CUL 222 Course Outline as of Fall 2007

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: CUL 222 Title: COOK`S TOUR OF SONOMA CO Full Title: A Cook's Tour of Sonoma County Last Reviewed: 10/14/2013

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	2.00	Lecture Scheduled	4.00	8	Lecture Scheduled	32.00
Minimum	1.00	Lab Scheduled	0	4	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	4.00		Contact Total	32.00
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 64.00

Total Student Learning Hours: 96.00

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:	CULT 222

Catalog Description:

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Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended Preparation:

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

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ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

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

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Certificate Applicable Course

COURSE CONTENT

Outcomes and Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- 1. Describe the regional attributes contributing to Sonoma County's culinary bounty.
- 2. Identify the leading food producers in Sonoma County.
- 3. Explain the importance and benefits of regionally based cuisine.
- 4. Identify and select foods grown in their proper season.
- 5. Identify, locate, and select locally grown and produced products.

Topics and Scope:

- I. Overview
 - A. Regional attributes
 - 1. Climate
 - 2. Soil
 - 3. GeographyB. Portraits of the region's food producers
 - 1. Cheesemakers
 - 2. Dairymen and dairywomen
 - 3. Bread makers
 - 4. Farmers
 - 5. Chefs
 - C. Regionally based cuisine
 - D. Sustainable food production and consumption
 - E. Eating in season
- II. Introduction to the region's cuisine
 - A. Meats, fish, poultry
 - B. Dairy
 - C. Produce
 - D. Prepared foods

E. Oils, vinegars, and honey

F. Wine

- III. Resources for food products in Sonoma County
 - A. Farms
 - 1. Meat
 - 2. Poultry
 - 3. Eggs
 - 4. Vegetables
 - 5. Mushrooms
 - 6. Oils, vinegars, and honey
 - 7. Wine
 - 8. Orchards
 - 9. Sea food
 - B. Dairies
 - 1. Milk
 - 2. Cheese
 - C. Food producers
 - 1. Jams and jellies
 - 2. Honey
 - 3. Prepared foods
 - 4. Oils and vinegars
 - 5. Wholesale bakeries
 - D. Retail outlets
 - 1. Retail bakeries
 - 2. Grocery stores
 - 3. Farmer's markets
 - 4. Specialty shops
 - 5. Butchers
 - 6. Fish and seafood markets
 - E. Wine and dining
 - 1. Restaurants
 - 2. Wineries
 - 3. Tasting rooms
 - F. Special events
 - 1. Showcase events
 - 2. Food tasting events
 - 3. Wine tasting event

Assignment:

- 1. Reading, 10-15 pages per week.
- 2. Devise a menu featuring a diversity of Sonoma County products.

3. Conduct an interview with a Sonoma County food producer or chef. Write an interview report highlighting the interviewees contribution to regional cuisine (3-5 pages).

4. Visit at least 2 Sonoma County Farmer's Markets; write a report comparing and contrasting the markets (3-5 pages).

5. Field trips to Sonoma County food producers (2-3) during regularly scheduled class sessions; field notes.

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.

Reports; field notes

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

Menu

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

None

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

None

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

Attendance and participation

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

THE NEW COOK'S TOUR OF SONOMA, Michele Anna Jordan, Sasquatch Books, 2002. Instructor prepared materials.

	Writing 60 - 80%
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	Problem solving 10 - 20%
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	Skill Demonstrations 0 - 0%
other than skill	
	Exams 0 - 0%
s that do not logically	
	Other Category

10 - 20%