CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH
SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

APPLICATION FOR FULL-TIME UCCF PROGRAM
2016/2017

NAME_______________________________________________________________________
ADDRESS____________________________________________________________________
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TELEPHONE (HOME) _________________ (WORK) _______________________________
E-MAIL ADDRESS __________________________
CSULB STUDENT ID: ________________________
ETHNICITY_________________ DATE OF BIRTH_______________________
LANGUAGES SPOKEN FLUENTLY OTHER THAN ENGLISH____________________
ARE YOU A U.S. CITIZEN? _______
If no, please answer the following questions:
a. Visa type ______________________________
b. Visa Number _____________________________
c. Visa Expiration Date _______________________
d. Country of Origin _________________________
SOCIAL SECURITY #________________________________________________________
DRIVERS LICENSE # ___________________ EXPIRATION__________________________
AUTO LICENSE # _______________ INSURANCE CARRIER _____________________
HOW DID YOU LEARN ABOUT THE UCCF PROGRAM? _________________________
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HAVE YOU APPLIED FOR OTHER 2015-2016 SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK STIPENDS?
CALSWECS Child Welfare Yes/No
CALSWECS Mental Health Yes/No

September 17, 2015
ACADEMIC STANDING

What is your academic model?  A.2YR  B.3YR  C. Other  


What field placement will you be in year 2015/2016?  2nd Placement

When do you plan to graduate?  

List any previous child welfare related work experiences, starting with most recent, including name(s) of agency (ies), job title, and length of employment.  (Attach additional pages if needed)

Name of Agency:  ____________________________________________________________

Address:  _____________________________________________ Phone:  

Job Title:  ____________________________________________________________________

Date of Employment:  ___________ to  ______________

Duties/Responsibilities  ____________________________________________________________

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Name of Agency:  ____________________________________________________________

Address:  _____________________________________________ Phone:  

Job Title:  ____________________________________________________________________

Date of Employment:  ___________ to  ______________

Duties/Responsibilities  ____________________________________________________________

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Name of Agency:  ____________________________________________________________

Address:  _____________________________________________ Phone:  

Job Title:  ____________________________________________________________________

Date of Employment:  ___________ to  ______________

Duties/Responsibilities  ____________________________________________________________

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September 2, 2015
All prospective interns will be required to pass DCFS hiring standards, including, but not limited to, security (Live Scan) background checks, psychological and medical examinations.

Is there anything that might prevent you from passing a security clearance? Yes/ No

Is there anything that might prevent you from driving (hiring standard) while at DCFS? Yes/ No

I understand this award requires that I complete all of the following requirements (Please initial each of the following):

- Adhere to NASW Code of Ethics ________
- Maintain active enrollment in the MSW program and maintain a B (3.0) average ___
- Enroll in the Children, Youth and Families Concentration ______
- Maintain a driver’s license and automobile insurance while enrolled in the MSW program ____
- Successfully complete and receive a grade of CREDIT in two fieldwork placements ______
- Successfully complete the MSW program within a normative period/ model (unless a hardship extension is granted by DCFS and the University in writing) ____
- Complete the required MSW and Specialized Child Welfare Curriculum, including UCCF Orientation ______
  - SW 643 - Social Work Practice with Child Welfare Services
  - SW 698 and SW 699 - Master’s Thesis/Project with focus on child welfare population, issue area, or service delivery system
- Specialized Training Seminars ______
- Attendance at regularly scheduled UCCF meetings and activities ______
- Agree to flexible hours to attend UCCF Learning Opportunities (for example: to attend a specific court hearing or to supervise a parent-child visitation for your assigned family) which may include hours outside of your normal fieldwork schedule ______
- Obligation to pay back this award through a year work commitment in LA County DCFS immediately following graduation (first available DCFS-Academy)____

Policy Statement on Title IV-E Recipients
The Title IV-E Master of Social Work Training Program was created for social work students who are interested in a career in Child Welfare. The training itself has a Child Welfare competency-based curriculum. Students receive a stipend and commit themselves to one year of continuous employment in Los Angeles County Department of Children & Family Services after receiving their MSW degree. Students who participate in this program have made a special commitment to the field of Child Welfare.

Affirmation and Release of Information
I give the UCCF & DCFS Selection Committees permission to review my Application, Application Essay and associated materials for consideration to the UCCF Field Education Program, School of Social Work, California State University, Long Beach.

I hereby attest that I have never been convicted of a felony crime or misdemeanor crime that would disqualify me from service in a county CWS, or any crime involving harm to children. I hereby attest that I have never been discharged from employment at a county or other social services agency due to violation of county code/merit system rules or violation of agency or professional codes of ethics.

___________________________________  ______________________________
Signature       Date

UCCF Application
September 2, 2015
Please respond to the following questions on a separate sheet of paper (your responses to all five questions, together, should not exceed two typed pages)

1. What is your understanding of the commitment involved in accepting a UCCF Program placement?

2. What is it about public child welfare or child protective services that attracts you? Has there been any key event(s) that have led to your interest in this stipend program and in becoming a social worker in public child welfare?

3. Describe what values and ethics are important in conducting public child welfare.

4. Describe some of your experiences in working with ethnically diverse populations.

5. What personal/family/financial issues or circumstances might be obstacles to successfully completing the demands of a fieldwork placement? How do you plan to deal with these?

6. What are your personal strengths and limitations that you might bring to the field of public child welfare?

Please return your application and responses to the questions to:

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School of Social Work
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September 2, 2015