

## ISS in Children and Society

### Mission Statement

The mission of the Interdisciplinary Social Science Children and Society program is to prepare students to study, support, and work with children and their families. The program emphasizes the complex and interconnected issues and challenges faced by children and families in modern society. The broad focus enables students to explain phenomenon, solve problems, and raise new questions in ways uncommon through a single-disciplinary focus.

### Student Learning Outcomes

UWF ISS in Children and Society graduates should be able to do the following:

#### Content

- Appraise the knowledge, concepts, techniques, and methodology appropriate to the nature of working with children and families.
- Describe how the justice system assists/interacts with/intervenes in the lives of children and families.

#### Critical Thinking

- Distinguish the essential features and underlying challenges related to children, families, and society by using analytical strategies.

#### Communication

- Present a complex body of information clearly and concisely in written and oral formats.

#### Integrity/Values

- Demonstrate ethical behavior in academic and professional activities.

## **Assessment of Student Learning Outcomes**

Throughout the criminal justice program, students demonstrate what they have learned through traditional classroom assignments and examinations, as well as applied research and creative activities. The program's curriculum emphasizes both collaborative and individualized projects that engage students in synthesizing their knowledge and skills from across the curriculum.

## **Job Prospects for ISS in Children and Society Graduates**

- Child Welfare
- Advocate
- Guardian Ad Litem
- Case Management
- Juvenile Probation Officer
- Juvenile Detention Officer
- Child Life Specialist

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