Accredited California Social Work Degree Programs

There are currently 20 accredited BSW programs in California.

10 accredited BSW programs at CSU campuses:
- Cal Poly Humboldt
- CSU Chico
- CSU Long Beach
- CSU Los Angeles
- CSU Sacramento
- CSU San Bernardino
- Fresno State University
- San Diego State University
- San Francisco State University
- San Jose State University

10 accredited BSW programs at private universities in CA:
- Azusa Pacific University
- California Baptist University
- Fresno Pacific University
- La Sierra University
- Pacific Oaks College
- Pacific Union College
- Point Loma Nazarene University
- Touro University Worldwide
- University of Massachusetts Global (Brandman)
- Whittier College

There are currently 19 accredited Advanced Standing MSW programs in California.

11 accredited Advanced Standing MSW programs at CSU campuses:
- Cal Poly Humboldt
- CSU Bakersfield
- CSU Chico
- CSU Long Beach
- CSU Los Angeles
- CSU Northridge
- CSU Sacramento
- CSU San Bernardino
- CSU San Marcos
- San Diego State University
- San Jose State University

1 accredited Advanced Standing MSW programs at a UC campus
- UC Berkeley

7 accredited Advanced Standing MSW programs at private universities in CA:
- Azusa Pacific University
- California Baptist University
- Loma Linda University
- National University
- University of Massachusetts Global (Brandman)
- University of Southern California
- University of the Pacific
There are currently 27 accredited MSW programs in California.

18 accredited MSW programs at CSU campuses:
- Cal Poly Humboldt
- CSU Bakersfield
- CSU Chico
- CSU Dominguez Hills
- CSU East Bay
- CSU Fullerton
- CSU Long Beach
- CSU Los Angeles
- CSU Monterey Bay
- CSU Northridge
- CSU Sacramento
- CSU San Bernardino
- CSU San Marcos
- CSU Stanislaus
- Fresno State University
- San Diego State University
- San Francisco State University
- San Jose State University

2 accredited MSW programs at UC campuses:
- UC Berkeley
- UC Los Angeles

7 accredited MSW programs at private universities in CA:
- Azusa Pacific University
- California Baptist University
- Loma Linda University
- National University
- University of Massachusetts Global (Brandman)
- University of Southern California
- University of the Pacific

As of December 2023, the following 4 universities have sought but have NOT YET been granted CSWE accreditation for the following programs:
- Alliant International University – Master’s Program  Candidacy as of 2022
- Fresno Pacific University – Master’s Program  Pre-Candidacy as of 2023
- Pacific Oaks College – Master’s Program  Candidacy as of 2020
- Samuel Merritt University – Master’s Program  Pre-Candidacy as of 2023

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