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The **USF School of Social Work** offers a full-time interdisciplinary program leading to a **PhD in Social Work**. The program provides a course of study to prepare graduates for academic and research careers and to provide leadership in research and education committed to excellence in social work practice. **Admission requirements can be found here <https://www.usf.edu/cbcs/social-work/programs/>.**

Unique to this program is the strategic emphasis on areas that align with the strengths of the College, USF, and forecasted direction of the profession:

1. **Societal Change and Innovation**
2. **Global Issues**
3. **Health**
4. **Behavioral Health**
5. **Leadership and Business**

These courses and focus directly lead to the preparation of future scholars and educators to advance social justice and vulnerability issues.

The PhD program requires a minimum of 42 credit hours post MSW/Master's degree. In accordance with university policy requiring a minimum of 72 hours post baccalaureate for a PhD, a minimum of 30 credit hours from the MSW/Master's degree can be applied to this degree. No credit hours for field work/internship will be counted towards the required credit hours for the PhD.

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