#### WINE 70 Course Outline as of Fall 2004

## **CATALOG INFORMATION**

Dept and Nbr: WINE 70 Title: WINE COMP TASTE

Full Title: Wine Component Tasting

Last Reviewed: 12/12/2023

Units		Course Hours per Week	i I	Nbr of Weeks	<b>Course Hours Total</b>	
Maximum	1.50	Lecture Scheduled	3.00	8	Lecture Scheduled	24.00
Minimum	1.50	Lab Scheduled	0	8	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	3.00		Contact Total	24.00
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 48.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 72.00

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade or P/NP

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly: AG 171

#### **Catalog Description:**

Designed for wine industry personnel to learn organoleptic tasting techniques including varietal characteristics and other components of the fermentation process. A sensory course. (Formerly AG 281.23).

## **Prerequisites/Corequisites:**

Minimum Age 21 or older

## **Recommended Preparation:**

#### **Limits on Enrollment:**

#### **Schedule of Classes Information:**

Description: A sensory course designed for wine industry personnel to learn organoleptic tasting techniques. Varietal characteristics & components of fermentation process. (Formerly AG

281.23). (Grade or P/NP)

Prerequisites/Corequisites: Minimum Age 21 or older

Recommended:

Limits on Enrollment:

Transfer Credit: CSU;

Repeatability: Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

# **ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:**

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive: CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**IGETC:** Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**CSU Transfer:** Transferable Effective: Fall 2004 Inactive:

**UC Transfer:** Effective: Inactive:

CID:

## Certificate/Major Applicable:

Both Certificate and Major Applicable

## **COURSE CONTENT**

## **Outcomes and Objectives:**

Students will:

- 1. Identify eight common grape varieties by sight.
- 2. Identify eight common wine varieties by components.
- 3. Discuss history and development of the wine industry in Sonoma County and California.
- 4. Define the relationship between consumer and winery.
- 5. Explain the principles involved in the fermentation process.
- 6. Describe wine defects due to bacterial action.
- 7. Discuss wine tasting set up.

## **Topics and Scope:**

- I. Grape and Grape Components
  - A. Composition
  - B. Grape Varieties
- II. Wine Components From Fermentation To Bottling
  - A. Fermentation Characteristics
  - B. Ageing
- III. Wine Ageing and Speciality Wine Components
  - A. Effects of Oxygen
  - B. Ports, Sherries, Etc.
- IV. Wine Defects as Components
  - A. Bacterial
  - B. Wine Making Defects
- V. How To Taste Wine; How To Set Up Tastings
- VI. Blind Tasting and Sensory Evaluation

## **Assignment:**

Written reports regarding sensory wine evaluation.

#### Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

**Writing:** Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

Written homework

Writing 20 - 40%

**Problem Solving:** Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

Exams

Problem solving 20 - 40%

**Skill Demonstrations:** All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

None

Skill Demonstrations 0 - 0%

**Exams:** All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

None

Exams 0 - 0%

**Other:** Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Sensory evaluation and attendance

Other Category 20 - 50%

## Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Instructor prepared industry handouts will be used.