Hello,

Thank you for your interest in the University of Utah Master of Social Work Program. We are currently accepting applications for the Three-Year Child Welfare Title IV-E Distance Campuses program option through March 1, 2024.

Advanced Standing and Two-Year program option applications are closed. The application will open again August 1, 2024 for admission in Summer 2025 (Advanced Standing) or Fall 2025 (all other program options).

You can find application requirements and information here: MSW Apply. You will want to review the prerequisite information on this page. It is not necessary to complete the prerequisite courses before you apply, but they do have to be completed before you begin the program. Prerequisites do not expire.

You can find information about our different program options and a link at the bottom of the page to application deadlines for each option at this link: MSW Program Options

If you have not been working in the field, a great way to strengthen your application is to acquire work or volunteer hours in human-services that you can list on your resume when you apply. One resource for finding volunteer opportunities can be found here: Utah Nonprofits Association.

Please visit our Admissions webpage where you can view this recorded MSW Information Session. We are unable to accommodate requests for individual appointments for prospective applicants. Please check back in June 2024 when we will begin holding virtual Q&A sessions. You may email MSW@utah.edu if you have questions.

To learn about the profession, please go to the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) website to explore social work as a career and understand social work practice. Finally, The Big Guide to Becoming a Therapist outlines the different paths to a becoming a mental health provider.

The above-mentioned links are also listed below.

Best regards,
MSW Admissions
University of Utah
- MSW Apply Page: https://www.socwk.utah.edu/msw/apply/index.php
- MSW Prerequisite Requirements & Commonly Accepted Courses: https://www.socwk.utah.edu/msw/documents/msw-prerequisite-requirements.pdf
- MSW Program Options: https://www.socwk.utah.edu/msw/programs/index.php
- Volunteer Opportunities: https://utahnonprofits.org/resources/volunteering
- MSW Admissions: https://www.socwk.utah.edu/advising/admissions.php
- MSW Information Session: https://youtu.be/4LmlZLpGJ8w
- MSW Program Contact: MSW@utah.edu
- National Association of Social Workers https://www.socialworkers.org/
- Explore Social Work https://www.socialworkers.org/Careers/Career-Center/Explore-Social-Work
- Social Work Practice https://www.socialworkers.org/Practice
- The Big Guide to Becoming a Therapist: https://careers.utah.edu/peaks-and-valleys/82/