

Grand Challenges for Social Work Timeline



Oxford University Press publishes *Grand Challenges for Social Work & Society* (Fong et al., 2018)

GCSW partners with Prof2Prof to encourage collaboration across universities, disciplines and nationwide

GCSW establishes the Grand Challenge to Eliminate Racism

GCSW creates & compiles resources to help the field address the COVID-19 pandemic

UP! newsletter expands to monthly distribution

GCSW publishes 25th working paper

NASW structures *Blueprint of Federal Social Policy* using Grand Challenges as a framework

Oxford University Press publishes second edition with updates and new content on the GC to Eliminate Racism and Gender Mainstreaming sections for each GC

Encyclopedia of Social Work highlights GCSW

GCSW launches at SSWR Annual Conference in Washington, D.C.

GCSW holds Policy Conference in St. Louis to strategize 10-year research, policy, and practice goals; develops policy briefs for each GC

GC networks meet for the first time

GCSW produces introductory video

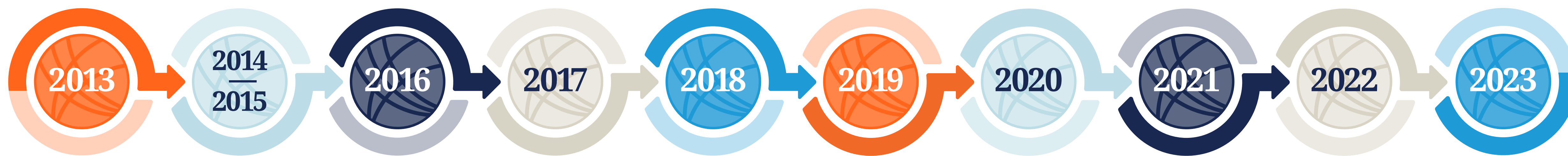
CSWE highlights GCSW in its *Why Social Science?* blog

GCSW launches sponsorship program—individuals, organizations and universities across the country contribute financial support

GCSW conducts its first education survey

AASWSW issues a call for ideas for Grand Challenges for Social Work

AASWSW receives more than 80 concept papers and publishes first working papers



AASWSW establishes Grand Challenges Executive Committee (GCEC)

AASWSW publishes 13 additional working papers

GCSW begins quarterly publication of the newsletter UP!

GCSW publishes 24th working paper

GCEC establishes six subcommittees to help implement the GCSW

GCSW develops "Vision, Mission, Domain, Guiding Principles, & Guideposts to Action"

NASW publishes *Grand Challenges for Society* (Bent-Goodley et al., 2019)

GCSW restructures Leadership & Governance

Social Work Today features update on the Grand Challenges

GCSW publishes 5-year impact report

GCSW conducts Education Integration Survey

GO GRANDER GCSW launches Go Grander campaign to expand the initiative

Each year momentum builds, with individuals, schools and organizations addressing the Grand Challenges from all angles—policy, practice, education and research. Read about many of these efforts in *Progress and Plans for the Grand Challenges: An Impact Report at Year Five of the 10-Year Initiative*.