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Aloha, MSW Applicant!

Thank you for your interest in the Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa! The enclosed application materials are for *Fall 2012* admission to the Master of Social Work (MSW) program. Applications are being considered for the Mānoa campus-based option *only*. Please note: There will be **no** new admissions to the Distance Education (DE) option for neighbor island residents in 2012. The next DE cohort will be admitted in Fall 2013 (application information TBA).

Detailed MSW program information and admission requirements can be found on our website at <http://www.hawaii.edu/sswork/programs.html> or in the School of Social Work Bulletin (available at <http://www.hawaii.edu/sswork/bulletin.html> or by request).

Please read and follow the enclosed MSW application instructions carefully. You will need to complete **two** separate applications: (1) The UH Mānoa Graduate Division Admissions Application form, application fee, official transcripts, and other required materials (if any) must be submitted to the UH Mānoa Graduate Admissions Office, 2540 Maile Way, Spalding 354, Honolulu, HI 96822. See <http://manoa.hawaii.edu/graduate/content/prospective-students> for further information. (2) The Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work MSW application, official transcripts, and other required materials must be submitted to the Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work, MSW Admissions Office, 1800 East-West Road, Henke Hall 230, Honolulu, HI 96822. International applicants should also review the UH Mānoa Graduate Division application information carefully for any additional requirements (see <http://manoa.hawaii.edu/graduate/content/international-students>).

The deadline for Fall 2012 MSW applications is **February 1, 2012** (Mānoa campus option only).

If you received a BSW degree from a CSWE-accredited program and meet the MSW admissions criteria, you have the option of applying for Advanced Standing in the MSW program. If accepted, you will be required to complete the mandatory ASIST (Advance Standing Integrative Seminar & Training) course during the summer of 2012, from July through August.

MSW application questions may be directed to the School of Social Work Admissions Office by phone at (808) 956-7182 or by e-mail to sswadmit@hawaii.edu.

We look forward to receiving your application.

Sincerely,

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