

SSW STUDENT ORG FAIR

Wednesday, September 7
12:00 - 2:00 pm
SSWB Lower Level Commons

Student Org:	Contact Information:	Mission:
Student Union	Leadership: ssw.studentunion@umich.edu	The mission of the School of Social Work Student Union is to support and to encourage coordination and integration of the efforts of students and faculty to achieve greater academic excellence, student success, social justice, and equality.
Queer Advocacy Coalition	Leadership: gac-leadership@umich.edu	QAC is an org through the SSW created to hold space and foster community for LGBTQIA+ people at U of M.
Student Social Workers in Higher Education	Contact: Rachel Naasko rtmaki@umich.edu	SSWHE is established for the expressed purpose of helping social work students gain the skills and tools they need to practice in higher education. Our mission is to provide social work students with professional development, networking, and educational opportunities to learn how to apply their social work skills in a higher education setting.
Association of Black Social Work Students	Leadership: ABSWS-EBOARD@umich.edu	To enhance the quality of life for students of African descent on the University of Michigan campus, and empower people of African Descent through advocacy, community service, relationship building, and creating safe spaces for said groups to feel free from cultural persecution and stigma.
Social Work in School Settings	Leadership: swis-leadership@umich.edu	This organization exists to build a community of students interested in social work in school settings.
Student Rights Project	Leadership: srp-board@umich.edu	SRP seeks to keep students in school, learning, and out of the criminal justice system.
Student Association for Psychedelic Studies	Leadership: sapseboard@umich.edu	Our objective is to create a space to discuss the growing body of research on therapeutic uses of psychedelics and related political, ethical, and PODS (privilege, oppression, diversity, and social justice) issues. We hope to

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		expand objective awareness and promote fair and responsible access to alternative treatments.
Graduate Research, Outreach, Workshops, and Evaluation (SAPAC's GROWE)**	Leadership: sapacgrowe@umich.edu	Through research, outreach, peer-led workshops, and evaluation GROWE seeks to engender spaces where the voices, wants, and needs of graduate students at the University of Michigan are centered in the continued work of sexual violence prevention.
Black Radical Healing Pathways	Leadership: BRHPLeadteam@umich.edu	Black Radical Healing Pathways/BRHP strives to create and build spaces centered on empowering and liberating Black people. We include and welcome students from all cultures, ethnicities, and international origins to commit themselves to this work. We want to, as a collective of all people, empower Black students (inside and outside of the University of Michigan) to develop and explore radical ideas and racial social justice efforts as a coalition. Black Radical Healing Pathways/BRHP works to create and build a network where Black students can feel safe to affirm, heal and validate each other's lived experiences with allies participating in this liberatory work as well. We aspire to organize, educate, mobilize and empower Black Students to work for transformative change on campus, neighborhoods and communities. Our focus is to nourish and cultivate the fighting spirits, critical consciousness and aesthetics of Black Students, who have been historically disenfranchised and continue to be disenfranchised within a variety of systems. We aim to hold programming which centers Black voices, intelligence, and bodies in efforts to dismantle, disrupt, and challenge white supremacy, something in which anyone can participate.
Latinx Social Work Coalition	Leadership: latinx.mesa.directiva@umich.edu	The mission of the Latinx Social Work Coalition is to promote the academic and social well-being of the Latinx community at the School of Social Work, as well as the Latinx community at large, through the praxis of social justice, cultural empowerment, and community building.
The Self-Healing & Social Justice Art Collective	Contact: sashiields@umich.edu or hschmitz@umich.edu	To have educational opportunities for students as well as faculty, staff, and alumni members to learn about arts-based social work practice to bring about social change and address injustice.

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<p>Child Welfare Student Association</p>	<p>Leadership: CWSA.executiveboard@umich.edu</p>	<p>The Child Welfare Student Association (CWSA) is an organization that focuses on the holistic protection of children—that is the protection of children in all areas of their lives. CWSA works to provide members with opportunities to research, advocate, and volunteer with children in the community while also having honest discussions about the experiences of children in the child welfare system. In addition, CWSA attempts to give a multidisciplinary approach to child protection by offering chances to learn about different careers intersectional with child protection including careers in social work, law, government, and the medical field. As self-care is a crucial aspect of this work, CWSA prioritizes the importance of relationships and incorporates social events and activities, which ultimately lead to more successful students and professionals in this field. Members leave the organization with more awareness of critical issues in child protection, stronger relationships and networks, and a cord at graduation to highlight their participation in the organization.</p>
<p>Showing up for Racial Justice (SURJ)</p>	<p>Leadership: surj-leadership@umich.edu</p>	<p>We believe in collective liberation -- and that none of us can be free until we end white supremacy.</p>
<p>Payment 4 Placement</p>	<p>Leadership: p4p.umich@gmail.com</p>	<p>We are University of Michigan students organizing for paid MSW student field placements</p>
<p>Neurodiverse Student Association</p>	<p>Leadership: neurodiverse.leadership@umich.edu</p>	<p>The purpose of this organization is to provide opportunities of support for Neurodivergent students and like-minded students in similar degrees, provide a welcoming and inclusive space for students who are Autistic, ADHD, and other Neurodiverse individuals. The purpose of this group is to provide educational and volunteer opportunities for students that support the needs of the Neurodivergent community. This group is open to all students.</p>

**Not an SSW org. Is an org through the Sexual Assault Prevention and Awareness Center