

Social Work Student Council Newsletter

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A Message from the Social Work Student Council

WELCOME to the Master of Social Work program at DSU @ Wilmington! You have made an invaluable decision to further your education in the field of social work. Some of you are entering the world of social work for the first time while others have been in the field for years and are looking to strengthen their skillsets and further their careers. No matter the reason, we all have chosen a profession geared toward affecting positive change for the betterment of our families, schools, and communities both here and abroad. With the knowledge and experience developed during your time at DSU @Wilmington, you will be equipped to tackle the many challenges society faces in the 21st century. Whichever population you choose to serve upon graduating, as a social worker, you will be on the front lines addressing issues of poverty, inequality, racism, oppression and other forms of social injustice either in the field or in the halls of policy-making. We wish everyone a successful school year!

Now go forth and serve!

- The SWSC @Wilmington Executive Council

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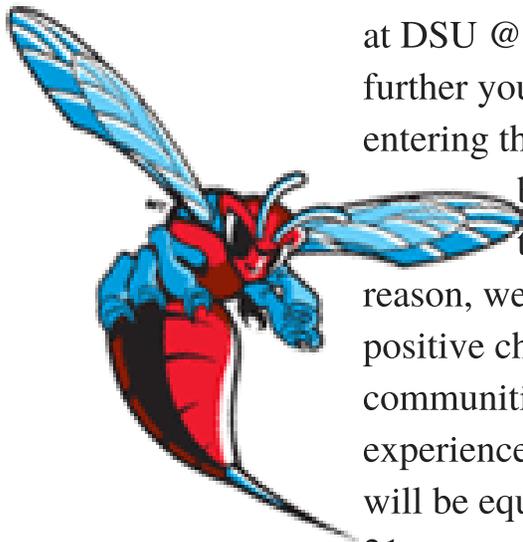
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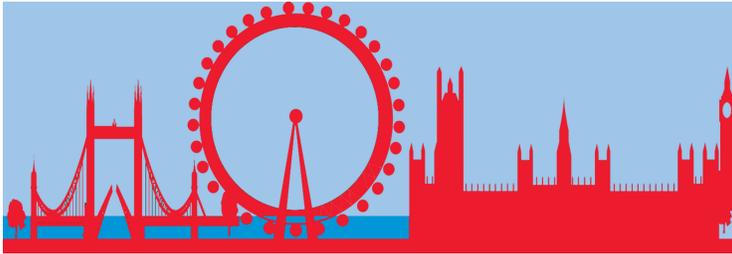
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LONDON Study Abroad Spring Break 2017

Attention DSU faculty, undergraduate and graduate students: Study Abroad in London during Spring Break **March 3-11, 2017**, with the Department of Social Work.

Engage in meaningful, cross cultural exchange with social work students at East London University. Meet with staff and social work practicum students and spend a half day engaged in a service-learning project at St. Mungo's Broadway. Visit www.mungosbroadway.org.uk.



There will be enough time for fun and cultural exploration. You will visit Windsor Castle, the Tower of London, and the British Museum; attend a theatre production; take a city walking tour of London to see landmarks like Big Ben, Trafalgar Square, Westminster Abbey and Buckingham Palace; and you'll get to ride the famous London Tube and double decker buses.

To find out more information about the trip to London or register, please visit <http://goo.gl/5s33bK> or call 877-485-4184 and say you are traveling with Dr. Sheridan Quarless Kingsberry (sqkingsberry@desu.edu) and Dr. Chavon Dottin (cdottin@desu.edu).

FOREIGN

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Foreign Fieldwork

Delaware residents Dr. Reynold Agard, nurse practitioner Angela Carroll, and social worker Dr. Sheridan Kingsberry, recently travelled to Trinidad and Tobago with the nonprofit Hands International - a "mobile hospital" outreach providing much needed medical care and resources in underserved parts of the world. Expect more details and photos about the trip in the October issue. In the meantime, read more about their trip here:

<http://delonline.us/2bS99p6>.

Interested in international social work? Check out Social Workers Across Nations (SWAN)

<https://www.socialworkers.org/nasw/swan/>), an initiative of the NASW.



WELCOME BACK FACULTY

The Executive Board extends a warm welcome to Dr. Ette, Dr. Karnik, Dr. Kingsberry and Ms. Howell to the Wilmington campus for 2016-2017.

"THE BEST WAY TO FIND YOURSELF IS TO LOSE
YOURSELF IN THE SERVICE OF OTHERS."
- MAHATMA GANDHI