Spring 2024
Electives Prospectus

We Invite You To Join Us In The School Of Social Work By Enrolling In One Of Our Exciting Electives!

Dr. Yarneccia D. Dyson
Executive Director & Head of the School of Social Work

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Legal Aspects of Social Work

SW 420/ SW 595

The course includes topics examining:

- Basic Legal Concepts and Skills for Practice
- Understanding the Hearing Process
- Court Procedures and Social Worker Responsibilities
- Understanding the Constitution
- Confidentiality and Ethical Obligations
- Criminal and Juvenile Justice
- Law and Policy Makers
- Protection and Custody of Children
- Adoption of Children
- Healthcare Realities
- Commitment & Treatment of Persons with Mental Disorders
- Mitigation
- Family Mediation

Professor Sontina Barnes, JD, MSW

Offered:
Spring 2024
Tuesdays 1:30pm to 4:15pm
NEW COURSE

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

SPECIAL TOPICS IN GERONTOLOGY

Explore the intricate dimensions of aging and how ageism, sexism, homophobia, and other factors shape the aging experience.

Join us for a captivating journey into gerontology and ways we can make a meaningful difference in the lives of older adults.

What you will learn:

- Understanding Gerontology and the Aging Process
- Unraveling Ageism and Its Impact
- Communication Strategies with Older Adults

Course Instructor:
Christina Peoples
Gerontologist, M.S.

Course Name: SW 495/SW 595
Course Time: Online (Blend of Asynchronous + Synchronous Sessions)
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A Biopsychosocial Approach to Assessment and Intervention for Older Adults

Keturah Beckham

Offered: Spring 2024
Indepth Introduction to Substance Use Disorders and Recovery

SW 416/516

Dr. Fitzpatrick

Offered: Spring 2024
Introduction to the subject of Hunger and Homelessness

SW 425/525

Dr. Fitzpatrick

Offered: Spring 2024
Special Topics in Social Work: DSM & Clinical Conditions

THE COURSE INCLUDES TOPICS EXAMINING:

1. Diagnostic skills
2. Therapeutic interventions
3. Mental Health
4. Substance Use
5. Cultural competence
6. Evidence-based practice

Dr. Frank Addonizio, Ph.D., MSW, MBA, LCSW, LCAS
An introduction to sport and mental health is an important curricular component for students that have an interest in working with athletes and those who teach, mentor and advise them. Despite popular assumption, mental health wellness is not synonymous with the concept of mental toughness that is often instilled in athletes from a very early age. One’s capacity to excel in sport does not immunize them from the vulnerability of depression and anxiety, suicidal ideation, substance abuse, eating disorders, high levels of stress, and more.