Study program: Integrated academic studies of pharmacy

Type and level of the study program: integrated academic studies

Course title: Selected biologically active food ingredients (PhV-SBAFI)

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Course status: elective ECTS Credits: 3

Condition: -

Course aim

Main goal of Selected Biologically Active Food Ingredients course is introduction to sustainable sources of bilogically active compounds, their isolation and incorporation in added value food products. Learning about innovatives procedures for isolation of biologically active compounds (e.g. phenilocs, lipids) form sustainable and new sources such as food industry by-products and waste (e.g. grape and olive pomace), marine products (algae) and other. Appplication of 'green' (ecologically suitable) extraction methods as well as innovative new techniques for identification of biologically active compounds.

Acknowledge the relation and interaction between biologically active ingredients, gut microbiome from phramacological-immune aspect targeting the benefititial health effects.

Knowledge accquering related to the design of added-value food products by incorporation of biologically active compounds from sustainable sources. Development of critical judgment and ability for work in science research studies.

Expected outcome of the course

Student learns about appropriate selection and applications of new sustainable sources of biologically active compounds. Overview of potential beneficial health effects. Knowledge related to application of procedures for biologically active compounds encapsulation in order to preserve their stability and activity, as well as to incorporation in food products matix.

Student learns about applications and selection of appropriate method in analysis of real samples. Techiques and stages in analysis of natural products. Regulatory rules. Different approaches to the analysis concerning different characteristics of products and their active ingredients. Estimation of errors and statistical analysis. Sample preparation.

Course description

Theoretical education

Sustainable and new sources of biologically active compounds. "Green" (ecologically acceptable) extraction methods. Contemporary techniques of biologically active compounds identification. Interaction between gut microbiome and biologically active food ingredients. Pharmacological-immune mechanisms. Added value food products design, technological approach.

Practical education: exercises, other forms of education, research related activities

Workshops – presentations and discussion of selected examples related to course topics (e.g. sustainable sources of biologically active compounds, extraction methods, new added value food products design) based on available scientific information.

Preparation, presentation and defense of seminar work (selected topic).

Literature

- 1. Nutraceutical and Functional Food Components: Effects of Innovative Processing Techniques, Editor: C.M. Galanakis Elsevier, Academic press, 2017, ISBN 9780128052570
- 2. Probiotics, prebiotics, symbiotics 'new therapeutic applications options' 2005. ISBN 86-7120-043-4
- 3. Innovation Strategy in the Food Industry, Elsevier, Academic press, 2016. ISBN 9780128037515

Number of active	Other:			
Lectures: 30	Practice: 15	Other types of teaching:	Research related activities:	

Teaching methods

Lectures. Essay. Practical classes-workshops.

Student activity assessment (maximally 100 points)					
Pre-exam activities	points	Final exam	points		
Lectures	10	Written	-		
Practices	10	Oral	60		
Colloquium	-				
Essay	20				