

Master of Aboriginal Social Work Graduate Program

Supplementary Admissions Information (SAI)

School of Indian Social Work
First Nations University of Canada

Please print or type the information that you give:

Personal Information:

Name: _____
(Surname) (First or Given Name) (Middle name)

Date of Birth: _____

Band: _____ Treaty #: _____

Metis Local: _____ Nation: _____

Languages (specify spoken/written): _____

Human Services Training

Please list any human services training, special training, conferences/workshops in which you have participated.

Agency/Organization	Training	From	To

Therapeutic/Counselling Experience

Please give a record of your experience in counselling and/or therapy, highlighting work in the aboriginal community:

Agency	Intervention (Micro, Mezzo)	Number of clients	Dates From To	

Professional and Volunteer Experience

Please give a chronological record of your professional and volunteer experience in the human services. (We reserve the right to contact previous employers for references.)

Name & Address of Agency, Firm, or Employer	Position	Status FT/PT	Dates From To		Supervisor or Employer

Written Section

This section is intended to give you an opportunity to express yourself as it pertains to graduate studies in aboriginal social work. Answer all the questions. Use separate sheets of paper for each question. Date and sign each written section. Ensure that responses are typed, and double-spaced. (500 words = 2 typed pages)

1. Cultural knowledge and experience:
In 500 words, please discuss your experience with and knowledge of aboriginal culture and practices. Include your thoughts on the relevance and significance of aboriginal culture, spirituality, and practices to your own life, and to the field of social work.
2. Personal Suitability for the MASW program:
In 500 words, please explain your suitability for this particular clinical program. Describe your most significant achievement and why you view it as such. Explain what characteristics, skills and/or abilities you have that will make you an asset to the MASW program.
3. Personal statement:
In 500 words, prepare a statement that discusses: 1) your willingness to participate in traditional aboriginal culture, spirituality, and practices; 2) your familiarity with the residential school era; 3) your financial plan for the duration of your studies; and, 4) what career path you will undertake as the result of acquiring a Master of Aboriginal Social Work degree.

Attach written responses to this form.