



WHAT CAN I DO WITH A MAJOR IN...

FOOD SCIENCE, NUTRITION, AND HEALTH PROMOTION

Description of Major

A Bachelor of Science in Food Science, Nutrition, and Health Promotion allow students to select from five areas of emphasis: Food & Nutrition, Food Safety (Pre-Vet Option), Food Processing/Business, and Food Science. A food scientist solves problems by applying science to food (biology, chemistry, engineering, mathematics, biochemistry, physics, etc.) to ensure that the food products that reach consumer are both safe and meet quality standards. Students in nutrition focus on the study of nutrients in food and their relationship to health and disease. For more information on this major visit, <http://www.fsnhp.msstate.edu/>, stop by 945 Stone Blvd., Herzer Building or call 662-325-3200.

Possible Job Titles*

Corporate Executive Chef	Registered Dietitian Nutritionist
Culinary Director	Quality Assurance Technician
Food Manufacturing Operations Manager	Oenologist
Food Microbiologist	Research Scientist
Product Development Specialist	Restaurant Business Owner
Research Chef	Processing/Food Engineer
Technical Salesperson	Quality Control Technician
Veterinarian	Biotechnologist

Possible Employers*

Clinics	Food and Drug Administration
College/University	Research Centers
Food Industry (e.g. General Mills or Kraft)	Extension Service
Health Department	National Institute of Health
Hospital	Culinary School
U.S. Dept. of Agriculture	Southern Living

Job Search Websites*

The following links are excellent resources on specific careers such as those listed above:

- **Connections:** <https://msstate-csm.symplicity.com/>
 - **Careershift-** (Under Resources tab)
 - **GoinGlobal-** (Under Resources tab)
- **LinkedIn:** <https://www.linkedin.com>
- **O-net:** <https://www.onetonline.org/>
- **USAJOBS:** <https://www.usajobs.gov/>

Campus Involvement*

The following links are excellent resources on how to get involved on the MSU campus:

- **Bulldog Mentor Program:** <https://bulldognetwork.msstate.edu/v2>
- **Cowbell Connect:** <https://msstate.campuslabs.com/engage/>
- **Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics:** <http://www.eatright.org/>

*Note: The lists are not comprehensive.