Associate in Applied Science Degree CULINARY ARTS TECHNOLOGY

The Culinary Arts degree program prepares students for positions as professionals in food service operations such as hotels, resorts, restaurants, healthcare facilities, and catering operations.

Students study both theory and practical kitchen applications of quality food preparation. Graduates may be eligible for ACF certification. Education within this field offers a range of employment opportunities and career progression in the culinary arts, baking, and pastry preparations.

Program Information

Course Sequence and Progression Requirements

A minimum grade of "C" or better is required for all CUL, BKP and HOS-prefixed courses for progression and graduation. Most Culinary Arts (CUL, BKP, HOS) courses are offered only once each year, so following the recommended course sequence is extremely important.

Students are required to successfully complete all of the following: ServSafe Manager Food Safety Certification Course, ServSafe Sanitation Certificate, and CUL 104 Introduction to Culinary Arts course before progressing to the second semester.

CURRICULUM SEQUENCE

First Semester - Fall	Course Title	Semester Credit Hours
CUL 104	Introduction to Culinary Arts	3
CUL 105	Kitchen Fundamentals	3
CUL 112	Classical Foundations of Cooking	3
CUL 113	Success in Hospitality Studies	1
CUL 129	Storeroom & Purchasing	3
ENG 155	Communications I***	3
	TOTAL	16
Second Semester - Spring		
BKP 119	Introduction to Baking and Pastry	3
CUL 118	Nutritional Cooking	3
CUL 128	Culinary Management Human Resources	3
CUL 215	Cuisines of the Americas	3
MAT 155	Contemporary Mathematics***	3
	TOTAL	15
Third Semester - Summer		
CUL 277	SCWE in Culinary Arts "Internship"	3
	Humanities*	3
CUL 299	Special Topics in Culinary Studies	3
	TOTAL	9
Fourth Semester - Fall		
CUL 123	American Bistro	3
CUL 186	Mediterranean Cuisine	3
CUL 220	Introduction to Garde Manger	3
CUL 235	Menu Planning	3
ENG 160	Technical Communications***	3
	TOTAL	15
Fifth Semester - Spring		

CUL 171	Food and Beverage Control	3
CUL 187	Cuisines of Asia	3
CUL 236	Restaurant Capstone	3
HOS 252	Advanced Food and Beverage Service	3
PSY 103	Human Relations	3
	TOTAL	15
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	70

^{*}Humanities: Choose one of the following: ART 101, HIS 202, MUS 105 or REL 103.

^{**}Students interested in transferring to a senior institution should select ENG 101, ENG 102 and SPC 205 in place of ENG 155 and ENG 160; MAT 110 in place of MAT 155; PSY 201 in place of PSY 103.