

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) (<https://www.nyu.edu/admissions/undergraduate-admissions/how-to-apply.html>).

Program Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
Liberal Arts Requirements		
<i>Foreign Language</i>		
Select eight credits of a foreign language		
<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>		
<i>Texts and Ideas</i>		
Cultures and Contexts		
Expressive Culture		
Societies and the Social Sciences		
<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:		
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		
<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

Public Health Core Content

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

Public Health Electives

Complete 4 credits, by advisement.	4
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Public Health Internship

UGPH-GU 60	Undergraduate Experiential Learning in Global Public Health	4
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Food Studies Core Content

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

Total Credits	128
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Sample Plan of Study

Course	Title	Credits
1st Semester/Term		
SAHS-UE 1		
Texts and Ideas		
NUTR-UE 85		
FOOD-UE 71		
EXPOS-UA 1		
Credits		
15		
2nd Semester/Term		
FOOD-UE 1051		
FOOD-UE 1204		
NUTR-UE 119		
ACE-UE 110		
Global Public Health Course		
Credits		
17		
3rd Semester/Term		
FOOD-UE 1210		
Societies and the Social Sciences		
Global Public Health Course		
Foreign Language		
Credits		
17		
4th Semester/Term		
FOOD-UE 1033		
Elective		
Expressive Culture		
Foreign Language		
Credits		
16		

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
Credits		15

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
Credits		17

7th Semester/Term

Cultures and Contexts	4	
Global Public Health Course	4	
Elective	4	
Physical/Life Science	4	
Credits		16
Total Credits		128

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/>).