CUL 253B Course Outline as of Fall 2015

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: CUL 253B Title: CULINARY CAFE 2

Full Title: Culinary Cafe 2 Last Reviewed: 3/23/2015

Units		Course Hours per Weel	k	Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	6.00	Lecture Scheduled	3.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	52.50
Minimum	6.00	Lab Scheduled	9.50	8	Lab Scheduled	166.25
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	12.50		Contact Total	218.75
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 105.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 323.75

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade Only

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

Also Listed As:

Formerly: CUL 253.3

Catalog Description:

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Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Course Completion of CUL 253A

Recommended Preparation:

Eligibility for ENGL 100 or ESL 100

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

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Prerequisites/Corequisites: Course Completion of CUL 253A

Recommended: Eligibility for ENGL 100 or ESL 100

Limits on Enrollment:

Transfer Credit:

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: Effective: Inactive:

UC Transfer: Effective: Inactive:

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Both Certificate and Major Applicable

COURSE CONTENT

Student Learning Outcomes:

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Explain the importance of local and seasonal products in menu design and planning.
- 2. Apply basic skills, techniques, and guidelines used in restaurant food preparation.
- 3. Define and use the basic terminology of the professional culinary arts.
- 4. Apply a working knowledge of sanitation and safety in a professional kitchen.
- 5. Demonstrate a working knowlege of the various stations in a restaurant.
- 6. Demonstrate basic managerial skills in a working restaurant.

Objectives:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- 1. Assume a leadership/management role at various stations in the Culinary Café and Bakery.
- 2. Prepare various foods for cooking.
- 3. Finish, garnish, and serve foods to maintain eye appeal, flavor, and overall quality.
- 4. Prepare mise en place for a variety of stations.
- 5. Identify proper doneness of product.
- 6. Identify a variety of potato, grain, and legume side dishes and properly cook them by moist and dry heat cooking methods.
- 7. Prepare fresh pasta dough and a variety of pasta dishes.
- 8. Prepare a variety of types of meats, fish and poultry for dry heat, moist heat and combination cooking methods.
- 9. Prepare a variety of vegetarian dishes using a variety of cooking methods.
- 10. Utilize proper holding and reheating techniques.
- 11. Prepare a variety of breakfast items.
- 12. Employ appropriate skills at various stations in a professional kitchen including plating and presentation techniques.
- 13. Complete food preparation and service activities focusing on speed and timing.

- 14. Properly use tools and equipment found in a professional kitchen.
- 15. Demonstrate professionalism in the workplace.
- 16. Identify and employ interpersonal, professional, and teamwork skills required of employees in the food service industry.
- 17. Employ appropriate basic skills.
- 18. Apply proper procedures for washing, sanitizing, drying, and storing equipment, wares, and utensils in a working kitchen.

Topics and Scope:

- I. Basic Cooking Methods
 - A. Dry-heat cooking techniques
 - 1. Grilling
 - 2. Broiling
 - 3. Sautéing
 - 4. Pan-frying
 - 5. Deep-frying
 - 6. Smoking
 - B. Moist-heat cooking techniques
 - 1. Poaching
 - 2. Steaming
 - 3. Simmering
 - 4. Boiling
 - C. Combination cooking techniques
 - 1. Braising
 - 2. Stewing
 - D. Determine doneness and evaluate quality
- II. Mise en Place
 - A. Food items
 - 1. Trimming and butchering
 - 2. Marinades and dry rubs
 - 3. Proper seasoning
 - B. Equipment
 - 1. Selecting and preparing pans, utensils, and other necessary equipment
 - 2. Proper oven temperature
 - 3. Safe operating procedures
- III. Potato, Grain, and Legume Cookery
 - A. Moist heat methods
 - B. Dry heat method
 - C. Proper holding and reheating
- IV. Pasta Cookery
 - A. Fresh pasta
 - B. Dry pasta
 - C. Pasta cooking methods
- V. Soups and Sauces
 - A. Mother sauces
 - B. Contemporary Sauces
 - C. Salsas
 - D. Puree soups
 - E. Cream soups
 - F. Clear soups
- VI. Pantry

- A. Salad types
 B. Dressings
 C. Garnishes
- VII. Dessert Station
 - A. Plating techniques
 - B. Portion control
- VIII. Doneness and Quality Evaluation
 - A. Quality
 - B. Color
 - C. Eye appeal
 - D. Flavor
- IX. Vegetarian Cookery
 - A. Cultural and global importance of the vegetarian diet
 - B. Basic guidelines for vegetarian cookery
 - C. Vegetarian dishes and cooking methods
- X. Breakfast Cookery
 - A. Eggs
 - B. Starches
 - C. Meats
- XI. Professionalism
 - A. Interpersonal skills
 - B. Attitudes
 - C. Habits
 - D. Teamwork
 - E. Appearance
- XII. Leadership Role in Various Stations in a Professional Kitchen
 - A. Directing the completion of food preparation and service activities
 - 1. Explaining
 - 2. Directing
 - 3. Demonstrating by example
 - B. Cleaning, sanitizing, and maintenance
 - 1. Wares
 - 2. Equipment
 - 3. Food preparation, service, and storage areas
 - C. Directing line cooks
 - D. Professional skills required of lead positions in a working commercial kitchen
 - 1. Teamwork
 - 2. Organizing production
 - 3. Interpersonal skills
 - 4. Attitudes
 - 5. Habits
- XIII. Practical Kitchen Maintenance
 - A. Types of large and small equipment used in kitchen
 - B. Cleaning and sanitizing
 - 1. Safety procedures
 - 2. Cleaning procedures
 - 3. Sanitizing procedures
 - 4. Maintaining freezers, floors, and storage areas
 - 5. Safe practices when using cleaning supplies and solutions
 - 6. Maintaining accurate maintenance log
 - 7. Recycle materials and properly dispose of waste
 - C. Proper food storage procedures

- 1. Principles and practices
 - a. Labeling
 - b. First in first out
- 2. Temperature logs
 - a. Cold storage areas
 - b. Dry storage areas
 - c. Hot and cold foods

XIV. Table Service

- A. Handling service wares
- 1. Safety
- 2. Sanitation
- B. Table settings
- C. Side work
- D. Tray Service
- E. Table clearing
- F. Customer relations

XV. Dishwashing

- A. Procedures
- B. Washing
- C. Sanitizing
- D. Ware washing chemicals
 - 1. Identification
 - 2. Proper use
- E. Ware drying and storage

Assignment:

- 1. Rotate through a variety of stations in the Culinary Café and Bakery.
- 2. Written term project, 3-5 pages.
- 3. Reading journal, 1 food related article per week with a half page summary.
- 4. Farmers market report, 2 reports of 1-3 pages.
- 5. Dining journal, 2 restaurant visits with a half page restaurant review.
- 6. Written final consisting of short answer and essay questions.
- 7. Weekly station manager reports, 3-5 pages per week.
- 8. Portfolio to include reading journal, dining journal, notes, copies of daily menu, recipes, and station evaluation reports.
- 9. Assigned reading, 40 50 pages per week.

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, weekly manager reports, term project.

Writing 10 - 20%

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

Inter-station communication, self evaluations.

Problem solving 5 - 15%

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

Class performances, ability to follow verbal directions.

Skill Demonstrations 40 - 60%

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

Exams: short answer, essay.

Exams 5 - 10%

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

Attendance, participation, and professionalism.

Other Category 10 - 25%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

On Cooking: A Textbook of Culinary Fundamentals, 6th edition, by Sarah R. Labensky and Alan M. Hause. Prentice Hall, 2015.

Instructor prepared recipes and materials.