

## SP2 Certificate Programs and Specializations: Advanced Standing MSW Students

Specialization	Application Required?	Application Deadline	Documentation	Granted By:	Field Placement Requirement	Required Coursework	Additional Requirements	Notes
<b>Ann Nolan Reese Penn Aging Certificate (PAC)</b>	Yes; application process includes an interview	April 1 <sup>st</sup> , after acceptance to MSW program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On Transcript</li> <li>Listed in SP2 Graduation Program</li> <li>Certificate from specialization</li> </ul>	SP2	Older adult setting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">SWRK 769</a></li> <li><a href="#">SWRK 794</a></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rotating seminars at field agencies</li> <li>Clinical interviews with standardized patients</li> <li>Interprofessional health team training</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stipend available</li> <li>Specialized clinical training</li> </ul>
<b>Child Well-Being &amp; Child Welfare Specialization (CW2)</b>	Yes	April 1 <sup>st</sup> , after acceptance to MSW program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On Transcript</li> <li>Listed in SP2 Graduation Program</li> <li>Certificate from specialization</li> </ul>	SP2	Child focused placement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">SWRK 731</a></li> <li><a href="#">SWRK 732</a></li> <li><a href="#">SWRK 773</a></li> </ul>	None	
<b>Criminal Justice Specialization</b>	Yes	April 1 <sup>st</sup> , after acceptance to MSW program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On Transcript</li> <li>Listed in SP2 Graduation Program</li> <li>Certificate from specialization</li> </ul>	SP2	Criminal justice focused field placement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">SWRK 785</a></li> <li>Approved elective of student's choosing</li> </ul>	None	
<b>Goldring Reentry Initiative (GRI)*</b>	Yes	Spaces in the GRI are limited and filled on an ongoing basis. Although there is no deadline, priority is given to those students who apply early to GRI.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On Transcript</li> <li>Listed in SP2 Graduation Program</li> </ul>	SP2	Field placement is at GRI	None	None	
<b>Social Work in Health Care Specialization (SWIHCS)</b>	Yes	April 1 <sup>st</sup> , after acceptance to MSW program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On Transcript</li> <li>Listed in SP2 Graduation Program</li> <li>Certificate from specialization</li> </ul>	SP2	Healthcare setting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">SWRK 701</a> or <a href="#">SWRK 798: ACA</a></li> <li>2 approved electives</li> </ul>	Participation in monthly colloquium series	
<b>Global Human Rights Certificate*</b>	No application is needed prior to beginning coursework, but Certification of Completion form must be submitted after all requirements are met.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On Transcript</li> <li>Listed in SP2 Graduation Program</li> </ul>	School of Arts and Sciences	No required field placement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 required course from pre-approved list</li> <li>4 pre-approved electives of student's choosing (no more than 3 courses may be taken in 1 school)</li> </ul>	None	
<b>Home/School Visitor Certification*</b>	An "intent to complete form" is required in order to guarantee student a seat in the required courses and seminar. After graduation, students must apply directly to the Pennsylvania Department of Education for certification.		Certification issued by the Pennsylvania Department of Education.	Pennsylvania Department of Education	Field placement in an accredited school setting under supervision of MSW	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">SWRK 724</a></li> <li>Either <a href="#">SWRK 722</a>, <a href="#">SWRK 742</a>, or <a href="#">SWRK 773</a></li> </ul>	Completion of Education Law and Policy Seminar in January	

*\*Although Advanced Standing students are eligible for the certificate or specialization, students may need to deviate from the standard course of study associated with their program in order to meet the requirements (e.g., take more courses than are required for completion of the MSW degree).*