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FACULTY AND STAFF

ADMINISTRATION

Marcus McMellon

Campus President

AESCA Campus President Since: 2014

Years in Industry: 20

Education: B.B.A., Accounting, The University of Texas – Austin, TX

Professional Background:

Chief Financial Officer, Education Futures Group, LLC. – Richardson, TX President, Sanford-Brown College – Dallas TX Vice President of Finance – Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts – Austin TX

Member:

Disciples d'Escoffier International Board Member – Career Colleges and Schools of Texas Board Member – High School BBQ, Inc.

David R. Norris Senior Director of Admissions

Education:

B.B.A., Management - American InterContinental University, Hoffman Estates, IL M.B.A., Management - American InterContinental University, Hoffman Estates, IL M.B.A., Accounting and Finance - American InterContinental University, Hoffman Estates, IL

Professional Background:

Vice President of Admissions, Career Education Corporation – Los Angeles, CA Campus Director of Admissions, Career Education Corporation – Chicago, IL Campus Director of Admissions, Colorado Technical University – Hoffman Estates, IL Senior Admissions Advisor, Colorado Technical University – Hoffman Estates, IL

Mark Walker

Director of High School Recruiting

Education:

B.S.-Social Science-University of Houston, Houston, TX

Professional Background:

Regional Director of Admissions, Wyotech/Zenith Education Group, Minneapolis, MN Regional Vice President of Admissions, Everest Institute, Texas Region Director of High School Admissions-Redstone College, Denver, CO

Shannon Jacobs

Student Services Coordinator and ADA Coordinator

Education:

MS-Applied Sociology-Texas State University, San Marcos, TX BS-Sociology-Lamar University, Beaumont, TX BA-Applied Arts and Sciences- Lamar University, Beaumont, TX

Professional Background:

Graduate Research Assistant-Career Events-Texas State University, San Marcos, TX Board of Trustees-Unity of Southeast Texas, Beaumont, TX Treasure, Board of Trustees-Unity of Southeast Texas, Beaumont, TX

Shelly Farley

Registrar

Education:

MSL-Leadership-Southwestern College, Winfield KS

Professional Background:

Registrar- ITT Technical Institute- Wichita, KS Office Manager- Helena Chemical- Port Lavaca, TX Customer Service Manager- CorsiTech- Houston, TX

Mary Reardon

Director of Business Operations

Education B.B.A., Business Administration – University of Texas - Austin, TX

Professional Background

Business Operations Manager, Sanford Brown College – Austin, TX FinanceManager, Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts – Austin, TX

Christian Rodriguez

Associate Director of Admissions

Education

Executive M.B.A., Business Administration - Colorado Technical University, Colorado Springs, CO

Professional Background

Senior Admissions Representative, Southern Technical College, Sanford, FL Senior Admissions Representative, International Academy of Design & Technology, Orlando, FL Senior Military Representative, Colorado Technical University Online, Hoffman Estates, IL

Terry Bargas

Director of Student Finance

Education: Master of Business Administration, Colorado Technical University Bachelor's Degree in Technical Management, DeVry University

Professional Background: Director of Financial Services, Art Institute of Colorado, Denver, CO Director of Financial Aid, Heritage College Director of Financial Aid, Lincoln College of Technology Director of Financial Aid, Colorado Technical University Director of Financial Aid, DeVry University Director of Financial Aid, Denver Technical College, Denver, CO

Steve Stramler

Associate Director of Financial Aid

Education: B.A. – Concordia Lutheran College, Austin, TX

Professional Background

Student Loan Specialist, Legal Zoom – Austin, TX Manager of Financial Aid, College of Health Care Professions – Austin, TX Director of Financial Aid, Virginia College – Austin, TX

FACULTY

Chef Robyn McArthur

Executive Chef

AESCA Executive Chef Since: 2013

Years in Industry: 36

Education:

B.A., University of Arkansas -- Little Rock, AR A.O.S., Culinary Arts, Johnson & Wales University -- Charleston,SC Certificate in Patisserie, Lenotre – Plasir, France

Professional Background

Owner/Chef, Caraway Café – Savannah, GA Chef de Cuisine, City Grill – Atlanta, GA Roundsman/Lead Cook, Charleston Grill – Charleston, SC Lead Line Cook, Spaule Restaurant – Little Rock, AR Owner/Operator, Java Junction – Little Rock, AR

Member:

Disciples d'Escoffier International Slow Food USA Sheldrick Wildlife Trust Austin Food and Wine Alliance Career and Community Leaders of America(FCCLA) Clinton Foundation Advisory Board, Federal Correctional Institution

Chef Tammie Barnhill

Lead Chef Instructor (Pastry)

AESCA Instructor Since: 2011

Years in Industry: 28

Education: Professional Culinary Arts Diploma, Auguste Escoffier School of Culinary Arts

Professional Background:

Owner, Cake Artistry, established in 2002 – Midland, TX Pastry Chef, Jaspers Restaurant – Austin, TX

Chef Stephen J. Rafferty, CEC

Lead Chef Instructor (Culinary)

AESCA Instructor Since: 2002

Years in Industry: 36

Education: A.O.S., Culinary Arts, The Culinary Institute of America – Hyde Park, NY

Professional Background:

Owner/Catering Chef, Yellow Submarine Foods -- Austin, TXR & D Chef, Sun Mountain Foods -- Manor, TX, Chef Consultant, Canyon of the Eagles Resort -- Burnet, TX, Executive Chef, The Oasis Restaurant -- Austin, TX, P.M. Chef, The Beverly Pavilion Hotel -- Beverly Hills, CA

Member:

American Culinary Federation Disciples d'Escoffier International

Chef Gary Ackerman, CEC, FMP

Chef Instructor (Culinary) AESCA

Instructor Since: 2015

Years in Industry: 31

Education:

Certificate in Escoffier Online Culinary Arts Fundamentals, Auguste Escoffier School of Culinary Arts – Boulder, CO A.A.S., Culinary Arts, Auguste Escoffier School of Culinary Arts – Austin, TX

Professional Background:

Chef/Dining Services Director, Silverado Senior Care – Bee Cave, TX Chef Instructor, Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts – Austin, TX Chef/Owner, Gary O's – Bulverde, TX Chef, Emily Morgan Hotel at the Alamo – San Antonio, TX Executive Chef, Cappy's Restaurant – San Antonio, TX Executive Sous Chef, La Provence – San Antonio, TX Sous Chef, La Mansion del Rio – San Antonio, TXChef, Special Affairs Catering – San Antonio, TX

Member:

American Culinary Federation

Chef Cara Anam, CEPC, FMP

Chef Instructor (Pastry) AESCA

Instructor Since: 2017

Years in Industry: 29

Education: A.A.S., University of Southern New Hampshire

Professional Background:

Chef Instructor, Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts - Austin, TX Corporate Pastry Chef, Wolfgang Puck's Cafes - Hollywood, CA Co-Pastry Chef, Granita Restaurant – Malibu, CA Assistant Pastry Chef, Mansion on Turtle Creek – Dallas, TX

Member: American Culinary Federation

Chef Clif Dickerson, CEC

Chef Instructor (Culinary) AESCA

Instructor Since: 2016

Years in Industry: 23

Education: A.O.S., Culinary Arts, The Culinary Institute of America – Hyde Park, NY

Professional Background:

Chef Instructor, Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts – Austin, TX Culinary Arts Instructor, Del-Valle Independent School District – Austin, TX Executive Chef, Sodexho / Marriott – Austin, TX Banquet Sous, Omni Hotel – Austin, TX Head Banquets Chef, Headliners Club – Austin, TX Line Chef, The Mansion on Turtle Creek – Dallas, TX

Member: American Culinary Federation

Chef Brian Felicella

Chef Instructor (Culinary)

AESCA Instructor Since: 2021

Years in Industry: 14

Education:

Certificate, Le Cordon Bleu Culinary Arts, Le Cordon Bleu School of Culinary Arts, Austin, TX Certificate, Le Cordon Bleu Patisserie and Baking, Le Cordon Bleu School of Culinary Arts, Austin, TX Bachelor of Arts, Communication, Curry College, Milton, MA

Professional Background:

Sous Chef, Swedish Hill – Austin, TX Executive Chef, Colleen's Kitchen – Austin, TX Sous Chef/ Chef de Cuisine, Second Bar and Kitchen -La Corsha Hospitality Group – Austin, TX Tournant, Congress Austin-La Corsha Hospitality Group – Austin, TX Heart of the House-Pantry and Cold, Capital Grille Plano – Plano, TX Pastry Chef, Sodexo – Dallas, TX Line Cook and Pastry Cook, Stephan Pyles – Dallas, TX Kitchen Manager/ Caterer, Lee Harvey's – Dallas, TX

Chef Michelle Arcilla Hall

Chef Instructor (Pastry)

AESCA Instructor Since: 2020

Years in Industry: 20 years

Education:

A.O.S., Culinary Arts, California School of Culinary Arts Le Cordon Bleu

Professional Background:

Chef Intructor - Auguste Escoffier School of Culinary Arts - Austin, TX Corporate Pastry Chef - La Corsha Hospitality Group - Austin, TX/ Salado TX Executive Pastry Chef of: Archer Hotel and Second Bar + Kitchen Domain Northside, ABIA Second Bar + Kitchen, Stage Coach Inn, Downtown Second Bar + Kitchen, Congress Austin Restaurant Executive Pastry Chef - Jeffrey's and Josephine House Restaurant - Austin, TX Assistant Pastry Chef - Spago Restaurant - Wailea, HI Assistant Pastry Chef - Quince & Cotogna - San Francisco, CA Lead Pastry Prep Cook - Campton Place - San Francisco, CA Lead Pastry Cook - Masas - San Francisco, CA Pastry Line Cook - Michael Mina - San Francisco, Ca Regional Bakery Operations Manager - Beard Papa Sweets Café - San Francisco, CA Lead Pastry Cook - Napa Valley Grille- Westwood, CA

MEMBER OF:

First featured Chef of Dish'n Dames, October2018 Austin Chaine des Rotisseurs Texas Women in Business

Felix Lujan Instructor

AESCA Instructor Since: 2016

Years in Industry: 12

Education:

B.A., Organizational Communication St. Edward's University, Austin TX,

Professional Background:

Dining Services Director, The Terraces at Bonita Springs, Bonita Springs, FL Dining Room Manager, Querencia at Barton Creek Senior Living Community, Austin, TX Assistant Clubhouse Manager, Barton Creek Resort and Spa Austin, TX

Chef Emily Maddy

Chef Instructor (Culinary)

AESCA Instructor Since: 2019

Years in Industry: 22

Education:

A.A.S, Culinary Arts, Auguste Escoffier School of Culinary Arts, Austin, TX Diploma in Culinary Arts, Western Culinary Institute, Portland, OR

Professional Background:

Chef de Cuisine, Boiler Nine, Austin, TX Pastry Chef, Micheal's Genuine Food and Drink, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands Chef de Cuisine, Stoneleigh Hotel, Dallas, TX Sous Chef, Driskill Hotel, Austin, TX

Chef Scott Moore Chef Instructor (Culinary) AESCA

Instructor Since: 2017

Years in Industry: 17

Education: A.A.S, Culinary Arts, Texas Culinary Academy – Austin, TX

Professional Background:

Kitchen Supervisor, Eurest – Austin, TX Banquet Chef, Archer Hotel – Austin, TX Executive Chef, Intercontinental Steven F. Austin Hotel – Austin, TX Private Chef, Private Family – West Lake Hills, TX Fine Dining Chef / Banquet Chef / AM Sous Chef, AT&T Center at UT – Austin, TX Line Cook, Driskill Hotel – Austin, TX

Member: American Culinary Federation

Chef Miguel Olmedo Chef Instructor (Culinary) AESCA

Instructor Since: 2016

Years in Industry: 34

Education:

A.O.S., Culinary Arts, The Culinary Institute of America – Hyde Park, NY

Professional Background:

Executive Chef, Lakeway Resort and Spa – Austin, TX Executive Chef, Provident Crossings – Round Rock, TX Executive Chef, Midwest Regional Hospital/Morrison Healthcare, Oklahoma City, OK Executive Chef, Langston University/Sodexo, Langston OK Executive Chef, Embassy Suites, Norman, OK Executive Sous Chef, Chateau on the Lake Branson, Branson, MO Executive Chef, Lakeway Inn Conference and Resort, Austin, TX Sous Chef, Tarrytown House, Tarrytown, NY

Member:

American Culinary Federation Texas Capital Chef's Association

Chef Jacquelyn B. Parchman, CWPC, FMP

Chef Instructor (Pastry) AESCA

Instructor Since: 2014

Years in Industry: 20

Education: A.A.S., Food/Beverage Management, Le Chef – Austin, TX

Professional Background:

Production Manager, New World Bakery – Kyle, TX Chef Instructor, Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts – Austin, TX Pastry Chef, Marriott International – Austin, TX Assistant Pastry Chef, Lakeway Inn Resort & Conference Center – Austin TX

Member: American Culinary Federation

Chef Justin Richardson Chef Instructor (Culinary) AESCA

Instructor Since: 2019

Years in Industry: 15

Education: Texas Culinary Academy-Austin, TX **Professional Background:** Executive Chef, Treaty Oak Dripping Springs TX Chef, Hanzo, San Antonio TX Executive Chef, Brigid/Francis Bogside San Antonio TX Airborne Infantry U.S.Army Chef, Sandbar, San Antonio TX Sous Chef, The Driskill Hotel Austin TX

Chef Eric Scholtes

Chef Instructor (Culinary)

AESCA Instructor Since: 2021

Years in Industry: 20

Education: AAS in Culinary Arts Texas Culinary Academy

Professional Background:

Executive Chef, Aramark 3M Center – Austin, TX Banquet Chef, Avery Ranch & Teravista – Round Rock, TX Executive Chef, Sunshine Retirement – Austin, TX Banquet Chef, Spicewood Grill Manager – Balcones Country Club, Austin, TX Head Chef, Forest Creek Golf Club – Round Rock, TX Prep/Lead Expo, Oasis Cantina del Lago – Austin, TX

INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

The Auguste Escoffier School of Culinary Arts is dedicated to excellence and tradition in culinary education. We encourage faculty and staff to continue learning and participate in activities that improve the quality of AESCA offerings.

ADVISORY BOARD

A team of industry professionals makes up the Auguste Escoffier School of Culinary Arts' advisory committee. Due to the specific scope of the School, the AESCA Advisory Board members serve as both occupational and institutional advisors. In addition to providing review and input on curriculum, they oversee the School's policies and procedures to ensure that we meet the changing needs of this dynamic industry.

| First Name | Last Name | Position | Committee | GeographicRegion |
|------------|-------------|--|-------------------|----------------------------|
| Marcus | McMellon | Campus President | Culinary & Pastry | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Robyn | McArthur | Executive Chef | Culinary & Pastry | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Shelly | Farley | Registrar | Culinary & Pastry | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Jennifer | Bartos | Retail Owner: All- in-One Bake Shops | Pastry | Austin, TX - CentralTexas |
| Randy | Bartos | Retail Owner: All- in-One Bake Shops | Pastry | Austin, TX - CentralTexas |
| Chad | Blunston | Executive Director of Culinary, Kalahari Resorts and Conventions | Culinary & Pastry | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Scott | Calvert | Owner / Executive Chef, The Cake Plate | Pastry | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Jaime | Chozet | Corporate Executive Chef, Iron Cactus Group | Culinary | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Kitty | Crider | Retired Food Writer | Culinary | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Emily | Jimenez | High School Culinary Educator, Eastview High School | Culinary | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Keith | Morrison | Culinary Associate Director, University of Texas | Culinary | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Eileen | Niswander | Owner, Yegua Creek Farms | Culinary | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Gene | Niswander | Owner, Yegua Creek Farms | Culinary | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Lori | Schneider | Chief Cupcake Officer, The Cupcake Bar | Pastry | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Eric | Silverstein | Owner, The Peached Tortilla | Culinary | Austin, TX - Central Texas |
| Pascal | Simon | Owner, Pastry Chef at Bake Austin | Pastry | Austin, TX - Central Texas |

ADVISORY BOARD

PROGRAM SCHEDULES

Note that for all programs, on-campus courses meet Monday – Friday except as noted otherwise. The schedule for the externship courses will be determined with the externshipproperty and the student as part of the externship agreement. The Anticipated Externship Start Dates and Anticipated Program Completion Dates may change based on the schedule of course offerings and the need for a student to retake a course.

DIPLOMA PROGRAMS: CULINARY ARTS AND PASTRY ARTS* (30 weeks/760 clock hours/44 quarter credit hours)

| 2022 Program Start Date | Anticipated Externship Start Date | Anticipated Program Completion Date |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| January 3, 2022 | July 5, 2022 | August 12, 2022 |
| February 14, 2022 | August 15, 2022 | September 23, 2022 |
| April 4, 2022 | September 26, 2022 | November 3, 2022 |
| May 16, 2022 | November 7, 2022 | December 16, 2022 |
| July 5, 2022 | January 9, 2023 | February 17, 2023 |
| August 15, 2022 | February 20, 2023 | March 30, 2023 |
| September 26, 2022 | April 10, 2023 | May 18, 2023 |
| November 7, 2022 | May 22, 2023 | June 30, 2023 |

| 2023 Program Start Date | Anticipated Externship Start Date | Anticipated Program Completion Date |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| January 9, 2023 | July 10, 2023 | August 17, 2023 |
| February 20, 2023 | August 21, 2023 | September 29, 2023 |
| April 10, 2023 | October 2, 2023 | November 9, 2023 |
| May 22, 2023 | November 13, 2023 | December 22, 2023 |
| July 10, 2023 | January 8, 2024 | February 16, 2024 |
| August 21, 2023 | February 19, 2024 | March 29, 2024 |
| October 2, 2023 | April 8, 2024 | May 16, 2024 |
| November 13, 2023 | May 20, 2024 | June 28, 2024 |

Note that both Culinary Arts and Pastry Arts programs may not be offered on all of the listed program start dates. More information can be obtained from Admissions.

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE PROGRAMS: CULINARY ARTS AND PASTRY ARTS* (60 weeks/1340 clock hours/90 quarter credit hours)

| 2022 Program Start Date | Anticipated Externship Start Date | Anticipated Program Completion Date |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| January 3, 2022 | January 9, 2023 | March 30, 2023 |
| February 14, 2022 | February 20, 2023 | May 18, 2023 |
| April 4, 2022 | April 10, 2023 | June 30, 2023 |
| May 16, 2022 | May 22, 2023 | August 17, 2023 |
| July 5, 2022 | July 10, 2023 | September 29, 2023 |
| August 15, 2022 | August 21, 2023 | November 9, 2023 |
| September 26, 2022 | October 2, 2023 | December 22, 2023 |

| 2023 Program Start Date | Anticipated Externship Start Date | Anticipated Program Completion Date |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| January 9, 2023 | January 8, 2024 | March 29, 2024 |
| February 20, 2023 | February 19, 2024 | May 16, 2024 |
| April 10, 2023 | April 8, 2024 | June 28, 2024 |
| May 22, 2023 | May 20, 2024 | August 15, 2024 |
| July 10, 2023 | July 8, 2024 | September 27, 2024 |
| August 21, 2023 | August 19, 2024 | November 7, 2024 |
| October 2, 2023 | September 30, 2024 | December 20, 2024 |
| November 13, 2023 | November 11, 2024 | February 14, 2025 |

* Note that both Culinary Arts and Pastry Arts programs may not be offered on all of the listed program start dates. More information can be obtained from Admissions.

PROGRAM LAB SESSIONS/HOURS

| Sessions | Start Time | End Time |
|--------------------|------------|------------------|
| Morning Session | 6:00 a.m. | 11:00 p.m. (M-F) |
| Midmorning Session | 10:00 a.m. | 3:00 p.m. (M-F) |
| Afternoon Session | 2:00 p.m. | 7:00 p.m. (M-F) |
| Evening Session | 6:00 p.m. | 11:00 p.m. (M-F) |

Each Session listed above is comprised of one to two classes for which there is a 10-minute break for each 50 minutes of instruction (class time). Class duration varies by course. Schedules are subject to change depending on availability and enrollment.

PROGRAM INFORMATION AND PRICING

| Program | Tuition | Application Fee* | Uniform | Tool Kit | Coursepacks | Total Program Cost |
|--|-------------|---------------------|----------|----------|-------------|--------------------------|
| Culinary Arts Diploma (760 Clock Hours; 44 Quarter Credits) | \$20,416.00 | \$25.00 | \$150.00 | \$300.00 | - | \$20,891.00 |
| Associate of Applied Science Degree in Culinary Arts (1340 Clock Hours; 90 Quarter Credits) | \$35,010.00 | \$25.00 | \$150.00 | \$300.00 | \$200.00 | \$35,685.00 |
| Pastry Arts Diploma (760 Clock Hours; 44 Quarter Credits) | \$20,416.00 | \$25.00 | \$150.00 | \$300.00 | - | \$20,891.00 |
| Associate of Applied Science Degree in Pastry Arts (1340 Clock Hours; 90 Quarter Credits) | \$35,010.00 | \$25.00 | \$150.00 | \$300.00 | \$200.00 | \$35,685.00 |

ADDITIONAL COSTS AND FEES

Additional fees may apply for make-up or class retakes, as follows:

| Туре | Fee |
|---|----------------------|
| Course Retake** (All Courses) | \$750.00 per attempt |
| International Student Documentation Fee | \$300.00 |

**Students must sign appropriate paperwork prior to retaking classes and all fees listed above must bepaid to the Business office.

TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS

Academic Transcripts are fulfilled through Parchment, a leading company in secure transcript fulfillment. There is a \$4.00 fee for requesting an official academic transcript through Parchment. An additional \$2.50 charge will apply to transcript orders that are requested to be mailed as hard copies, or an additional fee of \$25 will be charged to have hard copies of transcripts sent overnight. Transcript requests through Parchment will be processed within one business day. To request an official transcript, please source the Parchment link in your student portal or contact the Registrar's Office. AESCA does not hold transcripts or credential documents due to a student's debt owed to the school.

TEXTBOOKS

Students electing to purchase textbooks at an additional cost from the institution will sign a separate textbook purchase agreement prior to matriculating into the program. For degree programs, Coursepacks will be accessible in the Online Campus for individual scheduled courses.

* APPLICATION FEE WAIVERS

Presidential Application Fee Waiver

The \$25.00 application may be waived for students who apply for and are granted the Presidential Application Fee Waiver. To apply, students must write a 150-word essay explaining why they want to graduate from our Culinary or Pastry program and how they intend to use their Auguste Escoffier credential to fulfill their academic and career goals.

Military Application Fee Waiver

Application Fee Waivers are available for those Active and Honorably Discharged Military Personnel, spouse or child of Active or Honorably Discharged personnel.

High School-Issued Waiver

High school-issued Application Fee Waivers, where applicable.

Previously Attending Students

Application Fee Waivers are available for students previously attending another Escoffier school or Escoffier program.

TEXTBOOKS

Required textbooks must be purchased prior to the start of any course. Students may elect to purchase books from the institution after admission for an additional cost. Current textbooks and associated costs are included in the table below.

| Book Information | Cost | Diploma Programs | | AAS Programs | |
|---|-------|---------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|
| | COSt | Culinary Arts | Pastry Arts | Culinary Arts | Pastry Arts |
| State Food Safety Food Manager Certification | \$120 | V | ~ | \checkmark | ✓ |
| Gisslen, Professional Cooking. 9 th Edition. Wiley, 2018.ISBN: 9781119399612 | \$180 | ~ | | ~ | |
| Gisslen, Professional Baking. 7 th Edition. Wiley, 2016. ISBN# 9781119373179 | \$180 | | ~ | | ✓ |
| Miller. College Algebra Essentials w/ ALEKS 360, 1 st Edition. McGraw Hill. 2014. ISBN# 9781260034141 [*] [*] Offers 6-wks of ALEKS for the 6-wk course: ISBN 9781259562174 available commercially offers a longer ALEKS subscription | \$130 | | | ~ | ~ |
| National Restaurant Association, Nutrition. 2 nd Edition. National Restaurant Association. 2013. ISBN# 9780132181631. | \$70 | | | ~ | ~ |

Optional Technology Purchase:

Students in need of a computer for school purposes are encouraged to source devices at online retailers, at "big box" retailers and local retail stores, to acquire a laptop or desktop computer compatible with the technology requirements listed in the school catalog.

For students not able to purchase or finance a computer through a retailer, Auguste Escoffier offers an option to purchase a Chromebook. Students seeking to purchase a Chromebook are advised to contact their financial aid representative to review payment options and personal payment plans. AESCA's financial aid office is available to answer any questions regarding funding a Chromebook. There is a twenty-five-dollar (\$25) deposit required towards the total purchase price of \$250.

The Chromebook is compatible with the technology requirements listed in the school catalog and will beshipped directly to the student.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

2022 ACADEMIC PERIOD SCHEDULE

| Block/Quarter Start | Block End | Quarter End |
|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| January 3, 2022 | February 11, 2022 | March 24, 2022 |
| February 14, 2022 | March 24, 2022 | May 12, 2022 |
| April 4, 2022 | May 12, 2022 | June 24, 2022 |
| May 16, 2022* | June 24, 2022 | August 12, 2022 |
| July 5, 2022 | August 12, 2022 | September 23, 2022 |
| August 15, 2022 | September 23, 2022 | November 3, 2022 |
| September 26, 2022 | November 3, 2022 | December 16, 2022 |
| November 7, 2022** | December 16, 2022 | February 17, 2023 |

* Block includes a required Saturday class on June 4, 2022
** Block includes a required Saturday class on November 12, 2022

2023 ACADEMIC PERIOD SCHEDULE

| Block/Quarter Start | Block End | Quarter End |
|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| January 9, 2023 | February 17, 2023 | March 30, 2023 |
| February 20, 2023 | March 30, 2023 | May 18, 2023 |
| April 10, 2023 | May 18, 2023 | June 30, 2023 |
| May 22, 2023* | June 30, 2023 | August 17, 2023 |
| July 10, 2023 | August 17, 2023 | September 29, 2023 |
| August 21, 2023 | September 29, 2023 | November 9, 2023 |
| October 2, 2023 | November 9, 2023 | December 22, 2023 |
| November 13, 2023** | December 21, 2023 | TBD |

* Block includes a required Saturday class on June 3, 2023

** Block includes a required Saturday class on November 18, 2023

2022 CAMPUS BREAK SCHEDULE

Holiday - Martin Luther King Jr No Classes (Faculty In-Service) Spring Break No Classes (Faculty In-Service) Holiday - Memorial Day Holiday – Juneteenth (Observed) Summer Break Holiday - Labor Day No Classes (Faculty In-Service) Holiday - Thanksgiving Winter Break

January 17, 2022 March 25, 2022 March 26 - April 3, 2022 May 13, 2022 May 30, 2022 June 20, 2022 June 25 - July 4, 2022 September 5, 2022 November 4, 2022 November 4, 2022 December 19, 2022 - January 8, 2023

The holiday schedule may not be observed for students in Industry Externship courses. Contact Director of Career Services or Registrar for information

2023 CAMPUS BREAK SCHEDULE

Holiday - Martin Luther King Jr ** No Classes (Faculty In-Service) Spring Break No Classes (Faculty In-Service) Holiday - Memorial Day ** Holiday-Juneteenth Summer Break No Classes (Faculty In-Service) Holiday - Labor Day ** No Classes (Faculty In-Service) Holiday - Thanksgiving ** Winter Break January 16, 2023 March 31, 2023 April 1 -April 9, 2023 May 19, 2023 May 29, 2023 June 19, 2023 July 1 – July 9, 2023 August 18, 2023 September 4, 2023 November 10, 2023 November 23 - 24, 2023 December 23, 2023 – January 7, 2024

The holiday schedule may not be observed for students in Industry Externship courses. Contact the Director of Career Services or Registrar for information.

TRUE AND CORRECT STATEMENT

The information contained in this Catalog is True and Correct to the best of my knowledge.

Marcurk Mi Mellon

Signature of Authorized School Official

Marcus McMellon Campus President & Chief Administrator