfare	3		Literary/Visual and Performing Arts	3	
Social Work 1130: Introduction to Social Work	3		Historical & Cultural Ideas	3	
Social Work 3301: Lifespan Development	3		Social Science GE (can be met by a Social Work Pre-Major requirement)	0 - 3	
Psychology 1100: Introduction to Psychology	3		Natural Science	4 - 5	
Sociology 1101: Introductory Sociology	3		Math 1116 or higher or Stats 1450 or higher	3	
Writing/Information Literacy GE Course	3		Citizenship Theme (One 4 cr. course or two 3 cr. courses):	4 - 6	
Race, Ethnic & Gender Diversity GE Course	3				
<b>Declaring the Major:</b> Visit the College of Social Work website to learn about the requirements to declare the social work major: <a href="https://csw.osu.edu/degrees-programs/undergraduate/admissions/">https://csw.osu.edu/degrees-programs/undergraduate/admissions/</a> .			Open Theme (One 4 cr. course or two 3 cr. courses):	4 - 6	
			Reflection Seminar (7 wks; enroll during 6 <sup>th</sup> term or when GE program is complete)	1	
			Free Electives:	8 - 16	
<b>Transfer Credit:</b> Students interested in pursuing social work should contact a social work advisor to discuss how their coursework applies to the social work curriculum: <a href="mailto:bssw@osu.edu">bssw@osu.edu</a> .					

## Social Work Major and Social Work Honors Courses

Social Work Major (59 cr.)							
Autumn Semester				Spring Semester			
Course Requirement	Credits	Minimum Grade	Completed	Course Requirement	Credits	Minimum Grade	Completed
SWK 3101 Professional Values & Ethics	3	C		SWK 3201 Social & Economic Justice	3	C	
SWK 3401 Research/Stats for Social Work Problems	3	C		SWK 3402 Research/Stats for Social Work Interventions	3	C	
SWK 3501 Engagement & Interviewing Skills	3	C		SWK 3502 Practice with Individuals	4	C	
SWK 3600 Intro to Psychopathology & SWK Practice	3	C		SWK 3503 Practice with Diverse Populations	3	C	
SWK Elective	2	C		SWK Elective	2	C	
Autumn Semester				Spring Semester			
Course Requirement	Credits	Minimum Grade	Completed	Course Requirement	Credits	Minimum Grade	Completed
SWK 4501 Practice with Families	3	C		SWK 4503 Practice with Larger Systems	3	C	
SWK 4502 Practice with Groups	3	C		SWK Elective	3	C	
SWK Elective	3	C		SWK Elective	3	C	
SWK 4188.01 & 4189 Field Seminar & Field Placement	6	C/S		SWK 4188.01 & 4189 Field Seminar & Field Placement	6	C/S	

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## Bachelor of Science in Social Work Degree Plan: AU23

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Social Work 3301: Lifespan Development	3		Social Science GE (can be met by a Social Work Pre-Major requirement)	0 - 3	
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SWK 3600 Intro to Psychopathology & SWK Practice	3	C		SWK 3503 Practice with Diverse Populations	3	C	
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**From:** [Johnson-Motoyama, Michelle](#)  
**To:** [Reed, Katie](#)  
**Subject:** Fwd: Change in prerequisites: STAT 1350  
**Date:** Sunday, April 16, 2023 9:55:45 AM  
**Attachments:** [image001.png](#)

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Hi Katie,

I'm forwarding you the communication we received from the Statistics department for your reference. They had no concerns.

Thank you,  
Michelle Johnson-Motoyama

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**From:** Craigmile, Peter <pfrc@stat.osu.edu>  
**Sent:** Friday, April 14, 2023 5:23:23 PM  
**To:** Johnson-Motoyama, Michelle <johnson-motoyama.1@osu.edu>  
**Cc:** MacEachern, Steven <snm@stat.osu.edu>  
**Subject:** Re: Change in prerequisites: STAT 1350

Dear Michelle,

My name is Peter Craigmile and I am the chair of the curriculum committee in Statistics.

Thank you for letting us know that you will change the prerequisites in your college. Our department will be happy to teach Stat 1350 to those students in the College of Social Work who choose to take this course. Stat 1350 will certainly introduce basic statistical concepts that will be useful for your courses Social Work 3401 and 3402.

Please let us know if you have any other questions for us.

Have a good weekend.

Peter

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**From:** Johnson-Motoyama, Michelle <johnson-motoyama.1@osu.edu>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 12, 2023 4:39:31 PM  
**To:** MacEachern, Steven <snm@stat.osu.edu>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Change in prerequisites: STAT 1350

Dear Steve,

I hope this message finds you well. I'm writing to let you know about a change we are making to our prerequisites for STAT 1350 (please see attached). Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Best regards,  
Michelle

Michelle Johnson-Motoyama  
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**From:** Babcock, Jennie <babcock.79@osu.edu>  
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**To:** Johnson-Motoyama, Michelle <johnson-motoyama.1@osu.edu>  
**Subject:** Change in prerequisites: STAT 1350

Hi Michelle,

Attached is the information Randy Smith requested regarding our request to update the pre-requisites to our STAT requirement. Please let me know if you have any questions?

Thank you!  
Jennie



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