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The Bachelor's degree in Social Work is open to any qualified person, without any discrimination on the grounds of age, sex, race, religion, disability, sexual orientation, ethnic or national origins or other status.

As set out in the informative note of the General Director of Universities, of 23 May 2008, and while new regulations are not issued, the requirements for admission to official Bachelor's degrees include holding a Baccaureate qualification or an equivalent qualification, and having passed the test referred to in article 42 of Organic Law 6/2001, on Universities, amended by Law 4/2007, of 12 April, without prejudice to other mechanisms for access provided for by the current regulations. Therefore, the various entry routes and their specific requirements are maintained: *COU*, Vocational Training Programmes, Baccaureate (*Bachillerato*) under LOGSE, Professional Training Programmes, access from European education systems, partial recognition of foreign degrees, access for adults over 25 years of age, etc.

In addition to the above entry routes, Royal Decree 1393/2007, of 29 October, in its fourth additional provision (point 3) establishes that those who hold an official diploma, technical architect or technical engineer degree and intend to take courses leading to an official bachelor's degree, will obtain the recognition of credits as provided for in Article 13 of this Royal Decree.

Taking into account this fourth additional provision, the University of Deusto offers a specific course for graduates in Social Work. The access criteria for this course are as follows:

1. Holding an official university Diploma in Social Work worth at least 207 ECTS credits. These diploma graduates obtained their degrees in University Schools of Social Work, once the previous schools of social assistants were incorporated into the university regulated by Royal Decree 1850/1981, of 20 August, on the incorporation of the social assistant studies into the University as University Schools of Social Work.
2. Holding a diploma in Social Work. These diploma graduates obtained their degree through recognition of the Social Assistants diploma, by fulfilling the requirements established for this purpose and regulated in the Order of 8 May 1987, which developed the 2nd and 4th transitory provisions of the aforementioned Royal Decree.