# SVC CAREER PATHWAYS Culinary Arts & Hospitality Management (CAHM)

## IS A CAREER IN CULINARY ARTS FOR ME?

- Learn more about this career
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Celebrity Chefs, Iron Chefs, Food Network shows - everywhere you look today, the public is excited about culinary arts. As this excitement grows, so does the food industry. Trained, qualified chefs are in demand.

Skagit Valley College is one of only eleven schools in Washington to be certified by the American Culinary Federation (ACF). Upon graduation with our Associate in Technical Arts degree, you will be eligible to apply for the ACF's Certified Cook designation.

## PREPARATION

- GED
- ESL
- Pre-College (Adult Basic Ed.)

## STARTING CONSIDERATIONS

Students may enter the program at the beginning of any quarter. Students are encouraged to review the sample schedules and course descriptions since some key courses are offered only at specific times during the year.

- Admissions: Getting Started
- Admissions Form
- Placement Assessment

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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## MICRO-CERTIFICATES

- Basic Bakery Competency (17 credits)
- Basic Food Preparation Competency (17 credits)
- Basic Restaurant Cooking Competency (17 credits)
- Natl Restaurant Assn Management Credential (10 credits)
- Sustainable Culinary Practices (11 credits)

## EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES*

- Bakers ($8.27 - $17.78))
- Food Service/Non-restaurant ($9.14 - $15.34)
- Food Preparation Worker ($15 - $14.99)
- Combo Food Prep & Service Workers ($9.10 - $13.58)
- Cooks - Fast Foods ($9.10 - $12.83)
- Cooks - Short Order ($9.13 - $15.55)

## PROFESSIONAL/TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE

**Professional Cooking Certificate** (64 credits)

## EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES*

- Cooks - Restaurant ($9.49 - $16.33)
- Cooks - Institution and Cafeteria ($9.95 - $18.46)

## PROFESSIONAL/TECHNICAL ASSOCIATE DEGREES

**Associate of Technical Arts (ATA) in Culinary Arts & Hospitality Mgmt - Restaurant Management Emphasis** (100 credits)

**Associate of Technical Arts ( ATA) in Culinary Arts & Hospitality Mgmt - Baking and Pastry Emphasis** (100 credits)

**Associate of Technical Arts (ATA) in Culinary Arts & Hospitality Mgmt - Culinary Emphasis** (100 credits)

## EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES*

- Food Service Manager($16.89 - $45.15)
- Chef and Head Cooks ($13.28 - $32.33)
- Supervisors of Food Preparation Personnel($10.61 - $23.56)

*Listed wages represent the most local wage information available at careerinfonet.org

## INDUSTRY CERTIFICATION

**American Culinary Federation**

- **Certified Culinarian**
- **Certified Pastry Culinarian**



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