University of the Philippines

**COLLEGE OF SOCIAL WORK AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

Diliman, Quezon City

**DOCTOR OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM**

(**Effective FS 2009-2010**)

**Introduction:**

In pursuit of the vision and mission, the College of Social Work and Community Development is offering a new doctorate program in social development.

Social Development as an area of study provides an analytical understanding of development issues linked to social forces which influence the lives of multitudes of people - across diverse sectors and social settings. It addresses social problems that impact on economic progress, human security and well-being, innovates and analyzes strategies for the enhancement of a people-centered development.

The Doctor in Social Development Program puts emphasis on the development of knowledge from the ground, and theorizing from below as bases for the enrichment of teaching, scholarship, research and practice in social development. It transcends disciplinal boundaries by taking the individual, the family, the community, organizations and the larger development issues, and as the fulcrum for programs and interventions aimed at the attainment of total human development.

The Program covers three major areas of studies: social development direct practice, social development planning and administration and social development studies. It is concerned with the analysis, reflection, formulation and implementation of participatory processes in development strategies and responses, to promote human rights and attain social justice, gender-equality and empowerment.

**Goals of the Doctor in Social Development (DSD) Program**

The Doctor in Social Development Program aims to produce top caliber graduates among:

1. Social Development practitioners organizing, advocacy and social mobilization that is equipped with the conceptual and methodological tools to synthesize their experiences, thus enabling them to theorize form below and contribute to the body of knowledge in social development.
2. Social Development policy makers and administrators in humanitarian organizations, from government, non-government and international organizational settings, who would acquire competencies in conceptualizing, formulating, and evaluating social policies and programs, thus contributing to more relevant, effective and efficient services for the poor and the marginalized sectors.
3. Social Development educators in both formal and non-formal settings in social work, community development, women and development, and other related fields, thus enhancing the development of the disciplines and becoming partners in the promotion of academic excellence in social development.
4. Social Development researchers, particularly in applied, participatory action-oriented and feminist research, enabling them to venture into the unexpected, to critique and identify potential resources of new ideas, at the same time working for changes in the lives of the people and communities.
5. Other Social Development professional, to be trained in identifying and integrating social factors, community-based approaches, gender and human rights dimensions in development initiatives, thus ensuring the social soundness of programs and projects and the protection of people and communities from the adverse consequences of development.

**Requirements for Admission:**

* A master’s degree with a general weighted average of 1.75 or better;
* Minimum of two years practice in social development (direct practice, development scholarship, teaching, social development administration);
* Submission of a program of studies, including a research
* Submission of a letter of recommendation from two professors or supervisors; and
* Passing the interview by the Admission Committee (for foreign applicants, interviews may be done through web conferencing).

**Requirements for the Completion of the Degree**

* Passing the qualifying examination to merit admission into the Doctor in Social Development program after completing 5 major courses

(15 units)

* Completion of all the academic requirements for a Degree in Doctor in Social Development as described the curricular framework.

**FRAMEWORK OF THE CURRICULUM FOR**

**DOCTOR IN SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT**

**(DSD)**

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| **Requirements** | **No.**  **of**  **Units** | **Courses** | **Graduates**  **Of CSWCD**  **(Units)** | **Non-**  **Graduates**  **of CSWCD**  **(Units)** |
| Foundation Courses | 3 | Social Sciences 201: | 3 | 3 |
| Major Courses | 18 | SD 301 | 3 | 3 |
|  |  | SD 302 | 3 | 3 |
| SD 303 | 3 | 3 |
| SD 304 | 3 | 3 |
| SD 398 | 3 | 3 |
| SD 399 | 3 | 3 |
| Qualified Electives | 6-12 | Graduates courses in CSWCD in CD, SW and WD, based on the area of the study | 6 | 12 |
| Cognates | 9-12 | Graduate courses preferably 300 level, to be taken outside CSWCD in the areas of Social Development Direct Practice, Social Development Planning and Administration and Social Development Studies | 9 | 12 |
| **COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION** | | | | |
| Dissertation | 12 | SD 400 Dissertation | 12 | 12 |
| **TOTAL No. of Units** | **---** |  | **48** | **57** |

**SUMMARY LIST OF COURSES**

1. **FOUNDATION COURSES:**

**SS 201:** **Statistics for the Social Sciences**

1. **MAJOR COURSES:**

**SD 301: Social Development: History and Perspectives.**

History of social development and overview of the current social development trends, issues, concerns and practice. 3 units

**SD 302: Theories and Constructs in Social Development.**

Analysis of contending development theories and constructs, focusing on their implications to the social development process and their applicability to specific national, regional and global contexts. 3 units

**SD 303: Social Development Strategies.**

Analysis of social development strategies.

**Prerequisites:** SD 301 and SD 302. 3 units

**SD 304: Social Development Policy Analysis and Advocacy.**

Analysis of social development policies, methods and processes for policy development and advocacy.

**Prerequisites:** SD 301 and SD 302. 3 units

**SD 398: Social Development Research I.**

Theoretical perspectives and comparative analysis of social development researches.

**Prerequisites:** SD 301 and SD 302. 3 units

**SD 399: Social Development Research II.**

Design, implementation and analysis of social development research.

**Prerequisite:** SD 298. 3 units

1. **LIST OF QUALIFIED ELECTIVES:**

(Except for SD 311, SD 312, SD 313 that are newly instituted, all graduate courses are existing at the CSWCD)

**AREAS OF STUDY: SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT PRACTICE**

**SW 225: Social Work Practice Models.**

Integrative, culturally sensitive and transformative work practice models.

3 units

**SW 226: Social Work Interventions.**

Methods and processes of selected social work interventions.

**Prerequisites:** SW 201, SW 210, SW225, SW 290. 3 units

**SW 235: Social Work Education and Training.**

Perspectives and skills in popular, participatory and gender-responsive

education for social transformation.

**Prerequisites:** SW 201, SW 210, SW 225, SW 290. 3 units

**SW 251: Social Work and the Law.**

Legislations, legal programs and processes related to social work practice.

**Prerequisites:** COI.3 units

**SW 286: Field Instruction 2: Integrative SW Practice**.

Application of differential interventive models in a social and development field setting.

**Prerequisites:** SW 215, SW 226, SW 235. 3 units

**SW 287: Field Instructions 3: Innovations in Social Work Practice.**

Critique of existing models and development of innovative models in Philippine

social work practice.

**Prerequisite:** SW 286.3 units

**CD 222: Community Mobilization and Advocacy.**

Participatory, gender-responsive and rights-based approaches, strategies

and practices for community mobilization and advocacy.

Prerequisites: CD 201 and CD 221. 3 units

**CD 226: Re-building Displaced Communities.**

Perspectives, processes and issues in re-building displaced communities affected by development projects, conflicts, socio-political seclusion and discrimination.

**Prerequisites:** CD 201 and CD 221. 3 units

**CD 227: Community Conflict Resolution and Peace Building Strategies for Community Development**.

Theory and practice in community conflicts resolution and peace building with

focus on the dimensions of class, gender, identity, and resource-use competition.

**Prerequisites:** CD 201 and CD 221. 3 units

**CD 271: Seminar in Community Development Practice.** 3 units

**CD 280:** **Field Instruction.**

**WD 221: Feminist Perspectives and Strategies in Organizing.**

Presentation and critique of local and international experiences in women’s organizing, linking the feminist perspectives learned in other WD core courses to the strategies and processes involved in organizing women. 3 units

**AREA OF STUDY: SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT PLANNING AND ADMINISTRATION**

**SW 210: Social Work Administration.**

Perspectives and approaches in the management and operation of groups, people’s organizations, social welfare and development agencies. 3 units

**SW 211: Social Welfare Policy Analysis and Development.**

Approaches and techniques for policy analysis and formulation in social welfare and social development settings. 3 units.

**Prerequisites:** SW 201, SW 210, SW 225 and SW 290. 3 units

**SW 215: Social Policy Welfare Advocacy.**

Approaches to and processes in social welfare policy advocacy.

**Prerequisite:** SW 211. 3 units

**SW 253: Supervision in Social Services.**

Supervisory principles, approaches and techniques in the supervision of professional staff, paraprofessionals and volunteers.

**Prerequisites:** COI. 3 units

**CD 231: Community Development Planning.**

Participatory and gender responsive community development planning, perspectives, processes and techniques. 3 units

**CD 241: Community Leadership and Organizational Development.**

Theory practice and perspectives in community leadership and participatory organizational development within the context of community development, **Prerequisite:** CD 201/ COI. 3 units

**CD 232: Development and Management of CD Programs and Projects.**

Participatory approaches to the development and management of sustainable and gender responsive programs and projects for community development. 3 units

**CD 233: Participatory, Monitoring and Evaluation in a Community Development.**

Concepts, principles, processes and tools in participatory, monitoring and evaluation of community development programs and projects. 3 units

**CD 234: Community Based-Resource Management.**

Concepts, principles, processes, trends and issues in community-based resource management. 3 units

**CD 236: Community Enterprise and Cooperatives Development.**

Perspectives, approaches, tools, trends and issues in the development and management of community enterprises and cooperatives.

**Prerequisite:** CD 231/COI. 3 units

**CD 242: Community Development Training.**

Perspectives and practice in planning, conducting and evaluating participatory training for community groups, development practitioners and professionals. **Prerequisite:** CD 241/COI. 3 units

**CD 243: Managing Conflicts in Community-Based and Social Development Organizations.**

Perspectives and practice in the management and resolution of interpersonal and group conflicts in community-based and service-oriented organizations.

**Prerequisite:** CD 241/COI. 3 units

**WD 231: Gender-Responsive Planning and Administration.**

Gender planning processes and methodology covering three continuous stages, policy-making, planning and the administrative actions to transform the plans into reality, thereby ensuring that development programs, projects, and institutions contribute to women’s empowerment. 3 units

**WD 312: Seminar in Financing for Social Development.**

Evaluation different strategies for financing social development initiatives,

a requirement for sustainability**.**

**Prerequisite:** SD 304.3 units

**AREA OF STUDY: SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

**SW 254:** **Seminar on Contemporary Social Work.** 3 units

**SW 255: Social Work and Migration.**

Labor migration, its social implications and appropriate social welfare responses at the individual, community and policy levels. 3 units

**SW 256: Women, Gender and Social Work.**

Gender-sensitive perspectives, approaches methodologies in Philippine social work practice with particular emphasis on issues related to women. 3 units

**CD 225: Community Organizing and Social Movements.**

Perspectives and approaches in the application of community organizing to social movements for community development.

**Prerequisites:** CD 201 and CD 221. 3 units

**CD 237: National and International Policies, Legislation and Covenants in Community Development.**

Survey of selected national and international development policies, legislation and covenants and implications to community development.

**Prerequisites:** CD 201 and CD 221. 3 units

**WD 227: Gender and Sexuality.**

Introduction to the study of gender and sexuality as a core area of women, gender and development studies, emphasizing the centrality or its investigation and reconstruction to feminist theorizing and politics. 3 units

**WD 230: Women, Gender and Work.**

An examination of concepts of work from an interdisciplinary perspective, the situation of women and men at work globally, regionally and nationally in the light of globalization, the different spheres, sectors and areas within which women and men work, and strategies for change based on responses and initiatives of various stakeholders. 3 units

**WD 270: Special Topics I.** 3 units

**WD 271: Special Topics II.** 3 units

**WD 291: Women, Gender and Development Research.**

Theoretical and methodological perspectives and issues in doing feminist developmental research. 3 units

**WD 292: Feminist Research Perspectives and Methods.**

A more in depth study of qualitative and quantitative methods which have been used in women, gender and development studies. 3 units

**SD 311: Seminar in Contemporary and Emerging Trends in Social Development.**

**Prerequisite**: SD 303. 3 units

**SD 313: Special Topics.**

**Prerequisite:** SD 303. 3 units

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(Part-Time Students - CSWCD Graduate)

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| SD 301 | 3 | SOC SC 201 | 3 |  |  |
| SD 302 | 3 | SD 303 | 3 |  |  |
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| **SECOND YEAR** | | | | | |
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| SD 304 | 3 | SD 399 | 3 |  |  |
| SD 398 | 3 | CSWCD ELECTIVE | 3 |  |  |
| **T O T A L :** | **6** | **T O T A L :** | **6** |  |  |
| **THIRD YEAR** | | | | | |
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| CSWCD ELECTIVE | 3 | Cognate | 3 |  |  |
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| Compre. Exam | -- | Dissertation | 12 |  |  |
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| SOC SC 201 | 3 | SD 303 | 3 | Residency |  |
| SD 301 | 3 | SD 304 | 3 |  |  |
| SD 302 | 3 | SD 398 | 3 |  |  |
| CSWCD ELECTIVE | 3 | CSWCD ELECTIVE | 3 |  |  |
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| SD 399 | 3 | Compre. Exam | -- |  |  |
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| Dissertation | 12 | Residency | -- | Residency | -- |

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| SD 301 | 3 | SOC SC 201 | 3 |  |  |
| SD 302 | 3 | SD 303 | 3 |  |  |
| **T O T A L :** | **6** | **T O T A L :** | **6** |  |  |
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| **Course No.** | **Unit** | **Course No.** | **Unit** | **Course No.** | **Unit** |
| SD 304 | 3 | SD 399 | 3 | Qual. Exam | -- |
| SD 398 | 3 | CSWCD ELECTIVE | 3 |  |  |
| **T O T A L :** | **6** | **T O T A L :** | **6** |  |  |
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| CSWCD ELECTIVE | 3 | Cognate | 3 |  |  |
| Cognate | 3 | Cognate | 3 |  |  |
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| SOC SC 201 | 3 | SD 303 | 3 | Qual. Exam. | -- |
| SD 301 | 3 | SD 304 | 3 |  |  |
| SD 302 | 3 | SD 398 | 3 |  |  |
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