ACADEMIC PROGRAM PLANNING

- Follow the curriculum guide.
- Are you taking Field Instruction? Schedule your courses 2 days/week.
- Do not gamble on a waitlist. Be flexible with course selection. Use the SWAP function on Albert.
- Only attend classes in which you are enrolled; faculty cannot override a waitlist.

PREPARE FOR THE FIRST DAY OF CLASS

- Carry your NYU ID card. Don't have it? Get it today at the NYU Card Center at 7 Washington Place on Mercer Street.
- Print your course syllabi before the first day of class and bring it to the first class session. Find it on NYU Classes.
- The building location, "SILV", refers to the College of Arts and Science Silver Center on 100 Washington Square East. Most social work classes are held in "1 WSN".
- Wait until after the first class to purchase your course books! There's the NYU Bookstore, 726 Broadway or www.bookstores.nyu.edu.

Access Resources through NYU Classes

- Log in NYU Classes using your NYU Net ID
- Click on "Silver Student Resources" tab/folder
- Explore!

WRITING SUPPORT SERVICES

MAKE AN APPOINTMENT AT WASHINGTON SQUARE CAMPUS, 411 LAFAYETTE, 4TH FLOOR FOR SUPPORT!

socialwork.nyu.edu
ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT SERVICES

Your academic advisor assists with course scheduling and general academic affairs.

Two-Year, 16-Month, Non-Matriculated, Dual-Degree:
Takako Kono, takako.kono@nyu.edu

Advanced Standing, 32 Month, and International Students: Mara Gottlieb, mara.gottlieb@nyu.edu
Extended and OYR Students: Susan Egert, susan.egert@nyu.edu
Rockland Students: Arrinda Heckman Chomanczuk, arrinda.chomanczuk@nyu.edu
Westchester Students: Susan Gerbino, susan.gerbino@nyu.edu
Shanghai Students: Minchao Jin, minchao.jin@nyu.edu

Questions regarding Field Placement? Consult your faculty advisor, the professor of your Field Instruction course.

STUDENT AFFAIRS

The Office of Student & Alumni Affairs supports your professional development & facilitates your involvement with your NYU family!

Advising, Advocacy, and Ombuds Support:
Courtney R. O’Mealley, courtney.omealley@nyu.edu (Room 212)

Leadership, Community Development, and Student Engagement:
Sonia Bhansali, sonia.bhansali@nyu.edu (Room 317)

Career/Professional Development and Alumni Engagement:
Elizabeth Chon, elizabeth.chon@nyu.edu (Room 211A)

FINANCIAL AID & REGISTRATION

The Office of Admissions & Enrollment Services supports with enrollment inquiries, financial aid, and admissions inquiries.

Financial Aid, Scholarships, Tuition and Billing Inquiries:
Byron Cortes, silver.financialaid@nyu.edu (Room 105)

Registration Assistance, Graduation Verification, Advanced Credit:
Carrie Prendergast, silver.registration@nyu.edu (Room 102A)
**RESOURCES**

**@SilverCPD**

@SilverCPD is an online career development program that offers a step-by-step guide on job search, developing yourself professionally, & how to leverage the resources being offered for social work students.

Access Available Starting October 1, 2017!

- Access @SilverCPD through NYU Classes
- Log in using your NYU Net ID
- Click on @SilverCPD folder
- Explore!

Email silver.studentaffairs@nyu.edu with any inquiries

**Wasserman Center for Career Development**

Wasserman focuses specifically on the career development needs, goals, & objectives for all NYU students.

Resources Available

- Graduate student career coaching on campus, via Skype, &/or phone
- Daily drop in hours (9 AM-5 PM)
- Seminars and Events
- Wasserman @ Silver: Monthly seminars for Silver students
- On & off campus job opportunities
- Create an account with NYU CareerNet to access additional online resources

  www.nyu.edu/careerdevelopment

**Wasserman @Silver Workshops 2017-2018**

09.17.17-Career & Professional Development Resources
10.24.17-Building a Professional Network & Informational Interview
11.15.17-Social Work Resume & Cover Letter Ready
12.14.17-Perfecting Your Pitch
01.31.18-Social Work Job Search Techniques
02.22.18-Setting Goals & Building Consistent Rapport with Professional Network
03.29.18-Interviewing & Negotiation
04.25.18-Assessing Professional Skills

**Tips to Enhance Your Professional Development**

Utilize the wealth of resources available to you

- Build your social work network with your professors, advisors, SLC leaders, & peers
- Get involved with student groups
- Attend NYU Silver conferences, lectures, & events
- Volunteer throughout NYC
- Check out the Silver blog for career opportunities, events, & special courses
- Join NASW, the professional organization of social workers
Consider running for the First Year Representative position on the GSA! Two representatives from the incoming class will be elected by their peers. Responsibilities include:

- Attending bi-weekly council meetings
- Representing the voices of first year MSW students
- Planning spring Common Day
- Supporting GSA events

Keep an eye out for an e-mail from the GSA for more information, and feel free to reach out to us at silver.gsa@nyu.edu with any questions.
Get Involved with NYU Silver Student Groups

Email the groups below based on your interest!

For club descriptions and mission statements, please visit:
http://socialwork.nyu.edu/students/student-life/councils-and-activities.html

Active Student Groups

Animal Assisted Therapy in Social Work
silver.aatsw@nyu.edu

API/A (Asian Pacific Islander / American) Social Work Students for Change
silver.apiasocialwork@nyu.edu

Black Women’s Social Work Coalition
silver.bwswc@nyu.edu

Chinese Student Support Group
silver.chinesesupportgroup@nyu.edu

Latino Social Work Student Organization
silver.lswso@nyu.edu

Phi Alpha National Honor Society - Pi Pi Chapter
silver.phialpha@nyu.edu

Students of Color Collective
silver.soccc@nyu.edu

Social Workers Approaching God
silver.swag@nyu.edu

Social Workers for Women Worldwide
silver.womenworldwide@nyu.edu

White Students Challenging Racism
silver.wscr@nyu.edu

Want to take a leadership role and revive an inactive Silver student group?

Check out the group missions at the link above for more details!

- Feminists of Silver
- Gerontology Student Collective
- Knock Knock Give A Sock
- NextSteppers Westchester
- Open Space Collective
- Pride in Practice
- Sexual Violence Awareness Committee
- Silver Atheists, Agnostics, and Secular Humanists
- Silver Society
- Social Workers on Public Policy
- Student Collective for Global Social Work
- U+ME

Email silver.studentaffairs@nyu.edu for next steps!
As part of NYU's Global Network University, students have several opportunities to participate in global learning programs. Through immersion in local cultures and societies, students are able to experience social work as a global profession. Silver Faculty and Field instructors developed each program to examine social policy and practice, framed by the location's social, political, and economic issues to give students a deeper understanding of diverse cultures.

Scholarship opportunities are available for Silver Global Programs outside of the U.S.

TEL AVIV, Israel
January '18

D.C., USA
Spring Break '18

PARIS, France
Summer '18

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina
TBA

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina
Fall '18

More 2017-2018 programs to be announced in late summer 2017
Learn more at http://socialwork.nyu.edu/academics/global-learning.html
WHY SHOULD STUDENTS JOIN NASW-NYC?

NASW-NYC is Where Social Workers Connect

STUDENTS GET A 75% DISCOUNT ON THE MEMBERSHIP RATE…

- Students pay only $48 – regular membership is $190
- Plus 3 more years of membership discounts after graduation
- Members get 60% off Test Prep and gain access to NASW Scholarships

GET VITAL LICENSING INFORMATION…

- NASW is working to ensure requirements for licensing fit the needs of the profession
- Get free assistance from NASW’s staff on how to get your LMSW or LCSW

NASW SUPPORTS STUDENTS…

- NASW successfully lobbied for a $5 million student loan forgiveness program
- Distributed over $200,000 in scholarships through the Latino Social Work Task Force

IMPROVE YOUR JOB SEARCH AND NETWORKING…

- Use NASW’s online job listings
- Meet potential employers and future colleagues at special events and committee meetings

YOUR MEMBERSHIP PROMOTES DIVERSITY…

NASW is diversifying the workforce with projects such as;

- Undoing Racism
- Latino Social Work Task Force
- Asian-American Social Work Leaders
- Social Workers of African Descent

JOIN ONLINE OR CALL NOW!!

To join online, go to http://www.naswnyc.org

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Counseling and Wellness Services (CWS) can help!

What is counseling?
Counseling is a professional relationship with a therapist to help you with personal problems. Counselors serve as skilled listeners who help you clarify issues, explore feelings, and discuss effective coping for your problems.

Who can use CWS?
NYU students enrolled in any degree program are entitled to CWS services. CWS is sensitive to racial, cultural and language concerns and is LGBT affirmative.

But I’m not crazy.
You don’t have to be severely disturbed to speak with a counselor. On the contrary, it’s a sign of health to recognize when you have a problem and seek help for it.

Isn’t it better for me to solve problems on my own?
A counselor doesn’t solve your problems for you. Rather, he or she helps you clarify issues so you can solve problems on your own. The goal of counseling is to make you more self-sufficient, not more dependent.

What kinds of problems are appropriate for counseling?
Whatever troubles you, we’ll be glad to talk to you about it. Common concerns include:

- Drug or alcohol problems
- LGBT concerns
- Eating concerns
- Feeling lonely
- Feeling sad or depressed
- Stress or anxiety
- Cross-cultural adjustments
- Adjusting to NYU, NYC or the U.S.
- Roommate or relationship problems
- Anything else that concerns you!

Does counseling go on my official record?
Absolutely not. Your visits to CWS are confidential. Information may be shared in case of a psychological emergency requiring hospitalization, a serious and immediate threat to someone’s life, or suspected child abuse. These exceptions are very rare, however. In almost all cases, no one outside of CWS knows about your counseling conversations. When exceptions occur, you will be informed.

Call (212) 998-4780 and we’ll be happy to answer any questions and/or schedule a phone evaluation with a counselor.

Counseling and Wellness Services
726 Broadway, 4th Floor, Suite 471
(212) 998-4780 • www.nyu.edu/counseling
wellness.exchange@nyu.edu

Wellness Exchange 24/7 Hotline: (212) 443-9999
HEALTH PROMOTION AT NYU

NYU Health Promotion implements and supports initiatives and programs to create a healthier campus community. Topics include stress, alcohol and other drugs, mental and sexual health, sleep, healthy eating, sexual assault prevention and bystander intervention.

VISIT US: www.nyu.edu/health/promotion

CONTACT US: health.promotion@nyu.edu or 212-443-1234

CHECK OUT SOME OF OUR INITIATIVES AND PROGRAMS:

Health Information Library
bit.ly/NYUhealthinfo

Action Zone Bystander Intervention
bit.ly/actionzonenyu

Stressbusters
bit.ly/NYUStressbusters

Programs and Activities Without Substances (PAWS)
bit.ly/NYU-PAWS

Quit & Win Smoking Cessation
bit.ly/QuitAndWin
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BE BIN SMART.
**GET INVOLVED**

**Facilitate a Class**

- IGD is a group dynamics course discussing experiences and topics around social justice.

**Network with Faculty of Color**

- Grad Students of Color Dinners connect students of color with faculty of color over dinner to talk about journeys and experiences.

**Grad Students of Color Socials** bring together graduate students of color and their allies across academic disciplines to mix, mingle, and build community!

For more detailed info: nyu.edu/cmep
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