

SSW Student Organizations and Committees 2017-2018

THE STUDENT COLLECTIVE

The SSW Student Collective is the governing body for students in the School of Social Work. The purpose of the organization is to enhance the quality of the BC SSW student life through programs, activities, and open meetings. It also serves as a liaison between students and BC SSW administration. Within the Student Collective there are various groups and committees that focus on specific areas of interest. All committees are open for participation to all SSW students during the entire year.

SSW Student Collective Board Members

Executive Coordinator	Marcus Smith	marcus.smith@bc.edu
Social Justice Coordinator	Alfonso Henderson	henderam@bc.edu
Social Events Coordinators	Tracy Bony	bony@bc.edu
	Maggie Sliney	slineym@bc.edu
Budget Secretary	Maddie Kincade	kincadma@bc.edu

SSW Student Collective Committees/Interest Groups

SOCIAL WORKERS FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE

The Social Workers for Social Justice promotes student involvement in social justice activities within the GSSW Community.

Student Leader	Alfonso Henderson	henderam@bc.edu
SSW Liaison	Dorothy Weitzman	dorothy.weitzman@bc.edu

SOCIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE

The Social Events Committee plans the two large social events that commence each semester and the other smaller, more informal social events that take place throughout the semesters.

Student Leaders	Tracy Bony	bony@bc.edu
	Maggie Sliney	slineym@bc.edu

SOCIAL WORK AND SPIRITUALITY

Social Work and Spirituality provides a forum for GSSW students of various spiritual backgrounds to come together to discuss and explore the intersection between their personal spiritual beliefs and practices and their professional practice as social workers.

Student Leader	Jenny Bernal de Baker	bernalde@bc.edu
	Aura Restrepo	restreau@bc.edu
SSW Liaison	Liz Cinquino	mary.cinquino@bc.edu

SPECTRUM

Spectrum is a student group for Gay, Lesbian, Bi-sexual, and Transgender students as well as allies. Spectrum educates and informs the larger social work community about diversity, homophobia, and heterosexism and provides space for students to discuss a variety of issues.

Student Leaders	Carmen Pullella	pullella@bc.edu
	Jamir Floyd	floydjb@bc.edu
	Allison Kuriloff	kuriloff@bc.edu
SSW Liaison	Susan Tohn	susan.tohn@bc.edu

THREE-YEAR PROGRAM STUDENT GROUP

The Three-Year Program Student Group is a support group for students in the three or four year programs of study.

Student Leader	Sam Gragg Meir Zimmerman	gragg@bc.edu zimmerij@bc.edu
SSW Liaison	Liz Cinquino	mary.cinquino@bc.edu

UMOJA

Umoja, an African word meaning unity, is the student organization for people of color (Asian American, African American, Native American, and Latino American). Umoja is a support group for its members and strives to increase the awareness of the SSW community around issues related to people of color.

Student Leader	Dale Maglalang Jamir Floyd	maglalan@bc.edu floydjb@bc.edu
SSW Liaison	Margaret Lombe	margaret.lombe@bc.edu

DOC: DOCTORAL OUTREACH AND COMMUNITY

The DOC: Doctoral Outreach and Community group has the goal of enhancing the overall well-being of doctoral students at all stages in the academic program. The group seeks to build community among doctoral students by providing social and academic events.

Student Leaders	Keri Evans Victor Figuero	sochak@bc.edu figuero@bc.edu
SSW Liaison	Debbie Hogan	debbiehogan92@bc.edu

MACRO SOCIAL WORK STUDENT GROUP

The MSWSG is a gathering place for macro and clinical students to discuss topics of relevance for macro social work including: opportunities for professional growth and activities in which students can get involved on campus and in the community.

Student Leaders	Madison Tallant Joanna Abaroa-Ellison	tallant@bc.edu ellisobjb@bc.edu
SSW Liaison	Tiziana Dearing	dearing@bc.edu

SSW EXECUTIVE BOARD

The purpose of the Executive Board is to encourage and stimulate excellence in the continuing development of the School of Social Work. The Board is the legislative body for the SSW with five student representatives. **There will be two positions open for First Year students.** Elections will be held in September.

SSW Executive Board Student Representatives

Jenny Bernal de Baker	Final Year Student	bernalde@bc.edu
Inae Hwang	Final Year Student	hwangic@bc.edu
Jenna Maxfield	Final Year Student	mirandet@bc.edu