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The USC School of Social Work, founded in 1920, was the first school of social work in the West. Its faculty and alumni have shaped the profession, influenced social policy decisions and excelled in clinical practice around the world.

The school is noted for:

- An MSW program that consistently ranks as one of the top 10 in the nation
- The largest full-time master of social work program in California
- A dedicated student body who devote more than one-quarter million hours annually to community service
- Interdisciplinary faculty research in excess of \$23 million in sponsored funding
- An extensive financial aid program that provides financial support to nearly 90 percent of MSW students and fully funds PhD candidates

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Your Investment in Our Future

By training tomorrow's leaders, expanding the boundaries of knowledge and developing new models for education, research and service, the University of Southern California School of Social Work strives to create a just and humane world. These efforts are possible with the ongoing support we receive from alumni, parents and friends of the school who lend their time and invest their resources to help make our vision a reality.



"Your commitment to the USC School of Social Work is very much appreciated. Through your generosity, we are able to attract a diverse student body; recruit and retain inspiring faculty; engage in groundbreaking research and global initiatives; provide important community service; maintain essential technology and state-of-the-art facilities; and advance our reputation as a leader in the field."
– Dean Marilyn Flynn

Our Faculty

Recognized for their leadership in the field; acclaimed for the breadth and depth of their research; and lauded for their commitment to local and international service, faculty members of the USC School of Social Work are equally devoted to their work as teachers.

Our Students

Our student body is diverse in ethnicity and country of origin, as well as age and experience. USC social work graduate students bring with them outstanding academic credentials from a wide range of undergraduate institutions and fields of study. The school is increasingly selective in the students it enrolls.

Our Alumni

USC social work alumni hold important leadership positions in a variety of organizations. They play a vital role in influencing policy, advocating for justice, improving social programs, empowering communities and individuals, mitigating crises, conducting groundbreaking research, and teaching new generations of social workers here and abroad. Overall, our alumni make significant contributions to the betterment of society.

For more information about giving opportunities, please contact:

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What Your Gift Supports

Support from alumni, parents and friends are vital to the continued excellence of the USC School of Social Work. When you join USC Friends of Social Work, your gift may be an unrestricted contribution, you may fund a scholarship or you may direct your gift to a program of your choice. One hundred percent of your gift will support the area you specify. Some Friends prefer to support the dean's designated priorities. The choice is yours.

Become a Friend

The USC Friends of Social Work offers a full array of membership levels and benefits, a wide ranging calendar of events and many support opportunities. Your investment in the USC School of Social Work is a mutually rewarding one, providing you with a number of benefits.

Friends of Social Work Membership Courtesies:

- Invitations to premier university and school events
- Personalized assistance with USC-related questions and requests
- Direct communication from the dean of the school
- Regular updates through NewsBytes email newsletter
- USC School of Social Work recognition gift
- Naming opportunities (e.g., scholarships, facilities)

For a complete list of courtesies, please visit our website at www.usc.edu/socialwork

Matching Gifts

Many companies provide matching gift programs for contributions to educational institutions. Your company's personnel or community relations office will be able to inform you about their matching gift program.

Membership Enrollment

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- ___ Annual \$2,500
- ___ Bronze \$25,000
- ___ Silver \$50,000
- ___ Gold \$100,000
- ___ Platinum \$150,000
- ___ Diamond \$300,000

Dean's Circle

- ___ Annual \$1,000 - \$2,499

All levels, except Annual, are payable over 5 years.

I would like to designate my gift to:

- ___ Dean's priorities
- ___ NetKAL program
- ___ Scholarships
- ___ Student book fund
- ___ Unrestricted
- ___ Other: _____

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