

Master's Programme in Social Work

Masterprogram i socialt arbete 120 credits

F7MSC

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Board of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences

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Offered first time

Autumn semester 2024

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Entry requirements

• Bachelor's degree equivalent to a Swedish Kandidatexamen in Science in Social Work, 210 ECTS credits

or

Bachelor's degree equivalent to a Swedish Kandidatexamen with a major in Social Work, 180 ECTS credits

or

Bachelor's degree equivalent to a Swedish Kandidatexamen in other relevant subject area in Social science, 180 ECTS credits

• English and Swedish corresponding to the level of English and Swedish in Swedish upper secondary education (Engelska 6 and Svenska 3)

Degree in Swedish

Filosofie masterexamen med huvudområde Socialt arbete eller

Filosofie magisterexamen med huvudområde Socialt arbete

Degree in English

Master of Arts (60/120 credits) with a major in Social Work



Curriculum

Semester 1 (Autumn 2025)

Course code	Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
773A01	Introduction to Social Work as a Scientific Field	7.5	A1N	v202535- 202544	С
773A02	Social Work for Social Change and Responses to Social Inequality	7.5	A1N	v202535- 202544	С
745A87	Social Work in Times of Globalization and Transnational Migration	7.5	A1N	v202545- 202603	E
745A91	Talk and Interaction as Practice in Social Work: Analysis, research, and improvement	7.5	A1N	v202545- 202603	E
745A94	Leadership, Organization, and Social Change	7.5	A1N	v202545- 202603	E
773A03	Research Methods in Social Work	7.5	A1N	v202545- 202603	С

Semester 2 (Spring 2026)

Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
Children and Families in Social Work	7.5	A1N	v202604- 202613	E
Perspectives on Aging and Later Life in Social Work	7.5	A1N	v202604- 202613	E
Welfare Law Focusing Social and Economic Vulnerability in Social Work	7.5	A1N	v202604- 202613	E
Thesis Preparation in Social Work	7.5	A1N	v202604- 202613	С
Welfare Law Focusing Investigation of Children, Youth, and Family	7.5	A1N	v202614- 202623	E
Children and Youth in Out-of-home Care	7.5	A1N	v202614- 202623	E
Master Thesis in Social Work	15	A1E	v202614- 202623	C/E
Leadership in Social Work Organizations	7.5	A1N	v202614- 202623	C/E
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Semester 3 (Autumn 2026)

Preliminary courses

Course code	Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
745A87	Social Work in Times of Globalization and Transnational Migration	7.5	A1N		E
745A91	Talk and Interaction as Practice in Social Work: Analysis, research, and improvement	7.5	A1N		E
745A92	Children's Rights and Human Rights in Social Work	7.5	A1N		E
745A94	Leadership, Organization, and Social Change	7.5	A1N		E
773A04	Thesis Preparation in Social Work	7.5	A1N	•	С

Semester 4 (Spring 2027)

Preliminary courses

Course code	Course name	Credits	Level	Weeks	ECV
773A07	Master Thesis in Social Work	30	A2E		С

ECV = Elective / Compulsory /Voluntary *Kursen läses över flera terminer

