

Faculty of
**Mechanical Engineering
and Production Sciences**

Food Engineering Program

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Bachelor of Science in Food Engineering



Applicant Profile

If you want to innovate in the food sector, are committed to society and productive development, and consider yourself proactive, perseverant, entrepreneurial, and passionate about science and technology, this program is made for you.



Professional Skills

After 4 years of study, you will be able to contribute to the food industry by designing, controlling, and improving food processes. Our graduates apply science and engineering to develop safe, sustainable, and innovative food products.



Employability

Our graduates work in companies involved in the production of food for human and animal consumption, as well as in organizations that supply the food industry. They also develop independent careers through consulting and advisory services, and often join public institutions.

Since 2017
80%

Many capstone projects are carried out in collaboration with industry, solving real-world problems. This connection has allowed students to secure employment opportunities within these companies.

Additionally, capstone projects may address research topics related to the development and advancement of the food sector.

Curriculum Structure

LEVEL 100 - I

PROBLEM SOLVING

SINGLE VARIABLE
CALCULUS

PHYSICS:
MECHANICS

GENERAL CHEMISTRY

ARTS, SPORTS AND
LANGUAGES
ELECTIVE COURSES

ENGLISH I

LEVEL 100 - II

PROGRAMMING
FUNDAMENTALS

VECTOR CALCULUS

THERMOFLUIDS

GENERAL BIOLOGY

ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

ENGLISH II

LEVEL 200 - I

STATISTICS

DIFFERENTIAL
EQUATIONS AND
LINEAR ALGEBRA

COMMUNICATION

FOOD
MICROBIOLOGY

FOOD CHEMISTRY

ENGLISH III

LEVEL 200 - II

QUALITY CONTROL
AND SENSORY
EVALUATION
OF FOOD

FUNDAMENTALS OF
FOOD ENGINEERING

FLUID RHEOLOGY

FOOD SAFETY

FOOD BIOCHEMISTRY

FOOD ANALYSIS

ENGLISH IV

LEVEL 300 - I

SYSTEMS AND
PRODUCTION
PROGRAMMING

HEAT AND MASS
TRANSFER

ENTREPRENEURSHIP
AND INNOVATION

FERMENTATION
AND FOOD
ENZYMOLGY

FRUIT AND
VEGETABLES
PROCESSING

ENGLISH V

LEVEL 300 - II

SUSTAINABILITY
SCIENCE

HUMANITIES
ELECTIVE
COURSES

THERMAL PROCESSES
DESIGN I

FOOD PROCESS
ENGINEERING

DAIRY
PROCESSING

MEAT, FISH AND
SEAFOOD PROCESSING

COMMUNITY
SERVICE
INTERNSHIPS

LEVEL 400 - I

OPTIMIZATION AND
SIMULATION OF FOOD
PROCESSES

THERMAL
PROCESSES
DESIGN II

SANITATION AND
HYGIENE IN
FOOD PROCESSING

FARINACEOUS AND
OILSEEDS
PROCESSING

FOOD PRODUCT
DEVELOPMENT

SELECTED ELECTIVE
COURSE

LEVEL 400 - II

FOOD PLANT DESIGN

CAPSTONE
DESIGN - FOOD
ENGINEERING

SELECTED ELECTIVE
COURSE

PRE-PROFESSIONAL
BUSINESS
INTERNSHIPS



By the way...

Food engineers have the versatility to pursue various areas of specialization, including process management, food safety, and food science, through research aimed at generating solutions to current challenges.



International Relations

ESPOL, through its Office of International Relations, creates and strengthens ties with international cooperation agencies and academic institutions. These connections generate mobility opportunities for the entire ESPOL community and contribute to the academic excellence that defines us.

More than 165 agreements allow our students to participate in semester or annual exchanges, professional internships, research stays, conferences, competitions, and other academic activities.

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worldwide



Accredited Program



Did you know?

This program is part of the Top 10 programs of the Future, with professionals expected to be in high demand worldwide.

We train engineers with experience in designing, developing, preserving, processing, packaging, distributing, and utilizing safe, nutritious foods with pleasant sensory characteristics.

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