Objectives of the Course:

1. Acknowledge human diversity as a critical factor in the practice of social work.

2. Use theoretical frameworks to understand human diversity, including the differences and similarities both within and between groups.

3. Describe his/her own cultural identity, how it affects his/her worldview and how it influences his/her understanding of and interaction with others.

4. Apply different theoretical frameworks within a political/historical geographical context to understand, recognize and describe how oppression functions as a social and structural and how it affects the life opportunities of selected individuals and groups.

5. Emphatically engage individuals or groups different from himself/herself and show understanding and appreciation of other person's worldviews.

6. Use NASW's position statements and ethical code to describe and guide his/her own personal and professional behavior as it relates to diversity and non-discrimination.

Exam Type: Essay

Materials Needed: Notebook paper, pen or pencil

Readings:

