

Master of Science in Dietetics and Nutrition Advising Sheet

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| NAME: | PS#: | ADMITTED: |
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Distribution of credits: Nutrition Core (9 credits) – Research (11-14 credits) – Public Health Core (3 credits) – Electives (11-14 credits) = 37 credit hours

I. NUTRITION CORE (9 CREDITS) – Take at least 3 of the 4 courses. One course must be in MICRONUTRIENTS and one course must be in MACRONUTRIENTS.

| PREFIX | COURSE DESCRIPTION | SEMESTER | GRADE | COMMENTS/APPROVAL |
|----------|--|----------|-------|-------------------|
| HUN 5245 | Nutrition and Biochemistry (3) | | | |
| HUN 6307 | Carbohydrates and Lipids (3) | | | |
| HUN 6327 | Proteins (3) | | | |
| HUN 6335 | Functions of Vitamins in Human Nutrition (3) | | | |
| HUN 6355 | Minerals in Human Nutrition (3) | | | |

II. RESEARCH - 14 CREDITS (If Admitted Before Spring 2015 and If 6 credits of Project is selected) / 11 CREDITS (Effective Spring 2015 and if Research II is selected).

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| STA 6166 OR PHC 6065 | Statistical Methods in Research (3) OR Health Statistics (3) | | | |
| DIE 6568 | Research I (3) | | | |
| DIE 6937 | Graduate Seminar in Dietetics & Nutrition (1) | | | |
| DIE 6937 | Graduate Seminar in Dietetics & Nutrition (1) | | | |
| DIE 6971 OR DIE 6576 OR DIE 6567 | Thesis (6) OR Project in Dietetics and Nutrition (6) OR Research II (3) | | | Requires Permission from Major Professor to register for Thesis/Project. |

III. PUBLIC HEALTH CORE (3 CREDITS)

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| PHC 6500 | Foundation of Public Health Practice (3) | | | |

IV. RECOMMENDED ELECTIVES - 11 CREDITS (If Admitted Before Spring 2015) / 14 Credits (Effective Spring 2015) – Students enrolled in Research II (will take 14 credits of electives – Students enrolled in Project (6 credits) will enroll in 11 credits of electives.

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| DIE 5247 | Trends in Therapeutic Nutrition (3) | | | |
| DIE 6128 | Dietetic Administration & Management (3) | | | |
| DIE 6259 | Management of Nutrition Services (3) | | | |
| DIE 6285 | Pregnancy and Lactation (3) – (Fall) | | | Pediatric Nutrition Certificate Course |
| DIE 6286 | Pediatric Obesity – (3) – (Spring) | | | Pediatric Nutrition Certificate Course |
| DIE 6287 | Pediatric Dysfunctional Eating – (3) - (Summer) | | | Pediatric Nutrition Certificate Course |
| DIE 6368 | Advanced Techniques in Dietetics Practice (2) | | | |
| DIE 6368L | Advanced Techniques in Dietetics Practice Lab (1) | | | |
| DIE 6906 | Readings Dietetics/Nutrition (1-3) | | | |
| DIE 6907 | Individual Study Diet/Nutr (1-3) | | | |
| DIE 6915 | Supervised Research (1-3) | | | |
| DIE 6929 | Specialized Short Course in Dietetics and Nutrition ((1-3) | | | |
| DIE 6935 | Special Topics in Dietetics (3) | | | |
| DIE 7566 | Research Concepts Development (3) | | | |
| HUN 5123 | Ethnic Influences on Nutrition and Food Habits (3) | | | |
| HUN 5195 | International Nutrition: Problems, Policies & Planning (3) | | | |
| HUN 5245 | Nutritional Biochemistry (3) | | | As long as it is not used as a Nutrition Core |
| HUN 5611 | Nutrition Education in the Community (3) | | | |
| HUN 5621 | Food, Nutrition and Communication (3) | | | |
| HUN 6248 | Sports Nutrition (3) | | | |
| HUN 6254 | Drug and Nutrient Interaction (3) | | | |
| HUN 6255 | Nutrition in Wellness Programs (3) | | | |
| HUN 6257 | Physio/Psychology of Food Intake (3) | | | |
| HUN 6266 | Nutritional Assessment (3) | | | |
| HUN 6295 | Contemporary Issues in Food Nutrition (3) | | | |
| HUN 6307 | Carbohydrates and Lipids (3) | | | As long as it is not used as a Nutrition Core |
| HUN 6327 | Proteins (3) | | | As long as it is not used as a Nutrition Core |
| HUN 6335 | Functions of Vitamins (3) | | | As long as it is not used as a Nutrition Core |

CONTINUED - RECOMMENDED ELECTIVES - 11 CREDITS (If Admitted Before Spring 2015) / 14 Credits (Effective Spring 2015) – Students enrolled in Research II (will take 14 credits of electives – Students enrolled in Project (6 credits) will enroll in 11 credits of electives.

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| HUN 6355 | Minerals in Human Nutrition (3) | | | As long as it is not used as a Nutrition Core |
| HUN 6415 | Pediatric Nutrition (3) - (Fall) | | | Pediatric Nutrition Certificate Course |
| HUN 6416 | Advanced Pediatric Nutrition (3) - (Spring) | | | Pediatric Nutrition Certificate Course |
| HUN 6417 | Nutrition for the High Risk Infant & Newborn in Intensive Care Unit (3) – (Summer) | | | Pediatric Nutrition Certificate Course |
| HUN 6435 | Nutrition and Aging (3) | | | |
| HUN 6522 | Public Health Nutrition (3) | | | |
| FOS 6236 | Food Toxicology and Food Safety (3) | | | |
| FSS 6535 | Computer Assisted Food and Nutritional Services Management (3) | | | |
| GEY 5006 | Foundations in Gerontology for Health Professionals (3) | | | |
| GEY 5600 | Physical Change and Healthy Aging (3) | | | |
| ANT 6469 | Graduate Medical Anthropology (3) | | | |

Master of Science (M.S.) in Dietetics and Nutrition Dietetics Internship (DI)

This program is designed for those students who wish to become a registered dietitian (RD). Upon admission into the master's program, your advisor will work with you to tailor an individualized program of study according to your background, interests and goals. The advisor will combine graduate and undergraduate courses to meet the requirement for eligibility to apply for the DI. The DI will require a separate application towards the end of graduate coursework.

- Students seeking an RD must complete additional credit courses including a 6 month Clinical Practicum under the authorization and supervision of the Director of the Dietetics Internship Program.
- In order to apply for the Clinical Practicum students must have completed all of their coursework in accordance with didactic requirements of ACEND (Accredited Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics) and graduate program requirements.
- Effective Fall 2014 students must pass a Departmental Comprehensive Examination for DI.
- The deadline for application is July 1st and December 1st of every year.
- Please visit our website at <http://stempel.fiu.edu> and select Academics – Dietetics and Nutrition – Areas of Study – Internship for additional information and application retrieval.
- Please be aware that *application and selection* to the DI Program is an internal process – you do not need to apply through the University Graduate Admissions Office or computer matching (DICAS).

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| DIE 5946 | Advanced Dietetics Practice I (6) | | | |
| DIE 5947 | Advanced Dietetics Practice II (6) | | | |

Graduation Requirements:

1. Satisfy all University requirements for the Master of Science in Dietetics and Nutrition or if applicable the Dietetics Internship (DI) Program requirements.
2. Complete a minimum of 37 semester hours of graduate level coursework in approved program – this does not include pre-requisites.
3. Complete RD eligibility requirements.
4. Complete Thesis, Project Requirements or Research II Course– *depending upon which option selected.*
5. Earn a minimum overall GPA of 3.00 in all graduate coursework completed.
6. Students may not receive more than 2 grades of “C+.”
7. Resolve incomplete or in progress grades prior to graduation. Resolve failing grades of required coursework prior to graduation.
8. Meet with Academic Advisor to assure graduation prior to completing graduation application.
9. Graduate Students must be registered for course(s) for the semester in which they are seeking graduation.
10. Apply for graduation online at <http://onestop.fiu.edu/> (See University Catalog for most current deadlines).

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