

# GLOBAL PUBLIC HEALTH/ FOOD STUDIES (BS)

Department Website (<https://steinhardt.nyu.edu/programs/food-studies/>)

NYSED: 35041 HEGIS: 1214.00 CIP: 51.2201

## Program Description

The BS program in Global Public Health/Food Studies focuses on the ways in which individuals, communities, and societies relate to food within a cultural and historical context. Students will study a wide variety of topics such as food science and technology, food and culture, epidemiology, marketing, nutrition, and health policy.

Graduates are well prepared to enter a variety of careers in advocacy, policy, agriculture, and food production, public relations, and development, as well as to pursue advanced academic training in public health, food studies, or other related fields.

## Admissions

New York University's Office of Undergraduate Admissions supports the application process for all undergraduate programs at NYU. For additional information about undergraduate admissions, including application requirements, see How to Apply (<https://www.nyu.edu/admissions/undergraduate-admissions/how-to-apply.html>).

## Program Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
<b>Liberal Arts Requirements</b>		
<i>Foreign Language</i>		
Select eight credits of a foreign language		8
<i>Expository Writing</i>		
EXPOS-UA 1	Writing as Inquiry	4
ACE-UE 110	Advanced Writing and Research	4
<i>Foundations of Contemporary Culture</i>		
Texts and Ideas		4
Cultures and Contexts		4
Expressive Culture		4
Societies and the Social Sciences		4
<i>Foundations of Scientific Inquiry</i>		
NUTR-UE 1068	Introduction to Human Physiology	4
UGPH-GU 20	Biostatistics for Public Health	4
Select one of the following:		4
BIOL-UA 11	Principles of Biology I	
CORE-UA 306	Life Science: Brain and Behavior	
Other course by Advisement		
<i>Unrestricted Liberal Arts Electives</i>		
Select 16 credits of Unrestricted Liberal Arts Electives		16
<i>Additional Requirements</i>		
SAHS-UE 1	New Student Seminar	0
Writing Proficiency Examination		
The Global Health Major requires one Fall, Spring or Summer semester abroad at one of NYU's 14 global sites.		

## Specialization Requirements

<i>Public Health Core Content</i>		
UGPH-GU 10	Health and Society in a Global Context	4
UGPH-GU 30	Epidemiology for Global Health	4
UGPH-GU 50	Environmental Health in a Global World	4
UGPH-GU 40	Health Policy in a Global World	4
<i>Public Health Electives</i>		
Complete 4 credits, by advisement.		4
<i>Public Health Internship</i>		
UGPH-GU 60	Undergraduate Experiential Learning in Global Public Health	4
<i>Food Studies Core Content</i>		
FOOD-UE 71	Fd Issues of Cont Societ	4
FOOD-UE 1033	Food Systems: Food and Agriculture	4
FOOD-UE 1051	Food and Identity	4
FOOD-UE 1056	Internship in Food Stud & Food Mgmt	3
FOOD-UE 1118	Research in Food Studies	2
FOOD-UE 1130	Commun Workshop in Foods & Nutrition	2
FOOD-UE 1135	Essentials of Cuisine:	3
FOOD-UE 1180	Food and Nutrition Global Society	4
FOOD-UE 1204	Food in The Arts:	2
FOOD-UE 1210	Introduction to Food History	4
FOOD-UE 1217	Advanced Foods:	3
NUTR-UE 85	Intro to Foods and Food Science	3
NUTR-UE 91	Food Management Theory	3
NUTR-UE 119	Nutrition and Health	3
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>128</b>

## Sample Plan of Study

Course	Title	Credits
<b>1st Semester/Term</b>		
SAHS-UE 1	New Student Seminar	0
Texts and Ideas		4
NUTR-UE 85	Intro to Foods and Food Science	3
FOOD-UE 71	Fd Issues of Cont Societ	4
EXPOS-UA 1	Writing as Inquiry	4
<b>Credits</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>2nd Semester/Term</b>		
FOOD-UE 1051	Food and Identity	4
FOOD-UE 1204	Food in The Arts:	2
NUTR-UE 119	Nutrition and Health	3
ACE-UE 110	Advanced Writing and Research	4
Global Public Health Course		4
<b>Credits</b>		<b>17</b>
<b>3rd Semester/Term</b>		
FOOD-UE 1210	Introduction to Food History	4
Societies and the Social Sciences		4
Global Public Health Course		4
Foreign Language		4
<b>Credits</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>4th Semester/Term</b>		
FOOD-UE 1033	Food Systems: Food and Agriculture	4
Elective		4
Expressive Culture		4
Foreign Language		4
<b>Credits</b>		<b>16</b>

**5th Semester/Term**

FOOD-UE 1217	Advanced Foods:	3
Global Public Health Course		4
NUTR-UE 1068	Introduction to Human Physiology	4
FOOD-UE 1180	Food and Nutrition Global Society	4
<b>Credits</b>		<b>15</b>

**6th Semester/Term**

FOOD-UE 1130	Commun Workshop in Foods & Nutrition	2
FOOD-UE 1135	Essentials of Cuisine:	3
Global Public Health Course		4
FOOD-UE 1118	Research in Food Studies	2
FOOD-UE 1056	Internship in Food Stud & Food Mgmt	1-6
NUTR-UE 91	Food Management Theory	3
<b>Credits</b>		<b>17</b>

**7th Semester/Term**

Cultures and Contexts		4
Global Public Health Course		4
Elective		4
Physical/Life Science		4
<b>Credits</b>		<b>16</b>

**8th Semester/Term**

Elective		4
Global Public Health Course		4
Elective		4
Public Health Elective		4
<b>Credits</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>128</b>

## Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the program, graduates will:

1. Discuss and explain the various and diverse roles of food, nutrition, and health in society.
2. Apply research methods and scientific evidence to the examination of current problems in food, nutrition and health.
3. Think critically, analyze complex and diverse concepts, and use reason and judgment.
4. Communicate effectively, both orally and in writing, in different educational and workplace settings.
5. Demonstrate skills and competencies consistent with best practices in nutrition and food studies.

## Policies

### NYU Policies

University-wide policies can be found on the New York University Policy pages (<https://bulletins.nyu.edu/nyu/policies/>).

### Steinhardt Academic Policies

Additional academic policies can be found the Steinhardt academic policies page (<https://bulletins.nyu.edu/undergraduate/culture-education-human-development/academic-policies/>).