



MSW Program at
SHANGHAI
and **NEW YORK**



NYU

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EARN YOUR MSW IN SHANGHAI and NEW YORK

Explore the Dynamic Possibilities of a Social Work Degree for Global Practice

NYU Silver's MSW program at Shanghai and New York provides the opportunity to experience an innovative global MSW education. Extended immersion in Shanghai and New York allows students to critically reflect on cultural, social, and economic similarities and differences between these two environments, and it enhances their learning about and capacity for culturally appropriate practice. The program consists of a generalist practice curriculum in Shanghai followed by a specialized practice curriculum in clinical social work in New York City. Students spend two semesters in a field instruction agency in each of the program's two years, for a total of 1200 hours of field learning experience.

BILINGUAL PROGRAM

All courses will be taught in English. Students in their first year will have their field placement at social service agencies and hospitals in Shanghai. This field placement will be in either Chinese or English, depending on a student's language capability. In their second year, students will have their field placement in the greater New York metropolitan area, where a wide variety of agency settings are available. This field placement will be at a site where English is the primary language.

GLOBAL EDUCATION

This program is similar to the Two-Year MSW program, but students attend the first year at NYU Shanghai and the second year in New York City, at NYU's Washington Square campus. The program is designed for students who want a truly global social work education. Global and multi-cultural content is infused throughout the curriculum. Upon graduation, students will receive an NYU-granted MSW degree.



THE SILVER SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

Founded in 1960, NYU Silver School of Social Work has been a pioneer in training more than 18,000 social work practitioners and leaders in every field of practice. Renowned for its strong tradition of clinical excellence and dedication to social justice, NYU Silver is moving the practice forward, training MSW students in integrated health, palliative and end-of-life care, and other innovative and emerging areas of social work. In fall 2015, the School welcomed its first cohort of students in the MSW program at Shanghai and New York.

NYU Shanghai

Jointly established by New York University and East China Normal University, NYU Shanghai is NYU's third degree-granting campus, joining NYU Washington Square and NYU Abu Dhabi. It is also the first Sino-US joint venture university approved by the Ministry of Education of the People's Republic of China. Its state-of-the-art academic building in Pudong opened in August 2014. Fifteen stories tall, the building contains an expansive library, a 300-seat auditorium, a 150-person colloquium space, and kitchen and dining facilities. Also generously equipped with classrooms capable of accommodating varying class sizes, dedicated floors for teaching and practical laboratories for various sciences, intimate study spaces, and faculty and administrative offices, the building functions as a campus unto itself and as the center of a thriving academic community.

SAMPLE COURSE OF STUDY

FIRST YEAR - SHANGHAI	Fall	Credits
	Social Work Practice I	4
	Social Welfare Programs and Policies I	3
	Human Behavior in the Social Environment I	3
	Writing Seminar	3
	Chinese Language Elective	2
	Field Instruction I	4
	Total	16-17
	Spring	
	Social Work Practice II	3
Human Behavior in the Social Environment II	3	
Practice with Groups	3	
Social Work Research I	3	
Field Instruction II	4	
Total	16	

SECOND YEAR - NEW YORK	Fall	Credits
	Social Work Practice III	3
	Human Behavior in the Social Environment III	3
	Diversity, Racism, Oppression, and Privilege	3
	Social Work Research II	3
	Field Instruction III	4
	Elective*	1
	Total	16-17
	Spring	
	Social Work Practice IV	3
Advanced Social Policy	3	
Electives	3	
Electives	3	
Field Instruction IV	4	
Total	16	

* **Note:** Enrolling in either Writing Seminar or a Chinese language elective is strongly recommended for students in this program pathway. Writing Seminar is designed to strengthen students' professional writing skills regardless of whether English is the first or second language. For the Chinese language elective, students complete an online assessment in order to determine the proper level course they should take. Students who take a 2-credit Chinese language elective in their first semester will have an additional 1-credit elective that can be taken at any point during the New York portion of the program: third semester (shown here), fourth semester, January term or spring break, or summer semester between the first and second year.

MSW ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university with a minimum of 60 liberal arts credits
- A strong academic record and demonstrated intellectual capacity for graduate education
- Evidence of emotional maturity, concern for people, capacity for self-awareness and personal growth, and the ability to study and work in multicultural environments
- Demonstrated concern and commitment to the values underlying professional social work
- Respect for diversity
- If English is not your native language, you must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or the International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS) exam. Applicants who have earned a degree from an institution where the language of instruction is exclusively English regardless of country are exempt from submitting a TOEFL or IELTS score.

HOW TO APPLY

For information about **admission requirements for international students** and to access our **online MSW application**, visit: **socialwork.nyu.edu/admissions**



Tuition and Scholarship

Example of a full-time, two-year MSW tuition and scholarship:

- **Tuition:**
\$1,351 per point on average
- **Total:**
Approximately \$44,565/year (based on 33 points)
- **Scholarship:**
Approximately \$10,000 (average award, if received)

Financial Aid

Financial aid is available to eligible students in the form of discounted tuition. For more information, contact the Office of Admissions and Enrollment Services at **silver.financialaid@nyu.edu**.

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