# PORTUGAL

# Culinary Arts

Technological Specialisation Courses Access with the 12th Grade Lectured in EN



## **Career Opportunities**

The Specialist Technician in Culinary Arts is a professional qualified to plan, direct, and coordinate kitchen production work and to collaborate with the food and beverage management service (F&B) in the structuring of menus and in the process of calculating costs.

### **Main Activities**

- Plan and organise the kitchen service
- costs of the kitchen service
- food industry
- alternative cuisine)
- Manage and organise special kitchen services
- Develop and design new kitchen products
- Manage work teams



- Carry out management control and control the production
- Design and prepare bakery and confectionary products for the
- Design and prepare recipes (Traditional Portuguese,
  - contemporary and modern cuisine, quick service cuisine,
  - classic and international cuisine, new trends in cooking,

### Requirements

- High-school diploma (or legal equivalent in Portugal) or Vocational qualification level 4 diploma (European Qualifications Framework)
- Minimum B2 English level (Council of Europe standard), to be assessed through a written test

### **Further studies**

Higher Education Centers



- With this training students are granted credit units (ECTS)
- recognized under the Bologna Process, enabling students to
- pursue further training in related areas at several Universities and
- Schools of Turismo de Portugal have established protocols with
- different national and international higher education institutions.

### Structure

2 Semesters + 1 curricular internship + Induction Programme (150h).

The Culinary Arts Programme is a 1 year (full-time) course, consisting of two semesters, including a 3-month internship. Students have the opportunity to select top restaurants, hotel chains, and resorts in Portugal and abroad to do their training.

## Induction Program

Induction Programme (150h) consists of a beginner-level training programme aimed at students with no previous training or experience in the area.



#### **TUITION FEES**

Course fee €1.500 Payment of €150x10 monthly instalments

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### **CURRICULAR PLAN**

#### INDUCTION PROGRAM

Topics		Hours
Food & Beverage Management		20
Cooking Techniques		130
	Total	150

#### **1st Semester**

Component	Module		Hours
Generic and Scientific Training	English		25
	Creativity & Personal Development		25
	Business Initiative & Entrepreneurship		25
		Total	75
Technological Training	Foreign Language II for Culinary Arts		25
	Company Ethics & Business Protocol		25
	Information Technologies – Introduction to Management		25
	Health & Safety – Culinary Arts		25
	Food & Beverage Management – Cost Control		50
	Produce & Deliveries Technology		25
	Gastronomy – History & Culture		25
	Traditional Portuguese Cuisine		50
	Regional Portuguese Cuisine		50
	Fast Meals & Contemporary Cuisine		50
	Traditional Portuguese Pastry		50
	Bread Production for Food Service		25
		Total	425
		1 <sup>st</sup> Semester Total	500

### 2nd Semester

Component	Module		Hours
Generic and Scientific Training	English		25
	English Language - Communication Skills		25
	Entrepreneurship – Business Planning		25
		Total	75
Technological Training	Foreign Language II - Culture & Traditions		25
	Arts		25
	Sustainable & Responsible Tourism		25
	Leadership & Career Management		25
	Digital Marketing in Tourism		25
	Food & Beverage Management		50
	Oenogastronomy		25
	Food Research & Development		25
	Classical & International Pastry		50
	Classical & International Cuisine		50
	Culinary Trends		25
	New Cuisines		25
	Catering & Special Events		50
		Total	425
		2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester Total	500
Company Training	Curricular Internship		500



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