ADMISSION PROCEDURES FOR SOCIAL WORK

The Social Work Program admission procedure is designed to screen and attract those students who have the knowledge base, attitudes, and values to become effective social workers.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE
The following courses must be completed prior to making formal application for admission to the program.

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After completing the prerequisites, students make formal application to the program. Application forms are available in the Social Work Program Office, located in the Ramold Center.

Students, as a part of the application for admission process, also submit a paper to the Program Director with at least the following information:

- A detailed autobiographical statement, which includes motivations for becoming a social worker.
- A discussion of the applicant’s values and ethics as they relate to social work practice.
- A discussion of the applicant’s views of personal, human and global welfare.
- A discussion of the applicant’s relevant work, volunteer and life experiences.
- An enumeration of the applicant’s career goals
- A discussion of the applicant’s strengths and weaknesses as they might apply to social work practice.

Applicants are also required to submit one letter of recommendation from a faculty member not in social work.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: To be set every semester by the Program Director.

Applicants will be contacted after the deadline to schedule an interview.

ADMISSION AND RETENTION COMMITTEE

The committee is composed of members of the Social Work faculty and one member of the Social Work Advisory Board. The committee reviews each application and interviews all prospective majors. Students are informed by letter of the committee’s decision. ACCEPTANCE NOTIFICATION:

Students will be notified within 10 working days regarding acceptance to the program.
APPLICATION FOR ADMITTANCE TO
SOCIAL WORK PROGRAM

I, ______________________ am formally applying to Brescia University’s Social Work Bachelor Degree Program. I understand that I must submit an essay as described in the Student Handbook as well as one letter of recommendation by a non social work faculty member. Applications must be submitted by the deadline set by the Program Director.

__________________________________________  __________________________
Signature                                        Date

_______________________________________________________________________________________
(office use only)

Overall GPA_______________

Social Work GPA______________

Essay Complete ______Yes _____No

Interview Complete ______Yes _____No

Interview Date/Time: _______________________________