Bauman College educates future leaders, thinkers, and creators in the holistic nutrition and culinary arts professions to support people in achieving optimal health and create a paradigm shift in the way our world thinks about food.

Our goal is to change the way people consume food from convenience to conscious eating. We provide students with a comprehensive understanding of nutrition, culinary arts, and business practices to prepare them for career success. Bauman College is committed to spreading personal, community, and global wellness through increased awareness of the healing power of fresh, whole food.
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Message from our Founder + President, Dr. Ed Bauman

Welcome to Bauman College! In 1970, I recognized the relationship between nutrient-poor, processed food consumption and degenerative illness. This led me to a lifelong study of how fresh, whole food protects us from disease and enables us to recover from illness. Established in 1989, Bauman College trains future leaders, educators, and innovators in the fields of holistic nutrition and culinary arts. Our graduates go on to share the vital message that you are only as healthy as the food you eat.

Bauman College offers a dynamic curriculum that reflects the latest research, business practices, and career guidance as well as a visionary approach that teaches people to eat for personal, family, and community well-being. We teach our students how to think critically and tailor food plans to meet the specific needs of each client, rather than convert people to the latest “foodology.” Our culinary and nutrition students learn how to advise individuals and teach groups to create menus that are equally nutrient-dense and delicious. The training programs at Bauman College transcend book learning. Students discuss current issues in food agriculture and sustainability; create recipes and share food in class; have the opportunity to sample healing foods, herbs, spices, and nutrients; learn how to adapt menus to accommodate common allergens and food sensitivities; and work with clients.

Bauman College is doing more than just teaching nutrition. We are changing the lives of our students and their families, coworkers, and communities. By blending the science of nutrition with the art of restorative cooking, Bauman graduates are prepared to teach others the skills they need to improve the quality of their lives and share the message that real food heals. Whole-food nutrition, from healthy soil to our cells, is a powerful and durable antidote to the damage caused by the chemical saturation of our air, water, and food supply. Join us to learn how to cleanse, heal, and grow stronger and teach others to create a culture of well-being—personally, locally, and globally.
PROFESSIONAL TRAINING PROGRAMS

Natural Chef

The Natural Chef Training Program offers a fresh take on the culinary arts by combining traditional preparation techniques with restorative cooking. Students will learn to cater to the needs of individuals, not the parameters of a specific diet. Students will become experts in food preparation, flavor development, presentation, and restorative cooking techniques and recipes. The professional culinary education we offer emphasizes the use of fresh, seasonal, organic, unprocessed, and local foods and goes beyond traditional culinary schools by teaching students how to cook for optimal health.

Whether students are embarking on a career change or adding new skills and knowledge to existing work, the business curriculum in the Natural Chef Training Program is where a student’s creativity in the kitchen and passion for health intersect with the necessary business acumen to make their career dreams a reality. We take a unique approach to business through the lens of holistic values and tailor it very specifically to our industry to poise students for long careers that fit into their lives in a sustainable way.

The business curriculum is delivered online through the Bauman Business Institute, which also includes an online resource library of additional business support as well as materials such as assessment forms and articles to bolster students in their work with clients. Additionally, the Bauman Business Institute offers business mentoring sessions. This comprehensive experience will prepare natural chef students for a wide variety of food-related careers upon graduation.

COMPONENTS OF THE NATURAL CHEF TRAINING PROGRAM

• 700 hours — 5 months classroom instruction, 15 in-house culinary hours, and a 50-hour independent culinary externship
• Online business curriculum, mentoring, and career resources
• Classes begin every spring and fall; for Class Start + End Dates, see page 24
• Classes are offered in Berkeley, CA
• For Tuition, Fees + Payment Plans, see page 23

Classes explore a broad range of culinary topics such as alternative food preparation techniques; how flavor profiles from world cuisines can benefit health; restorative cooking with herbs and spices; and therapeutic applications of food for illness prevention, recovery, and optimal health. Students learn a unique approach to the culinary arts and leave prepared to promote health and wellness through food.

The Natural Chef Training Program uses the finest local, organic, and seasonal ingredients and benefits from an abundance of fresh, premium products available in the Bay Area. The kitchens are stocked with the highest quality produce, grass-fed and pasture-raised meats, and sustainably sourced seafood. Bauman College has cultivated relationships with local businesses that supply our culinary program with high-quality olive oil, spices, sea vegetables, meats, cheeses, fermented foods, and other pantry staples for healthy, holistic cuisine. Many of these purveyors come to campus to make presentations to our students or host field trips to their facilities to share information about their practices and production processes.
CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Natural chefs trained at Bauman College are prepared to be leaders in the holistic nutrition and culinary arts industries. They are in high demand for their unique knowledge and training. Students may choose to work directly for companies or organizations, or start their own businesses.

Natural chefs are prepared to be:

- Personal or Private Chefs
- Caterers
- Corporate Chefs
- Food Truck Operators
- Executive or Sous Chefs
- Prep or Line Cooks
- Kitchen Managers
- Culinary Educators
- Leaders of Workshops or Cooking Demonstrations
- Culinary Bloggers, Authors
- Food Photographers/Stylists, and more

This certificate program prepares students to enter the following occupations:

- 35-1011 Chefs and Head Cooks
- 35-2013 Cooks, Private Household
- 35-2014 Cooks, Restaurant
- 35-2012 Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria
- 35-2019 Cooks, All Other
- 51-3011 Bakers
- 35-2021 Food Preparation Workers
- 35-3021 Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers
- 35-9099 Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers, All Other
- 35-3022 Counter Attendants, Cafeteria, Food Concession, and Coffee Shop
- 25-3021 Self-Enrichment Education Teachers

Graduates have also been employed in the following fields after completion of the program. Additional education or experience may be necessary to enter the following occupations:

- 21-1091 Health Educators
- 27-3043 Writers and Authors
- 27-4021 Photographers (Food)

PROGRAM DETAILS

Classes meet on-site 3 days per week, totaling 15 class hours each week. Students should plan to spend as much time on assignments and individual study as they spend in class. Students who are able to spend more time on assignments will be able to create a richer learning experience.

Assignments require cooking; access to a kitchen is necessary.
CULINARY SKILLS LABS

Skills labs are an optional, but recommended supplement offered at Bauman College. Occurring 1–2 times per month outside of class time, these labs offer students a chance to further hone any desired techniques or recipes. Students have full use of the kitchen and the freedom to focus and work on any project they choose. Skills labs are facilitated by at least one Bauman College culinary faculty or staff member who is there to answer questions, provide guidance, and offer support to students who wish to attend.

COMPUTER SKILLS REQUIRED

Use of a computer is required throughout this program. This includes the ability to print assignments as needed. Please see page 27 for a discussion of the skills, hardware, and software requirements needed for success in this program.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF NUTRITION PROFESSIONALS

The Natural Chef Training Program is recommended through the National Association of Nutrition Professionals (NANP). Students and graduates are encouraged to join NANP to stay connected, support the rights of nutrition professionals, and stay abreast of the latest developments in the field of nutrition. For more information on NANP, visit nanp.org.

DRESS CODE REQUIREMENTS

- Chef coats are provided by Bauman College.
- Skull caps to restrain hair are provided by Bauman College.
- Waist aprons are provided by Bauman College.
- Chef pants (black, houndstooth, or black and white checked) are independently purchased by students.
- Chef shoes (black, slip resistant, hard, closed toe and heel, no laces) are independently purchased by students.
- Socks must be worn at all times.
- Beards are permitted, but students may be asked to wear a beard snood.
- Mustaches must be kept neatly trimmed and may not extend below the corners of the mouth.
- No long fingernails, polish, decorations, or fake fingernails.
- No jewelry except plain and smooth bands. Students must be prepared to remove their facial piercings should they not comply with the safety and sanitation standards determined by Bauman College. All piercings must be approved by the Kitchen Manager prior to student work in the kitchen.

Curriculum

The Natural Chef Training Program is an experiential, hands-on learning process that teaches students the skills required of professionally trained, restorative chefs and the business acumen to put their culinary education to work. Uniquely, the Natural Chef Training Program also provides a grounded foundation in the art and science of holistic, research-based nutrition. Our curriculum is organized as follows:
CULINARY FOUNDATIONS

This section introduces the Eating for Health® approach to culinary arts, a system based on the principles of seasonal, organic, unprocessed, and local (S.O.U.L.) foods, which is the foundation of the Natural Chef Training Program. Students will be introduced to the basic tools and skills of the culinary profession through classes in culinary math, knife skills, kitchen safety, and culinary fundamentals including dry heat, moist heat, combination techniques, and no heat preparations. Students will also take an online ServSafe® safety and sanitation course and will take the exam to qualify as certified ServSafe® food managers. Classes in this module include:

- Orientation, Eating for Health® + Pantry Essentials
- Macronutrients + Diet Direction
- Micronutrients
- Culinary Math, Costing + Recipe Writing
- Knife Skills
- Dry Heat Techniques
- Moist Heat Techniques
- No Heat Techniques
- Seasoning + Plating

BUSINESS MODULE: PUTTING YOUR EDUCATION TO WORK

Students will be introduced to the Bauman Business Institute and how it is designed to prepare them for career success.

BUSINESS MODULE: PERSONAL BRANDING

Students will learn about personal branding—why it is important and how to know, communicate, control, and build their brands.

FARM TO TABLE: CULINARY TECHNIQUES

In this section, students will learn traditional, contemporary, and restorative cooking techniques for the natural chef. Students will also learn to cook with nutritious ingredients to replace the commonly allergenic commercial dairy, wheat, and refined sugars that are staples of mainstream cuisine. Sections in this module include:

- Herbs + Spices
- Stocks + Broths
- Soups + Stews
- Sauces
- Salads + Dressings
- Leafy Greens + Mushrooms
- Crunchy + Starchy Vegetables
- Grain Technique
- Legumes
- Nuts + Seeds
- Sea Vegetables
- Seafood Technique
- Egg Technique
- Pasture-Raised Poultry Technique
- Grass-Fed + Pasture-Raised Red Meat Technique
- Cultured Dairy + Cheese Making
- Fermentation I + II
- Quick Breads + Pizzas
- Breads
- Pies + Cakes

BUSINESS MODULE: SELF-ASSESSMENT + EXPLORATION

This is the perfect place to begin a career journey. Students will ask themselves and respond to questions such as:

- What are your strengths and preferences?
- What are your personal values, and how do you find your purpose in this field?
- What does entrepreneurship mean, and is it something that suits you?

As they examine these questions, students will begin to set intentions for their ideal careers.
BUSINESS MODULE: DEFINING A TARGET MARKET + DEVELOPING A SPECIALTY
Students will learn why developing a specialty is more likely to lead to success. They will learn to identify and define target markets aligned with their personal mission, vision, and strengths.

BUSINESS MODULE: BUILDING YOUR PROFESSIONAL IDENTITY
Students will cover the latest information on how to write successful resumes and cover letters and which documents they need to present to prospective employers, partners, and/or include in their marketing materials. Each student will develop a successful elevator pitch that describes who they are, what target market they serve, and what services they provide.

MIDTERMS
Students will spend two days on midterms, which are designed to evaluate their comprehension of basic culinary skills and techniques. Students will be tested on ingredient identification, knife skills, and basic culinary techniques, as well as complete a written exam.

EXTERNSHIP ORIENTATION + CULINARY CAREERS PANEL
After midterms, students will prepare for their future plans as natural chefs. Over the course of three days, students will participate in an orientation for their 50-hour externship; learn about the process of large-scale food preparation, including costing and scaling; and attend a networking lunch, where they can engage directly with a comprehensive panel of representatives from different careers in the culinary industry.

RESTORATIVE COOKING FOR OPTIMAL HEALTH
Arguably our most valuable and unique section in the curriculum, Restorative Cooking for Optimal Health teaches students the role healthy food plays in the prevention, recovery, and management of specific health conditions. This education emphasizes health promotion, natural longevity, and disease prevention and recovery. Students will learn to cook for optimal health and cater to a variety of conditions. Classes include:

- Restorative Menu Planning
- Digestive Wellness
- Blood Sugar Wellness
- Immune Health
- Food Sensitivities + Autoimmunity
- Heart Health
- Liver Support
- Endocrine Health + Stress Management
- Mental Health
- Cancer Prevention
- Cancer Support
- Life Cycle Nutrition I: Pregnancy, Infancy + Early Childhood
- Life Cycle Nutrition II: Adolescence, Adulthood + Fertility
- Life Cycle Nutrition III: Healthy Aging
- Sports Nutrition + Musculoskeletal Health
- Weight Management
- Specialty Diets

BUSINESS MODULE: SOCIAL MEDIA I – BUILDING AN ONLINE PRESENCE
In this module, students will learn how to get started building their online professional identities through social media and how to master the “know, like, trust” factor.

BUSINESS MODULE: SOCIAL MEDIA II – SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS
In this module, students will cover the use of different social media platforms and how to vary content by platform. They will learn the best technical practices to improve their effectiveness with each of these tools used individually and together.
BUSINESS MODULE: SOCIAL MEDIA III - THE MARKETING FUNNEL

Students will continue their exploration of using social media as a marketing funnel to turn followers into customers with effective communication using blogs, professional websites, and newsletters. They will learn how these different tools interrelate and how to most effectively communicate a personal brand.

BUSINESS MODULE: FOOD PHOTOGRAPHY + STYLING

An important part of any culinary brand is the quality of the visual imagery. In this module, students will learn the visual process of creating a brand identity with an emphasis on using smartphones.

BUSINESS MODULE: ORGANIZING + MANAGING AN EFFECTIVE JOB SEARCH

Students will learn how to find the hidden job market, how to develop great job search plans, and how to use networking to build relationships that will result in interviews.

BUSINESS MODULE: JOB SEARCH FOLLOW UP + NEGOTIATIONS

Students will learn the secrets of successful interviewing, including the best ways to prepare for and follow up on interviews and negotiate offers. Students will also learn the best ways to cultivate references, referrals, testimonials, and the importance of building long-term supporters.

BUSINESS MODULE: WRITING A BUSINESS PLAN

In this module, students will learn how to translate their vision into a viable business model. Students will cover how to develop a sound business plan with well-articulated goals, implementation steps, marketing strategies, and financial projections.

BUSINESS MODULE: STARTING A CULINARY BUSINESS

For students whose intentions are to start culinary businesses, this module is designed to teach them about the process including:

- Securing a business name
- Choosing a legal structure
- Finding insurance
- Various options for funding
- Pricing services
- Developing contracts
- Enabling secure online payments
- Avoiding costly mistakes

BUSINESS MODULE: RUNNING A CULINARY BUSINESS

After starting a culinary business, there are many ongoing management systems to achieve financial sustainability and success. In this module, students will learn how to set up financial systems for both bookkeeping and billing and the basics of hiring employees.

WORLD CUISINES: FLAVOR PROFILES + RESTORATIVE BENEFITS

Bauman College values global cooking traditions that embrace S.O.U.L. food choices. Students will study the fundamental flavor profiles and properties of various cuisines throughout the world. Particular attention will be paid to the unique use of spices, aesthetics, plating styles, and restorative cooking applications. In this section, students learn flavor profiles to prepare the following world cuisines:

- Western Mediterranean
- Middle Eastern + North African
- Indian
- Chinese
- Southeast Asian
- Japanese
- Mexican + Central American
- South American
FINAL CULINARY PRESENTATIONS

The final presentation is one of the most unique and beneficial parts of the Natural Chef Training Program.

Students are asked to draw on their personal interests, passions, and experiences to deliver a final 45-minute presentation that is both technically proficient and expressive of their future work as natural chefs. These presentations demonstrate competency of all topics covered in the program and provide students an opportunity to practice hands-on demonstration skills and gain confidence in public speaking. Students will choose a specific health condition for their project; conduct research on the condition; provide information on how food aids in the prevention, recovery, or support of the condition; and create original recipes that demonstrate their understanding of restorative culinary arts.

BUSINESS MODULE: READY FOR BUSINESS PORTFOLIO

By the end of the course, students are ready to put their education to work. This will be demonstrated by the creation of a complete business plan or a job search strategy. Bauman Business Institute mentors will provide support and feedback throughout this process.

CULINARY SHOWCASE

The culinary showcase demonstrates students’ mastery of food selection, preparation, and presentation as well as their knowledge of how to organize and execute a large-scale food event. Under the supervision of chef instructors, students gain hands-on experience in catering for a special occasion. The students’ families and friends will have an opportunity to sample students’ work in a festive atmosphere. This very special, theme-based meal illustrates the benefits of skillful planning, budgeting, and shopping as well as careful preparation and aesthetics. In the classes leading up to the showcase, students work in committees and learn to handle necessary tasks with ease and confidence. These artfully presented, imaginative, and delicious meals are special celebrations for students, staff, and guests. Classes include:

- Showcase Planning, Scaling + Costing
- Showcase Recipe Testing
- Showcase Preparation
- Culinary Showcase
- Course Conclusion

IN-HOUSE CULINARY HOURS

In preparation for their culinary externships in the field, students are required to complete 15 in-house culinary hours to hone their skills. In-house culinary hours will offer a variety of work relevant to the direction students wish to take their externships (e.g., preparing for Bauman College catering events, assisting in community classes, etc.). In-house culinary hours are supervised by Bauman College faculty and staff and must be completed by the last day of classroom instruction.

CULINARY EXTERNSHIP

Students are required to complete 50 hours of culinary fieldwork in order to become certified natural chefs, which will build their competency and confidence. Students are provided an opportunity to meet with staff after midterms to receive guidance and discuss goals and options. Externship hours must be supervised and may include working in a restaurant, catering company, corporation, nonprofit organization, retreat, or food production company. Students must have an on-site supervisor and must have their externship opportunities approved by Bauman College staff.
Nutrition Consultant

The Nutrition Consultant Training Program provides students with in-depth knowledge of the foundations of whole-foods nutrition as it contributes to the prevention of illness and the promotion of optimal health. In the program, students study the fundamentals of nutrition: physiology, anatomy, macro- and micronutrient selection, and the effects of food on the body. By completion of the program, graduates are prepared to provide expert diet and lifestyle evaluations and make recommendations for food selection, targeted nutrients, and lifestyle choices that will support the improvement of their clients’ health and slow the progression of chronic illness.

Whether students are embarking on career changes or adding new skills and knowledge to existing work, the business curriculum in the Nutrition Consultant Training Program is where students’ creativity and passion for health intersect with the necessary business acumen to make their career dreams a reality. We take a unique approach to business through the lens of holistic values and tailor it specifically to our industry to poise students for long careers that fit into their lives in a sustainable way.

The business curriculum is delivered online through the Bauman Business Institute, which also includes an online resource library of additional business support, as well as materials such as assessment forms and articles to bolster students in their work with clients. Additionally, the Bauman Business Institute offers business mentoring sessions. This comprehensive experience will prepare nutrition consultant students for a wide variety of nutrition-related careers upon graduation.

COMPONENTS OF THE NUTRITION CONSULTANT TRAINING PROGRAM

- 875 hours
- Classroom — 15 months, Distance Learning — 19 months
- Online business curriculum, mentoring, and career resources
- Classroom programs begin every spring and fall (March and September)
- Distance learning cohorts begin quarterly (February, May, August, and November)
- For Class Start + End Dates, see page 24
- Classes are offered in Sonoma County and Berkeley, CA, and online via distance learning
- For details specific to online distance learning, see page 18
- For Tuition, Fees + Payment Plans, see page 23

Each topic in the program introduces compelling, up-to-date research that enables students to confidently and precisely guide clients in the use of therapeutic foods, herbs, and nutrient support. The curriculum is dynamic and constantly evolving to stay current with the latest nutrition information. The multimedia components of the program are delivered with modern education technology, and students engage with their peers and faculty to assimilate content and practically apply concepts.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Nutrition consultants trained at Bauman College are prepared to be leaders in the holistic nutrition industry. They are in high demand for their unique knowledge and training. Students may choose to work directly for companies or organizations or start their own businesses.
Nutrition consultants are prepared to be:

• Holistic Nutrition Consultants
• Health or Nutrition Coaches
• Nutrition Educators
• Brand Ambassadors
• In-store Wellness Practitioners
• Nutritional Product Developers
• Conference Speakers
• Workshop Leaders or Teachers
• Health Writers, Bloggers, Authors, and more

This certificate program prepares students to enter the following occupations:

• 21-1091 Health Educators

Graduates have also been employed in the following fields after completion of the program. Additional education or experience may be necessary to enter the following occupations:

• 29-1031 Dietitians and Nutritionists
• 27-3043 Writers and Authors
• 27-3042 Technical Writers
• 27-3041 Editors
• 25-3021 Self-Enrichment Education Teachers
• 25-1071 Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary
• 25-1194 Vocational Education Teachers, Postsecondary
• 25-1199 Postsecondary Teachers, All Other
• 25-2023 Career/Technical Education Teachers, Middle School
• 25-2032 Career/Technical Education Teachers, Secondary School
• 25-3099 Teachers and Instructors, All Other
• 25-9021 Farm and Home Management Advisors
• 25-9031 Instructional Coordinators
• 25-9041 Teacher Assistants
• 21-1019 Counselors, All Other

PROGRAM DETAILS

On-site classes are 3.5 hours in length and meet on average 5 times per month. Students should plan to spend approximately 15 hours per week on class time, assignments, and individual study.

Distance learning student cohorts engage in weekly topics through online education materials, discussion boards, peer activities, video conference calls, and one-on-one office hours with faculty. Students should plan to allocate at least 15 hours per week to successfully engage in structured learning and individual study.

Students in our Nutrition Consultant Training Program have complete access to all of their curriculum materials, including lectures, assignments, and student records, via our unique learning management system, the Bauman College Student Dashboard. With this system,
students can communicate with each other and faculty, submit assignments, view lectures, and check their current grades from home or in any location with an internet connection. The Bauman College Student Dashboard allows students to easily access course materials any time.

**COMPUTER SKILLS REQUIRED**

Use of a computer is required throughout this program. Please see page 27 for a discussion of the skills, hardware, and software requirements needed to succeed in this program.

**CERTIFICATION**

The nutrition consultant certificate title is valid in California and other states where there are no federal, state, or local requirements limiting the practice of nutrition consulting. Students should contact their local state governments to become informed about the laws of the state in which they plan to practice.

**PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION STANDARDS**

Professional association standards require that nutrition consultants practice within the area of health education, with mutual consent between client and consultant, and with full disclosure on the part of the practitioner as to services provided, fees, training, and areas of competence. A nutrition consultant does not diagnose or treat disease. Bauman College carefully teaches students the proper language to use to emphasize that their educational approach is based on creating health rather than treating disease. Nutrition consultants are encouraged to work with doctors and licensed health providers when educating clients with previously diagnosed conditions. Anyone who is currently licensed (R.D., R.N., M.F.C.C., M.D., etc.) by the state in which they reside should check with their professional licensing board regarding nutrition practice requirements. Bauman College recommends that its graduates obtain professional malpractice insurance, which is available at a very reasonable rate through national carriers.

**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF NUTRITION PROFESSIONALS**

The Nutrition Consultant Training Program is a recommended and approved training program by the National Association of Nutrition Professionals (NANP). Students and graduates are encouraged to join NANP to stay connected to the latest research and business practices, connect with like-minded professionals in the integrative health field, attend annual conferences, gain continuing education credits, and support the right of holistic nutrition professionals to serve in an ethical and appropriate way. For more information on NANP, visit nanp.org.

**HOLISTIC NUTRITION CREDENTIALING BOARD**

Graduates of the Nutrition Consultant Training Program are eligible to sit for the Holistic Nutrition Credentialing Board’s (HNCB) Board Examination. The HNCB is a division of NANP. NANP professional members who meet the board examination qualification criteria and successfully pass the board exam will earn the designation, Board Certified in Holistic Nutrition®. This credential provides national recognition of professional excellence. For more information, including a list of board exam eligibility criteria, please visit nanp.org/board-certification.
Term I: Foundations of Nutrition

NC 101 EATING FOR HEALTH®
This module introduces the scope of a nutrition consultant practice. Students learn the benefits of the whole-foods Eating for Health® model and how to use it to help people make beneficial lifestyle and nutrition choices. Students examine the health risks of consuming a Standard American Diet based on commercially raised meat, refined carbohydrates, and poor-quality fats, and they critique a variety of diet programs and philosophies and compare them to the Eating for Health® model.

BUSINESS MODULE: PREPARING FOR CAREER SUCCESS
Students are introduced to the Bauman Business Institute and how it is designed to prepare them for career success.

NC 102 DIGESTIVE PHYSIOLOGY
The process of digestion, absorption, immunity, and elimination, along with the anatomy of the digestive tract, are discussed. Metabolism of macronutrients, blood sugar, and food allergies are introduced. The relationship between digestive health and both type 1 (acute) and type 2 (chronic) allergy patterns will be explored.

BUSINESS MODULE: PUTTING YOUR EDUCATION TO WORK
Students will learn how nutrition professionals can grow and prosper in the evolving world of health care. Topics include:
- Where holistic nutritionists work, providing successful models of different career opportunities
- Educational requirements and state licensing standards for starting a practice and applying for jobs
- Scope of practice compared to Registered Dietitians and other allied health professionals

NC 103 BIOCHEMISTRY
In this module, students investigate food structure and how amino acids, fatty acids, and carbohydrates influence physiological functions. Students learn to read food labels and understand different cellular responses to natural versus artificial ingredients. Also discussed are free radicals, antioxidants, phytochemicals, and how the molecules in food and the environment affect genetic expression and the composition of the human body.

BUSINESS MODULE: PERSONAL BRANDING
Students will learn about personal branding—why it is important and how to know, communicate, control, and build their brands.

NC 104 NUTRITION ANALYSIS
Students learn to analyze the nutrient content of whole and refined foods and meal plans. By conducting dietary evaluations, students become familiar with foods that have excellent nutrient density and diversity and learn to contrast them with nutrient-poor commercial foods. This module includes instruction on identifying nutrient ratios that determine a diet direction that is either cleansing, balancing, or building.
BUSINESS MODULE: SELF-ASSESSMENT + EXPLORATION
This is the perfect place to begin a career journey. Students will ask themselves and respond to questions such as:
• What are your strengths and preferences?
• What are your personal values, and how do you find your purpose in this field?
• What does entrepreneurship mean, and is it something that suits you?
As they examine these questions, students will begin to set intentions for their ideal careers.

NC 105 MACRONUTRIENTS
Students will learn the chemical nature and classification of the macronutrients and discuss quality, quantity, and ratios of macronutrients in various food plans. Detailed information on macronutrient form and function will be introduced. Students will be guided to vary their macronutrient ratios and observe resulting changes in mood, energy, and productivity.

BUSINESS MODULE: DEFINING A TARGET MARKET + DEVELOPING A SPECIALTY
Students will learn why developing a specialty is more likely to lead to success. They will learn to identify and define target markets aligned with their personal mission, vision, and strengths.

NC 106 MICRONUTRIENTS
Students learn the importance of vitamins and minerals and how to devise menu plans that feature them prominently. Current findings regarding micronutrient deficiency and its connection to premature aging, morbidity, and mortality are discussed. Toxic elements in food and water, such as mercury, lead, cadmium, and arsenic, along with protective dietary recommendations will be examined.

BUSINESS MODULE: BUILDING YOUR PROFESSIONAL IDENTITY
Students will cover the latest information on how to write successful resumes and cover letters and which documents they need to present to prospective employers, partners, and/or include in their marketing materials. Students will develop successful elevator pitches that describe who they are, what target markets they serve, and what services they provide.

NC 107 NUTRITIONAL COUNSELING
Students learn how to conduct a health and nutrition intake, use discretion in providing client feedback, establish rapport with diverse clients, and effectively gather data to determine a personalized diet plan. Students practice preparing for a client interview, establishing client goals, and developing a client-centered dietary approach. Verbal and nonverbal communication skills will be demonstrated and practiced.

BUSINESS MODULE: SOCIAL MEDIA I – BUILDING AN ONLINE PRESENCE
In this module, students will learn how to get started building their online professional identities through social media and how to master the “know, like, trust” factor.

FOUNDATIONS OF NARRATIVE HEALTH COACHING (TELEOSIS INSTITUTE)
Narrative Health Coaching is a developmental and integrative approach based on four principles: stories matter, relationships engage, learning transforms, and growth heals. This module helps students to navigate and support clients’ health issues by addressing multiple factors that contribute to healing, while focusing on the development of foundational coaching skills.
NUTRITION CAREERS PANEL

Students have an opportunity to engage with a comprehensive panel of representatives from different careers open to nutrition consultants. Panelists share their career journeys, and students have the chance to ask questions and network.

NC 108 CASE PRESENTATIONS

Students conduct initial comprehensive intakes, collect data via health surveys, and provide recommendations for health recovery. Students learn to work with clients where they are in their health journeys and provide customized nutritional wellness programs that are built upon week by week. Each student will deliver a case presentation to demonstrate mastery of the skills learned.

BUSINESS MODULE: FOOD PHOTOGRAPHY + STYLING

An important part of any nutrition brand is the quality of the visual imagery. In this module, students will learn the visual process of creating a brand identity with an emphasis on using smartphones.

MIDTERM EXAM

Students will complete a midterm exam through the Bauman College Student Dashboard to demonstrate their knowledge of current, practical, and relevant information presented in the course.

FOOD DEMONSTRATION

Students will apply the nutritional principles they’ve learned in class by presenting and preparing recipe handouts that include the health benefits of the ingredients, culture and history of the dish, and cooking instructions. Classroom students will present a minimum of one food demonstration per term to their class. Distance Learning students are encouraged to present to their friends, family, or elsewhere in their communities, but it is not required. All students will submit a recipe handout for feedback from their graders.

Term II: Therapeutic Nutrition

NC 201 STRESS + ENDOCRINE INTERACTIONS

The interaction of stress with the endocrine system and the influence stress has on health are discussed. Students learn the stages of the stress response, its influences on the endocrine system, and corresponding nutrient needs. Research is presented on how metabolic and endocrine imbalances lead to biochemical insufficiencies. Students are introduced to hormonal synergies and the hypothalamus-pituitary-thyroid-adrenal feedback system.

BUSINESS MODULE: SOCIAL MEDIA II – SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS

In this module, students will cover the use of different social media platforms and how to vary content by platform. They will learn the best technical practices to improve their effectiveness with each of these tools used individually and together.

NC 202 MEN’S + WOMEN’S HEALTH

The focus of this module is on life cycle issues and related dietary support for men and women. Nutritional needs and health concerns related to women, such as conception, pregnancy, postnatal care, and menopause; and men’s health issues, such as benign prostate hypertrophy and andropause (male menopause), are discussed. Also covered are metabolic patterns of aging, common health issues of aging and the elderly, Alzheimer’s disease, and Parkinson’s disease.
BUSINESS MODULE: SOCIAL MEDIA III – THE MARKETING FUNNEL

Students will continue their exploration into using social media as a marketing funnel to turn followers into customers through effective communication using blogs, professional websites, and newsletters. Students learn how these different tools interrelate and how to most effectively communicate a personal brand.

NC 203 LIVER DETOXIFICATION

This module focuses on functional anatomy and physiology of the liver’s role in clearing toxins with a focus on the two-phase enzymatic detoxification system. Students explore the foods, herbs, and nutrients needed to protect the liver from oxidative damage and free radicals, which are associated with heavy metal detoxification and hepatitis.

BUSINESS MODULE: ORGANIZING + MANAGING AN EFFECTIVE JOB SEARCH

Students will learn how to find the hidden job market, how to develop great job search plans, and how to use networking to build relationships that will result in interviews.

NC 204 GASTROINTESTINAL HEALTH

Students learn about health issues of the gastrointestinal tract and its associated structures with special attention paid to dysbiosis, leaky gut, irritable bowel syndrome, colitis, and related conditions. Students learn how to apply the 4R approach to GI healing: replace (enzymes), remove (antigens and toxins), reinoculate (with pre- and probiotics), and repair (gut mucosa).

BUSINESS MODULE: JOB SEARCH FOLLOW UP + NEGOTIATIONS

Students will learn the secrets of successful interviewing including the best ways to prepare for and follow up on interviews and negotiate offers. Students will also learn the best ways to cultivate references, referrals, testimonials, and the importance of building long-term supporters.

NC 205 BLOOD SUGAR REGULATION

Students learn assessment, diet analysis, and research pertaining to nutrient needs addressing hypoglycemia, metabolic syndrome, diabetes mellitus types 1 and 2, and other blood sugar dysregulation disorders. Diet, lifestyle, and nutrient management of each type of imbalance, emphasizing key foods, herbs, spices, nutrients, menu planning, and exercise, are addressed.

BUSINESS MODULE: DESIGNING GROUP PROGRAMS

Group programs can be a great way to increase the range of people nutrition consultants can reach; they are also a way to increase income. Students will learn successful skills for generating content, managing and promoting group programs, and ultimately developing unique signature programs.

NC 206 WEIGHT MANAGEMENT

This module focuses on weight, body composition, and fitness. The connection between diet, exercise, self-esteem, and social support is introduced as an essential component of an Eating for Health® weight management program. Specific counseling procedures such as creative mind/body techniques for dealing with client inertia, resistance, and ambivalence are also discussed. Students learn to address the underlying issues embedded in weight loss resistance, including physical, mental, and emotional trauma as well as poor nutrition, compromised metabolism, and a history of erratic dietary habits and choices.

BUSINESS MODULE: DELIVERING GROUP PROGRAMS

In this module, students will cover the most effective ways to deliver group programs including the use of webinar technology and how to deliver nutrition education.
NC 207 CASE PRESENTATIONS

Students conduct initial comprehensive intakes, collect data via health surveys, and provide recommendations for health recovery. Students learn to work with clients where they are in their health journeys and provide customized nutritional wellness programs that are built upon week by week. Each student will deliver a case presentation to demonstrate mastery of the skills they learned. In this module, students apply their learning from the first half of Therapeutic Nutrition to deliver a more in-depth case presentation.

BUSINESS MODULE: STARTING A PRACTICE

This module is designed to teach students about the process involved in starting a private practice. Students will also learn how to avoid making costly mistakes or ones that might slow down their path to success. This topic explores:

- Securing a business name
- Licensure and registration
- Choosing a legal structure
- Finding insurance
- Pricing services
- Scope of practice
- Contracts and agreements
- Accounting
- Marketing

NC 208 CLINICAL ASSESSMENT

This module introduces the basic laboratory tests that a primary health care professional may order for a client to help direct a nutrition consultant to suggest a diet, lifestyle, and nutrient program to respond to areas of imbalance. Tests covered include a complete blood chemistry profile; a comprehensive digestive stool analysis; a mixed hormone panel with values for the adrenals, gonads, pancreas, and pituitary; a food sensitivity panel; and key biomarkers for inflammation.

BUSINESS MODULE: WRITING A BUSINESS PLAN

In this module, students will learn how to translate their vision into a viable business model. We will cover how to develop a sound business plan with well-articulated goals, implementation steps, marketing strategies, and financial projections.

NC 209 CARDIOVASCULAR HEALTH

This module examines the etiology of cardiovascular ailments. The role of genetics, diet, lifestyle, and risk factors are explored. The incidence and etiology of hypertension are examined with nutrient-drug interactions explained. Students learn an integrative blood pressure control program with key foods, herbs, spices, nutrients, and lifestyle practices.

BUSINESS MODULE: MANAGING A SUCCESSFUL PRACTICE

After starting a practice, there are many ongoing management systems to address. In this module, students will learn how to set up financial systems for both bookkeeping and billing and how to keep electronic files that are secure and protect clients’ privacy.

NC 210 MENTAL HEALTH

The interplay of psychological, somatic, and environmental factors as they relate to mental health is discussed. Conditions such as substance abuse, eating disorders, depression, anxiety, and bipolar disorder are examined with recommendations for nutritional support. Students learn brain anatomy, physiology, and biochemistry along with the brain’s dynamic interplay with the endocrine, immune, and gastrointestinal systems. The role of food, gut issues, and environmental sensitivities that can trigger mood disorders, ADD, and autism are explored.
BUSINESS MODULE: CONFIDENCE + COMPETENCY
Still have concerns about being ready for business? This module will help students overcome their limiting beliefs and fears as well as set goals and develop accountability and support systems.

NC 211 MUSCULOSKELETAL HEALTH + SPORTS NUTRITION
This module introduces the functional anatomy of the musculoskeletal system. Natural herbal and nutritional alternatives to current treatments for musculoskeletal conditions are critiqued and discussed. Research on pain management, osteoarthritis, and fibromyalgia as well as optimal nutrition and hydration for sports nutrition to promote strength, flexibility, endurance, lifelong fitness, and injury prevention are also discussed.

BUSINESS MODULE: READY FOR BUSINESS PORTFOLIO
By the end of the course, students are ready to put their education to work. This will be demonstrated by the creation of a complete business plan or a job search strategy. Business mentors will provide support and feedback throughout this process.

NC 212 IMMUNE + AUTOIMMUNE
In this section, health issues related to overactive and underactive immune systems are examined. Hypoallergenic, elimination diets, and nutrition-based care programs for autoimmune conditions are presented along with the therapeutic uses of specific foods, fresh juices, herbs, spices, broths, and cleansing aids with special attention paid to cleansing and healing the organs of elimination.

NC 213 CANCER
Cancer prevention diets as well as specific nutrient needs and diet support for individuals undergoing surgery, chemotherapy, radiation, and hormone therapy are reviewed. Students will learn how every component of the Eating for Health® food plan has value in protecting the body from cancer occurrence or recurrence.

FINAL RESEARCH PROJECT
Students submit a final research project in which they complete an in-depth literature review along with client case summaries that demonstrate their knowledge and skill in working with clinical issues.
Nutrition Consultant Training Program via Distance Learning

The Nutrition Consultant Training Program is available online via distance learning. People who live far away, have time constraints, or simply prefer to work from home can receive our nutrition training with a cohort of students in an online format. Distance learning is perfect for busy people who are independent, self-motivated, and who have a desire to improve the world through holistic nutrition. Students interact with their peers and instructors through regular live virtual communication and collaborative activities.

The science-based curriculum is presented on a mobile-friendly platform in a variety of ways to appeal to diverse learning styles. Distance learning students receive a series of multimedia lectures prepared by Bauman College Founder and President, Dr. Ed Bauman. These are augmented by comprehensive textbooks, workbooks, videos, and supplemental materials that keep the program fresh with the most current research.

STRUCTURED YET FLEXIBLE SCHEDULE

Students may begin the Nutrition Consultant Training Program via Distance Learning at four specific times per year (February, May, August, November); the duration of the program is 19 months. A minimum of 15 hours per week is a reasonable time commitment to finish the program. The key to a successful distance learning experience is that students schedule time to research, write, interview, and complete their assignments promptly and stay in close communication with their distance learning instructors. Assignments are graded and returned to the student within 10 business days of receipt.

STUDENT RESOURCES

Distance learning students receive the same curriculum as their classroom counterparts. Regular interaction with peers and faculty enables students to create a robust support system. Students have the benefit of regular video conference calls with peers and distance learning instructors throughout the program. Distance learners are guided and supported by these regular meetings, which provide students the opportunity to review core competencies and discuss and collaborate on client strategies and case studies. Additionally, distance learners have access to faculty through one-on-one office hours and can connect with other Bauman College students through faculty-moderated discussion forums and Facebook groups.

COMPUTER SKILLS REQUIRED

Use of a computer is required throughout this program. Please see page 27 for a discussion of the skills, hardware, and software requirements needed for success in this program.
Bauman College Student + Alumni Relations

Once you have chosen to take the next step and enroll as a student in either the nutrition consultant or natural chef program, you will immediately be connected with our vast alumni community in a number of ways. Our Student + Alumni Relations program is designed to help you feel connected and supported by Bauman College and the community. We offer career resources, social media groups specific for students and alumni, and free product and business marketing to help you reach customers and clients.

CAREER RESOURCES

Current students as well as graduates of Bauman College have access to the Career Development discussion board on the Bauman College Forum. Students and alumni can log in to the site to:

• View a weekly job flash with local and national full-time, part-time, temporary, and volunteer opportunities.
• Access and share professional and educational resources and stay updated on current industry trends.
• Connect with fellow students, alumni, faculty, and staff.

SOCIAL MEDIA

Connect with fellow students and past graduates of Bauman College through our exclusive student and alumni groups on Facebook and LinkedIn. Post your questions and learn about industry specifics through hundreds of experienced alumni professionals. Distance learners will be able to connect with fellow students near and far. Students and alumni who have their own food blogs or want some inspiration can join our alumni-run food bloggers group.

ALUMNI PRODUCTS

Our alumni are professional product developers, authors, and speakers. They offer an abundance of knowledge on holistic food and nutrition services tailored to meet individual needs and improve optimal health. Alumni have the opportunity to market their products and services on the Bauman College website for free.

ALUMNI DIRECTORY

Bauman College graduates can add professional profiles to the Bauman College website to connect with potential employers, clients, fellow students, and/or alumni. The website receives up to 70,000 views a month, which is a great opportunity for free marketing.

BE A LEADER + VOLUNTEER

Whether alumni are looking to create positive change in their communities, enhance their education, or build their skills or resumes, there is an abundance of volunteer and speaking opportunities through which to gain more experience and share your knowledge and skills. Whether volunteering at Bauman College events or in the community, we encourage a spirit of service to become an effective leader locally, nationally, and globally to enhance career success.
BECOME A STUDENT

Which Location is Right for You?

Bauman College has two locations in the greater San Francisco Bay Area in California—Berkeley and Sonoma County. For those unable to attend classes at these locations, we also offer our Nutrition Consultant Training Program online via Distance Learning.

BERKELEY

1007 University Ave., Berkeley, CA 94710

Berkeley is a picturesque, academic-minded, and welcoming city located just across the bay from San Francisco. It is world-renowned for its liberal mentality, its passionate activism, and its leadership in the American food revolution. Berkeley is also where the concept of locally-sourced “California Cuisine” was developed by culinary pioneers, such as Alice Waters.

The Berkeley facility is complete with two large commercial kitchens outfitted with top-of-the-line restaurant-quality equipment and spacious nutrition classrooms that invite creative expression and optimal learning.

In addition to the city of Berkeley itself, downtown San Francisco is easily accessible by public transportation, and both cities provide limitless access to cultural opportunities, delicious food, an array of international food markets, and more.

SONOMA COUNTY

Main Administrative Office

PO Box 940, 10151 Main St., Ste. 128, Penngrove, CA 94951

In the middle of wine country, this location sits amidst expansive vineyards, rolling golden hills, towering redwood groves, family-owned farms, and is just minutes from the dramatic Pacific coastline.

Sonoma County, and neighboring Napa County, are the premier wine-producing regions in the United States and provide unlimited possibilities for exploring America’s best culinary markets.

The relaxed Sonoma County lifestyle, stunning natural beauty, and access to incredible locally sourced food make this an ideal location for learning. Located in the North Bay, this location provides easy access to all the resources of city life with the comforts of simple living.
Financial Assistance

Our admissions advisors are here to help you. Start by reviewing the opportunities provided on our website, then call us at 800-987-7530 or set up an appointment with an advisor via the website. Our advisors are well versed in many funding opportunities and can advise you on how to best support your education.

STUDENT TUITION RECOVERY FUND

The State of California established the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) to relieve or mitigate economic loss suffered by a student in an educational program at a qualifying institution, who is or was a California resident while enrolled, or was enrolled in a residency program, if the student enrolled in the institution, prepaid tuition, and suffered an economic loss. Unless relieved of the obligation to do so, you must pay the state-imposed assessment for the STRF, or it must be paid on your behalf, if you are a student in an educational program, who is a California resident, or are enrolled in a residency program, and prepaid all or part of your tuition.

You are not eligible for protection from the STRF and you are not required to pay the STRF assessment, if you are not a California resident, or are not enrolled in a residency program.

It is important that you keep copies of your enrollment agreement, financial aid documents, receipts, or any other information that documents the amount paid to the school. Questions regarding the STRF may be directed to the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, 2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, Suite 400, Sacramento, CA 95833, (916) 431-6959 or (888) 370-7589.

To be eligible for STRF, you must be a California resident or enrolled in a residency program, prepaid tuition, paid or deemed to have paid the STRF assessment, and suffered an economic loss as a result of any of the following:

1. The institution, a location of the institution, or an educational program offered by the institution was closed or discontinued, and you did not choose to participate in a teach-out plan approved by the Bureau or did not complete a chosen teach-out plan approved by the Bureau.
2. You were enrolled at an institution or a location of the institution within the 120 day period before the closure of the institution or location of the institution, or were enrolled in an educational program within the 120 day period before the program was discontinued.
3. You were enrolled at an institution or a location of the institution more than 120 days before the closure of the institution or location of the institution, in an educational program offered by the institution as to which the Bureau determined there was a significant decline in the quality or value of the program more than 120 days before closure.
4. The institution has been ordered to pay a refund by the Bureau but has failed to do so.
5. The institution has failed to pay or reimburse loan proceeds under a federal student loan program as required by law, or has failed to pay or reimburse proceeds received by the institution in excess of tuition and other costs.
6. You have been awarded restitution, a refund, or other monetary award by an arbitrator or court, based on a violation of this chapter by an institution or representative of an institution, but have been unable to collect the award from the institution.
7. You sought legal counsel that resulted in the cancellation of one or more of your student loans and have an invoice for services rendered and evidence of the cancellation of the student loan or loans.

To qualify for STRF reimbursement, the application must be received within four (4) years from the date of the action or event that made the student eligible for recovery from STRF.
A student whose loan is revived by a loan holder or debt collector after a period of noncollection may, at any time, file a written application for recovery from STRF for the debt that would have otherwise been eligible for recovery. If it has been more than four (4) years since the action or event that made the student eligible, the student must have filed a written application for recovery within the original four (4) year period, unless the period has been extended by another act of law.

However, no claim can be paid to any student without a social security number or a taxpayer identification number.

PRIVATE STUDENT LOAN OBLIGATION

If you obtain a loan to pay for this educational program, you have the responsibility to repay the full amount of the loan plus interest and apply any Bauman College refunds to the loan.
### Tuition, Fees + Payment Plans: Nov. 1, 2018 – Apr. 30, 2019

Our payment plans are customizable. Reduce your monthly payment and minimize finance fees by making a larger down payment than our current plans offer. For more information, contact us at admissions@baumancollege.org.

#### NATURAL CHEF

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**Approximate fees for additional required items:**
- Chef shoes (black, slip resistant, hard, closed toe and heel): $60–$150
- Chef pants (black, houndstooth, or black and white checked): $20–$40
- Ingredients for individual final presentation: $25–$50
- Independent textbook purchases: $93²
- Digital Kitchen Scale: $10–$20

#### NATURAL CHEF PAYMENT PLAN

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**AM:** The remaining tuition after down payment will be charged a finance fee of $719.96 and the balance of $15,119.16 will be paid in 14 monthly payments of $7,379.79 using an automatic credit card payment plan.

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**Approximate fees for additional required items:**
- Independent textbook purchases: $162²

#### NUTRITION CONSULTANT VIA DISTANCE LEARNING

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*NC materials are sent in 2 shipments at the beginning of each term.*

**Approximate fees for additional required items:**
- Independent textbook purchases: $162²

1. Regional sales tax will be added to all materials sales.
2. State law requires a non-refundable STRF fee to be applied to all California first-party-paid enrollments (see page 21).
3. Estimated costs are based on standard retail. The cost of books varies considerably depending on where they are purchased.
4. Actual Shipping/Handling charges will apply for international shipments.
5. This amount is both the total charge for the specified period of attendance and an estimated schedule of total charges for the entire educational program. Other fees may apply (see page 32).
Schedules

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1 Six additional weeks are allowed for the completion of a required independent culinary externship and BBI Portfolio.

2 Please note that the Natural Chef Training Program may have some classes that run additional hours. Also, during the week of the Culinary Showcase, students will meet on different days and/or different hours.

When an unexpected closure occurs due to extraordinary conditions, such as inclement weather, students will be notified as soon as possible by phone and email by the school administrator. Classes are not held on the following holidays: New Year’s Eve, New Year’s Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Presidents’ Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and the Friday following, Christmas Eve, and Christmas Day.

Please contact our Admissions Department for detailed schedules.
Application + Enrollment

We Make Applying Easy

Applying to Bauman College is easier than ever with our online application process. From the Bauman College website, click the menu icon next to the search button, click on "Programs," then choose "Application + Enrollment." In order to successfully submit your online application, you will need to have all required items in a digital file format that you can upload and submit to our online system. Please note that you cannot submit the application if anything is missing, so make sure you have everything you need before you start the process.

Required documents include a copy of high school completion or higher education transcripts or diploma, a 500-word essay, and a digital photo of yourself. Detailed document requirements can be found by clicking on the "Application Requirements" link on the Application + Enrollment page of our website. Applicants will receive email notification of acceptance within two business days.

Dates to Remember

Timely application and enrollment is important in order to secure your space in the section and class of your choice. Please note the following dates:

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School Approval + Resources

Bauman College is a private nonprofit educational institution approved to operate by the California Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education. Approval to operate means the institution is compliant with the minimum standards contained in the California Private Postsecondary Education Act of 2009 (as amended) and Division 7.5 of Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations.

Any questions a student may have regarding this catalog that have not been satisfactorily answered by the institution may be directed to:

The Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education
2535 Capitol Oaks Drive, Suite 400,
Sacramento, CA 95833
Phone: 888-370-7589 | Fax: 916-263-1897 | Website: bppe.ca.gov

As a prospective student, you are encouraged to review this catalog prior to signing an enrollment agreement. You are also encouraged to review the School Performance Fact Sheet, which will be provided to you prior to signing an enrollment agreement.

A student or any member of the public may file a complaint about this institution with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education by calling 888-370-7589, or by completing a complaint form, which can be obtained on the Bureau's website at bppe.ca.gov.

Bauman College is not accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the United States Department of Education. Bauman College does not participate in federal or state financial aid programs.

Bauman College is a solid and stable institution. We do not have a pending petition in bankruptcy; we are not operating as a debtor in possession; we have not filed a petition within the preceding five years; and we have not had a petition in bankruptcy filed against us within the preceding five years that resulted in reorganization under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code.

FACILITIES

Each Bauman College location contains attractive, modern, and professional offices and classrooms. There is a reception area and a nutrition classroom in each location, and in our Berkeley facility, there is a culinary classroom equipped with two state-of-the-art kitchens. All students must utilize personal computers with internet, email, and word processing capabilities; WiFi is provided at each location to allow students internet access. Nutrition students utilize textbooks and workbooks and attend multimedia presentations in the classroom or through the online Student Dashboard. Culinary students use written materials, such as required texts and the resource guide, and electronic materials, such as the Student Dashboard and recipe database, to follow along with course information. They also attend lectures in the classroom accompanied by slide presentations and participate in cooking labs that take place in our state-of-the-art commercial kitchens using high-quality kitchen utensils and commercial-grade appliances.

HOUSING

A variety of housing is available near both Bauman College locations (hotels, apartments, private rooms, etc.). Rental prices vary depending on the type of housing chosen (shared housing, apartments, or single occupancy), and range from ~$700 – $2000/month. Housing information is posted on the Bauman College Forum under the search term "Housing Hookup" to assist students in finding local housing. Bauman College does not provide housing, dormitory facilities, or have any responsibility to find or assist students in finding housing.
STUDENT LIBRARY + RESOURCES

Each Bauman College location maintains a small library, consisting of nutrition textbooks, cookbooks, culinary reference books, wellness resources, and other reference materials available for student use. Students may access these resources during normal business hours, Monday – Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Bauman College students are required to have computers to complete their studies, and students may access free WiFi at all of our locations to facilitate their online research needs. Students may utilize our classrooms to study during normal business hours, provided the classrooms are not in use.

STUDENT SERVICES

Our student services manager counsels and assists students with any needs that they may have during their studies. Students who need additional assistance have access to faculty and graduate tutors. An active community forum, with excellent faculty participation, is utilized by students and alumni to discuss nutrition and culinary topics and provides guidance and clarity as students move through the curriculum.

Policies + Procedures

ADMISSION

Applicants must have a high school diploma or the equivalent; Bauman College does not offer an ability-to-benefit examination. Acceptance into the program is subject to review of submitted application materials. A background in health sciences is beneficial but is not mandatory. Bauman College reserves the right to deny admission to any applicant.

APPLICATION PROCESS

From the Bauman College website, click the menu icon next to the search button, click on "Programs," then choose "Application + Enrollment." In order to successfully submit your online application, you will need all of the required documents (see page 25) in a digital file format that you can upload and submit to our online system. Please note that you cannot submit the application if anything is missing, so be sure you have everything you need before you start the process. Before beginning the application process, please review the computer skills and equipment requirements below. Applicants will receive notification of acceptance by email within two business days.

COMPUTER SKILLS + REQUIREMENTS

These computer skills are required for Bauman College students:

**Basic Word Processing**: Students must be able to use a word processor to create basic documents. This includes using templates, making tables, and inserting headers, footers, and graphics into documents. These skills will be required to complete assignments.

**Internet Connection**: Students will need access to a reliable broadband internet connection with at least 4Mbps download speed (recommended). Lower speeds may drastically impact students’ experience. See the FAQs section on our website for additional information.

**Basic Web Skills**: Students will need to use the internet for a variety of tasks ranging from research to use of online nutrition analysis tools. Basic proficiency in the use of a web browser and the use of basic web applications will be necessary.

**Web Application Skills**: Students will use the Bauman College Community Forum, a bulletin board-style platform where questions can be posted and valuable information is shared. Students will be required to use a web-based platform to post questions, access materials, and complete assignments.
Email: Students are expected to have active Gmail accounts and to regularly check and respond to email.

Students must also ensure that they possess a computer system with minimal hardware and software requirements. For a full discussion of skills and system requirements, please visit the FAQs page on our website. There, you will find a Technical FAQs section where information on operating system, hardware, and software requirements are detailed.

LATE ENROLLMENT

It is important to apply and enroll early to secure a space in the class as classes with insufficient enrollment may be cancelled. A non-refundable late enrollment fee of $50 will be charged after the late enrollment deadline has passed.

RESUME EVALUATION

Bauman College does not award credit for prior experiential learning.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Bauman College does not offer student visa services but will vouch for student status as necessary. Please note that international students participating in the online distance learning program are responsible for all international calling and shipping fees incurred during their program participation.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

Bauman College accepts students who are proficient in the English language, both written and verbal. No English language services are available. Instruction is not provided in any language other than English. Non-native English speaking students must demonstrate proficiency in the English language, equivalent to the 12th grade level and up, through submittal of a TOEFL certificate, High School Diploma, or English proficiency displayed in the application essay and through an interview appointment with the Admissions Department. It is required that all copies of student transcripts or diplomas are submitted in English.

PAYMENT PLANS

Bauman College payment plans can be arranged. An installment payment plan for any Bauman College program will incur a finance fee on the tuition balance due. Students choosing to be on a payment plan must commit to monthly automatic credit card charges. Payment in full of all fees must be received in order for a student to receive certification for a particular program and to continue with additional training. Tuition payments are due once a month (see contract for exact dates). There will be a $35 charge for all declined scheduled credit card payments. Educational services may be withheld from a student whose payment (including late fee) is more than 10 days late. Bauman College reserves the right to refuse payment plan services to any individual.

STUDENT CONDUCT + GRIEVANCES

All students enrolled at Bauman College (classroom or distance learning) must conduct themselves in a manner that promotes a peaceful learning environment. Students are expected to behave with respect and care toward fellow students, faculty, and staff. The use of cell phones, including texting, is not permitted in the classroom. Bauman College has a zero tolerance policy for drugs, alcohol, and weapons. Students who display conduct issues will be referred to the Student Services Manager for guidance and discipline. If necessary, the matter will be discussed with the Executive Council for appropriate resolution. Bauman College maintains the right to dismiss students for conduct that is disruptive to the class or
conduct that reflects or impacts unfavorably on Bauman College’s reputation or operation. Reinstatement after dismissal will occur only with the consent of the Executive Council in response to a written request and personal interview. In all cases, the student should be informed of the grievances against him/her, and the student shall be given a fair opportunity to refute them. The institution will not be arbitrary in its actions.

Students seeking to resolve problems or voice complaints should contact the Student Services Manager (by phone at (707) 795-1284 x306 or by email at lori.cottrell@baumancollege.org) who will investigate, record, and, if possible, resolve the issue. Matters that are unable to be resolved will be forwarded to the Executive Council for further review and action.

OBSERVABLE IMPAIRMENT POLICY

Bauman College seeks to maintain safety for all students in the classroom. If a student is observed to be behaving in an unsafe manner in the classroom, even as a result of a legal drug prescription, they may not participate in actions that the instructor deems unsafe. This may include utilizing knives or kitchen equipment. Students may still observe class at the discretion of the instructor.

GRADING, CREDITS + RECORDS

All assignments are given numerical grades and/or content feedback. A file review is available by appointment to discuss any questions pertaining to coursework and progress in the program. After all requirements are satisfied, a certificate will be awarded. Replacement certificates can be purchased for $25 each. Upon request, two transcripts will be provided at no charge. Additional copies will be available for $25 each. Bauman College student records are kept confidential and maintained primarily through electronic files that are backed up on a daily basis and stored in two separate secure geographical locations. These records are kept forever. All physical files containing California Code requirements are kept for a minimum of 5 years following a student’s completion or withdrawal. Bauman College reserves the right to terminate the enrollment of any student who consistently displays sub-standard work and/or performance and is deemed by the Director of Academics to lack the skills needed to achieve vocational certification (see Standards for Student Achievement on page 32). A prorated refund of tuition charges will be returned to the student should this situation occur.

PROGRAM TRANSFERS

A nutrition consultant student transferring from the classroom to distance learning, or a student transferring from distance learning to the classroom, will be assessed a $250 transfer fee (plus any additional fees assessed for shipping outside of the continental United States). A student transferring within a program to a different section or location (e.g., AM to PM; Penngrove to Berkeley) will be assessed a transfer fee of $100. Tuition fees paid upon initial enrollment will be reviewed and a student will either be assessed additional prorated tuition fees, or refunded prorated tuition fees, based on the current tuition charges of the program into which they wish to transfer. A new enrollment contract will be created and executed reflecting the new tuition charges. Students who are enrolled in one program may only transfer to the other program at the beginning of a module, and only if they are current and up-to-date with all assignments.

NOTICE CONCERNING TRANSFERABILITY OF CREDITS AND CREDENTIALS EARNED AT OUR INSTITUTION

The transferability of credits you earn at Bauman College is at the complete discretion of an institution to which you may seek to transfer. Acceptance of the certificate you earn in the educational program is also at the complete discretion of the institution to which you may seek to transfer. If the certificate that you earn at this institution is not accepted at the institution to
which you seek to transfer, you may be required to repeat some or all of the coursework at that institution. For this reason you should make certain that your attendance at this institution will meet your educational goals. This may include contacting an institution to which you may seek to transfer after attending Bauman College to determine if your certificate will transfer.

### Attendance

**NUTRITION CONSULTANT**

Classroom students must attend at least 80% of class hours per term. This translates to 7 absences allowed in term I and 8 absences allowed in term II. A missed class may be made up by attending the same class if it is offered at an alternate time or location within the same term and by prior arrangement only. Three late arrivals, three early leaves, or a combination thereof constitute one absence.

A Bauman College graduate, or a student needing to make up classes due to exceeding the maximum number of allowed absences in a previous term, may repeat a nutrition consultant class on a space-permitting basis for a fee of $50.

A distance learning student may audit four on-site classes at no additional charge on a space-permitting basis. Any additional classes audited will incur a $50 fee for each 3.5-hour class. Audits must be pre-arranged through the Nutrition Program Assistant. Students who have transferred from a classroom program to distance learning must pay a $50 fee for any classroom audits.

**NATURAL CHEF**

In order to complete certification requirements, students are allowed a maximum of six absences during the course of the program. A late arrival or early leave constitutes one-third of an absence. If a student arrives more than 1.5 hours late or leaves more than 1.5 hours early, this constitutes as an entire absence. The Knife Skills class and ServSafe® Food Manager training are required in order to begin working in the kitchen. If a student is absent from class, he/she may choose to arrange for a private tutorial with an instructor and pay a fee assessed by the college; this private tutorial makes up the content but does not excuse the student’s absence from that class.

### Leave of Absence

**NUTRITION CONSULTANT**

If a student finds it necessary to take a leave of absence from a current program and all payments are current, the student must complete a Leave of Absence form and submit an administrative processing fee of $100 to the Student Services department, via email at student@baumancollege.org or U.S. mail at P.O. Box 940, Penngrove, CA 94951. During a leave of absence, a student’s academic and administrative file is placed in suspension for a maximum of six months. The school will contact a classroom student on leave of absence prior to the start of the next term to evaluate a student’s desire and ability to resume studies. Return to the classroom is only accommodated on a space-permitting basis; distance learning is an option. The school will contact a distance learning student on leave of absence prior to the start of the next two cohorts to evaluate a student’s desire and ability to resume studies. For all students, paid tuition fees will be applied toward the new term/cohort and the student will not be subject to additional fees upon return, unless tuition, STRF, and/or class materials have changed. Third-party funded students must gain consent from their funding resources in order to take a leave of absence and are subject to all stated policies. During a leave of absence, all access to Bauman College resources and services are suspended. A leave of absence from a program is only permitted once.
NATURAL CHEF

Leave of absence is not available in the Natural Chef Training Program; however, should a student need to cancel enrollment, he/she may follow the procedures for re-enrollment as outlined in the cancellation policy.

Cancellation

Student’s Right to Cancel: A student has the right to cancel the enrollment agreement and obtain a refund.

The institution shall, for classroom students, without penalty or obligation, refund 100% of the amount paid for institutional charges, less a reasonable deposit or registration fee not to exceed $200 and any late enrollment fees charged (if applicable), if the notice of cancellation is made through the first day of instruction or the seventh day after enrollment, whichever is later.

The institution shall, for distance learning students, without penalty or obligation, refund 100% of the amount paid for institutional charges, less a reasonable deposit or registration fee not to exceed $200 and any late enrollment fees charged (if applicable), if the notice of cancellation is made through the first day of instruction or the seventh day after enrollment, whichever is later. After this date, a student will be charged for the first program module (NC 101). Henceforth, cancellation must take place within eight days after the student has accessed curriculum materials for the next module(s) from the Student Dashboard; otherwise, tuition for the module(s) will not be included in your prorated refund.

A student may withdraw from a program after instruction has started and receive a prorated refund for the unused portion of the tuition if 60% or less of the program has been completed. Any discount applied to the original enrollment will become void upon cancellation. Refunds on materials in resalable condition will be granted if returned within two weeks after the first day of instruction. A 50% refund of the Student Services and Technology Fee will be granted if cancellation occurs within 45 days after the first day of instruction. After that point, the fee will be charged in full. A student is not considered withdrawn until a written cancellation has been received. Cancellation shall occur when a student gives written notice of cancellation at the address of the school shown on the top of the student’s enrollment contract. The cancellation notice can be sent by mail, fax, or hand delivery. If sent by mail, cancellation is effective when deposited in the mail, properly addressed, and with postage prepaid.

Students who are funded by third-party payers will have any cancellation refund paid directly from Bauman College to the third-party payer, not to the student. Refunds will be processed within 45 days of proper cancellation. Students who wish to cancel must be current with their financial obligations to the school. Tuition charges and fees will continue to accrue until a student’s financial account is settled. Should a student wish to re-enroll after a cancellation, Bauman College will review eligibility for the student’s readmittance based on the circumstances under which the student canceled. Re-enrollment will only be considered for the same program and must be processed within two years of the student’s original enrollment date in order to receive credit for previous coursework.

Matriculation + Completion Time

NUTRITION CONSULTANT

Students who have a cumulative grade average from term assignments of 80% or higher at the end of Term I, Foundations of Nutrition, will be eligible to take the midterm exam. The midterm score plus assignment average will determine Term I GPA. An overall Term I GPA of 80% or higher must be achieved for a student to matriculate to Term II, the Therapeutic Nutrition component of the course.
NATURAL CHEF

Students have six weeks from their final class date to complete their culinary externship, in-house culinary hours, and BBI Final Portfolio Project. Certification will not be granted if all requirements are not met within this time frame.

Standards for Student Achievement

**Attendance**: Classroom students must comply with Bauman College attendance requirements.

**Grade Average**: Students must achieve an 80% grade average to graduate and receive certification.

**Assignments**: Students who engage in plagiarism will lose their opportunity for certification.

**Nutrition Consultant Completion Projects**: Written reports and oral case presentations, a final research project, and a BBI Portfolio Project mark the successful completion of the Nutrition Consultant Training Program. Throughout this program, students are expected to present oral case histories demonstrating their ability to complete a client intake, conduct appropriate questionnaires, devise a nutritional wellness program, and monitor client progress.

**Natural Chef Completion Projects**: The final written and oral culinary presentation will demonstrate the competencies of the natural chef. Students will conduct research, provide nutrition information, and prepare dishes related to their chosen culinary focus. Natural Chef students will also complete a BBI Portfolio Project, 15 in-house culinary hours, and a 50-hour independent culinary externship.

**Food Demonstrations**: To apply nutritional principles, all Bauman College students are expected to present food demonstrations.

**ServSafe® Manager Certification**: Natural Chef students must pass the ServSafe® Manager exam in order to be certified as natural chefs.

**Financial**: Students must satisfy all financial contract agreements with Bauman College.

Institutional Fees

- Late Enrollment Fee: $50
- Declined Credit Card Fee: $35
- Competency Exam Fee: $150
- Nutrition Consultant Program Transfer Fee: $250
- Section/Location Transfer Fee: $100
- Nutrition Consultant Repeat Class Fee: $50
- Natural Chef Class Make-up Fee: $50–$75/hour
- Classroom Audit Fee for DL students: $50
- Replacement Certificate Fee: $25
- Leave of Absence: $100
- Transcript Fee (first 2 copies provided for free): $25

Fees Paid to Others

- Textbooks for Nutrition Program: ~$162
- Textbooks for Culinary Program: ~$93
- Culinary Shoes: $60–$150
- Chef Pants: $20–$40
- Digital Kitchen Scale: $10–$20
- Ingredients for Final Culinary Presentation: $25–$50
FACULTY

Ed Bauman — Ph.D.

Founder + President

Ed has been a pioneer in the field of holistic nutrition since the early 1980s. His vision and leadership have inspired thousands of people to transform their lives in the form of wellness, community, and peace. He received his M.Ed. from the University of Massachusetts, and a Ph.D. in health promotion from the University of New Mexico. Dr. Bauman created the Eating for Health™ model to teach individuals to make nutritionally comprehensive food choices and founded Bauman College in 1989 with a mission to change the world through better nutrition and healthful living. He is a special advisor for the National Association of Nutrition Professionals and brings a wealth of knowledge, wisdom, and a love of good health and good taste to his work. Dr. Bauman was co-editor of the Holistic Health Handbook and Holistic Health Lifebook, and author of Confronting Cancer in Our Community, Recipes and Remedies for Rejuvenation Cookbook, The Whole-Food Guide for Breast Cancer Survivors, The Flavors of Health Cookbook, and Eating for Health: Your Guide to Vitality and Optimal Health.

Rosie Ueng — M.S.

Director of Academics

Rosie holds a B.A. in biochemistry from the University of California, Berkeley and an M.S. in holistic nutrition from Hawthorn University. Her experience over the past two decades combines years of laboratory research, science instruction, and curriculum development, along with a fervor for good food and health. She has worked in commercial kitchens, as a professional caterer, and is also the consulting chef for the Weston A. Price Foundation. Rosie brings her experience working with private clients and teaching workshops in the community to the classroom, as an instructor for both the Nutrition Consultant and Natural Chef training programs.

Hilla Abel — O.D.

Lead Natural Chef Instructor

Hilla received her B.A. in integrative biology and her Doctorate in optometry from U.C. Berkeley. After years of seeing the results of improper eating in her patients’ eyes, Hilla became impassioned to teach people the benefits of healthy eating. A graduate of the Natural Gourmet Institute for Health and Culinary Arts, Hilla teaches both at Bauman College and children’s cooking camps at the Albany Community Center. She is also the owner of Health in a Pan, where she helps busy parents answer the “What’s for Dinner?” question through culinary coaching, so that they feel confident in preparing healthy, delicious, and manageable meals for their families.
Susan Arthur — B.A., N.C.

Nutrition Consultant Instructor

Susan has a B.A. in psychology from Sacramento State University and has been teaching and counseling in the field of holistic health and nutrition since 1989. She is a certified nutrition consultant from Bauman College and has been an instructor at Bauman since 2006. Her studies in psychology included an emphasis on nutrition and behavior modification. In her nutrition practice, she emphasizes the whole person, working on all aspects of their life experience to encourage lasting change and well-being. Susan has provided hundreds of clients from diverse backgrounds with individualized nutritional support.

Anasuya Basil — N.C., DIPL. A.B.T., C.S.T.

Nutrition Consultant Instructor

Anasuya has been the director of a holistic health practice, My Body Wisdom, since 1996. She is a Bauman College certified nutrition consultant and is Board Certified in Holistic Nutrition®. Anasuya was on the faculty of the Acupressure Institute in Berkeley for eight years, teaching traditional Chinese medicine theory applications for women's health as well as nutrition for pain and depression. She is board certified as a Diplomate of Asian Bodywork Therapy (NCCAOM) and certified by the Upledger Institute in craniosacral therapy.

Nishanga Bliss — D.Sc., L.Ac.

Natural Chef + Nutrition Consultant Instructor

Chef Nishanga has been a holistic physician since 1999. She is a licensed acupuncturist, nutritionist, and professor of Chinese medicine at the Acupuncture and Integrative Medicine College in Berkeley, CA. Nishanga is the author of *Real Food All Year: Eating Seasonal Whole Foods for Optimal Health* and *All-Day Energy*, and has a blog, Gastronicity, where she writes about the intersections of food, health, and sustainability.

Kyla Brown — B.A., N.C.

Nutrition Consultant Instructor

Kyla holds a B.A. from New York University and is a Bauman College certified nutrition consultant. Kyla ran her own nutrition consulting practice, specializing in prenatal and postpartum wellness, while simultaneously working at her long-time job as an educational consultant. She is excited to bring her passion for educating and nutrition together as a Bauman instructor.
Susan Chritton — M.Ed., P.C.C., N.C.C.C.

Bauman Business Institute Instructor

Susan is an executive career coach, career management fellow, master personal brand strategist, and author of Personal Branding for Dummies. She guides professionals looking to engage their authentic selves in the world by looking within to discover not just what they can do but who they are. With her wealth of credentials and extensive experience in career development, Susan is able to draw on her ability to identify each individual’s uniqueness and then arrange the variables in his or her life to map out a strategic direction. Susan’s work in career development stems from more than two decades in the career field including teaching graduate career counseling at the University of San Francisco.

Kathryn Dejong — M.A., N.C.

Nutrition Consultant Instructor

Kathryn holds an M.A. in education and a teaching credential from Sonoma State University. She retired from a thrilling teaching career in 2006, instructing adult education, elementary school, and preschool. After retiring, she pursued her passion for cooking and nutrition at Bauman College and completed both the nutrition consultant and natural chef training programs; she eventually began teaching affordable nutrition for Bauman College. Presently, she co-teaches in Petaluma and runs her own nutrition consultant practice. Kathryn is Board Certified in Holistic Nutrition®.

Karla Delong

Natural Chef Instructor

Chef Karla is a graduate of the Bauman College Natural Chef Training Program. She is the lead instructor at Mountain Feed and Farm Supply where she teaches food preservation and homesteading skills classes. She also works with The Farmer’s Guild, The Homeless Garden Project, Everyone’s Harvest, and Santa Cruz Re-skilling to promote healthy and sustainable food practices. She is also the president of the Santa Cruz Beekeeper’s Guild. Karla’s culinary passion is to inspire people to eat well and be happy by being a part of their local food community.

Karen Diggs — N.C.

Natural Chef Instructor

Chef Karen is a graduate of the California Culinary Academy and a certified nutrition consultant from Bauman College. She has worked in many aspects of the culinary world including cooking at the Mandarin Oriental Hotel in Hong Kong, opening and managing restaurants in Asia and the US, and working with celebrity chefs on many cooking shows on PBS. Karen now combines her love of cooking and knowledge of holistic nutrition through private consultations, cooking classes, and public lectures.
Diane Fischler — B.A., N.C.

**Nutrition Consultant Instructor + Administrator**

Diane is a Bauman College certified nutrition consultant and has a B.A. in anthropology from the State University of New York at Stony Brook. She has been a Bauman College faculty member since 2005 and a distance learning mentor since 2007. In that time, she has successfully ushered many enthusiastic students through the program. She also taught nutrition at Northern California Functional Restoration Program, a pain management clinic. Diane has a lifelong interest in health and wellness with an emphasis on stress reduction and cardiovascular health.

Thais Harris — B.A., N.C.

**Nutrition Consultant Instructor + Bauman Business Institute Mentor**

Thais holds a B.A. from the California Institute of Integral Studies, attended the University of Southern Santa Catarina’s International Relations program in Brazil, and is a certified nutrition consultant through Bauman College. She is the co-founder of Nourish Together, a nutrition and wellness private practice focusing on helping couples achieve optimal health. Thais also works as the nutrition education manager at Ceres Community Project, a nonprofit organization supporting primarily low-income people struggling with serious illnesses by providing free and home-delivered nourishing, organic, and locally produced meals; nutrition education; and the caring support of the community. As a business owner, Thais draws from her experience in graphic and web design, human resources management, and accounting.

Nori Hudson — M.S., N.C.

**Nutrition Consultant Instructor**

Nori holds a B.A. in English, an M.S. in business administration, is a Bauman College certified nutrition consultant, and is Board Certified in Holistic Nutrition®. She has instructed at Bauman College since 2002 and owns a private practice, Radiant Vitality, which focuses on health issues of children and the elderly. Nori teaches widely within her community at schools and seminars. She also introduced a nutrition course, Success!, into the minimum security dorm at San Quentin State Prison.

Katie Jasper — M.A.

**Bauman Business Institute Mentor**

Katie is a Holistic Nutritionist with a passion for creating awareness about nutrition and wellness with a focus on the role that whole, real food plays in our health and how we can use it to prevent and heal illness. She holds a masters degree in Holistic Health Studies and is the co-founder of Prescribe Nutrition, an online service that seeks to offer a revolutionary, on-demand approach to nutrition and wellness counseling. Katie and Prescribe Nutrition have been featured on HuffPost Live, CBS, numerous business journals, and were awarded an Innovation in Technology Award from NAWBO (National Association of Women Business Owners) in 2015.
Laura Knoff — B.S., N.C.

Nutrition Consultant Instructor
Laura holds a B.S. in chemistry from Florida Atlantic University and was a senior research associate in the Lipoprotein Group at Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory. Laura also worked as an electron microscopist from 1982 until 2000. She is a Bauman College certified nutrition consultant, a member of the National Association of Nutrition Professionals, and is Board Certified in Holistic Nutrition*. She is the author of *Veggiewoman’s Guide to Health; Gluten Free, Dairy Free, Sugar Free Eating*; and *The Whole Food Guide to Overcoming Irritable Bowel Syndrome*. Laura has a private practice at the Labrys Healthcare Circle in Oakland, CA.

Donna Morton — P.T., N.C.

Nutrition Consultant Instructor
Donna is a Bauman College certified holistic nutrition consultant and has been an orthopedic physical therapist since 1986. She was inspired to bring nutrition into her physical therapy practice to bridge a large gap in the conventional treatment of musculoskeletal pain and dysfunction. She is on the faculty at the Nyingma Institute in Berkeley where she has been teaching Tibetan yoga and meditation since 2002. She also facilitates group classes, retreats, and workshops in the areas of nutrition education, natural posture and movement training, meditation, and yoga. Her whole-person integrative approach employs modalities from east and west to guide and support individuals, groups, and communities toward realization of greater health, well-being, and sustainable living.

Stacee Novotny — B.S., H.F.S., N.C.

Nutrition Consultant Instructor
Stacee graduated from Colorado State University with a B.S. in human nutrition and dietetics in 1995. She is a certified nutrition consultant from Bauman College and an active member of the National Association of Nutrition Professionals. She holds certifications through The American College of Sports Medicine as a health and fitness specialist and cancer exercise trainer. Stacee has been in the nutrition and fitness industries since 1998 and has a private practice, S.N.A.C.K.S. for a Healthy Journey, where she consults with individuals on nutrition and fitness in their homes and in the outdoors.

Michelle Pinter-Petrillo — B.S.

Natural Chef Instructor
Michelle is a food educator with a B.S. in health promotion from American University and is completing the Nutritional Therapy Practitioner certification through the Nutritional Therapy Association. Michelle designed garden, nutrition, culinary, and food justice curricula for the Oakland Unified School District, where she earned the nickname, ”That Vegetable Lady”. She also teaches adult cooking classes, specializing in autoimmune wellness. In 2016, she launched That Vegetable Lady to continue educating women, families, and low-income communities about the healing power of food.
Diane Sanfilippo — B.S., N.C.
Bauman Business Institute Instructor
Diane is the owner and founder of Balanced Bites, a certified nutrition consultant, the New York Times bestselling author of *Practical Paleo* and *The 21-Day Sugar Detox*, the co-author of *Mediterranean Paleo Cooking*, a serial entrepreneur, and a business and marketing expert. Diane holds a B.S. from Syracuse University where she majored in consumer studies (a cross section of retail, marketing, and management). She also has certifications in graphic and digital design from The New School for Design, holistic nutrition consultation from Bauman College, holistic lifestyle coaching from the CHEK Institute, and Poliquin BioSignature Modulation.

Trudy Schafer — M.A.
Natural Chef Instructor
Chef Trudy brings a holistic healing approach to both home and professional kitchens. She runs a personal chef business, The Healing Hearth, where she specializes in preparing nourishing and appetizing cuisine for people healing from illnesses. She is the holistic chef at Alegria Community Living, where she works with the staff to cook nutrient-dense meals for the residents. She received her culinary training from Bauman College and her M.A. in holistic health with a specialization in holistic nutrition from John F. Kennedy University.

Irema Sivcevic — M.S.
Nutrition Consultant Instructor
Irema holds a Masters in Holistic Health and Nutrition Education from Hawthorn University and a Bachelors in Electrical Engineering from University of Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina. She has worked as an engineer for over twenty five years, but Irema’s passion for healthy food steered her towards the field of holistic nutrition. She has taught nutritional workshops and worked as a clinical nutritionist alongside functional and integrative medicine practitioners. Irema also maintains a private nutrition consulting practice, is Board Certified in Holistic Nutrition®, and is an Usui Shiki Ryoho Reiki Master.

Shaun Tai — M.A.
Bauman Business Institute Instructor
Shaun Tai is the executive director of Oakland Digital, an award-winning 501(c)(3) community-building design studio in Oakland, CA, that enhances technological literacy among underserved, minority, and at-risk populations. Oakland Digital's programs provide digital literacy training, career-related resources/training, and employment opportunities that enable Oakland and East Bay residents to achieve economic independence, opportunity, and self-sufficiency. He has taught at San Jose State University, where he received an M.A. in architectural and urban design and a B.S. in advertising management. In 2002, Shaun graduated with honors from California State University East Bay with a B.A. in digital graphics. Now on its seventh operating year, Oakland Digital has directly impacted the lives of over 4,000 under-resourced Oakland and East Bay community college students, female entrepreneurs, and at-risk youth, boosting the local economy by $3.2 million and providing opportunities for 21st century employment.
Julie Thenell — M.S., N.C.

Nutrition Consultant Instructor

Julie received her undergraduate and graduate degrees in education from the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh, her nutrition consultant certification from Bauman College in 2014, and is Board Certified in Holistic Nutrition®. Since graduating from Bauman College, she has maintained a private nutrition consulting practice, JTC Nutrition, helping individuals regain control of their health during periods of high stress and transition. Julie enjoys her work as a student mentor and currently serves on the board of the National Association of Nutrition Professionals (NANP).

Sascha Weiss

Natural Chef Instructor

Chef Sascha attended the Natural Gourmet Institute in New York City. He worked as the executive pastry chef at Millennium in San Francisco, a vegan fine dining restaurant, and contributed to their first cookbook. He was the founding chef and culinary director for The Plant Cafe Organic in San Francisco for over ten years, sous chef at the Ravens in Mendocino, private chef at Lucasfilm, and owned and operated Urban Kitchen, a natural foods catering company in Berkeley, CA. His recipes have been featured in numerous publications, and he is currently the director of product development and R&D at Project Juice.

FRANCES WILSON — B.ED.

Natural Chef Instructor

A native of Dublin, Ireland, Frances graduated with a Bachelor of Education from Trinity College, Dublin. Her professional career started as a high school teacher of home economics. Having studied to be a chef at the Dublin College of Catering, she moved to California in 1990, where she worked as the executive chef at Lalime’s Restaurant in Berkeley. Since then, she has continued to combine her love of teaching and cooking. She taught cooking classes at a chateau in the South of France and worked as a private chef, a caterer, and a consultant for restaurants; she also taught the professional culinary program at Tante Marie’s Cooking School in San Francisco for ten years. She loves to demystify cooking and give people the tools to make healthy, delicious food.

Denise Woodward

Bauman Business Institute Instructor

Denise began taking photos when her grandmother gave her a camera at the age of 5, and she never stopped shooting. She studied photography with an emphasis on black and white film production at the College of Marin in the 1990s. After starting her food blog, Chez Us, she started to focus on food and travel photography. Her food photography has appeared in Gourmet Live, Food and Wine Magazine, Saveur Magazine, and Rodale’s Organic Life. She is also a co-founder of a boutique webcasting/video production company, FullView Media, located in the Bay Area. When not working, she enjoys cooking, spending time outdoors, and teaching photography and video production at Learn to Shoot Food.
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