School for Social Workers

MAINTAINED BY SIMMONS COLLEGE AND HARVARD UNIVERSITY



18 SOMERSET STREET, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

NEIGHBORHOOD AND COMMUNITY WORK

Special One-Year Training Course 1913–1914

To prepare workers for paid positions, or for volunteer service, in School Centres, Settlements, Boys' Clubs, and other forms of recreative work.

Subject Matter:

- (1) How does modern industry affect our social life?
 What does Recreation mean?
- (2) Various forms of organized group and recreation activities (School Centres, Religious Centres, Settlements, Boys' Clubs, Girls' Clubs, Village Improvement Societies, etc.).
 - (3) Technique of group organizations.

Hours :

Lectures and discussion. 4-5.45 Tuesdays (beginning October 7).

Study Class 4-5.30 Thursdays.

Field Work Carefully supervised (to be arranged later).

The course is in charge of Mrs. Eva W. White, Head Resident, Elizabeth Peabody House, Boston, assisted by Miss Ethel Hobart, Field Secretary, Massachusetts Association of Women Workers, and Mr. Ernst Hermann, Director of Playgrounds, Newton, Mass., Instructor, Sargent School for Physical Education, Cambridge.

Lectures will be given by Mr. Joseph Lee, Dr. Richard C. Cabot, Miss Mary P. Follett, Mr. Ernst Hermann, and Mr. Robert A. Woods, and by other notable and interesting specialists in the field.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

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MR. ROBERT A. WOODS

Head Worker, South End House

Terms for Courses:

Tuesdays and Thursdays and supervised field work \$40 Tuesday Lectures only (without field work) \$20

The School also offers Saturday morning exercises from 9 A.M. to 12 M., beginning October 11. These exercises, consisting of practice work, games, etc., aim to give knowledge and skill in organizing recreational activities. For these Saturday morning exercises only the fee is \$20.

Teachers and other workers, owing to the comparatively slight expenditure of time and money required by this course while keeping on with their present work, can train themselves to take paid positions in Neighborhood or Recreation Work in October, 1914.

Volunteer workers, desiring to make themselves more useful to the community, can fit this one-year training course into the various other activities of a busy life.

Certificates from the School will be given to those satisfactorily completing lectures, study and field work.

Applications for admission to the course should be made to Mrs. Eva W. White, 18 Somerset Street, Boston.