Points of Progress
AT NYU SILVER | 2014-2015

Educational Quality and Innovation

BS PROGRAM
In September 2014, McSilver Associate Professor in Poverty Studies Robert Hawkins was named assistant dean and director of the undergraduate program. Last year, 129 students enrolled in the program, representing 22 states and 10 countries, with 28 students declaring a social work minor. The program continues to draw non-social work students from across the University: 256 non-social work majors enrolled in NYU Silver courses.

The program’s service learning courses remain extremely popular across the University and attract more students from outside NYU Silver than any other courses. They combine classroom learning with weekly volunteer experience at a local nonprofit organization, providing valuable services to the community. Four new, innovative courses were offered, including two service learning courses on youth and community and food insecurity. Two new electives were added to the course offerings on social deviance and taboo, and social media and advocacy.

The program’s alumni serve as a testament to the strength of the program’s education and training. For the class of 2014, 91 percent were employed full-time or enrolled in graduate or professional school six months after graduation. In May 2015, the program graduated 39 students; 58 new students enrolled in the program for fall 2015.

MSW PROGRAM
In fall 2014, 1,034 students enrolled in the MSW program, as the number of international students at the School continued its dramatic growth in all academic programs. To aid those MSW students from other countries, the MSW program has strengthened its resources for this population, including an eight-part webinar for students to take pre-arrival. Once in New York, students have several support options available, such as English conversation groups and a proofreading program.

In May 2015, the program graduated 466 students, with 39 from the Rockland County campus and 25 from the Westchester County campus. To prepare students for life after NYU Silver, the School has expanded its professional development offerings and resources over the last year. To encourage use of the Silver Career and Professional Development online program, professional development workshops are available to students twice a month. In addition, the School hosted numerous events this past year, such as résumé-writing workshops and presentations by social work agencies and employers.

A total of 491 graduates took the licensure exam for the first time in 2014 and upheld NYU Silver’s tradition of outstanding pass rates. For the LMSW exam, NYU Silver’s pass rate was 90 percent (national average of 82 percent). For the LCSW exam, NYU Silver’s pass rate was 88 percent (national average of 78 percent).

New MSW Options
In September 2015, NYU Silver welcomed its first cohort of students to NYU Shanghai for the MSW program at Shanghai and New York. In March, the School held its first open house in Shanghai with approximately 25 applicants and prospective students attending for a day of presentations by faculty and administrators, a tour of the new NYU Shanghai building, and admissions interviews.

Back in New York, the School welcomed the first class of students in September 2015 for a new dual master’s degree program in social work and health advocacy with Sarah Lawrence College. The program combines the theoretical knowledge bases of the two disciplines and prepares graduates to be social workers and health advocates for clinical practice with patients and families in diverse health care settings. In addition, graduates will have in-depth knowledge of macro practice aimed at reducing structural barriers to health care, such as poverty and racism.

PHD PROGRAM
The PhD program has strengthened its research-intensive reputation, positioning graduates for top-tier academic and research opportunities and cultivating independent investigators, scholars, and social work leaders.

The best example of this evolution in 2014-2015: the work and accomplishments of students. Doctoral students authored or coauthored 42 scholarly publications and made 53 conference presentations. These numbers more than doubled in the last year. The program has made a focused effort to increase research funding to students. Six received external funding, including two federally funded awards. Seven students graduated in May 2015, with three securing tenure-track faculty positions at McGill University, Samford University, and UNC-Chapel Hill. Two more students graduated in September 2015 with tenure-track positions at Hunter College and Rutgers University.

Also in September, formal implementation of a revised curriculum began. This curriculum provides more emphasis on quantitative and qualitative methodological training, focused specialization courses establishing substantive expertise in areas related to social welfare, a structured research mentorship program, and intense career preparation with significant involvement in faculty research.

A new dual degree PhD option in Shanghai is closer to its launch as NYU Silver signed a Memorandum of Understanding in March with the School of Social Development at East China Normal University (ECNU). Students are expected to start in fall 2016, and will spend half their time in New York City taking required foundation courses and the other half in Shanghai for their disciplinary specialization coursework. Each student will have a faculty mentor from NYU and ECNU. Upon successful completion, students will be issued a PhD in social work from NYU and an ECNU PhD degree from the School of Social Development.
Social Justice and Diversity

Last fall two grand jury decisions—in Ferguson and Staten Island—deeply touched communities across the United States. NYU Silver sponsored several forums for discussions, and students, faculty, and staff joined the larger New York community in demonstrations protesting issues of systemic, structural injustice. In December, the NYU Silver community held a moment of silence for Michael Brown, Eric Garner, and others who have been victims of injustice, outside of 1 Washington Square North.

Students, administrators, and staff had the opportunity to design and implement programs that address contemporary issues related to social justice, diversity, and social work practice through the spring 2015 Social Justice and Diversity Grant Challenge. This year’s grant-sponsored programs were:

- **Contemporary Social Justice Issues: Addressing the Social Hardships that Young Face in the 21st Century** co-sponsored by the Students of Color Collective, the Student Collective for Global Social Work, and the Phi Alpha National Honor Society - Pi Pi Chapter.
- **Next Step: College** co-sponsored by the Center for Multicultural Education and the McSilver Institute for Poverty Policy and Research.
- **Trans Care Basics: Clinical Work with the Transgender Population** co-sponsored by the OUT Faculty & Staff Group and Pride In Practice.
- **Sexual Violence Awareness and Prevention Conference** co-sponsored by the Students of Color Collective, the Chinese Student Support Group, and the Sexual Violence Awareness Committee.
- **Addressing Victims’ Needs: Creating Holistic Models of Support for Victims of Intimate Partner Violence** co-sponsored by the Center on Violence and Recovery, Global Spiritual Life at NYU, and the Latino Social Work Student Organization (LSWSO).
- **Voices of Young Asians and Asian-Americans in the United States** co-sponsored by the Student Collective for Global Social Work and the Chinese Student Support Group.
- **Recruit, Support, and Develop Latino Social Workers** co-sponsored by the LSWSO. The LSWSO was also honored with a 2015 NYU President’s Service Award recognizing the group’s significant impact on the NYU community.

Faculty members are at the helm of projects promoting issues of diversity at the School. Clinical Assistant Professor Alison Aldrich serves as chair on the NYU Silver OUT Faculty & Staff Group—recipient of a 2015 Social Justice and Diversity Grant—whose mission is to promote social justice and to provide education support for students, staff, and faculty on LGBTQ issues.

The NYU Office of the Vice Provost for Faculty, Arts, Humanities and Diversity awarded NYU Silver faculty members Diane Grodney, Robin Miller, and Tazuko Shibusawa funding to create a two-part training to improve instructor skills in facilitating challenging classroom conversations on race and racism. For a year, in collaboration with students and other faculty members, they have been developing a video and content for workshops aimed to assist instructors develop alternative interventions, based on an anti-racist teaching approach and increased self-awareness. The first training will take place in November 2015.

Community Engagement

**EVER-GROWING GLOBAL LEARNING OPTIONS**

This year’s global learning offerings for students spanned the globe with programs in Buenos Aires, Argentina; Paris, France; Puebla, Mexico; Tel Aviv, Israel; and Washington, DC. In total, 68 students enrolled in NYU Silver’s global programs in 2014-2015.

In fall 2015, NYU Silver launched its first semester-long study abroad course in Buenos Aires. Students will take four NYU Silver courses plus an elective and have their field placement with one of the McSilver Institute’s community-based partners in Argentina. In the spring semester, students will work in New York with the McSilver Institute.

This past winter the Silver School signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Faculty of Applied Social Sciences at RheinMain University of Applied Sciences in Wiesbaden, Germany, to foster collaborative faculty research and student education between the two schools, including a joint international summer school, expected to take place in 2016.

**FIELD LEARNING INNOVATION**

As the School grows its international programs, NYU Silver’s Office of Field Learning and Community Partnerships has been building relationships with agencies in preparation of two major international initiatives started in fall 2015: the MSW program in Shanghai and New York and the semester-long course in Buenos Aires. Students in both programs will have field placements outside the United States—a first for the School.

In fall 2014, the Health Resources Services Administration (HRSA) awarded NYU Silver a $1.44 million grant to create a new fellowship program for second-year MSW students to train them in inter-disciplinary patient care. The HRSA award provides $900,000 in financial aid for 99 students over three years, and an opportunity for focused learning in the field and classroom in integrated health and behavioral health for poverty-impacted youth, reflecting the new reality for social workers post-Affordable Care Act.

Starting this September, MSW students now have a more integrated experience relating the theories taught in the classroom with actions put into practice at field placements. Social Work Practice instructors will serve as faculty advisers—liaisons to field agencies—to students in their class.

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES GROW AND DIVERSIFY**

NYU Silver expanded its educational options for professional social workers to meet new state continuing education requirements for licensed social workers, effective January 1. NYU Silver was one of the first schools recognized by the New York State Education Department’s Board for Social Work, as an approved provider of continuing education for licensed social workers. As a result, the School saw a significant growth of participants from 724 in 2013-2014 to 2,835 in 2014-2015.

The School expanded its acclaimed post-master’s certificate programs with a new offering consisting of five modules focused on transformations in primary and behavioral healthcare systems in relation to Affordable Care Act changes. In addition, the School hosted or co-hosted 25 seminars and workshops over the year and hosted a major conference last spring on creative arts and social work.

After introducing its first online lecture series last year, the School offered its inaugural set of webinars on dialectical behavior therapy, palliative and end-of-life care, sex addiction, and social workers in public schools, with additional webinars planned for the fall.
ON THE FRONT LINES IN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC’S HIV BATTLE

The Caribbean region has the second highest rate of HIV/AIDS prevalence after Sub-Saharan Africa. In a project supported by the MAC AIDS Fund, the Center for Latino Adolescent and Family Health (CLAFH) is working to increase HIV testing and reduce infection rates among sex workers in the tourism town of Sosúa, Dominican Republic, a “hot spot” in the fight against HIV. In recent years, the Dominican Republic has seen lowered HIV prevalence, however, elevated rates persist among sex workers.

CLAFH will reach out to both female and male sex workers to elicit input and guidance regarding best strategies for developing targeted HIV testing and prevention efforts. Building on past work in Sosúa, CLAFH will recruit sex workers from areas documented as high-risk locations, namely alcohol venues known for commercial and transactional sex between locals and foreign visitors. The project’s specific aims are to identify, link, and retain HIV infected sex workers to treatment.

Furthermore, the project will seek input from HIV negative sex workers on the feasibility and acceptability of pre-exposure prophylaxis scale-up within the sex tourism industry.

ELIMINATING THE STIGMA OF MENTAL ILLNESS FOR BLACK YOUTH

With funding from the National Institute of Mental Health and the Annie E. Casey Foundation, Associate Professor Michael Lindsey has spent two years researching ways to reach and engage Black youth and their families who are in need of depression treatment. In many Baltimore communities, these children struggle daily with violence, substance abuse, unstable homes, and under-funded schools.

Over the last two decades, suicide rates for Black boys aged 5 to 11 have doubled. Lindsey’s research takes into account the stigma associated with mental health in the Black community, in order to develop effective and applicable methods to reach this population. As a result, Lindsey and school-based clinicians have observed a statistically significant reduction in depression symptoms, increased mental health help-seeking behaviors, and reduced mental illness stigma. With the right interventions, these students benefit from treatment and have better academic outcomes.

Lindsey hopes to scale-up his research and intervention methods across Baltimore’s school system to make a larger impact curbing depression rates and, ultimately, suicide rates.

TRAINING LEADERS IN INTEGRATED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CARE

In 2012, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services’ Health Resources and Services Administration placed NYU Silver at the forefront of education in integrated health and behavioral health care with a three-year, $467,000 grant. NYU Silver—along with the NYU Colleges of Nursing and Dentistry and two community-based organizations—established the NYU Integrated Behavioral Health Project to train social work students committed to working in behavioral health. Specifically, the School developed a unified classroom-field experience for MSW students focused on services for women with serious mental health challenges.

The first cohorts graduated in 2014 and 2015, and the School has evaluated the yearlong program’s effectiveness via student and field agency surveys at three stages during and after the program. Students’ self-efficacy significantly increased, as well as knowledge and skills in direct service work, ethics, and use of concepts from field instruction. For 2014 alumni, all respondents were employed within three months of graduation. Overall, students felt they benefitted from the program and improved their ability to deliver integrated mental health care—exactly what’s needed following the passage of the Affordable Care Act.

A list of faculty publications can be found online at: socialwork.nyu.edu/our-faculty/faculty-works.
TRANSITIONING OUT OF RESIDENTIAL SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT

People leaving long-term residential treatment for substance abuse face numerous challenges, all compounded by the lack of formal supportive services available post-care. Assistant Professor Jennifer Manuel is working to adapt Critical Time Intervention (CTI)—an evidence-based program providing transitional assistance for individuals with severe mental illness and a history of homelessness—for people exiting long-term residential substance abuse treatment.

The National Institute on Drug Abuse funded the three-phase project over five years. Manuel and her colleagues are finishing the first phase—interviews with clients currently in treatment, former residents, and residential and outpatient staff to learn what helps and hinders those transitioning out of care. Preliminary findings show the biggest obstacles relate to lack of employment and financial and housing security. In addition, mental health needs and felony convictions limit job opportunities.

Soon the team will adapt the intervention for residential substance abuse treatment and run a 12-month pilot study. With no government funding for follow-up care, people often head down the road of drug relapses and hospitalization. Manuel believes modifications to CTI will help break this cycle.

FAMILY-CENTERED APPROACHES FOR CHILDREN WITH BEHAVIORAL DIFFICULTIES

The National Institute of Mental Health has awarded a four-year, $3-million grant to the McSilver Institute for Poverty Policy and Research to explore innovative family-centered approaches designed to strengthen parenting skills of caregivers to help youth with behavioral difficulties. Childhood behavioral difficulties often result in significant negative outcomes such as educational difficulties, substance use, criminal justice involvement, and interpersonal challenges.

The project builds on prior research by McSilver Director Mary McKay and her co-investigators, which established the efficacy of “The 4Rs and 2Ss for Strengthening Families:” Roles, Responsibilities, Respectful communication, Relationships, Stress management, and Social support. This new, wide-ranging study will enable researchers to test the scalability of the intervention across a portion of New York City’s public mental health system and try out modifications to better align with the needs of children and caregivers.

MENTAL HEALTH AND SERVICE USE IN THE LOWER EAST SIDE

The Staying Healthy Feeling Good Project, supported by the Lois and Samuel Silberman Fund, is examining the mental health and decision-making of young adults in a low-resources community in New York’s Lower East Side. Associate Professor Michelle Munson and her colleagues interviewed 100 residents and found that approximately half—average age 25 and 99 percent ethnic minorities—live with depression symptoms and nearly all have experienced at least one traumatic event. Only 46 percent, however, have taken advantage of mental health help, and only 11 percent currently use such services.

Preliminary data show stories of coping along with mental health challenges. Residents view their resilience at higher levels than college peers. Not surprisingly, participants are more pessimistic about their future, perhaps because 50 percent are neither working nor in school.

Researchers have partnered with the Henry Street Settlement over the project’s first two phases to build a foundation to examine the multiple options young adults can choose to manage their mental health. The ultimate goal: partner with the community to improve the overall health of young adults.

THE SUCCESS STORY OF HOUSING FIRST

Housing First: Ending Homelessness, Transforming Systems, and Changing Lives, due out this fall by Oxford University Press, is the first book to tell the story of a paradigm-shifting approach to ending homelessness that combines evidence-based practice and consumer choice. Authors Professor Deborah Padgett; Benjamin Henwood, MSW ’04, PhD ’11; and Sam Tsemberis, founder of Housing First, trace the history of homelessness in the United States and report on the rise of a “homeless industry” of shelters and transitional housing programs. Housing First—established in New York City in 1992 and quickly spread to cities around the world—challenged the standard “staircase approach” by rejecting the usual demands of treatment, sobriety, and housing readiness.

The book summarizes multiple studies on Housing First, including the five-year, $1.9-million New York Recovery Study led by Padgett and funded by the National Institute of Mental Health. The bottom line: providing immediate access to an apartment and support services to someone with mental illness and addiction is not only humane, but effective.

ZELDA FOSTER PROGRAM HOLDS TRAININGS IN CHINA

Over the summer Clinical Professor Susan Gerbino, director of the NYU Silver Zelda Foster Studies Program in Palliative and End-of-Life Care, and Esther Chachkes, mentorship director of the Zelda Foster Program, traveled to China to lead two workshops—in Hangzhou and Shanghai—on palliative and end-of-life care and social work. The Zelda Foster Studies Program and three Chinese organizations co-sponsored the Hangzhou workshop.

Approximately 120 social work faculty and practitioners in Hangzhou received an overview of palliative and end-of-life care delivery in the United States, such as ethics, the role of social workers, and work with the dying and bereaved. The session was held concurrently with the Chinese Committee of Rehabilitation and Palliative Care’s annual conference, where Gerbino delivered a keynote address on the role of social work in palliative care. This was the first time a social worker delivered a keynote at this national conference attended primarily by oncologists.

RECLAIMING THE LEGACY OF JAMES R. DUMPSON

Associate Professor Alma J. Carten’s historical research study chronicles the life and contributions of one of the profession’s most prominent social workers in her book Reflections of the American Social Welfare State. The Collected Papers of James R. Dumpson, PhD, 1930-1990. Published by NASW Press, the book examines Dumpson’s contributions in academia, government, and philanthropy over a 50-year period when social welfare policy was expanded through New Deal and civil rights legislation and the virtual dismantlement of entitlement programs for the poor with the ascendency of a conservative ideology. Carten envisions the book will be an important teaching resource for social welfare history and social work’s contribution to social policy.
NYU Silver by the Numbers

Research Funding

NYU Silver saw a major increase in funding of its externally sponsored projects in 2014-2015. Annual research funding rose to $9.5 million, up more than $3 million from 2013-2014. The School’s total research portfolio—which includes total awards for active research, evaluation, and training projects—stands at $32 million.

The following faculty members received major grants: Vincent Guilamo-Ramos, Robert Hawkins, James Jaccard, Mary McKay, Diane Mirabito, Judith Siegel, and Lynn Videka. They received funding from Ample Table for Everyone, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s Division of Adolescent and School Health, MAC AIDS Fund, Mayor’s Fund to Advance New York City, Mori Memorial Foundation, National Institutes of Health, New York State Office of Mental Health, and Robin Hood Foundation.

TOTAL RESEARCH PORTFOLIO (By fiscal year)

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Philanthropy

The School’s priority during this extraordinarily successful year of fundraising continued to be student scholarships.

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Diversity of Silver School Students

The percentage of students of color has grown in all academic programs from 2009 to 2014. The number of international students continues to increase—up to 103 in 2014 from 47 in 2009. This growth is particularly noticeable for students from China. In 2014, 31 Chinese students enrolled at NYU Silver.
NYU Silver enrolled 1,250 students in fall 2014. The undergraduate program enrolled 42 new students, the master’s program 476 new students, and the PhD program 5 new students.

**Baccalaureate Program**

**BS Enrollment Summary**
- Total enrollment per academic year, fall semester start

![BS Enrollment Summary Graph]

**2014 BS Graduate Job Placement**
- Within 6 months of graduation

![2014 BS Graduate Job Placement Graph]

**MSW Program**

**MSW Enrollment Summary**
- Total enrollment per academic year, fall semester start

![MSW Enrollment Summary Graph]

**Licensure Pass Rates**
- Master’s Examination (required for licensure as an LMSW in NY)
- ASWB Clinical Examination (required for licensure as an LCSW in NY)

![Licensure Pass Rates Graphs]

**PhD Program**

**PhD Enrollment Summary**
- Total enrollment per academic year, fall semester start

![PhD Enrollment Summary Graph]

**PhD Student Research and Scholarship Outcomes**

![PhD Student Research and Scholarship Outcomes Graphs]
NYU Silver Full-Time Faculty

Theresa Aiello, Retired Associate Professor of Social Work
Alison Aldrich, Clinical Assistant Professor of Social Work
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Qian Xie, Coordinator of Field Education and Instructor of Social Work
Robert Yaffee, Research Professor

FACULTY AWARDS AND HONORS

Briana Barocas: Accepted into the National Science Foundation’s Innovation Corps program
Alma Carter: Celebrated 25 years at NYU
Susan Gerbino: Quality of Life in Cancer Care Award, Association of Oncology Social Work
Vincent Guillamo-Ramos: Member, Board of Directors of the Latino Commission on AIDS; NIA Faculty Award, NYU Center for Multicultural Education and Programs
Michael A. Lindsey: Member-at-Large, Board of the Society for Social Work and Research
Yuhwa Eva Lu: International Research Fellow, Social Work and Social Policy Research Center, East China University of Science & Technology
Mary McKay: Astor Visiting Lectureship, Oxford University; Member, NY State’s Delivery System Reform Incentive Payment Project Approval and Oversight Panel
Dina Rosenfeld: Faculty Partner Award, NYU Global Spiritual Life
Carol Tosone: Visiting Research Fellow, Queens University, Belfast, Northern Ireland; Visiting Professor, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah
Lynn Videka: Board Chair, New York Council of Nonprofits
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