GLOBAL PRACTICE

BOSTON COLLEGE

SCHOOL OF

SOCIAL WORK

WHERE TRANSFORMATION HAPPENS
PROGRAM OVERVIEW
The Global Practice Concentration teaches students in both clinical and macro practice a variety of skills necessary to become successful social workers in international settings. Students will learn how to collaborate effectively with local partners around the complex issues of humanitarian aid, relief, social development and capacity building. Guiding principles are human rights, global justice, equality and diversity. Final year field placements will be managed in partnership with international development and relief organizations from around the globe.

COURSES + CURRICULA
Detailed course descriptions, requirements and curriculum plans are available on our website.

FIELD PLACEMENTS
Final-year field block placements for global practice students are in the Spring. Students will have opportunities to engage in direct practice or macro work throughout the world.

The timing of the global practice field placements requires that students follow a modified program of study. Given the rigor of global practice field placements, students’ skills and qualifications are reviewed prior to acceptance into the concentration.

SERVICES + OPPORTUNITIES
We are one of only a few Social Work programs to have its own Career Services office. We offer a wide range of career services and events as well as a job listings database. Our school also has the distinction of being the only school in New England to maintain its own Social Work Library.

FINANCIAL AID
We offer a wide range of scholarships, stipends, and assistantships, and can direct you to loans, fellowships, grants, and work opportunities. Visit our website where you will have access to a scholarship database with the most up to date listing of information on scholarships, grants and fellowships.

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