**Master of Social Work**

1. To prepare graduates who will demonstrate competence in social work practice at an advanced level with client systems of all sizes.
2. To prepare graduates to work effectively with diverse populations in multicultural settings.
3. To prepare graduates to understand the social contexts of social work practice at micro, mezzo, and macro levels, including the changing nature of those contexts, and who advocate for social and economic justice.
4. To promote the values and ethics of professional social work in the program and in its graduates’ practice.
5. To develop in graduates an appropriate foundation for a valuing of lifelong learning, leadership, and generation of knowledge.