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Formular USAMV 0701030106**COURSE DESCRIPTION****1. General data**

1.1. Higher Education Institution	University of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine
1.2. Faculty	Faculty of Food Science and Technology
1.3. Department	Food Science
1.4. Study field	Food Engineering
1.5. Study level)	Bachelor
1.6. Specialization/ Study Program	Technology of Agricultural Products Processing/ TPPA
1.7. Teaching Form	FT

2. Course Characteristics

2.1. Name of the course	Food Biotechnology							
2.2. Course leader	Prof. univ. dr. Vodnar Dan							
2.3. Coordinator of the laboratory/seminar activity	Asist. univ. dr. Lavinia Mureșan							
2.4. Year of study	III	2.5. Semester	V	2.6. Type of evaluation	Summative	2.7. Course regime	Content ²	DD
							Level of compulsory ³	DI

3. Total estimated time (hours/semester for the teaching activities)

3.1. Number of hours/week– frequency form	3	of which: 3.2. course	2	3.3. seminar/ laboratory/ project	1
3.4.Total hours in the curricula	42	of which: 3.5. course	28	3.6.seminar/laboratory	14
Distribution of time					hours
3.4.1.Study based on handbook, notes, bibliography					10
3.4.2. Extra documentation in the library, on specific electronic platforms and on field					8
3.4.3. Prepare the seminars / laboratories / projects, theme, essays, reports, portfolio					8
3.4.4.Tutorial					2
3.4.5.Examination					5
3.4.6. Other activities					0
3.7. Total hours of individual study	33				
3.8. Total hours per semester	75				
3.9. Number of ECTS ⁴	3				

4. Pre-conditions (where is the case)

4.1. of curriculum	General biotechnology, Food chemistry, Food biochemistry, General/special microbiology
4.2. of competences	The student must have knowledge about chemical reactions involved in fermentation processes, specific conditions for the cultivation of microorganisms.

5. Conditions (where is the case)

5.1. of course development	The course is interactive, students can ask questions about the content of the presentation. The university discipline requires the observance of the start and end time of the course. No other activities are tolerated during the lecture, mobile phones must be switched off.
5.2. of seminar/laboratory/project development	At the practical works it is mandatory to consult the practical guide, each student will carry out an individual activity with the laboratory materials provided and described in the Practical works guide. Academic discipline is required throughout the work.

6. Specific acquired competences

Professional competences	C2. Management of general engineering processes, operation of food industry facilities and equipment. C3. Supervision, management, analysis and design of food technologies from raw materials to the finished product. C4. Planning, organizing and coordinating agri-food marketing activities.
Transversal competences	CT2. Applying interrelationship techniques within a team; amplifying and refining the empathic capacities of interpersonal communication and assuming specific attributions in carrying out the group activity in order to treat / resolve individual / group conflicts, as well as the optimal time management. Creating a portfolio with the identification and description of professional roles at the level of a subordinate team. Carrying out a project in a team.

7. Subject Objectives (as a result of the specific acquired competences)

7.1. Subject general objectives	To acquire particular knowledge about the field of current food biotechnologies applied to food.
7.2. Specific objectives	To understand the enzymatic processes. To be able to make bioactive packaging and smart labels with antimicrobial activity. To know the modern biotechnological systems so that they can make innovative products on the Romanian market.

8. Content

8.1. COURSE Number of hours – 28	Teaching methods	Observations
Introduction in biotechnology Introduction. The main directions of biotechnology. What is biotechnology? Biotechnology: a multidisciplinary science. Product safety. Public perception of biotechnology. Biotechnology and the developing world.	Lecture	2 Lectures
Biomass – a biotechnological substrate Biomass production strategy. Natural raw materials. Availability of by-products. The impact of biomass on the future of biotechnologies.	Lecture	2 Lectures
Bioprocesses / Fermentative technologies Introduction. Principles of cell growth. Bioreactors. Classification. Industrial bioreactors. Design of fermentation processes. Fermentation on solid substrate. Metabolic engineering. Separation processes of the obtained product.	Lecture	3 Lectures
Enzymatic biotechnologies and enzymes used in the food industry General classification of enzymes and their nature. Units of measurement of enzymatic activity. Enzymatic preparations. Immobilized enzymes. Enzymes important for the food industry. Biosensors.	Lecture	3 Lectures
Microorganisms used in the food industry Introduction. Bacteria. Yeasts. Fungi.	Lecture	2 Lectures
Biotechnologies applied to obtain food additives Microbial polysaccharides. The structure, composition and properties of more important types of microbial polysaccharides. Classification of microbial polysaccharides.	Lecture	2 Lectures
8.2. PRACTICAL WORK Number of hours – 14		

Characterization of lactic fermentations on selective culture media. Lactic acid production on residual plant substrate. Extraction of DNA from fruits and vegetables. Formulation of active biofilms with antimicrobial effect. Development of yogurts with microencapsulated probiotic bacteria. Development of bioactive labels for the labeling of fruits and vegetables. Jelly formulation with microencapsulated probiotic bacteria.	The study of fermentations The study of metabolites The study of genetic coding The study of biofilms Food development Study of labels Food projection	1 practical work 1 practical work 1 practical work 1 practical work 1 practical work 1 practical work 1 practical work
<p>Compulsory bibliography:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Vodnar Dan Cristian. <i>Notiuni de Biotehnologii Alimentare</i>. AcademicPress, ClujNapoca, 2013. 2. Vodnar Dan Cristian. <i>In vitro survivability of probiotic bacteria during exposure to gastrointestinal tract conditions</i>. Academic Pres, ClujNapoca, Romania, 2014. 3. Vodnar Dan Cristian. <i>Biotehnologii alimentare – Lucrări practice</i>. AcademicPress, ClujNapoca, 2013. 4. Banu, C. (coordonator) – <i>Biotehnologii în industria alimentară</i>, Editura Tehnică, București, 2000. 5. Banu, C. (coordonator) – <i>Biotehnologii în industria alimentară</i>, Editura Tehnică, București, 2004. 6. Jurcoane, Ștefana (coordonator) – <i>Tratat de biotehnologie, volumul I</i>, Editura Tehnică, București, 2004. 7. Jurcoane, Ștefana (coordonator) – <i>Tratat de biotehnologie, volumul II</i>, Editura Tehnică, București, 2006. <p>Optional bibliography:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mencinicopschi, Gh., Kathrein, I. Teodoru, V. - <i>Biotehnologii în prelucrare a produselor agroalimentare</i>, Editura Ceres, București, 1987 		

9. Correlations between the subject against the expectations of the epistemic community representatives, of the professional associations and employers' representatives in the domain

In order to identify ways to modernize and continuously improve the teaching and content of the courses, with the most current topics and practical problems, teachers consult the international literature.

10. Evaluation

Type of activity	10.1. Evaluation criteria	10.2. Evaluation methods	10.3. Percent of the final grade
10.4. Course	Knowledge of fermentation processes on solid substrate. Characterization of biotechnologies for polysaccharide production. Aspects of carotenoid production by genetic recombination. Characterization of phenolic antimicrobials. Knowledge of biosensors. Aspects related to anaerobic processes involved in waste treatment.	Exam	70%
10.5. Seminar/Laboratory	Know the immobilization techniques. Formulates bioactive labels and packaging. Make biotech food. Determination of antimicrobial activity. Project.	Colloquim	20 %
		Project	10%
10.6. Minimal standard of performance			
Mastery of scientific information transmitted through lectures and practical work at an acceptable level. Obtaining the pass mark for the ongoing checks is a condition of passing the exam.			



- 1 level of study – to be chosen one of the following – Bachelor /Post graduate/Doctoral
- 2 Course regime (content)- for bachelor level it will be chosen one of the following - **DF** (fundamental subject), **DD** (subject in the domain), **DS** (specific subject), **DC** (complementary subject).
- 3 Course regime (compulsory level)- to be chosen one of the following – **DI** (compulsory subject)
DO (Optional subject) **DFac** (Facultative subject).
- 4 One ECTS is equivalent with 25-30 de hours of study (didactical and individual study).

Data completării

09.09.2021

Titular curs

Prof. Dr. Dan Vodnar

Titular lucrari laborator/seminarii

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**Data avizării în
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22.09.2021

Director de departament

Prof .Dr. Ramona Suharoschi

**Data avizării în Consiliul
Facultății**

28.09.2021

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