

Course Program

Monday: March 18th

8.30h	Welcome and Introductions
9.00h	Product classifications
	Product samples discussion
10.00h	Coffee Break
10.15h	The concept of Shelf life and deteriotion mechanisms
12.30h	Lunch
13.30h	Practical session, consisting of:
	✓ measurements of pH, Aw and moisture
	✓ formulation and correction
	✓ first formulation changes
17.00h	Result discussion

Tuesday: March 19th

8.30h	Internal shelf life factors - Ingredients
10.00h	Coffee break
10.15h	Internal shelf life factors - continued
12.30h	Lunch
13.30h	Practical session:
17.00h	Result discussion

Wednesday: March 20th

8.30h	Shelf life theory session – Formulation & Prediction
10.15h	Coffee Break
10.30h	Shelf life theory session – Hygiene & Sanitation
11.30h	Practice part 1: Example with how to create a model in shelf life
	calculations
12.30h	Lunch
13.30h	Practical session
17.00h	Result discussion

Thursday: March 21th

8.30h	Shelf life theory session – Texture and Controls
10.15h	Coffee Break
10.30h	Shelf life theory session – Packaging
12.45h	Lunch
13.30h	Practical session
17.00h	Result discussion

Friday: March 22th

8.30h	Shelf life theory session – Review
10.15h	Coffee Break
10.30h	Practical session
12.30h	Lunch
13.30h	Practical session
16.00h	Result discussion
17.00h	End of course



