



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

A. Sending and Receiving Institutions

Sending College: **Bronx Community College of the City University of New York**

Program: Liberal Arts and Sciences / Psychology Option

Degree: Associate in Arts

Receiving College: **School of Social Welfare/SUNY Stony Brook University**

Program: Social Work

Degree: Bachelor of Science

B. Admission Requirements for Senior College Program (e.g., minimum GPA, audition/portfolio):

- Applicants to the undergraduate program must achieve upper division status before admission to the school.
- The School encourages applications from transfer students.
- A minimum GPA of 2.5.
- A minimum of 57 credits that must be earned prior to beginning the program. Within these credits, students must have completed courses providing a broad liberal arts base with core content in the following areas:
 - ☑ A minimum of one 3 credit course in English composition, which develops proficiency in the composition of expository and argumentative essays.
 - ☑ A minimum of one 3 credit introductory course in biological sciences which provides an understanding of the major concepts of biology, including the cell, the gene, molecular biology, development and evolution, the human implications and values associated with these concepts, and the impact of biology on human behavior.
 - ☑ A minimum of one 3 credit course in natural sciences or mathematics in addition to the biology course;
 - ☑ A minimum of two 3 credit courses in the humanities and/or fine arts;
 - ☑ A minimum of one 3 credit course in American political systems which provides knowledge about the organization of American government, including the Constitution, Congress, political parties, pressure groups, growth of the presidency, the Supreme Court, judicial review, federalism, separation of powers and the Bill of Rights.
 - ☑ A minimum of one 3 credit introductory course in sociology or anthropology which provides an analysis of the principles of social structure through an examination of various forms of kinship, marriage, family, age group, voluntary associations and various levels of political, judicial, religious and economic organization.
 - ☑ A minimum of one 3 credit introductory course in psychology which provides an understanding of psychology as the science of behavior, including content related to personality theory, social and developmental psychology and psychological testing.
 - ☑ A minimum of one 3 credit course in American history (post-Reconstruction era) which provides knowledge of modern American history including industrialization, the impact of industrialization upon social, cultural and political life, the Great Depression, the New Deal and the resulting social and technological changes.

Associate in Arts Degree from Bronx Community College.

Bronx Community College graduates with the Associate Degree in Liberal Arts/ Psychology Option will receive 60 credits toward the Bachelor of Science in Social Work at SUNY Stony Brook University. In addition, they will be deemed to have met all general education requirements at the School of Social Welfare/Stony Brook University.

Total transfer credits granted toward the baccalaureate degree: 60

Total additional credits required at the senior college to complete baccalaureate degree: 67

C. School of Social Welfare / Bronx Community College Transferability

NOTE: Students interested in pursuing a B.S. in Social Work at SUNY Stony Brook, must complete the courses detailed below within the prescribed requirements for the A.A. degree in Liberal Arts / Psychology Option.	
Prerequisite Content Areas at School of Social Welfare	Bronx Community College Equivalent
English Composition	ENG 10 Fundamentals of Composition and Rhetoric Or ENG 11 Composition and Rhetoric I
Biology	BIO 11 General Biology I Or BIO 23 Human Anatomy & Physiology I
Two Humanities and / or Fine Arts (NOTE: Studio, design or skill improvement courses don't qualify, language must be intermediate or higher)	ART 11 Introduction to Art MUS 11 Introduction to Music
Natural Science or Mathematics (must be credit)	MATHEMATICS (Choose One) MTH 21 Survey of Mathematics I MTH 22 Survey of Mathematics II MTH 23 Probability and Statistics MTH 26 Mathematics in the Modern World OR NATURAL SCIENCE (Choose One) BIO 12 General Biology II BIO 24 Human Anatomy & Physiology II
Introduction to American Government	POL 11 American National Government
Introduction to Psychology	PSY 11 Introduction to Psychology
Introduction to Sociology OR Introduction to Anthropology	SOC 11 Sociology ANT 11 Introduction to Anthropology
U.S. History since 1877	HIS 20 American Nation: Political and Social Development of a People

D. Senior College Upper Division Courses Remaining For Baccalaureate Degree

Graduation Requirements	
Candidates for the Bachelor of Science degree must:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Meet the general requirements of the University that are described in the Degree Requirements' section of the Health Sciences Center Bulletin; ▪ Complete all course and field instruction requirements of the School of Social Welfare described in this section; ▪ Complete 55 credits in required courses in the School of Social Welfare program; ▪ Complete 12 credits of elective courses in social welfare; ▪ Complete a total of 124 credits of undergraduate work; and ▪ Maintain a 3.0 cumulative grade point average in the social work program 	
Junior Year, Fall Semester	
HWC 300 Introduction to Fields of Practice (4) FIWC 308 Human Behavior and the Social Environment I (3) HWC 310 Political Economy of Social Welfare (3) HWC 311 Social Welfare Policy, Services and Analysis (3) HWC 313 Research in Social Work I (3)	Credits 16
Junior Year, Spring Semester	
HWC 304 Contemporary Social Justice Issues (3) HWC 305 Practice Processes in Social Work I (3) HWC 309 Human Behavior and the Social Environment II (3) HWC 312 Social Welfare Policy and Institutional Oppression (3) HWC 314 Research in Social Work II (3)	15
Senior Year, Fall Semester	
HWC 301 Field Instruction I (6) HWC 306 Practice Processes in Social Work II (3) HWC 315 Integrating Seminar I (3) Three Electives (6)	18
Senior Year, Spring Semester	
HWC 302 Field Instruction II (6) HWC 307 Practice Processes in Social Work III (3) HWC 316 Integrating Seminar II (3) Three Electives (6)	18
TOTAL	67