FOOD SCIENCE, M.S.

REQUIREMENTS

MINIMUM GRADUATE SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

Review the Graduate School minimum academic progress and degree requirements (http://guide.wisc.edu/graduate/#policiesandrequirementstext), in addition to the program requirements listed below.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

MODE OF INSTRUCTION

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Mode of Instruction Definitions

**Accelerated:** Accelerated programs are offered at a fast pace that condenses the time to completion. Students typically take enough credits aimed at completing the program in a year or two.

**Evening/Weekend:** Courses meet on the UW–Madison campus only in evenings and/or on weekends to accommodate typical business schedules. Students have the advantages of face-to-face courses with the flexibility to keep work and other life commitments.

**Face-to-Face:** Courses typically meet during weekdays on the UW-Madison Campus.

**Hybrid:** These programs combine face-to-face and online learning formats. Contact the program for more specific information.

**Online:** These programs are offered 100% online. Some programs may require an on-campus orientation or residency experience, but the courses will be facilitated in an online format.

CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

**Requirement:** Detail

Minimum Credit Requirement

Minimum Residence Credit Requirement

Minimum Graduate Coursework Requirement

Overall Graduate GPA Requirement

Other Grade Requirements

A, AB, B, or S will count toward the Graduate School’s minimum credit requirement. Courses with grades of BC or C count only if there are equal credits of AB and A respectively in non-research courses to offset the lower grades. Courses taken under the 300 level, or for audit, pass/fail; or in which a student receives grades of D or F do not count.

Assessments and Examinations

Students are required to have a graduate program advisory committee (GPAC) meeting once each year to monitor progress toward their degree.

The presentation for the FOOD SCI 900 Seminar Advanced must be given a semester before or in the semester of the defense.

Master’s students are required to defend their thesis after they have cleared their record of all Incomplete and Progress grades (other than research and thesis) and submit the final thesis online.

Language Requirement

Food Science does not have a foreign language requirement.

REQUIRED COURSES

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<td>Seminar Advanced</td>
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Required Food Science Coursework

Complete two of the following:

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<td>Chemistry and Technology of Dairy Products</td>
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<td>FOOD SCI/AN SCI 711</td>
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<td>FOOD SCI 725</td>
<td>Advanced Food Microbiology</td>
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<td>SURG SCI 812</td>
<td>Research Ethics and Career Development</td>
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Statistics

Take one Statistics course numbered 300 or above

Electives

Students take additional credits to reach the 30 credit minimum in consultation with their graduate program committee. These credits may include Research.

Total Credits

30