FOOD SCIENCE AND HUMAN NUTRITION

The Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition is jointly administered by the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences and the College of Human Sciences. All curricula offered by the department are available to students in either college. These majors include:

- Culinary food science
- Dietetics
- Diet and exercise
- Food science
- Nutritional science

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Undergraduate Study

Culinary Food Science
Culinary food science is an interdisciplinary degree combining a strong food science foundation with acquisition of culinary skills. The program includes chemistry, organic chemistry, biology, microbiology, and biochemistry as well as quantity food production, fine dining management, and food safety and sanitation. Internship experience in the food industry or culinary business is required. Culinary food science graduates are qualified to work as managers and specialists in food research, product development, culinary applications, and food marketing and sales. For more information: http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/undergraduate-programs/culinary-science/

Dietetics
The Didactic Program in Dietetics (DPD) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics, the accrediting agency of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. The dietetics undergraduate curriculum meets the academic requirements as the DPD. Additionally, the curriculum for concurrent Bachelor’s and Master’s degrees in diet and exercise meets the academic requirements of the DPD. Graduates of the program are eligible to apply for admission to accredited dietetics internships/supervised practice programs. Upon successful completion of the experience program, graduates are eligible to take the national examination administered by the Commission on Dietetic Registration to become a Registered Dietitian (RD) / Registered Dietitian Nutritionist (RDN) and to practice in the field of dietetics. There is a $30 fee for a statement of verification of completion of the DPD. For information about verification statements policies, see the dietetics program website: http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/undergraduate-programs/dietetics/.

Students interested in pursuing the dietetics program enter the university designated as pre-dietetics students. During spring semester of the second year, interested students apply to the Didactic Program in Dietetics. Admission to the program is based on overall GPA (3.0 or above required), completion of required coursework, completion of application and demonstrated interest in becoming a registered dietitian. Upon admission, students progress toward earning a Bachelor of Science degree in dietetics and receive a Verification Statement upon graduation, which is needed to enter an accredited dietetics internship. The dietetics program includes study in basic sciences, nutrition, and food science with applications to medical dietetics, nutrition counseling and education, and community nutrition. Foodservice management is also an important aspect of the program. Graduates work in clinical settings, consulting, food companies, food services, sports or athletic programs, corporate wellness programs, care facilities for patients from neonatal to geriatric, and community or school health programs.

Diet and Exercise
A program for concurrent Bachelor of Science and Master of Science (BS/MS) degrees in diet and exercise (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/undergraduate-programs/diet-exercise) is available. The program is jointly administered by the Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition (FS HN), within the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences and College of Human Sciences, and the Department of Kinesiology within the College of Human Sciences. Students interested in this program enroll as pre-diet and exercise students. In the fall of the third year, students apply for admission to the BS/MS program. Students not accepted into the program can continue toward completion of the BS degree in dietetics or kinesiology and health. Coursework has been designed to facilitate a 4-year graduation date for those students not accepted into the program and electing to complete a single undergraduate degree. Students accepted into the program will progress toward completion of BS/MS degrees in diet and exercise.

Food Science
Food science is a discipline in which the principles of biological and physical sciences are used to study the nature of foods, the causes of their deterioration, and the principles underlying the processing and preparation of food. It is the application of science and technology to the provision of a safe, wholesome, and nutritious food supply. Biotechnology and toxicology interrelate with food science in the area of food safety. In the food industry, food scientists work in research and development of products or processes, production supervision, quality control, marketing and sales, test kitchens and recipe development, product promotion and communication. Food scientists also work in government regulatory agencies and academic institutions.

Two options are available in food science: food science and technology and food science and industry. Both options are approved by the Institute of Food Technologists, the national professional organization.
of food science. Career options include quality control/assurance; production supervision; management and sales; research careers in the food industry, government, or academia; business; journalism; food product formulation and recipe development; food promotion and communication; and consumer services in government and industry.

Students who have an interest in graduate study or research are encouraged to select the food science and technology option. Students who wish to combine education in engineering with food science may select additional courses in chemical or agricultural engineering. Double majors are available and may require an additional year. For more information: http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/undergraduate-programs/food-science/

Students in food science have the opportunity to pursue a Master of Business Administration (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/undergraduate-programs/food-science) (MBA) concurrently with the Bachelor of Science (BS) degree in food science. The program is designed so students can earn both the BS in food science and MBA in five years, to meet the needs of students who are interested in management careers in the food industry. Students apply for admission to the MBA program in the spring of the third year. The program for concurrent BS in food science/MBA degrees is a rigorous 5-year program, and admission is very selective.

Nutritional Science
Nutritional science looks at the connection between diet and health. Students learn how diet can play a crucial role in the cause, treatment, and prevention of many diseases. There are degree program options within nutritional science. The pre-health professional and research option coursework prepares students for work in research laboratories, graduate study in nutrition or biological sciences, or entrance into health professional programs, such as medical, dental, physician assistant, and pharmacy schools. Students gain a strong science education along with human nutrition expertise. Additional options in family health, global health and policy, health coach, and nutrition and wellness prepare students for work positions in program planning and evaluation for community, public health, non-profit, and corporate wellness programs addressing the growing public interest in nutrition, wellness, and preventative health. Students learn about the role of nutrition and healthy eating for disease prevention and wellness. The food service option prepares students for school nutrition and food service management positions. For more information: http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/undergraduate-programs/nutritional-science/

Departmental Learning Outcomes

Students graduating with degrees in culinary science, dietetics, diet and exercise, food science, or nutritional science will be able to: 1) demonstrate a high level of technical competence in their chosen field, perform successfully in a graduate program, supervised practice program or entry-level professional position; 2) communicate effectively as professionals; 3) successfully solve complex problems on their own and as members of a team; 4) correctly interpret and critically evaluate research literature as well as data from professional practice; 5) critically evaluate information related to food science and nutrition issues appearing in the popular press; 6) prepare and deliver effective presentations, orally and in writing, of technical information to professionals and to the general public; 7) thoughtfully discuss ethical, social, multicultural, and environmental dimensions of issues facing professionals in their chosen field. For more information: http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/undergraduate-programs/outcomes/

Communication Proficiency is certified by a grade of C or better in 6 credits of coursework in composition (ENGL 150 Critical Thinking and Communication and ENGL 250 Written, Oral, Visual, and Electronic Composition or other communication-intensive courses) and a grade of C or better in 3 credits of coursework in oral communication.

Minors - Undergraduate

The department offers coursework for a variety of minors (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/undergraduate-programs/minors). Minors available include:

- culinary food science
- food safety (interdepartmental minor)
- food science
- nutrition
- food and society

All minors have the following requirements:

- At least 15 credits must be taken, including at least 6 credits taken at Iowa State University in courses numbered 300 or above.
- The minor must include at least 9 credits that are not used to meet any other college or university requirement.
- The same courses may not be applied to two different minors.

Prerequisites: Students must complete prerequisite requirements for courses included in the minor.

Graduate Study

The Food Science and Human Nutrition (FSHN) Department offers coursework for the degrees master of science and doctor of philosophy. Degree options include:

- food science and technology (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/graduate-program/food-science-technology) (MS and PhD)
- meat science (http://www.ans.iastate.edu/section/meat/?pg=degree) (MS and PhD; co-major in animal science)
• nutritional sciences (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/graduate-program/nutritional-sciences) (MS and PhD; interdepartmental graduate program)
• family and consumer sciences/dietetics (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/graduate-program/fmcs-dietetics) (MS only)
• diet and exercise (http://www.hs.iastate.edu/academics/majors-list/diet-and-exercise) (BS/MS)
• nutritional sciences (BS/MS)

Prerequisite to major work is a baccalaureate degree in food science, nutrition, other physical/biological sciences or engineering that is substantially equivalent to those at Iowa State University.

Students taking major work for the degree doctor of philosophy either in food science and technology or in nutritional sciences may choose minors from other fields including anthropology, biorenewable resources and technology, chemistry, biochemistry, economics, education, journalism, microbiology, psychology, physiology, statistics, toxicology, or other related fields.

The interdepartmental graduate program in nutritional sciences, administered through the Graduate College, under the auspices of the Chairs of FSHN and Animal Science, will provide the structure for coordinating and enhancing interdisciplinary nutrition research and graduate education. Graduate students will be able to select from three specializations: animal nutrition, human nutrition, or molecular/biochemical nutrition. The two main departments are FSHN and Animal Science, whereas other departments (such as Kinesiology; Biochemistry, Biophysics, and Molecular Biology; Agronomy; and Statistics) may also be involved.

The department participates in an online Master of Family and Consumer Sciences/Dietetics in conjunction with Colorado State University, Kansas State University, North Dakota State University, Oklahoma State University, South Dakota State University, University of Kansas Medical Center, and University of Nebraska through the Great Plains Interactive Distance Education Alliance. Students who are registered dietitians and are eligible for admission to the FSHN Master's degree program may be admitted.

The department offers work for concurrent B.S. and M.S. degree programs that allow students to obtain both the B.S. and M.S. degrees in 5 years. The programs are available to students majoring in nutritional science or pre-diet and exercise, and students progress toward M.S. degrees in nutritional sciences or diet and exercise, respectively. Students interested in these programs should contact the department for details. Application for admission to the Graduate College should be made during the junior year. Students begin research for the M.S. thesis or creative component during the summer after their junior year and are eligible for research assistantships.

Students graduating with advanced degrees in nutritional sciences and in food science and technology will demonstrate competency in their chosen discipline. Measurable outcomes will include the ability to: 1) design, conduct, and interpret research; 2) apply theoretical information to solve practical problems; 3) prepare and communicate discipline-specific information in written and oral forms to scientific and lay audiences; 4) facilitate learning in the classroom; 5) submit a paper for publication in a peer-reviewed journal; and 6) secure professional-level positions in academia, industry, government, or health care.

Minors - Graduate

The department offers coursework for graduate minors in:
• food science/technology (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/graduate-program/food-science-technology/#minor-in-food-science-and-technology)
• nutritional sciences (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/graduate-program/nutritional-sciences/#minor-in-nutritional-sciences)

Food Science and Technology Graduate Minor students must complete the following:
• 9 to 12 credits. Students without a background in food chemistry, food engineering/processing, and/or food microbiology are required to take FSHN 511, 513, and/or 514, respectively, in which case the graduate minor will constitute up to 12 credits.
• 9 credits of graduate level food science coursework as approved by the POS committee.
• Maximum of 3 credits at the 400 level.

Nutritional Sciences Graduate Minor students must complete the following:
• 9 to 12 credits are required. Students who have not taken FSHN 360 or its equivalent (advanced nutrition with a biochemistry prerequisite) will need to take FSHN 360, in which case the Nutrition Graduate minor will constitute 12 credits.
• 9 credits of graduate level nutrition courses as approved by the POS Committee.
• NUTRS 501

Certificate - Undergraduate

Health Coach (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/undergraduate-programs/health-coach-certificate)

The undergraduate health coach certificate provides a rigorous academic and theoretical background in three components of health (nutrition,
exercise and motivational coaching) required to prepare workers for the challenges of being a health coach.

Certificates - Graduate

Food Safety and Defense (http://www.fshn.hs.iastate.edu/graduate-program/food-safety-defense)

The department offers an online 12-13 credit Graduate Certificate in Food Safety and Defense, in conjunction with the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Kansas State University and the University of Missouri through the Great Plains Interactive Distance Education Alliance. Students may be admitted if qualified for admission to the food science master's degree program.

Dietetics Internship (http://www.dietetics.iastate.edu)

The Iowa State University Dietetics Internship (DI) began as an AP4 program in 1989. It meets the performance requirements for supervised practice programs for students who have completed the academic requirements of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. The internship is administered through the Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition. Interns are admitted to Iowa State University as graduate students seeking a "Graduate Certificate in Dietetics Internship" which will be indicated on the final transcript. Successful completion of this program will result in the receipt of the DI Verification Statement which establishes eligibility to sit for the national standardized exam administered by the Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR). Successful completion of the exam results in the Registered Dietitian (RD) / Registered Dietitian Nutritionist (RDN) credential. There is a nonrefundable application fee of $75.

Courses primarily for undergraduates:

FS HN 101: Food and the Consumer (3-0) Cr. 3. F.S.SS.

Prereq: High school biology and chemistry or 3 credits each of biology and chemistry


FS HN 104: Introduction to Professional Skills in Culinary Science (0-6) Cr. 1. S.

Introduction to culinary science. Students will develop fundamental culinary skills by arranged on-campus work experience (100 hours). Sessions with instructor arranged.

FS HN 110: Professional and Educational Preparation (1-0) Cr. 1. F.S.

Introduction to professional and educational development within the food science and human nutrition disciplines. Focus is on university and career acclimation as well as enhancement of communication skills. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 111: Fundamentals of Food Preparation (2-0) Cr. 2. F.S.

Prereq: FS HN 101 or FS HN 167; high school chemistry or CHEM 160; concurrent enrollment in FSHN 115.


FS HN 115: Food Preparation Laboratory (0-3) Cr. 1. F.S.

Prereq: Credit or enrollment in FS HN 111 or FS HN 214

Practice standard methods of food preparation with emphasis on quality, nutrient retention, and safety.

FS HN 120: The Biochemistry of Beer (Cross-listed with BBMB). (2-0) Cr. 2. F.

An introduction to the major classes of biomolecules, basic biochemical concepts, enzymology, metabolism and genetic engineering as they apply to the production and flavor of beer. All aspects of the biochemistry of beer will be covered, including the malting of barley, starch conversion, yeast fermentation and the chemical changes that occur during the aging of beer. Intended for non-majors. Natural science majors are limited to elective credit only.

FS HN 167: Introduction to Human Nutrition (3-0) Cr. 3. F.S.SS.

Prereq: High school biology or 3 credits of biology

Understanding and implementing present day knowledge of nutrition. The role of nutrition in the health and well being of the individual and family.

FS HN 203: Contemporary Issues in Food Science and Human Nutrition (1-0) Cr. 1. F.S.

Introduction to presentation of published research and discussion of current issues in food science and human nutrition. Emphasis on sources of credible information, ethics, and communication.
FS HN 207: Processing of Foods: Basic Principles and Applications  
(1-3) Cr. 2. S.  
Prereq: FS HN 101  
Lecture and lab-based instruction on principles of food processing for  
preservation, raw food materials and their impact on food processing,  
food product-based discussion and activities highlighting required unit  
operations and resulting food quality and safety; water, heat, acidity,  
and oxygen effect on processing, separation and mixing operations,  
packaging materials properties and methods, and cleaning and sanitation  
in processing plants.

FS HN 214: Scientific Study of Food  
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.S.  
Prereq: FS HN 167 or FS HN 265; CHEM 231 or CHEM 331; plus concurrent  
enrollment in FS HN 115 or 215  
Composition and structure of foods. Principles of preparation of standard  
quality food products. Behavior and interactions of food constituents.

FS HN 215: Advanced Food Preparation Laboratory  
(0-6) Cr. 2. F.S.  
Prereq: Credit or enrollment in FS HN 214  
Practice standard methods of food preparation with emphasis on  
quality, nutrient retention, and safety. Development of culinary skills and  
advanced food preparation.

FS HN 242: The US Food System  
(3-0) Cr. 3. S.  
Exploration of the components of our food system including food  
production, food processing, and food access and the social, political  
and ethical influences on these components. Controversial topics related  
to how food is produced, processed, marketed and consumed will be  
discussed.  
Meets U.S. Diversity Requirement

FS HN 264: Fundamentals of Nutritional Biochemistry and Metabolism  
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.  
Prereq: FS HN 167; CHEM 163, CHEM 163L; BIOL 211  
Digestion, absorption, metabolism, and biochemical functions of  
nutrients. Biochemical aspects of nutrient deficiencies.

FS HN 265: Nutrition for Active and Healthy Lifestyles  
(3-0) Cr. 3. S.SS.  
Prereq: FS HN 167, plus credit or enrollment in BBMB 301 or credit in FS HN  
264  
Fundamentals of nutrient metabolism and nutrient requirements. Role  
of macronutrient metabolism in physical performance and disease  
prevention. Effect of manipulation of macronutrient metabolism on  
physical performance and disease prevention. Applications of nutrient  
metabolism principles to dietary recommendations and planning.

FS HN 276: Understanding Grape and Wine Science  
(Cross-listed with HORT). (3-0) Cr. 3. Alt. S., offered even-numbered years.  
Prereq: High school biology and chemistry.  
A scientific introduction to viticulture (grape-growing) and enology (wine-  
making). Topics include grape species and varieties, viticulture practices,  
fruit quality, geography, history, principles of fermentation and aging, wine  
classification, appreciation, evaluation, storage and service, regulations,  
wine as food. No wine tasting.

FS HN 308: Dairy Products: Current Issues and Controversies  
(3-0) Cr. 3. Alt. S., offered odd-numbered years.  
Course will address milk chemistry, microbiology, handling, processing,  
regulations, organic production, and nutrition; dispel myths about dairy  
foods; improve critical thinking and communication skills. Students will  
participate in structured controversies.

FS HN 311: Food Chemistry  
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.  
Prereq: ENGL 250; CHEM 231 or CHEM 331; credit or enrollment in BBMB 301  
The structure, properties, and chemistry of food constituents and animal  
and plant commodities.

FS HN 311L: Food Chemistry Laboratory  
(0-3) Cr. 1. F.  
Prereq: Credit or concurrent enrollment in FSHN 311.  
The laboratory practices of structure, properties, and chemistry of food  
constituents.

FS HN 314: Foundations of Culinary Food Science  
(1-0) Cr. 1. S.  
Introduction to the roles culinary scientists hold within industry including  
product development, research, and quality assurance. Discussions  
focused on professional and educational development, enhancement of  
communication skills, ethics and emerging issues and trends in culinary  
science.

FS HN 315: Professional Development for Food Science Majors  
(2-0) Cr. 2. F.  
Prereq: Food Science major with at least a junior level status  
Preparation for internships and careers in Food Science. Importance of  
soft skills and application of those skills to potential job situations.
FS HN 340: Foundations of Dietetic Practice
(1-0) Cr. 1. F.
Prereq: DIET or PDEX classification
Introduction to the profession of dietetics and responsibilities associated with dietetic professional practice. Emphasis on exploring career options in dietetics and preparation for a dietetic internship. Leadership and professional career development for the dietitian is addressed through self reflection, creation of materials for post-baccalaureate programs and job shadowing experience. Professional issues related to dietetic practice include Code of Ethics, legal credentialing and standards of professional practice, leadership and future trends in the profession. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 342: World Food Issues: Past and Present
(Cross-listed with AGRON, ENV S). (3-0) Cr. 3. F.S.S.
Prereq: Junior classification
Issues associated with global agricultural and food systems including ethical, social, economic, environmental, and policy contexts. Investigation of various causes and consequences of overnutrition/undernutrition, poverty, hunger, access, and distribution. Meets International Perspectives Requirement.

FS HN 351: Introduction to Food Engineering Concepts
(3-0) Cr. 3. S.
Prereq: MATH 160 or equivalent, PHYS 111 or equivalent, FS HN 207 or permission of the instructor.
Methodology for solving problems in food processing and introduction to food engineering concepts including food properties, material and energy balances, sources of energy, thermodynamics, fluid flow, heat transfer, and mass transfer.

FS HN 360: Advanced Nutrition and the Regulation of Metabolism
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: ENGL 250, FS HN 265, 3 credits in biochemistry; 3 credits in physiology recommended
Physiological and biochemical basis for nutrient needs; assessment of nutrient deficiency and toxicity; examination of nutrient functions and the regulation of metabolism; nutrient-gene interactions.

FS HN 361: Nutrition and Health Assessment
(1-3) Cr. 2. S.
Prereq: FS HN 265; 3 credits in statistics; 3 credits in physiology recommended
The assessment of nutritional status in healthy individuals. Laboratory experiences in food composition and assessment of dietary intake, body composition, and biochemical indices of nutritional status.

FS HN 362: Nutrition in Growth and Development
(3-0) Cr. 3. S.
Prereq: FS HN 360; credit or enrollment in a course in physiology
Molecular, biochemical and physiological basis to understand the nutritional aspects of human development and aging. Nutrient needs and various disease states at each stage of human life cycle.

FS HN 364: Nutrition and Prevention of Chronic Disease
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: FS HN 264 or FS HN 265 or accepted into Nursing major
Overview of nutrients, their functions, metabolism, food sources and optimal choices for the promotion of health and wellness. Nutrition strategies for the prevention of chronic disease, including cancer, diabetes and obesity, as they apply to individuals or the wider population will be discussed.

FS HN 365: Obesity and Weight Management
(3-0) Cr. 3. S.
Prereq: BIOL 256 and BIOL 256L, or BIOL 306, or accepted into Nursing major
Multifactorial aspects of obesity; maintenance of healthy weight, and the relationship of weight status and chronic disease prevention. Traditional and novel nutrition and exercise theories as well as current popular diet and exercise trends will be discussed.

FS HN 366: Communicating Nutrition Messages
(3-0) Cr. 3. S.
Prereq: FS HN 264 or FS HN 265
Theory and application of adult learning and behavior change as it relates to the role of nutrition in health promotion and disease prevention. Discussion of nutrition education and interventions relative to various models. Factors to consider in developing the nutrition education/intervention practicum experience. Focus on communication strategies for providing nutrition messages to diverse community audiences using various forms of media and outreach (print, radio, TV, newspaper, consumer publications, websites, community venues). Development of nutrition messages using various forms of media for a target population.

FS HN 367: Medical Terminology for Health Professionals
(1-0) Cr. 1. F.S.S.
An independent course focused on medical terminology, abbreviations, and simple clinical mathematical calculations. (offered online only).

FS HN 403: Food Laws and Regulations
(2-0) Cr. 2. S.SS.
Prereq: 3 credits in food science coursework at 200 level or above
FS HN 405: Food Quality Assurance  
(Dual-listed with FS HN 505). (2-0) Cr. 2. S.  
Prereq: FS HN 214 or FS HN 311; STAT 101 or STAT 104  
Fundamentals of food quality management programs and the  
establishment of decision-making processes. Emphasis on statistical  
process and quality control procedures and their applications to food  
systems. Development of procedures, specifications, grades, and  
standards (government and industry) to determine the quality of foods in  
the marketplace.

FS HN 406: Sensory Evaluation of Food  
(Dual-listed with FS HN 506). (2-3) Cr. 3. F.  
Prereq: FS HN 214 or FS HN 311 or AN S 360; 3 credits in statistics  
Sensory evaluation techniques used to evaluate the appearance, aroma,  
flavor, texture and acceptability of foods. Relationships between sensory  
and instrumental measurements of color and texture. Work independently  
and cooperatively (in a team) to identify sensory evaluation objectives,  
write hypotheses, design and conduct experiments, and analyze and  
interpret data.

FS HN 407: Microbiological Safety of Foods of Animal Origins  
(Dual-listed with FS HN 507). (Cross-listed with MICRO). (3-0) Cr. 3. S.  
Prereq: MICRO 420  
Examination of the various factors in the production of foods, from  
production through processing, distribution and final consumption  
which contribute to the overall microbiological safety of the food. Upon  
successful completion of this class, the student will receive both the  
Preventive Controls for Human Foods certificate (FDA program) and the  
International HACCP Alliance certificate (USDA-FSIS program).

FS HN 408: Dairy Products Evaluation  
(0-3) Cr. 1. S.  
Prereq: Permission of instructor  
Gain experience in identifying quality defects in dairy products including  
milk, cottage cheese, cheddar cheese, strawberry yogurt, butter, and  
vanilla ice cream. Intensive training for the National Collegiate Dairy  
Products Evaluation competition and for dairy product evaluation in the  
food industry.

FS HN 410: Food Analysis  
(2-3) Cr. 3. F.  
Prereq: FS HN 214 or FS HN 311 or CHEM 211  
An introduction to the theory and application of chemical and  
instrumental methods for determining the constituents of food. Use of  
standard procedures for food analysis and food composition data bases.

FS HN 411: Food Ingredient Interactions and Formulations  
(1-3) Cr. 2. F.S.  
Prereq: FSHN 214 or FS HN 311 and FS HN 115, FS HN 215 or FS HN 311L.  
Application of food science principles to ingredient substitutions in  
food products. Laboratory procedures for standard formulations and  
instrumental evaluation, with emphasis on problem-solving and critical  
thinking.

FS HN 412: Food Product Development  
(Dual-listed with FS HN 512). (1-6) Cr. 3. S.  
Prereq: FS HN 311 or FS HN 411; senior classification  
Principles of developing consumer packaged food products. Application  
of skills gained in food chemistry, formulation, quality, sensory and  
processing. Some pilot plant experiences. Emphasis on teamwork and  
effective communication.

FS HN 419: Foodborne Hazards  
(Cross-listed with MICRO, TOX). (3-0) Cr. 3. Alt. S., offered even-numbered  
years.  
Prereq: MICRO 201 or MICRO 302, a course in biochemistry  
Pathogenesis of human microbiological foodborne infections and  
toxications, principles of toxicology, major classes of toxicants in the  
food supply, governmental regulation of foodborne hazards. Assessed  
service learning component. Only one of FS HN 419 and FS HN 519 may  
count toward graduation.

FS HN 420: Food Microbiology  
(Cross-listed with MICRO, TOX). (3-0) Cr. 3. F.  
Prereq: MICRO 201 or MICRO 302  
effects of microbial growth in foods. Methods to control, detect, and  
enumerate microorganisms in food and water. Foodborne infections and  
toxications.

FS HN 421: Food Microbiology Laboratory  
(Cross-listed with MICRO). (0-6) Cr. 3. S.  
Prereq: MICRO 201 or MICRO 302; MICRO 201L or MICRO 302L. Credit or  
enrollment in FS HN/MICRO 420  
Standard techniques used for the microbiological examination of foods.  
Independent and group projects on student-generated questions in food  
microbiology. Emphasis on oral and written communication and group  
interaction.

FS HN 442: Issues in Food and Society  
(2-0) Cr. 2. F.  
Prereq: FS HN 242, FS HN 342  
In-depth discussion, synthesis, and analysis of domestic and  
international food issues including: food systems from farm to fork,  
poverty and world hunger, overnutrition, population, agriculture and the  
environment, ethics, biotechnology, and policy.
FS HN 460: Global Nutrition
(Dual-listed with NUTS 560 FS HN 560). (3-0) Cr. 3.
An overview of global nutrition issues, including the sociocultural, biological, economic, and environmental context of nutrition related topics. The etiology, epidemiology, and program/policy responses to issues will be presented. Areas to be covered include childhood malnutrition, growth stunting, micronutrient deficiencies, parasites and nutrition, sanitation, and obesity and chronic disease incidence in developing countries. Participatory course, students will engage in a series of class activities, discussions, and presentations.

FS HN 461: Medical Nutrition and Disease I
(4-0) Cr. 4. F.
Prereq: FS HN 360, FS HN 361, FS HN 367; plus BIOL 256 and 256L or BIOL 306 or BIOL 335
(Dual-listed with NutrS 561) Pathophysiology of selected chronic disease states and their associated medical problems. Specific attention will be directed to medical nutrition needs of patients in the treatment of each disease state.

FS HN 463: Community Nutrition
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: FS HN 265 or FS HN 360; FS HN 366 recommended
Dual-listed with NutrS 563. Survey of current public health nutrition problems among nutritionally vulnerable individuals and groups. Discussion of the multidimensional nature of those problems and of community programs addressing them. Grant writing as a means for funding community nutrition program development. Significant emphasis on written and oral communication at the lay and professional level. Field trip.
Meets U.S. Diversity Requirement

FS HN 464: Medical Nutrition and Disease II
(3-0) Cr. 3. S.
Prereq: FS HN 461
(Dual-listed with NutrS 564) Pathophysiology of selected acute and chronic disease states and their associated medical problems. Specific attention will be directed to medical nutrition needs of patients in the treatment of each disease state.

FS HN 466: Nutrition Counseling and Education Methods
(Dual-listed with FS HN 566). (2-2) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: FS HN 361 and FS HN 362
Application of counseling and learning theories with individuals and groups in community and clinical settings. Includes discussion and experience in building rapport, assessment, diagnosis, intervention, monitoring, evaluation, and documentation. Literature review of specific counseling and learning theories.

FS HN 467: Molecular Basis of Nutrition in the Development, Prevention, and Treatment of Disease
(3-0) Cr. 3. S.
Prereq: FS HN 360 or equivalent
Understanding the molecular basis for the role of nutrients, nutrient-derivatives, and bioactive compounds in the development, prevention, and treatment of common diseases including diabetes, cancer, vascular disease, obesity, neurological disease, aberrant mineral metabolism, and autoimmune disease. Translating this understanding into practical approaches for improving the health of individuals and populations.

FS HN 471: Food Processing
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: FS HN 351 or A E 451 or CH E 357; MICRO 201 or 302.
Principles and application of food processing using both thermal (ex., blanching, pasteurization, canning, drying, freezing, evaporation, aseptic processing, extrusion) and non-thermal (ex., high pressure, irradiation, pulsed electric field, fermentation) unit operations. Emphasis on microbial inactivation, process heat and mass balance, and numerical problem solving.

FS HN 472: Food Processing Laboratory
(1-3) Cr. 2. F.
Prereq: Credit or enrollment in FS HN 471 or A E 451 or CH E 357
Hands-on and demonstration laboratory activities related to food processing principles and applications using lab and pilot-scale equipment. Laboratory experiences include important food processing operations, e.g., blanching/ pasteurization, canning, freezing, drying, corn wet milling, fermentation, baking etc. Emphasis on mass balance, interpreting data, writing reports, and presentations. Occasional field trips.

FS HN 480: Professional Communication in Food Science and Human Nutrition
(1-0) Cr. 1. F.S.
Prereq: FS HN 203, senior classification in the department
Presentation of current topics using written and oral communication to a lay audience. Emphasis on communication skills for the profession.

FS HN 489: Issues in Food Safety
(Cross-listed with AN S, HSP M, VDPAM). (1-0) Cr. 1. S.
Prereq: FS HN 203, senior classification in the department
Capstone seminar for the food safety minor. Case discussions and independent projects about safety issues in the food system from a multidisciplinary perspective.
FS HN 490: Independent Study
Cr. 1-6. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
Independent work in food science, nutrition, or dietetics. A maximum of 6 credits of FS HN 490 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 490A: Independent Study: Dietetics
Cr. 1-6. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
Independent work in food science, nutrition, or dietetics. A maximum of 6 credits of FS HN 490 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 490B: Independent Study: Food Science
Cr. 1-6. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
Independent work in food science, nutrition, or dietetics. A maximum of 6 credits of FS HN 490 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 490C: Independent Study: Nutrition
Cr. 1-6. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
Independent work in food science, nutrition, or dietetics. A maximum of 6 credits of FS HN 490 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 490D: Independent Study: International Experience
Cr. 1-6. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
Independent work in food science, nutrition, or dietetics. A maximum of 6 credits of FS HN 490 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 490E: Independent Study: Entrepreneurship
Cr. 1-6. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
Independent work in food science, nutrition, or dietetics. A maximum of 6 credits of FS HN 490 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 490H: Independent Study: Honors
Cr. 1-6. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
Independent work in food science, nutrition, or dietetics. A maximum of 6 credits of FS HN 490 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 491: Supervised Work Experience
Cr. 1-4. Repeatable, maximum of 4 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Advance approval of instructor and adviser
Supervised off-campus work experience relevant to the academic major. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only. A maximum of 4 credits of FS HN 491 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 491A: Supervised Work Experience: Dietetics
Cr. 1-4. Repeatable, maximum of 4 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Advance approval of instructor and adviser
Supervised off-campus work experience relevant to the academic major. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only. A maximum of 4 credits of FS HN 491 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 491B: Supervised Work Experience: Food Science
Cr. 1-4. Repeatable, maximum of 4 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Advance approval of instructor and adviser
Supervised off-campus work experience relevant to the academic major. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only. A maximum of 4 credits of FS HN 491 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 491C: Supervised Work Experience: Nutrition
Cr. 1-4. Repeatable, maximum of 4 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Advance approval of instructor and adviser
Supervised off-campus work experience relevant to the academic major. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only. A maximum of 4 credits of FS HN 491 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 491D: Supervised Work Experience: Culinary Science
Cr. 1-4. Repeatable, maximum of 4 credits. F.S.SS.
Prereq: Advance approval of instructor and adviser
Supervised off-campus work experience relevant to the academic major. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only. A maximum of 4 credits of FS HN 491 may be used toward graduation.

FS HN 492: Research Concepts in Human Nutrition
(1-3) Cr. 2. F.
Prereq: senior classification or permission of instructor; FS HN 360
Students will develop and implement research projects with faculty supervision, based on knowledge gained from nutrition, biology and chemistry courses. Students will prepare a research proposal, conduct research and report results. Students will gain appreciation for independent research and experience creative and innovative aspects of nutrition research.

FS HN 493: Food Preparation Workshop
(1-3) Cr. 1-3.
Selected topics in food preparation including scientific principles, culture and culinary techniques. Variable format may include laboratory, recitation, and lecture. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.
FS HN 495: Practicum
(1-3) Cr. 2. F.S.
Prereq: Senior classification in Nutritional Science-Nutrition and Wellness option or permission of instructor; FS HN 366; credit or enrollment in FS HN 463.
Students will develop, implement and assess a community-based project that engages groups in learning and practicing concepts related to nutrition and wellness. Assessed service learning component. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 496: Food Science and Human Nutrition Travel Course
(Dual-listed with FS HN 596). Cr. 1-4. Repeatable. F.S.S.S.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
(One credit per week traveled and 1 credit for pre-departure class, if offered.) Limited enrollment. Tour and study of food industry, culinary science, dietetic and nutritional agencies in different regions of the world. Pre-travel session arranged. Travel expenses paid by students.

FS HN 496A: Food Science and Human Nutrition Travel Course: International travel
(Dual-listed with FS HN 596A). Cr. 1-4. Repeatable. F.S.S.S.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
(One credit per week traveled.) Limited enrollment. Tour and study of food industry, dietetic and nutritional agencies in different regions of the world. Pre-travel session arranged. Travel expenses paid by students.
Meets International Perspectives Requirement.

FS HN 496B: Food Science and Human Nutrition Travel Course: Domestic travel
(Dual-listed with FS HN 596B). Cr. 1-4. Repeatable. F.S.S.S.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
(One credit per week traveled.) Limited enrollment. Tour and study of food industry, dietetic and nutritional agencies in different regions of the world. Pre-travel session arranged. Travel expenses paid by students.

FS HN 498: Cooperative Education
Cr. R. Repeatable, maximum of 2 times. F.S.S.S.
Prereq: Permission of department chair.
Required for students completing professional work periods in a cooperative education program. Students must register prior to commencing each work period. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 499: Undergraduate Research
Cr. 1-6. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.S.S.
Prereq: Permission of staff member with whom student proposes to work
Research under staff guidance. A maximum of 6 credits of FS HN 499 may be used toward graduation.

Courses primarily for graduate students, open to qualified undergraduates:

FS HN 505: Food Quality Assurance
(Dual-listed with FS HN 405). (2-0) Cr. 2. S.
Prereq: FS HN 214 or FS HN 311; STAT 101 or STAT 104
Fundamentals of food quality management programs and the establishment of decision-making processes. Emphasis on statistical process and quality control procedures and their applications to food systems. Development of procedures, specifications, grades, and standards (government and industry) to determine the quality of foods in the marketplace.

FS HN 506: Sensory Evaluation of Food
(Dual-listed with FS HN 406). (2-3) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: FS HN 214 or FS HN 311 or AN S 360; 3 credits in statistics
Sensory evaluation techniques used to evaluate the appearance, aroma, flavor, texture and acceptability of foods. Relationships between sensory and instrumental measurements of color and texture. Work independently and cooperatively (in a team) to identify sensory evaluation objectives, write hypotheses, design and conduct experiments, and analyze and interpret data.

FS HN 507: Microbiological Safety of Foods of Animal Origins
(Dual-listed with FS HN 407). (Cross-listed with MICRO). (3-0) Cr. 3. S.
Prereq: MICRO 420
Examination of the various factors in the production of foods, from production through processing, distribution and final consumption which contribute to the overall microbiological safety of the food. Upon successful completion of this class, the student will receive both the Preventive Controls for Human Foods certificate (FDA program) and the International HACCP Alliance certificate (USDA-FSIS program).

FS HN 509: Sensory Evaluation of Wines
Cr. 2. S.
Prereq: Must be at least 21 years of age; senior or graduate status.
Principles of sensory evaluation and their application to wine evaluation. Sensory testing methods such as discrimination tests, ranking, descriptive analysis and scoring of wines will be covered. Students will have the opportunity to evaluate and learn about major types and styles of wines of the world. Lab fee.

FS HN 511: Integrated Food Science
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: 3 credits in each of organic chemistry, physics, mathematics, and microbiology.
Critical review of the key principles of food science and applications in the chemistry, microbiology, and processing of food. Understanding of the impact of processing on the quality of foods with respect to composition, quality and safety.
FS HN 512: Food Product Development
(Dual-listed with FS HN 412). (1-6) Cr. 3. S.
Prereq: FS HN 311 or FS HN 411; senior classification
Principles of developing consumer packaged food products. Application
of skills gained in food chemistry, formulation, quality, sensory and
processing. Some pilot plant experiences. Emphasis on teamwork and
effective communication.

FS HN 516: Advanced Nutrition I
(2-0) Cr. 2. F.S.S.S.
Prereq: Acceptance in the Master’s of Professional Practice in Dietetics
program.
Examination of current literature relative to molecular, cellular, and
physiologic aspects of macronutrient and micronutrient metabolism.
Integration of current evidence-based information, including peer-
reviewed literature, to inform advanced professional nutrition practice.

FS HN 517: Gut Microbiome: Implications for Health and Diseases
(Cross-listed with AN S, MICRO, V MPM). Cr. 3.
Prereq: Basic Knowledge in microbiology
Explore current research on gut microbiome including modern tools
used to study the gut microbiome. Examine the linkages between
gut microbiome and health status, diseases, and manipulation of gut
microbiome to improve health.

FS HN 518: Advanced Nutrition II
(2-0) Cr. 2. F.S.S.S.
Prereq: Acceptance in the Master’s of Professional Practice in Dietetics
program.
Principles of research design/methods and interpreting results/statistics
in the current peer-reviewed scientific literature. Critical evaluation of the
evidence-base to inform advanced professional nutrition practice.

FS HN 521: Microbiology of Food
(2-0) Cr. 2. S.S.S.
Prereq: A course in microbiology with laboratory; enrollment in GP-IDEA Food
Safety and Defense Graduate Certificate or permission of instructor.
Food Microbiology looks at the nature, physiology, and interactions of
microorganisms in foods. The course is an introduction to food-borne
diseases, the effect of food processing systems on the microflora of
foods, principles of food preservation, food spoilage, and foods produced
by microorganisms. Additionally, the course looks at food plant sanitation
and criteria for establishing microbial standards for food products.
Offered online only.

FS HN 522: Advanced Food Microbiology and Biotechnology
(2-0) S. offered odd-numbered years.
Prereq: Food microbiology, a course in biochemistry; enrollment in GP-IDEA
Food Safety and Defense Graduate Certificate or permission of instructor.
This course will cover basic principles in biotechnology and applied food
microbiology, including current topics of interest in food biotechnology.
Students will be introduced to recombinant DNA techniques and how
they are applied to genetically modify microorganisms, the use of nucleic
acids as tools of rapid detection of microorganisms in foods, basic
enzyme immobilization and down-stream processing techniques, and
regulatory aspects of food biotechnology. Offered online only.

FS HN 523: A Multidisciplinary Overview of Food Safety and Security
(2-0) Cr. 2. F.S.S.
Prereq: A course in biology or chemistry; enrollment in GP-IDEA Food Safety
and Defense Graduate Certificate or permission of instructor.
Multidisciplinary food safety and security perspectives provided by
numerous subject matter experts. Topics include food safety policy, ag
bioterrorism, border security, animal ID, food defense and site security,
risk analysis, crisis communication, epidemiology, HACCP, and more.
Offered online only.

FS HN 524: Food Microbiology
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: A course in microbiology with laboratory; enrollment in GP-IDEA Food
Safety and Defense Graduate Certificate or permission of instructor.
Food Microbiology looks at the nature, physiology, and interactions of
microorganisms in foods. The course is an introduction to food-borne
diseases, the effect of food processing systems on the microflora of
foods, principles of food preservation, food spoilage, and foods produced
by microorganisms. Additionally, the course looks at food plant sanitation
and criteria for establishing microbial standards for food products.
Offered online only.

FS HN 525: Principles of HACCP
(2-0) Cr. 2. F.
Prereq: Undergraduate biology and chemistry courses; enrollment in GP-IDEA
Food Safety and Defense Certificate or permission of instructor.
A comprehensive study of the Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point
System and its application in the food industry. Offered online only.

FS HN 526: Ethnic Foods: Food Safety, Food Protection and Defense
(2-0) Cr. 2. SS.
Prereq: Graduate standing; enrollment in GP-IDEA Food Safety and Defense
Graduate Certificate or permission of instructor.
Understanding of the various factors that impact safety of ethnic and
imported foods; knowledge about the handling, preparation,
processing and storage of ethnic and imported foods and food products;
science-based characterization of representative ethnic foods. Offered
online only.
FS HN 527: Microbiology of Fermented Foods  
(2-0) Cr. 2. SS.  
Prereq: Food microbiology; enrollment in GP-IDEA Food Safety and Defense Graduate Certificate or permission of instructor.  
Microbiology of fermented foods covers the physiology, biochemistry, and genetics of microorganisms important in food fermentations. The course looks at how microorganisms are used in fermentations and the effects of processing and manufacturing conditions on production of fermented foods. Offered online only.

FS HN 528: Food Protection and Defense-Essential Concepts  
(2-0) Cr. 2. S.  
Prereq: Enrollment in GP-IDEA Food Safety and Defense Graduate Certificate or permission of instructor.  
This course will provide students with an understanding of the principles required in a food defense program for a food manufacturing, warehousing or distribution center. The topics covered include: defining threats and aggressors; the Bioterrorism Act; food defense teams; vulnerability assessments; security programs; recall and traceability basics; security inspections; crisis management; emergency preparedness; and workplace violence. Offered online only.

FS HN 529: Foodborne Toxicants  
(Cross-listed with TOX). (2-0) Cr. 2. F.  
Prereq: A course in biochemistry; enrollment in GP-IDEA Food Safety and Defense Graduate Certificate or permission of instructor.  
Mechanisms of action, metabolism, sources, remediation/detoxification, risk assessment of major foodborne toxicants of current interest, design of HAACP plans for use in food industries targeting foodborne toxicants, discussion of toxicants from a food defense perspective. Offered online only.

FS HN 538: Advanced Medical Nutrition Therapy  
(3-0) Cr. 3. F.S.SS.  
Prereq: Acceptance in the Master’s of Professional Practice in Dietetics program.  
Nutritional biochemistry and physiology related to selected pathophysiology of disease with emphasis on treatment of complex medical problems. The nutrition care process will be utilized. Evidence-based practice will be integrated into each disease state covered. Offered WWW only.

FS HN 542A: Introduction to Molecular Biology Techniques: DNA Techniques  
(Cross-listed with B M S, BBMB, EEOB, GDCB, HORT, NREM, NUTRS, V MPM, VDPAM). Cr. 1. Repeatable. F.S.  
Includes genetic engineering procedures, sequencing, PCR, and genotyping. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 542B: Introduction to Molecular Biology Techniques: Protein  
(Cross-listed with B M S, BBMB, EEOB, GDCB, HORT, NREM, NUTRS, V MPM, VDPAM). Cr. 1. Repeatable. S.SS.  
Prereq: Graduate classification  
Techniques. Includes: fermentation, protein isolation, protein purification, SDS-PAGE, Western blotting, NMR, confocal microscopy and laser microdissection, Immunophenotyping, and monoclonal antibody production. Sessions in basic molecular biology techniques and related procedures. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 542C: Introduction to Molecular Biology Techniques: Cell Techniques  
(Cross-listed with B M S, BBMB, EEOB, GDCB, HORT, NREM, NUTRS, V MPM, VDPAM). Cr. 1. Repeatable. F.S.  
Includes: immunophenotyping, ELISA, flow cytometry, microscopic techniques, image analysis, confocal, multiphoton and laser capture microdissection. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 542D: Introduction to Molecular Biology Techniques: Plant Transformation  
(Cross-listed with B M S, BBMB, EEOB, GDCB, HORT, NREM, NUTRS, V MPM, VDPAM). Cr. 1. Repeatable. S.  
Includes: Agrobacterium and particle gun-mediated transformation of tobacco, Arabidopsis, and maize, and analysis of transformants. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 542E: Introduction to Molecular Biology Techniques: Proteomics  
(Cross-listed with B M S, BBMB, EEOB, GDCB, HORT, NREM, NUTRS, V MPM, VDPAM). Cr. 1. Repeatable. F.  
Includes: two-dimensional electrophoresis, laser scanning, mass spectrometry, and database searching. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 542F: Introduction to Molecular Biology Techniques: Metabolomics  
(Cross-listed with B M S, BBMB, EEOB, GDCB, HORT, NREM, NUTRS, V MPM, VDPAM). Cr. 1. Repeatable. F.  
Includes: metabolomics and the techniques involved in metabolite profiling. For non-chemistry majoring students who are seeking analytical aspects into their biological research projects. Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.
FS HN 542G: Introduction to Molecular Biology Techniques: Genomic
(Cross-listed with B M S, BBMB, EEOB, GDCB, HORT, NREM, NUTRS, V
MPM, VDPAM). Cr. 1. Repeatable. S.
Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 554: Dietetic Internship I
(0-22) Cr. 5. S.S.
For students enrolled in the Dietetic Internship program only. Supervised
practice experience in operational management, medical nutrition therapy
and community nutrition. Capstone research project. Experiences and
activities designed to meet accreditation standards.

FS HN 555: Dietetic Internship II
(0-18) Cr. 5. F.S.
Prereq: Concurrent enrollment or successful completion of FS HN 554
For students enrolled in the Dietetic Internship program only. Supervised
practice experience in operational management, medical nutrition therapy
and community nutrition. Capstone research project. Experiences and
activities designed to meet accreditation standards.

FS HN 556: Dietetic Internship III
(0-22) Cr. 5. F.S.
Prereq: Concurrent enrollment or successful completion of FS HN 554 and FS
HN 555
For students enrolled in the Dietetic Internship program only. Supervised
practice experience in operational management, medical nutrition therapy
and community nutrition. Capstone research project. Experiences and
activities designed to meet accreditation standards.

FS HN 560: Global Nutrition
(Dual-listed with FS HN 460). (Cross-listed with NUTRS). (3-0) Cr. 3.
An overview of global nutrition issues, including the sociocultural,
biological, economic, and environmental context of nutrition related
topics. The etiology, epidemiology, and program/policy responses
to issues will be presented. Areas to be covered include childhood
malnutrition, growth stunting, micronutrient deficiencies, parasites
and nutrition, sanitation, and obesity and chronic disease incidence in
developing countries. Participatory course, students will engage in a
series of class activities, discussions, and presentations.

FS HN 566: Nutrition Counseling and Education Methods
(Dual-listed with FS HN 466). (Cross-listed with DIET). (2-2) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: FS HN 361 and FS HN 362
Application of counseling and learning theories with individuals and
groups in community and clinical settings. Includes discussion and
experience in building rapport, assessment, diagnosis, intervention,
monitoring, evaluation, and documentation. Literature review of specific
counseling and learning theories.

FS HN 575: Processed Foods
(3-0) Cr. 3. Alt. F., offered even-numbered years.
Prereq: FS HN 214 or FS HN 311; a course in nutrition
This course will examine effect of industrial and domestic food
processing on the nutrient content of food and risk of developing chronic
disease.

FS HN 580: Orientation to Food Science and Nutrition Research
(1-0) Cr. 1. F.
Orientation to and discussion of research interests in food science
and nutrition. Discussion of policy and ethical issues in the conduct
of research. Intended for entering students in FS HN. Offered on a
satisfactory-fail basis only.

FS HN 581: Seminar
(1-0) Cr. 1. S.
Discussion and practice of oral presentation of scientific data in a
professional setting. Discussion of issues related to data presentation.
Intended for graduate students in their first or second semester in FS HN.

FS HN 590: Special Topics
Cr. 1-3. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.S.
FS HN 590A: Special Topics: Nutrition
Cr. 1-3. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.S.
FS HN 590B: Special Topics: Food Science
Cr. 1-3. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.S.
FS HN 590C: Special Topics: Teaching
Cr. 1-3. Repeatable, maximum of 6 credits. F.S.S.
FS HN 595: Grant Writing for the Professional
(Cross-listed with DIET). (3-0) Cr. 3. SS.
Prereq: enrollment in GP-IDEA MFCS in Dietetics
Grant writing, identifying external funding, managing grants, preparing
manuscripts for peer-reviewed publication, and preparing papers and
poster for presentation at professional meetings.

FS HN 596A: Food Science and Human Nutrition Travel Course:
International travel
(Dual-listed with FS HN 496A). Cr. 1-4. Repeatable. F.S.S.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
(One credit per week traveled.) Limited enrollment. Tour and study of food
industry, dietetic and nutritional agencies in different regions of the world.
Pre-travel session arranged. Travel expenses paid by students.
Meets International Perspectives Requirement.
FS HN 596B: Food Science and Human Nutrition Travel Course: Domestic travel
(Dual-listed with FS HN 496B). Cr. 1-4. Repeatable. F.S.S.
Prereq: Permission of instructor
(One credit per week traveled.) Limited enrollment. Tour and study of food industry, dietetic and nutritional agencies in different regions of the world. Pre-travel session arranged. Travel expenses paid by students.

FS HN 597: Nutritional Aspects of Oncology
(Cross-listed with DIET, NUTRS). (3-0) Cr. 3. Alt. S., offered even-numbered years.
Prereq: B.S. in nutrition, dietetics, biology, or related discipline.
Understanding of basic cancer biology and methodology used to study nutrition and cancer relationships. Using current research as a basis, the role of nutrition in specific cancers will be explored. Students will learn about sources of information for cancer prevention programs, and how to apply this information to clinical patient management.

FS HN 599: Creative Component
Cr. arr.
Nonthesis option only.

Courses for graduate students:

FS HN 606: Advanced Food Analysis and Instrumentation
(2-3) Cr. 3. Alt. S., offered odd-numbered years.
Prereq: FS HN 311, or FS HN 410, or FS HN 511 or equivalent.
Instrumental methods for measuring chemical and physical properties of foods, food quality and functionality. Techniques for methods development, sample preparation, optimization of operating conditions, and data analysis needed to obtain accurate, reproducible results by means of instrumentation.

FS HN 611: Advanced Food Processing
(Cross-listed with BRT). (3-0) Cr. 3. F.
Prereq: FS HN 311, or FS HN 471/472 or equivalent, or FS HN 511.
Recent advances in the science and technology of food processing and preservation; examples include both thermal and non-thermal processes, including cold plasma, nanotechnology, food packaging, and extrusion. Advances in extraction and separation technologies, waste management, by-product utilization, biorenewables and sustainability in food processing industry will also be discussed. Students to research on select topics and present.

FS HN 612: Advanced Food Chemistry
(3-0) Cr. 3. Alt. S., offered even-numbered years.
Prereq: FS HN 311, or FS HN 411, or FS HN 511, or BBMB 404, or equivalent.
Structure, chemical and physical properties of lipids, proteins and carbohydrates, and their food and industrial applications. Changes in functionalities during processing and storage.

FS HN 626: Advanced Food Microbiology
(Cross-listed with MICRO, TOX). (3-0) Cr. 3. Alt. F., offered odd-numbered years.
Prereq: FS HN 420 or FS HN 421 or FS HN 504
Topics of current interest in food microbiology, including new foodborne pathogens, rapid identification methods, effect of food properties and new preservation techniques on microbial growth, and mode of action of antimicrobials.

FS HN 627: Rapid Methods in Food Microbiology
(Cross-listed with MICRO, TOX). (2-0) Cr. 2. Alt. F., offered even-numbered years.
Prereq: FS HN 420 or FS HN 421 or FS HN 504
Provides an overview of rapid microbial detection methods for use in foods. Topics include historical aspects of rapid microbial detection, basic categories of rapid tests (phenotypic, genotypic, whole cell, etc.), existing commercial test formats and kits, automation in testing, sample preparation and "next generation" testing formats now in development.

FS HN 681: Seminar
(1-0) Cr. 1. Repeatable, maximum of 2 credits. F.S.S.
Presentation of thesis or dissertation research. Must be taken once for each graduate program; once for the M.S. program and once for the Ph.D. program.

FS HN 682: Seminar Reflection
Cr. R. Repeatable. F.S.
Active listening and critical thinking activities related to research seminars in food science and human nutrition. Required each semester for all FSHN graduate students. Electronic documentation.

FS HN 690: Special Problems
Cr. arr. Repeatable. F.S.S.
Prereq: FS HN 502 or FS HN 503 or FS HN 504 or FS HN 553 or FS HN 554

FS HN 695: Grant Proposal Writing
(Cross-listed with NUTRS). (1-0) Cr. 1. F.
Prereq: 3 credits of graduate course work in food science and/or nutritional sciences
Grant proposal preparation experiences including writing and critiquing of proposals and budget planning. Formation of grant writing teams in food science and/or nutritional sciences. Discussion of the role of successful grant writing in career development.

FS HN 699: Research in Food Science and Technology
Cr. arr. Repeatable. F.S.S.
Offered on a satisfactory-fail basis only.