

BASW Application Process Salisbury

School of Social Work

BASW Application Dates

- The BASW Application Opens on September 14th 2023 and closes on October 16th 2023
- The Deadline to Apply is October 16th 2023 at 5pm EST!



General Requirements

- Declared social work as major
- Earned between 45-60 credit hours of undergraduate education
- Have an overall GPA of 2.5 (including all transfer credits)
- Have a Social Work GPA of 2.7 (includes all social work courses and the three support courses of PSYC 101, Math 155 (or PSYC 220 or PHIL103), and one select social science course)

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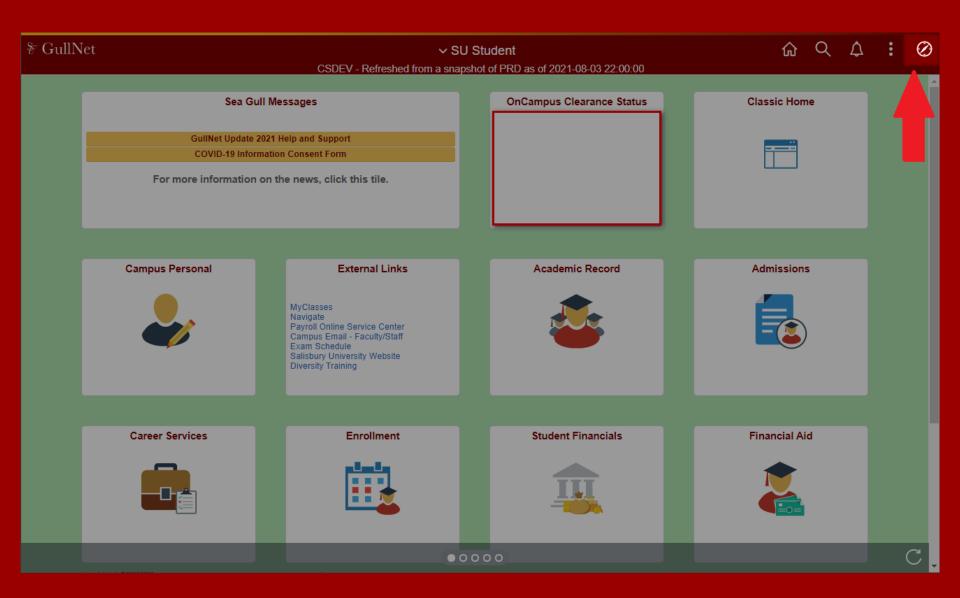
- Complete the "Application to Major in Social Work"
- Demonstrate appropriate professional social work roles on & off campus
- Complete prerequisites with a "C" or better
 - SOWK 200, 300, 310
 - Math 155 or PSYC 220 or PHIL 103
 - PSYC 101
 - One of the following:
 - ANTH 100: Cultural Anthropology and Linguistics
 - CADR 200: Foundations of Conflict and Conflict Resolution
 - ECON 150: Principles of Economics
 - POSC 110: American National Government
 - POSC 202: State and Local Government in the U.S.
 - SOCI 101: Introduction to Sociology
 - SOCI 201: Social Problems

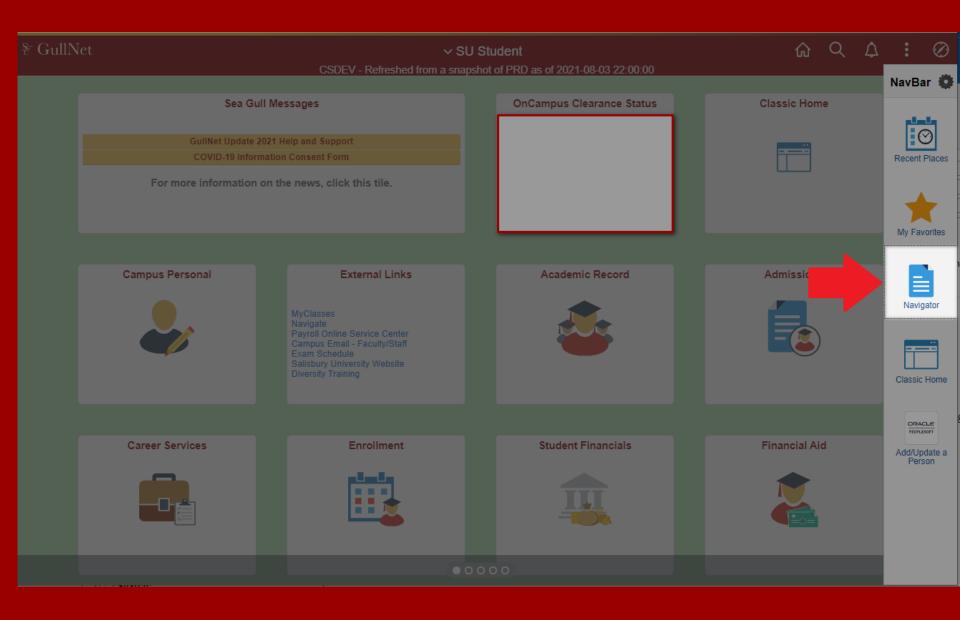


Application Process

- Students, who have <u>declared social work major</u> as their major and have at least 45 credit hours, will receive an e-mail to apply to the program.
- Complete the application online in GullNet, which asks for
 - Basic demographic information
 - Human service experience (volunteer or paid)
- Submit a personal statement in a .doc or .docx format*
 - INCLUDE SU ID# BUT NOT YOUR NAME ON DOC
 - Social Work Knowledge (Motivation & connection to goals)
 - Respect for Diversity & Working effectively people different than yourself

(* There are limits to confidentiality for personal statements)

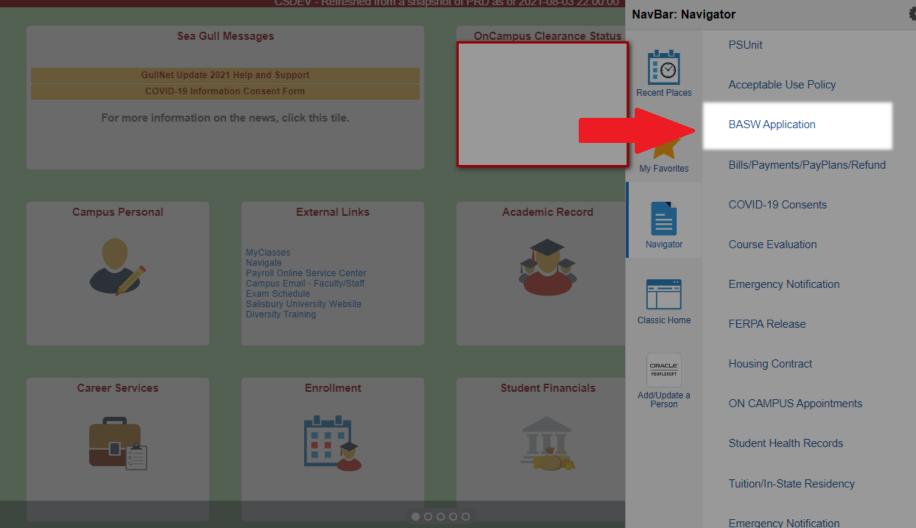






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You will not see the application until SEPTEMBER 14th! If you do not see the application between 9/14/23 and 10/16/23, please email LXWILLIAMS@salisbury.edu and let us know.

Preparing Your Application

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- Proofread BEFORE you submit
 - Utilize the Writing Center
 - Allow others to read it over as well
- Answer the prompts!
 - Why do you want to be a social worker?
 - How have you demonstrated your ability to engage effectively with others who are different than you?
 - Be honest, but be careful how much you disclose
 - Give examples that are relevant, appropriate, and highlight what you can bring to the program
- Pay attention to the page limit and formatting instructions
 - DO NOT PUT YOUR NAME ON YOUR ESSAY SU ID NUMBER!

Review Process

- Reviewed by two faculty members and the BASW Admissions Committee (as appropriate) after submitted
 - In some cases, the Committee may request an interview with an applicant
- GPA is checked following the end of the semester
- Outcomes of the Review Process
 - Acceptance
 - Conditional Acceptance with Supports
 - Defer
 - Denial



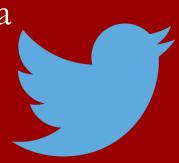
For applications, decisions are sent out by e-mail in January.





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