

About Montclair State University

Since its founding in 1908, Montclair State University has had a rich history of innovation, distinction, and growth. Montclair State, a vital educational force, is ranked as one of the top universities in the region. Graduates from Montclair State University are well equipped with the skills needed to respond to today's dynamic environment, as well as future challenges and opportunities.

About the College of Education and Human Services

With a 100-year tradition of excellence and educational leadership, the College of Education and Human Services offers several advantages for those pursuing a graduate education:

- Outstanding and innovative graduate programs in the education and human services fields with nationally-recognized faculty and accreditation;
- Program faculty and staff dedicated to meeting the unique needs of our graduate population;
- Flexible study for both full-time students and working professionals, including weekend, accelerated, and Web-enhanced course options;
- Facilities that are on the cutting edge of learning and technology, including University Hall, the College's home, and the largest and most sophisticated building in the University's history.

Nutrition and Food Science Graduate Programs



Preparing future leaders to
foster optimal nutrition
through work with
individuals, organizations,
and communities

Overview

We offer a variety of graduate programs in the Nutrition and Food Science field. Our programs are unique in that they offer a hybrid approach with strong emphases on both nutrition and food science, and provide students with an outstanding, comprehensive preparation for the applied scientific and technical field.

Our graduates work in education, government, nonprofit, and corporate settings, and have attained prestigious positions in a variety of organizations.

Programs

Students may earn the following degrees/certifications:

Master of Science Degree in Nutrition and Food Science

The 32-credit MS in Nutrition and Food Science program provides students with in-depth study of nutrition science, nutrition education, food and nutrition issues, food regulations and compliance, and nutrition counseling. It prepares professionals for careers in nutrition and wellness, allied health services, education and research, food and nutrition administration, government agencies, hospitals, food industries, food production, food safety and regulations, and food and nutrition management.

American Dietetic Association Certificate

The American Dietetic Association (ADA) Post-Baccalaureate Certificate Program is accredited by the American Dietetic Association, and is for those who have an earned bachelor's or higher degree in any subject area. It requires completion of an undergraduate curriculum known as the Didactic Program in Dietetics (DPD). Individuals may complete the coursework to achieve an American Dietetic Association (ADA) Verification Statement, and may then apply to the Dietetic Internship Program. The Verification Statement is required for application to ADA Dietetic Internships (DI) or supervised practice programs as well as active membership in the Association and some employment applications.

American Dietetic Association Dietetic Internship Program

The Post-Baccalaureate Dietetic Internship Program is accredited by the American Dietetic Association and is dedicated to preparing graduates for excellence in dietetics practice and dynamic professional involvement in the field. Students will be prepared for entry-level positions in dietetics through classroom education and supervised field experiences. The program provides education in all areas of dietetics with a nutrition therapy emphasis so as to achieve the American Dietetic Association competency requirements. Through an understanding of the standards of practice and development of skills, students can successfully pass the registration examination for dietetics to become a Registered Dietician (RD).

Food Safety Instructor Certificate

The main goal of this post-baccalaureate 12-credit program is to train professionals in the health field to design, develop, implement, and evaluate educational programs for teaching individuals involved in the preparation, distribution or serving of food, and the proper methods and procedures for the safe handling of food. The program promotes competencies regarding food borne illnesses, food safety program development, food safety education, and program evaluation.

Nutrition and Exercise Science Certificate

The graduate certificate program in Nutrition and Exercise Science provides students the opportunity to gain knowledge in the closely related fields of nutrition and exercise science. The program is designed to develop and enhance competencies necessary for creating applied nutrition and exercise programs for clients interested in wellness and weight management. Theoretical and practical approaches are emphasized throughout the program.

For further information

<http://cehs.montclair.edu/cehs/academic/hns/>

Apply online

<http://www.montclair.edu/graduate>

Tuition and Fees

Tuition and fees for the current academic year may be accessed at:

<http://www.montclair.edu/graduate/prospective/tuition.shtml>

Montclair State University offers financial aid, scholarships and graduate assistantships. To obtain financial aid information, contact the Office of Student Financial Aid at 973-655-4461.

Information regarding graduate assistantships and scholarships may be found at <http://www.montclair.edu/graduate>.

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