**Recruiter**

**HRM Manager**

**Policy Analyst**

The Many Roles of Field Education Director

* Managing multiple consumer groups (students, agencies, supervisors, faculty, staff) can present unique challenges and required skill set.
* Field is often undervalued or overlooked in the academic hierarchy.
* The success of the field office is directly linked to the overall success of SW educational programs.
* Field programs are directly impacted by the ebb and flow of the SW practice community.
* Field Directors often lack internal or external support as the role is unique and often have a small number of colleagues in their geographic location.
* There is minimal training or mentoring available in this role.
* The role requires “many hats” and skills.

**Mediator**

**Administrator**

**Strategist**

**CSWE Expert**

**Supervisor**

**Gatekeeper**

**Instructor**

**Public** **Relations**

**Conflict Resolution**

**Liaison**

**Presenter and Trainer**

**Problem Solver**

**Legal/Risk Management Analyst**

**Negotiator**

**Evaluator**

**Committee Member**

**Curriculum** **Specialist**