BREW 112 Course Outline as of Fall 2016

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: BREW 112 Title: ANALYSIS OF FERMENTATION

Full Title: Analysis of Fermentation

Last Reviewed: 5/23/2016

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	3.00	Lecture Scheduled	2.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	35.00
Minimum	3.00	Lab Scheduled	3.00	8	Lab Scheduled	52.50
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	5.00		Contact Total	87.50
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 70.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 157.50

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:

Catalog Description:

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Prerequisites/Corequisites:

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Recommended Preparation:

Eligibility for ENGL 100 or ESL 100

Limits on Enrollment:

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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:

Certificate Applicable Course

COURSE CONTENT

Student Learning Outcomes:

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

- 1. Evaluate beer color, aroma, and flavor, and identify defects.
- 2. Demonstrate knowledge of beer ingredients through small batch brewing of their own recipes.

Objectives:

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

- 1. Identify sensory parameters of evaluating beer.
- 2. Identify beer defects, their cause, and prevention.
- 3. Perform small scale brewing of their own recipes.
- 4. Perform lab analysis on beer throughout the stages of production.
- 5. Perform quality assurance tests on finished or packaged beer.

Topics and Scope:

- I. Sensory evaluation of beer
 - A. Color
 - B. Aroma
 - C. Clarity
 - D. Flavor
 - E. Texture
 - F. Foam retention
- II. Methods of analysis in microbiology
 - A. Plating with selective media
 - B. Population and viability determination
 - C. Isolation and identification
 - D. Sanitation monitoring
- III. Water
 - A. TDS (Total Dissolved Solids), pH, clarity
 - B. Effect on finished product

- IV. Barley
 - A. 1000 KW (Kernel Weight), percent moisture, germination
 - B. Effect on malt
- V. Barley malt
 - A. 1000 KW, percent moisture, extract, diastatic power
 - B. Effect on finished product
- VI. Hops
 - A. Alpha/beta acids
 - B. Effect on finished product
- VII. Wort
 - A. Specific gravity, soluble solids, pH, dissolved oxygen
 - B. Effect on finished product
- VIII. Fermentation monitoring
- IX. Finished beer
 - A. Apparent extract, real extract, original gravity, real degree of fermentation, % alcohol
 - B. Foam, pH, color, headspace, bitterness, dissolved oxygen, dissolved CO2
- X. Quality control and assurance
 - A. Sampling techniques
 - B. Bottling/kegging line checks
 - C. Finished package checks

Assignment:

- 1. Reading in required text, 20 40 pages per week
- 2. Brew small batches of beer of the student's own recipe to represent different beer styles
- 3. Problem solving simulation exercises
- 4. Lab reports
- 5. Midterm and final exam

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.

Lab reports

Writing 20 - 40%

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

Lab reports; simulation exercises

Problem solving 20 - 40%

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

Evaluation of small batches of beer

Skill Demonstrations 10 - 20%

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

Midterm and final exam: multiple choice, true/false, completion

Exams 20 - 40%

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

Participation

Other Category 0 - 15%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Standards of Brewing: Formulas for Consistency and Excellence, by Charles W. Bamforth 1st Edition (2002) Classic Instructor prepared materials