

SOCIAL WORK

If you want to make a real difference in people's lives when they need it most, and you are concerned about poverty and other injustices in our society, studying social work is a good choice for you. Students with a vision that society can be more equal and more nurturing make good social workers. They get jobs in hospitals, housing programs, correction facilities, schools, mental health facilities, and other community organizations across the country.

academics *that* matter

Our faculty learn more about you than simply your name. They get to know your interests and help you define your goals. When it's time for your 14-week field experience, it will be tailored just for you. After graduation, you'll be among the 100 percent success rate for MC social work graduates getting jobs or into graduate school.

side *by* side

- Bruce Orr '08 was among MC seniors who immersed themselves in a three-day learning experience about southside Chicago neighborhoods. Along with faculty, they listened to jazz, saw a play, ate soul food, talked about politics, history, economics, and learned the social dynamics of the communities.

- Tim Polakowski '08 fit all he could into four years! With careful planning with his advisor, Tim spent a full year studying in Barcelona, Spain, took a January trip to Mexico one year and Nicaragua the next! He went on two Habitat for Humanity spring break trips before doing his social work field instruction in Chicago.

SUCCESS

- Carrie Darnell '08 loved her field placement at Peabody Retirement Community and has been accepted to IUPUI's advanced standing MSW program.
- Amanda Russell '07 was hired by the same agency where she did her field instruction - Sarah's Circle in Chicago, a drop-in center for homeless women.
- Jamie Charvat '07 is working as a rehabilitation social worker; Eric Berger '07 is in child services; and Kate Jastrzemski '07 is with an Aging and In-Home Service.

I FOUND

... FAMILY

I found people who have redefined my definition of love and family and who have become my closest confidants, teaching me, challenging me, and accepting me. Friends, professors, my roommate, floor mates, coworkers . . . and all close to home so that I could visit, but far enough away that I could become independent.

Thea Lamb '07, social work major

Find your place.

No wonder Manchester social work students are successful. MC offers so many opportunities from which you can choose. For more information or for a campus visit, call the Office of Admissions at 800-852-3648, e-mail admitinfo@manchester.edu or visit our website at www.manchester.edu. Manchester College. Find your place.

Visit findyourplace.manchester.edu

