Food Science and Technology (FST)

FST 101. Food Science Orientation. (1 Credit)
For food science majors. Orientation and academic guidance toward career planning in food science and technology.

FST 199. Special Studies. (1-16 Credits)
Graded P/N. This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 210. Fruit and Vegetable Processing. (3 Credits)
Lectures, lab activities and plant tours to help majors and non-majors understand traditional and modern fruit and vegetable processing technologies.

FST 212. Dairy Processing. (2 Credits)
Methods of processing and preserving milk and milk products and related unit operations.

FST 213. Dairy Processing Laboratory. (1 Credit)
Laboratory and field work to accompany FST 212. Field trip required.

FST 251. Introduction to Wines, Beers, and Spirits. (3 Credits)
A descriptive introduction to the history, science, sensory, economics, and societal aspects of alcoholic beverages.

FST 260. *Food Science and Technology in Western Culture. (3 Credits)
Exploring the sciences and technologies of food processing and preservation within the context of their historical, current, and possible future influences on what we eat, the structure of our society, and our day-to-day lives. (Bacc Core Course)
Attributes: CPWC – Core, Pers, West Culture

FST 273. *Wine in the Western World. (3 Credits)
A study of wine throughout history, from its accidental discovery and refinement through today, with a focus on the profound role wine plays in agriculture, social rituals, human health, economics, and the ambivalent pursuit of pleasure. (Baccalaureate Core Course)
Attributes: CPWC – Core, Pers, West Culture

FST 315. Pilot Plant Experiences. (2 Credits)
Students will be working in one of the FST pilot plants (dairy, vegetables/fruit, brewing, wine making, distilling) and will be assisting with the manufacturing of foods or beverages. Students must have available blocks of time in their schedules to contribute significantly to a production run. Production schedules for each pilot plant will be determined in advance of registration for each term. Not all pilot plants will be available each term. Lab.

FST 360. Food Safety and Sanitation. (3 Credits)
Principles, practices, and regulations governing and ensuring the microbiological safety of our food supply through risk assessment, surveillance, and intervention.
Prerequisites: (BI 211 with D- or better or BI 211H with D- or better or BI 212 with D- or better or BI 212H with D- or better or BI 213 with D- or better or BI 213H with D- or better) and (CH 121 [D-] or CH 221 [D-] or CH 221H [D-] or CH 231 [D-] or CH 231H [D-])

FST 370. Industry Preparation/HACCP. (3 Credits)
Assists students in preparation for internships and employment in the food industry by introducing compliance with food safety regulations, HACCP, and audits.

FST 385. *Communicating Food and Fermentation Science. (3 Credits)
This writing intensive course (WIC) will guide students in the investigation and critical evaluation of literature on a topic of current interest in food or fermentation science, and the development of their ability to write concisely and with precision about technical subject matter in this discipline. Lec/rec. (Writing Intensive Course)
Attributes: CWIC – Core, Skills, WIC
Prerequisites: WR 121 with C- or better and FST 360 [D-] and MB 302 (may be taken concurrently) [D-]

FST 399. Special Topics. (0-16 Credits)
Equivalent to: FST 399H
This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 399H. Special Topics. (1-16 Credits)
Attributes: HNRS – Honors Course Designator
Equivalent to: FST 399
This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 401. Research. (1-16 Credits)
This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 403. Thesis. (1-16 Credits)
This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 405. Reading and Conference. (1-16 Credits)
This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 407. Senior Seminar. (1 Credit)

FST 410. Internship. (1-16 Credits)
A work internship to give students practical on-the-job training in the food processing or related industries. Graded P/N.
This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 420. Sensory Evaluation of Food. (4 Credits)
Sensory test methods used in the evaluation of the taste, smell, texture, and color of foods as well as the evaluation of consumer acceptance of foods. This includes methods for measuring sensory qualities, underlying psychological principles, statistical methods for analyzing data, and proper interpretation of these results. Lec/lab.
Prerequisites: (ST 351 with C- or better or ST 411 with C- or better) and (ST 352 (may be taken concurrently) [D-] or ST 412 (may be taken concurrently) [D-])

FST 421. *Food Law. (3 Credits)
Concepts, statutes, regulations, and agencies controlling the production, processing, and distribution and promotion of food. (Bacc Core Course)
Attributes: CSST – Core, Synthesis, Science/Technology/Society

FST 422. Food Chemistry Fundamentals. (4 Credits)
An integrated lecture/lab/recitation course applying theories of molecular reactivity to model food systems. Lectures focus on the molecular bases of chemical phenomena that dictate the behavior of foods. Laboratories and recitations provide opportunities for students to observe, manipulate, and explore model food systems. Emphasis on major food components (water, lipids, proteins, and carbohydrates) and their behavior under conditions of particular relevance to food processing. Lec/lab/rec.
Prerequisites: (BB 350 with D- or better or BB 450 with D- or better or BB 450H with D- or better) and (CH 332 [C-] or CH 336 [C-]) and (MTH 228 (may be taken concurrently) [D-] or MTH 252 (may be taken concurrently) [D-] or MTH 252H (may be taken concurrently) [D-])

FST 423. Food Analysis. (4 Credits)
An integrated laboratory/lecture course covering methods used for the quantitative analysis of the chemical composition of foods and agricultural products.
FST 425. FOOD SYSTEMS CHEMISTRY. (4 Credits)
The chemistry of food components in real-world food systems. Focused on water, proteins, carbohydrates, lipids, and food polymers, their interactions, and the effects of food processing and storage. Integrates writing as a learning tool and means of professional communication. Lec/lab.
Prerequisites: FST 422 with D- or better

FST 430. INNOVATION AND FOOD PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT. (4 Credits)
Provides technical background and hands-on laboratory experience in food product development and food innovation. Lec/lab.
Prerequisites: CH 331 with D- or better and CH 332 [D-] and FST 360 [D-] and FST 421 [D-] and FST 422 [D-]

FST 460. BREWING SCIENCE. (3 Credits)
Chemistry, microbiology and engineering of malting and brewing operations for the production of beer, including the compositional analysis of barley, malt, hops, water, and beer and their effects on beer quality.
Prerequisites: (BI 212 with C- or better or BI 212H with C- or better) and CH 331 [C-] and CH 332 [C-]

FST 461. BREWING ANALYSIS. (3 Credits)
Compositional analysis, laboratory techniques and sensory evaluation of barley, malt, hops, water, yeast and beer. Lec/lab.
Prerequisites: FST 460 with D- or better and (MB 303 [D-] or MB 303H [D-])

FST 466. WINE PRODUCTION PRINCIPLES. (3 Credits)
Principles of wine production technology from grape berry development through bottling, covering the microbiology and chemistry of fermentation, aging and production practices of red and white table wines, as well as sparkling and dessert wines.
Prerequisites: (BI 212 with C- or better or BI 212H with C- or better) and CH 331 [C-] and CH 332 [C-]

FST 467. WINE PRODUCTION, ANALYSIS, AND SENSORY EVALUATION. (5 Credits)
An integrated lecture/lab course that focuses on the practical fundamentals of red and white wine production. Students will make wine and monitor its progression from the grape to the bottle using standard chemical, microbial, and sensorial techniques.
Prerequisites: FST 466 with D- or better and FST 479 (may be taken concurrently) [D-]

FST 479. FERMENTATION MICROBIOLOGY. (3 Credits)
An introduction to industrial microbiology with a focus on the physiology of fermentation and use of microorganisms for the production of food ingredients, fermented foods, and beverages. FST students need to take BB 350 and MB students need to take BB 450 for their respective majors. CROSSLISTED as MB 479/MB 579.
Prerequisites: (BI 212 with C- or better or BI 212H with C- or better) and CH 331 [C-] and CH 332 [C-] and (BB 350 [D-] or BB 450 [D-]) and MB 302 [D-]
Equivalent to: MB 479

FST 480. TOPICS IN FERMENTATION. (0-2 Credits)
Selected topics in fermentation science will be presented by department faculty and invited outside experts. Topics and format will change each quarter. Students may take the course for 1 or 2 credits as the topics change. Lec/lab.
This course is repeatable for 8 credits.
FST 522. FOOD CHEMISTRY FUNDAMENTALS. (4 Credits)
An integrated lecture/lab/recitation course applying theories of molecular reactivity to model food systems. Lectures focus on the molecular bases of chemical phenomena that dictate the behavior of foods. Laboratories and recitations provide opportunities for students to observe, manipulate, and explore model food systems. Emphasis on major food components (water, lipids, proteins, and carbohydrates) and their behavior under conditions of particular relevance to food processing. Lec/lab/rec.

FST 523. FOOD ANALYSIS. (4 Credits)
An integrated laboratory/lecture course covering methods used for the quantitative analysis of the chemical composition of foods and agricultural products.

FST 525. FOOD SYSTEMS CHEMISTRY. (4 Credits)
The chemistry of food components in real-world food systems. Focused on water, proteins, carbohydrates, lipids, and food polymers, their interactions, and the effects of food processing and storage. Integrates writing as a learning tool and means of professional communication. Lec/lab/rec.

Prerequisites: FST 522 with C or better

FST 560. BREWING SCIENCE. (3 Credits)
Chemistry, microbiology and engineering of malting and brewing operations for the production of beer, including the compositional analysis of barley, malt, hops, water, and beer and their effects on beer quality.

FST 561. BREWING ANALYSIS. (3 Credits)
Compositional analysis, laboratory techniques and sensory evaluation of barley, malt, hops, water, yeast and beer. Lec/lab.

FST 566. WINE PRODUCTION PRINCIPLES. (3 Credits)
Principles of wine production technology from grape berry development through bottling, covering the microbiology and chemistry of fermentation, aging and production practices of red and white table wines, as well as sparkling and dessert wines.

FST 567. WINE PRODUCTION, ANALYSIS, AND SENSORY EVALUATION. (5 Credits)
An integrated lecture/lab course that focuses on the practical fundamentals of red and white wine production. Students will make wine and monitor its progression from the grape to the bottle using standard chemical, microbial, and sensorial techniques.

Prerequisites: FST 566 with C or better
Corequisites: FST 569

FST 579. FERMENTATION MICROBIOLOGY. (3 Credits)
An introduction to industrial microbiology with a focus on the physiology of fermentation and use of microorganisms for the production of food ingredients, fermented foods, and beverages. FST students need to take BB 350 and MB students need to take BB 450 for their respective majors. CROSSLISTED as MB 479/MB 579.
Equivalent to: MB 579

FST 599. SPECIAL STUDIES. (0-16 Credits)
This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 601. RESEARCH. (1-16 Credits)
This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 603. THESIS. (1-16 Credits)
This course is repeatable for 999 credits.

FST 605. READING AND CONFERENCE. (1-16 Credits)
This course is repeatable for 16 credits.

FST 607. SEMINAR. (1 Credit)
This course is repeatable for 4 credits.

FST 620. ADVANCED TOPICS IN SENSORY SCIENCE. (2 Credits)
Current and/or advanced subjects in human sensory science. Includes 1) topics in human flavor perception that covers human psychophysics, neuroscience, and related fields, and 2) sensory evaluation techniques and data handling methods that are advanced in nature. Different points of view regarding above topics will be discussed.

Prerequisites: FST 520 with C or better
This course is repeatable for 4 credits.

FST 628. FLAVOR CHEMISTRY. (3 Credits)
The definition of flavor, analytical methods in flavor chemistry, and mechanisms of odor interaction in food system will be discussed. In addition, an integrated approach will be used to study the flavor chemistry of economically-important agricultural products in the Pacific Northwest such as dairy products, fruits, and alcoholic beverages.

FST 639. FOOD POLYMER SCIENCE. (3 Credits)
Investigates the theoretical principles and structure-function relationships of food macromolecules. The theoretical principles are related, where possible, to observable phenomena during thermal processing and storage of foods.

FST 641. PROCESSING WHEAT AND OTHER SMALL GRAINS: A MOLECULAR VIEW. (3 Credits)
Provides a fundamental overview of wheat and other cereals from the perspective of the molecular level events that are important in milling, baking, and other processes. Uses cereal processing (focused primarily on bread-making) as the vehicle for placing elements of food chemistry, food polymer science, physical chemistry, and rheology into the cohesive framework of a single food category. Students will experience how the sciences of chemistry, physics, engineering, microbiology, biochemistry, nutrition, etc. amalgamate in the production of the selected cereal products. Lec/lab.

FST 666. ADVANCED TOPICS IN ENOLOGY. (3 Credits)
An in-depth investigation of advanced wine processing techniques and wine research, focusing on their impact on production and wine quality.

Prerequisites: FST 566 with B or better and FST 567 (may be taken concurrently) [B]