In response to the increasing demand for social workers in the Tampa Bay area and the State of Florida, the School of Social Work continues to expand. We offer a new innovative PhD program, we continue to grow our campus-based and online programs, adding new programs and course offerings, and we continue to increase the number of faculty in our School. We also provide continuing education opportunities on a regular basis and participate in College wide initiatives to find and communicate solutions for emerging and persisting social issues. We invite you to read about what is happening in our School.

Thank you!

Riaan van Zyl, Ph.D.
Professor and Director

School of Social Work Updates

- **Education Abroad**: Drs. Joshi and Carrión recruited 16 students for their third 6-credit Study Abroad to India in Summer 2018.
- **Enrollment**: We are honored to have over 350 BSW and MSW students in our school this year.
- **Research**: Social work faculty continue to be engaged in research to learn better ways of improving the lives of others. Research sponsors include: the National Institute of Mental Health, the United States Department of State and University Grants Commission (UGC) India, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, University of Southern California, Baylor Medical School, University of Texas-Austin, Florida State University Child Welfare Institute, Norwegian Center for Violence & Trauma, St. Petersburg Catholic Charities, and CBCS HIV RIG Special Funding.
- **Online Program**: The Online AS MSW enrolled a new cohort of part-time and full-time students in the Summer 2018 semester. Dawn Brown, MSW, is the new Chair of the Online MSW Program and Melissa Thompson MSW, is the new Field Coordinator for the program.
- **ASWB Pass Rate**: Our master’s level graduate students who take the Clinical Association of Social Work Boards examinations for social work license consistently have a higher total pass rate than the national average.
- **Global Pathways**: Under the leadership of Lori Rogovin, Program Chair, the BSW Program became a certified Global Pathways program.
- **Student Scholarship Fund**: The School of Social Work’s its 2nd Annual Scholarship Breakfast Fundraiser was well attended by alumni, friends of social work and faculty. Your contributions made it the first scholarship fund to reach endowment level of $25,000.
- **Community Engaged Learning**: Dr. Chris Simmons, Melissa Thompson, LCSW, Tanya Johnson-Gilchrist, LCSW, and Clara Reynolds, LCSW work with social work students to enhance the physical and mental wellbeing of patients at BRIDGE, an interdisciplinary student-run free healthcare clinic.
- **School Rankings**: Our online Advanced Standing MSW program is ranked #7 by BestColleges and the USF Tampa Social Work undergraduate program is being ranked a Best Value (7 out of 361) by College Factual. According to the 2018 US News and World Report Rankings, the USF School of Social Work ranked 88 out of 220 Graduate Schools.
Students

Ariana Ayala-Soto, BSW student, presented a poster highlighting her experiences in the Social Work India Education Abroad lead by Dr. Manisha Joshi and Dr. Iraida Carrion at the Education Abroad Fair at USF.

Lauren O’Neill, BSW student, participated in directed research with Dr. Alison Salloum and received a research certificate. Lauren presented her research at this year’s USF Undergraduate Research Conference.

Jenifer Ollis, BSW student, presented at the Rollins College Latin America Studies Symposium. Jenifer’s presentation, entitled Despised, Stabbed, Stoned, Shot, and Raped: Experiences of Sexual & Gender Minorities in an Urban Enclave of Haiti, was selected through a competitive peer-review

Zoe Blair-Andrews, BSW student and an Honors College student, works as an Undergraduate Research Assistant with Dr. Alison Salloum on an NIMH-funded randomized clinical trial for childhood trauma. In affiliation with this research, Zoe was selected to present at the National Collegiate Honors Council Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Emily Powell, MSW student, and Dr. Sondra J. Fogel conducted a poster session at the 2018 NASW-FL conference on Preparing to work with the homeless.

Vivian Bell, MSW student, and Dr. Sondra J. Fogel conducted a poster session at the 2018 NASW-FL conference on Preparing future social work leaders to end homelessness: Activation of the Florida work group.

Under the guidance of Dr. Sondra J. Fogel, social work students participated in the Point-in-Time (PIT) count. PIT is an annual count of sheltered and unsheltered homeless persons on a single night in January.

Under the leadership of Dr. Manisha Joshi and Dr. Iraida Carrion, social Work students participated in “Sociocultural context of indigenous people’s health” Social Work India Education Abroad. The Study Abroad Program was conducted as part of the US-India Knowledge Initiative Grant from the US India Education Foundation.

Marylyam Melgar, Samantha Clark, Laurel Dellea, recent MSW graduates, and Sarah Sullivan, recent BSW graduate with Dr. Chris Simmons presented a poster titled Enhancing Student Learning Through Service in USF’s Student-Run Free Clinic at the Society of Student-Run Free Clinics Annual Conference in Omaha, NE.
SPOTLIGHTS

Faculty

- Dr. Jerome Galea, MSW, University of Washington; Ph.D., University College London. Dr. Galea is a new Assistant Professor in the School of Social Work. Before coming to USF, he was Research Associate in Global Health and Social Medicine at Harvard Medical School. His research focuses on reducing health disparities and increasing access to care across multiple morbidities (HIV, TB, HPV, cancer, mental health), with a special emphasis on men who have sex with men, transgender women, and people living in poverty, positioning health as a basic human right. He is co-founder of Lima Peru’s first LGBTQ whole-health community center, Epicentro, which provides tailored biopsychosocial services and conducts community-based, participatory research on issues affecting sexual and gender minorities.

- Dawn Brown, MSW - BA in Human Development, Boston College; MSW, University of South Florida. Dawn is the new Chair of the Online MSW Program. Prior to entering the field of Social Work she spent 11 years working in Student Affairs at Wesleyan University in CT. Her area of interest is advocacy and supporting communities to feel empowered to advocate at the macro level. She serves as a faculty mentor as part of the USF Black Faculty & Staff Association Mentor Program, and currently serves as the NASW-FL Legislative Committee Chair. She also serves on the NASW-FL PACE (Political Action for Candidate Election) Committee.

- Dr. Riaan van Zyl participated in a panel discussion at the Bigs in Blue Summit. The summit was organized by Big Brothers Big Sisters of Tampa Bay. Bigs in Blue is a new mentoring program.

- Lori Rogovin, MSW, ACSW led a group of social work students in a 2-day service learning experience in Tallahassee for the 2018 Legislative Education and Advocacy Day (LEAD) coordinated by NASW Florida.

- BRIDGE Healthcare Clinic welcomed new social work students to their interdisciplinary leadership team. MSW Students, Charisse Reid and Georgia Berny are Co-Directors and BSW Students Jada Irizarry and Sara Jump are Co-Coordinators. They work with student leaders from Medicine, Public Health, Physical Therapy, and Pharmacy to enhance patient care in the clinic.

- Anne Marie Lastra, MSW student, and Dr. Iraida Carrion presented a poster titled Palabras de Sabiduría: What Do Older Latinos Say to Family and Friends about Cancer? at the 2018 Latino Social Worker Organization National Conference in Seattle, WA.
Dr. Iraida Carrion was named a Fellow of the Gerontological Society of America. This status reflects her engagement and collaboration in health care research in local, national, and international settings.

Dr. Alicia Stinson-Mendoza participated in the CBCS Pro Seminar class panel of presenters to discuss the MSW Program for prospective students.

Dr. Maayan Lawental’s proposal titled Stigma towards persons with dual diagnosis of substance use disorders and mental health with Dr. Tai Araten-Bergman from the Department of Community and Clinical Allied Health, School of Allied Health, La-Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia was selected for a 2018 University of South Florida Nexus Initiative (UNI) Award for $8,000.

Dr. Guitele Rahill and Dr. Manisha Joshi, participated in a Welcome Teleconference for their newly awarded Phase I Grand Challenges Exploration grant “Krik Kak: Mental Health for Pregnant Haitian Teens”. The Grand Challenges Exploration calls for proposals that are in line with the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation’s acknowledgment, “All lives have equal value and everyone deserves a chance to live a happy and healthy life.” They were one out of 35 proposals funded in this specific round and out of 1600 proposals in total.

Dr. Sondra J. Fogel, a member of the Social Work Homeless Initiative, and as liaison for the USF School of Social Work to the National Center on Excellence in Homeless Services has formed a Work Group to support and strengthen social work leadership and services for homeless adults and children. Members of this task group include social workers across the state. One of the goals of this Work Group is to focus on promoting opportunities for faculty to build their familiarity with homeless issues and promote and support student interest to learn about homelessness.

Dr. Sondra J. Fogel accepted an appointment to the Tampa/Hillsborough County Continuum of Care Executive Planning Committee as an At Large Member to address homeless issues in
Hillsborough County. It is a two year appointment with the possibility of renewal.

- **Dr. Sondra J. Fogel** served as a research mentor to a scholar from the University of Ghana School of Social Work. The scholar, a recipient of a BANGA grant was at the USF Tampa Campus for the 2018 summer and conducted research, visited a variety of agencies, and had the opportunity to meet with other social work faculty.

- **Dr. Sondra J. Fogel** was appointed Chair of the Ph.D. program. The School of Social Work is accepting applications for the 2019 cohort.

- **Dr. Sondra J. Fogel** continues in her role as Editor in Chief of Families in Society. This historic journal is entering its 100 year of continuous publication of research and practice articles for social work.

- **Dr. Iraida Carrion** serves on the editorial boards of the Journal of Palliative Medicine, American Journal of Hospice and Palliative Medicine, Journal of Social Work in End-of-Life & Palliative Care and Health and Social Work.

- **Dr. Alison Salloum** is working with The Norwegian Centre for Violence and Traumatic Stress Studies to pilot Stepped Care Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT) in Norway.

- **Dr. Alison Salloum** became an Associate Editor for the Journal of Cognitive Psychotherapy. Dr. Salloum also serves on the Editorial Board for the Bulletin of the Menninger Clinic, Death Studies, and Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal.

- **Dr. Alison Salloum** was invited to provide the Keynote Address at the Association for Death Education and Counseling 40th Annual Conference, Pittsburg, PA. The keynote address was titled, Community-Based Research On Interventions for Bereaved and Traumatized Children.

- **Dr. Chris Simmons** was selected to participate in a USF one-week Service Learning Bootcamp. The program was an intensive interactive class focusing on the philosophy, goals, and best practices of service learning, along with the experience of developing a service-learning course.

- **Dr. Chris Simmons, Lori Rogovin, MSW, Dr. Manisha Joshi, and Penne Williams, LCSW** started a task force to develop and propose undergraduate courses for the Enhanced General Education Program.

### Adjunct Faculty

- **Ashley Burch**, MSW, LCSW, MSW-University of Central Florida, 2004. Ashley is the Director of the Outpatient Program for Substance Use Disorders at Tampa Community Hospital. She has a vast amount of clinical social work experience including, in-home therapy to children and families, working with adolescents with severe mental illness in a residential setting, working with adults with severe and persistent mental illness, veterans, and women with co-occurring disorders. She loves Tampa and is so excited to teach at USF.

- **Chris Groeber**, MSW, MSW-University of Kentucky, 1993. Chris has been a social worker for 30 years focused predominantly in the area of Child Welfare. Chris was on faculty at the University of Kentucky for nearly 10 years before he gave into his entrepreneurial dreams and began developing human service businesses. Chris and his wife, who is also a social worker, have spent...
a lot of time traveling and working in different countries; in addition, their work here in the United States. Chris loves teaching; he is a policy wonk and a bit of data junkie. He believes that his chosen profession is one of the very best gifts he’s ever received, further he is excited about the idea of revolutionizing how children are treated in our country.  

- **Denise L. Mote**, MSW, LCSW, CAP – BSW-East Carolina University; MSW-University of South Florida. She is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, and a Certified Addictions Professional. Since 2007, Ms. Mote has worked at DACCO Behavioral Health, Inc., in different capacities. Ms. Mote is an active member of the Tampa Alcohol Coalition (TAC) and The University of Tampa Coalition of Enhanced Drug and Alcohol Resources and Study (CEDARS). She joined as adjunct faculty for the School of Social Work at USF in December of 2017, and is also a qualified SW and MFT supervisor for the state of FL.

- **Nikki Daniels**, LCSW, has been a long standing and valuable Adjunct Faculty in the School of Social Work, teaching many of our clinical practice courses. In June 2018, Nikki proudly accepted a position as Associate Executive Director for Champions for Children. Congratulations to Nikki!

- **Dr. Chris Card**, has been a long standing and valuable Adjunct Faculty in the School of Social Work, teaching many of our Part Time MSW Macro focused courses. Dr. Card has recently accepted the position as Chief of Community-Based Care at Eckerd Connect. In this role, Dr. Card, will be overseeing day to day operations for child welfare in Hillsborough County. Congratulations to Dr. Chris Card!

**Field**

The total number of students participating in field placements was 294 students. Students contributed 137,830 hours in field internships. That’s a value of over 3 million dollars, based on the Independent Sector’s 2018 value of volunteer time ($24.69/hour).

- **Field Education Program Faculty Teri Simpson** and **Lori Rogovin** engaged in field affiliation agreements with 25 new and diverse community agencies which serve as field placements for BSW and MSW students. Additionally, the Online Field Education Program Coordinator, Melissa Thompson, engaged in field affiliation agreements with 9 new and diverse community agencies serving the field placements for the Online MSW students.

- **Field Education Program Faculty Teri Simpson** and **Lori Rogovin** trained 59 new field instructors at the annual Field Instructor Training held in Tampa and provided 6 site-based trainings that included 48 social workers who are now prepared to be field instructors.

- **Lori Rogovin** and **Teri Simpson** continued their roles as Vice President and Secretary of the Florida Field Education Consortium.

**Alumni**

- **Dr. Anthony Fulginiti**, MSW Class of 2005, is an Assistant Professor of Social Work in the Graduate School of Social Work at the University of Denver. His research, which was informed by his clinical experience working with adults in psychiatric and healthcare settings, focuses on how people navigate difficult disclosure decisions with respect to their lived experience with suicidal thoughts and behaviors. His ultimate goal is understanding and developing ways to leverage social connections to prevent and relieve suffering associated with suicidal thinking and behavior among vulnerable populations. To that end, he is currently working on projects that explore the utility of different technological advancements, such as artificial intelligence and virtual reality,
to inform suicide prevention programming and implementation strategies.

- Dr. Roxann McNeish, MSW/MPH, Class of 2006, is a Research Assistant Professor in the Department of Child and Family Studies, Florida Mental Health Institute at the University of South Florida. Her overall research interests focus on behavioral health policy, programs and their impacts on individuals, families, and communities - particularly vulnerable and minority populations. She has been the principal investigator or a team member for a variety of research studies. Currently, she is Principal Investigator for the evaluation of the national Making Connections for Mental Health and Well-being for Men and Boys Initiative funded by the Movember Foundation and Co-PI on the Evaluation of Florida's System of Care for Children's Mental Health Expansion and Sustainability funded by SAHMSA.

- Cathy Sowell, MSW, LCSW, MSW, Class of 1995, is a licensed clinical social worker and senior social and behavioral researcher in the Department of Child & Family Studies at the University of South Florida. Her evaluation and consultation work at USF has included several local, state, and federally funded initiatives focused on child, family, and adult mental health and wellness, integrated healthcare, and child welfare practice with an interest in quality of care, innovative and best practices, and system change implementation. Her current projects include Florida Project LAUNCH, a SAMHSA initiative to promote the wellness of families with young children; Healthy Transitions, a SAMHSA funded multi-site program to improve the wellbeing of young people at-risk of and experiencing serious mental health conditions; an Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention Program, and Making Connections, a Movember Foundation national initiative to improve the mental health and well-being of boys and men of color.

- Larry Cooper, MSW, LCSW - MSW, Class of 1993, is the Chief of Prevention and Intervention Services at the Children’s Home Network. He has led a federally funded Kinship grant, one of only seven awarded nationally from The Children’s Bureau under the 2008 Foster Connections legislation. He has presented nationally on his work with Kinship families and has partnered with the USF School of Social Work to advocate in Tallahassee and Washington DC to enhance services and awareness of the needs of relative caregivers. Because of his work with Kinship families, he was invited to co-chair Generations United, International Intergenerational Conference in 2009 and again in 2011. He was awarded Field Supervisor of the Year for the 2011-2012 academic year. He received Social Worker of the Year in 2016 from the Tampa Bay Unit of the NASW and 2017 Social Worker of the Year from the Florida Coalition for Children.

- Anaïs Baily, MSW, LMSW, BSW, Class of 2009, is the Clinical Director of the Foster Boarding Home Division at Edwin Gould Services for Children and Families, Brooklyn, NY, and she serves as the Program Champion to ensure NYC Title IV-E initiatives and mandates are implemented within the division. Upon graduation from the School of Social Work at USF, Anaïs received her MSW with a focus on Generalist Practice and Programming with Children, Youth and Families from Columbia University. Anaïs enjoys writing and recently published her first book, Anaïs/Anaise: Collected
Writings. She is currently working on her publishing a second book in the Self-Help genre and to launch a professional development/Life Coach consulting business.

**Awards**

- **Dr. Nan Sook Park** was selected for the Mid-Career Achievement Award by the Korean American Social Work Educator Association (KASWEA). The award ceremony will be held at the KASWEA annual meeting at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) conference in November, 2018.

- **Daniel Schadrac**, MSW, recent MSW Graduate, received the Center of Excellence in Maternal and Child Health Award from USF Health. This scholarship provides full funding and a stipend for his final year in graduate school as a concurrent MPH (Public Health) candidate. Additionally, it will pair him with mentors in the community and the College of Public Health, in order to train him on how to be a leader in Maternal and Child Health Issues and practice.

- **Candis-Monique Hardin** recent MSW graduate, was awarded the Department of Veterans Affair 2018-2019 Rural & Undeserved Inter-professional Postgraduate funded Fellowship. She will obtain training across traditional medical and mental health clinics and across community outpatient clinic facilities at the Behavioral Health Service Line at the Gulf Coast Veterans Health Care System in Pensacola, FL.

- **Zoe Blair-Andrews**, BSW Student, received the 2018 College of Behavioral and Community Sciences Outstanding Undergraduate Research Award from Dean Julie Serovich. Zoe was nominated by Dr. Alison Salloum, who stated that Zoe successfully met all four criteria for research productivity for this award including mentored research, assisting with a faculty member’s research, presenting at local and national conferences and being published as an author on a peer-reviewed publication.

- **Larry Cooper**, MSW, LCSW, Alumnus and Adjunct Professor, received the Child Welfare Champion Award for his groundbreaking work with the Kinship Navigator Program at the DCF Summit 2018. An amazing honor for an amazing social worker.

- **Dainara (Dee) Acevedo**, BSW, Alumna and USF Field Instructor, was awarded Outstanding Counselor at the annual award ceremony held by Florida Network for her valuable
contributions at the Tampa Housing Authority Youth and Family Services program funded by the Department of Juvenile Justice. Dee was an intern with the program in 2014, was employed in 2015 and continues to excel as Social Worker in the program.

Mark Cardillo, MSW, LCSW and Erin McKinley, MSW, LCSW, were the two recipients of this year’s Field Instructor of the Year Award. Mark is the Program Director of Behavioral Health at Tampa Community Hospital and Erin is the Clinical Supervisor at Gulf Coast Jewish Family Services.

Promotions

- Dr. Manisha Joshi received tenure and was promoted to Associate Professor.
- Lori Rogovin, MSW, ACSW was promoted to Instructor II.
- Dr. Alison Salloum was promoted to Full Professor.

Endowed Scholarship

The first ever USF School of Social Work fund (Social Work Student Scholarship Fund #536009) has reached an endowment level!

A very special thank you to all of our alumni, community partners, faculty, staff, students, and friends of the School who helped make this possible. Reaching this status will help our students excel in the classroom and in the community. The USF School of Social Work looks forward to elevate this fund and continue our mission to Engage, Educate, and Empower.
USF School of Social Work faculty publications to date. Faculty names are highlighted


**Books & Chapters**


USF School of Social Work faculty conferences to date. Faculty names are highlighted

Presentations


**Fogel, S. J.** (with *E. Powell*) (2018, June). A review of courses in Florida schools of social work dedicated to homelessness. NASW-FL Annual Conference. Ft. Lauderdale, FL.


*Denotes student co-author or co-presenter
**Dr. Nan Sook Park**

“Age Integration: Building a New Social Paradigm in Aged Society”  
**Role:** Co-Investigator (PI – Soondool Chung)  
National Research Foundation of Korea  
(Sep 2016 – Aug 2020)

“Pathways to Care: An Evaluation and Substantive Component”  
**Role:** USF Co-Investigator (PI – Kathleen Herd; USF PI – David Chiriboga)  
Department of Health and Human Services/ Administration for Community Living  
Administration on Aging – Alzheimer’s Community Care (90AL0015-01-00)  
(Sep 2015 – Aug 2018)

“Limited English Proficiency: Implications for Health and Health Care Barriers among Older Immigrants”  
**Role:** Site PI/Co-Investigator (PI – Yuri Jang)  
National Institute on Aging (R01AG047106)  
(May 2015 – Apr 2020)

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**Dr. Alison Salloum**

2015-2019 National Institute of Mental Health [R01MH107522-01]  
(Aug-Apr) Stepped Care for Children after Trauma: Optimizing Treatment.  
 The purpose of the study is to examine how to optimize the efficiency (e.g., via matching children to appropriate treatment dosage at baseline, utilizing second-stage tailoring variables, and identifying mechanisms of change) and cost-effectiveness of Stepped Care TF-CBT.  
**Role:** Principal Investigator

2018-2019 The Norwegian Centre for Violence and Traumatic Stress Studies  
(May-Dec) The Stepped Care Project- Examining Treatment Trajectories and Progress Among Child Victims of Violence and their Caregivers Through Trial of an Early Intervention Model in Municipalities

2018-2019 Greater Houston Community Foundation  
(July-June) Project Reach Round 4 Houston/ Harris County Hurricane Harvey BCM Mental Health Recovery Effort.  
The purpose of this training/consultation contract is to assist with the development of a first line treatment, utilize the lesson learned about treatment development and implementation in community settings, and provide any consultation for successful implementation of project activities.

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**Social Work Student Scholarship**

The Social Work Student Scholarship was developed in 2016 as part of the celebration of 40 years of social work education at USF. The scholarship will ensure that awards are made to USF social work students who will carry the social work profession forward to boldly engage in improving the well-being of individuals and society. Make a difference today for a social work student and your gift will keep giving as they make a difference in the lives of many others. Please visit http://www.usf.edu/cbcs/social-work/about/donate.aspx to make a donation. For additional information or other giving options, please contact our Development Officer Christina Wisz at cwisz@usf.edu or 813-974-2327.
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For more info, please contact Dr. Sondra J. Fogel: sfogel@usf.edu
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Thank you to the Professional Advisory Council

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