

What Can I Do With This **Ohio State** Major?

Bachelor of Science

Culinary Science

College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences

Culinary scientists combine the creativity of culinary arts with food science into a fun and exciting program. Culinary scientists are a part of the nation's largest industry and culinary science is a valuable course of study for students. Students majoring in culinary science at Ohio State are free to select their own area of culinary expertise. Culinary science students either transfer to Ohio State after completing an associate's degree in their chosen culinary field or concurrently take classes at a culinary institution. Students round out their culinary experience with general education classes at Ohio State and add to their understanding of food with classes such as Food Quality Assurance and Food Additives. Students will also be able to apply their culinary knowledge to food science classes such as Food Product Development and Food Processing. ⁱ

Career Areas/Job Titles:

Management and Industry

Product Demo Coordinator
Quality Control Supervisor
Senior Chef
Food Consultant
Director of Food Safety
Food Consultant
Restaurant Manager
Restaurant Menu Developer

Caterer

Sommelier

Chain Analyst

Communication and Media

Food Critic
Marketing Director
Journalist

Science and Technology

Sensory Scientist

Test Kitchen Researcher

Product Development Scientist

Education

Professor
Education Coordinator
Market Researcher

Government/Politics

Lawyer
FDA/USDA Inspector

**Some careers may require licensure, certification, or further education. Talk to an advisor about specific requirements.*

Transferable Skills:

Artistic Design
Law and Policy Awareness
Expressing Ideas
Listening Skills
Provide/Respond to Feedback
Speaking Effectively
Cultural Understanding

Social Perceptiveness
Teamwork
Adaptability/Flexibility
Attention to Detail
Judgment & Decision Making
Initiative
Managing Time/Stress

Organization Skills
Prioritizing Tasks
Strategic Planning/Visioning
Creating Innovative Solutions
Multi-tasking
Problem Solving
*Internship Required

**This is not an extensive list of transferable skills. See larger list of skills you might develop here:*

<http://www.ccss.osu.edu>

Professional Links:

OSU Food Science Club: <http://student.fst.ohio-state.edu/fscclub/index.htm>

International Food and Agribusiness Management Association: <https://www.ifama.org/default.aspx>

Distribution Business Management Association: <http://www.dcenter.com/>

Grocery Manufacturers Association: <http://www.gmaonline.org/>