# RELATIONSHIPS AMONG NATIONAL SOCIAL WORK ORGANIZATIONS: COMMON GROUND, COMMON AGENDA

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# NADD MISSION & FOCUS

- Leadership Development and Support
  - Professional Development,
  - Networking,
  - Mentoring,
  - Leadership Succession

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- Collaborate/Partner with other social work and related organizations (CSWE, SLG, SSWR, GADE, BPD, NASW, AASWSW)
  - To pursue shared objectives
  - Provide Opportunities in education, research, and practice)

# NADD MISSION & FOCUS

- Support for Deans/Directors/Chairpersons
  - Several areas
- Sustainability of NADD
  - Financially
  - Social Work Education and Practice

# FOCUSED AREAS OF COLLABORATIONS

- Policy Development and Advocacy
- Training and Professional Development Initiatives
- Professional Sustainability
- Marketing and Communications for the Profession
- Improve National Exposure