

COURSE CONTENT

Academic year 2020/2021

Code-Course	053223 - Beverages Production and Testing		
Thematic Area	Food productions and enogastronomic productions	Third	
Course Type	Mandatory Credits	6 cr. ECTS	
In-class Hours	60 hours Of Individual Work	90 hours	

BRIEF COURSE DESCRIPTION

The aim of this course is to a introduce students to the main beverages found in gastronomy. It focuses on the study of the distinct features of each drink such as history; raw materials used in their production; origin or production processes. These distinct features will be identified by means of organolpetic analysis.

The application of theoretical contents about origin, production method or raw materials will allow students to understand their importance when defining texture and aromatic and gustatory characteristics of beverages.

SPECIFIC SKILLS

SS6 – Interpret the beverages production processes and identify the organoleptic descriptors by means of the sensorial tasting.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

• Know the elaboration processes and the classification criteria of the main beverages and identify their basic characteristics after performing their sensory analysis.

THEMATIC CONTENTS

- 1. Wine.
- 2. Pairing: harmony between beverages and food.
- 3. Beer.
- 4. Fermented drinks.
- 5. Spirits, liquors, liqueurs and aperitifs.
- 6. Tea and Coffee
- 7. Water



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LEARNING METHODOLOGY

This course combines theory with practice in order to help students acquire the skills related to it. It provides a general overview of the most common beverages used in gastronomy.

During lectures students will do exercises in order to achieve the objectives aforementioned, while in practical classes students will taste and analyse different types of drinks.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

The assessment system assesses the student's achievement of learning outcomes regarding the subject's own competences.

Students may choose between continuous assessments throughout the year or a final examination at the end of the course.

Continuous assessment: the teaching-learning process is assessed by a continuous monitoring of the work done by the students throughout the course.

Final examination: it assesses the students' learning outcomes by means of a final exam at the end of the course. Students who cannot come to class regularly due to justified reasons will be assessed at the end of the course.

Assessment systems		
Students assignments		
Final written exam		
Final practical exam		

Continuous	Final
40%	40%
40%	40%
20%	20%

REVIEW AND REASSESSMENT OF THE COURSE

The student has the right to review all the evidences that have been designed for the assessment of learning.

If a student fails to achieve the learning objectives of the course, in order to opt for the reassessment of the course and submit a new reassessment task, it will be mandatory to fulfil one of these conditions:

- A. Students must have been awarded a mean grade of 5.0 or higher in relation to the activities carried out throughout the semester without taking into account the final exam/s (both continuous assessment and single assessment) and having attended the final exam.
- B. Students must have been awarded a final minimum grade of 4.0 in the overall course.

After the reassessment, the maximum grade is 5.0 in the overall course.



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