TEMPORARY RULE CHANGE FOR PASS/FAIL GRADING

The University has <u>implemented a policy</u> that would expand undergraduate students' ability to invoke the Pass/Fail option for Spring 2020 courses. As such, all University general education courses may be taken on a Pass/Fail basis. Additionally, the School of Social Work has adopted the following policies regarding undergraduate major courses:

Current BSW Majors

- The faculty has agreed to allow undergraduate social work courses to be taken Pass/Fail during Spring 2020.
- Only a total of 3 BSW courses required for the major can be taken Pass/Fail.
- Passed Spring 2020 courses will count toward BSW major requirements and electives.
- Students should consult with their advisor prior to making any decisions about which course to take on a Pass/Fail basis.
- **Deadline**. Students may place or remove a class from Pass/Fail grading through May 1, 2020 May 15, 2020.
- The link to the on-line Spring 2020 Pass/Fail Request form can be found here: https://registrar.uconn.edu/pass-fail-spring-2020/

What does it mean to put courses on P/F?

If you place a course on P/F grading, you still need to complete all the course requirements. The instructor will grade the course and submit a weighted grade ("A" through "D-"). If you request the course to be on P/F grading through May 1, 2020 May 15, 2020, the Registrar will convert the weighted grade ("A" through "D-") to a "P" on your transcript. If the weighted grade is an "F," the grade on your transcript will remain an "F."

Please note: A course taken on P/F grading is not included in the computation of the semester or cumulative GPA, but a grade below "C" makes the student ineligible for the Dean's List. **Please consult your School of Social Work faculty advisor** and <u>the University Registrar's Temporary Rule Change for Pass/Fail Grading Website</u> for more guidance.

Students pursuing a minor in another department or school should consult an advisor in that department or school before placing a course on P/F grading.