ASIAN CULINARY INSTITUTE (ACI) OF SINGAPORE

The Asian Culinary Institute of Singapore (ACI) is a joint collaboration between the Singapore Workforce Development Agency (WDA) and NYP. ACI has been appointed by WDA as the Anchor Provider for the Food & Beverage Services industry and is the Programme Manager for the SkillsFuture Earn and Learn Programme. ACI aims to build a pipeline of local chefs for Asian cuisines, strengthen continual professional development for existing workers and facilitate innovation and productivity enhancement through applied Research & Development. ACI’s vision is to be a Centre of Excellence in the Food & Beverage Services industry and its mission is to provide quality training to help professionalise Singapore’s Food & Beverage Services industry and support enterprises in their journey towards productivity enhancement and business transformation.

SKILLSFUTURE EARN AND LEARN PROGRAMME (ELP)

- WSQ Diploma in Culinary Operations for ITE graduates
- WSQ Specialist Diploma in Culinary Management for Polytechnic graduates

WORKFORCE SKILLS QUALIFICATIONS (WSQ)

- WSQ Certificate in Culinary Arts (Asian Cuisine)
- WSQ Higher Certificate in Culinary Arts (Asian Cuisine)
- WSQ Advanced Certificate in Culinary Arts (Asian Cuisine)
- WSQ Diploma in Culinary Arts (Asian Cuisine)
- WSQ Specialist Diploma in Food & Culinary Science

SHORT COURSES

- WSQ Follow Food & Beverage Safety and Hygiene Policies and Procedures
- WSQ Follow Food & Beverage Safety and Hygiene Policies and Procedures (Refresher)
- WSQ Follow Food & Beverage Safety and Hygiene Policies and Procedures (AOP)
- WSQ Modular Courses in Culinary Arts
- Mentoring for Effective ELP Implementation

CUSTOMISED COURSES

ACI offers customised courses in areas such as culinary-based team bonding, culinary training, service excellence and supervisory training. Our consultants will be able to advise you on the programmes that best suit your needs.

CAREER PLACEMENT SERVICES

ACI provides career guidance for individuals seeking a career in the F&B industry as well as for those who are considering a career move into the F&B industry. This includes facilitating placements for individuals trained by ACI, so that they can gain employment in the industry after training.

CONSULTANCY SERVICES

As an Anchor Provider, ACI is committed to support sectoral transformation by working with enterprises in areas such as food technology, food science and food production, which will in turn, generate high impact outcomes in terms of manpower optimisation, process or productivity improvements.

RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

ACI undertakes industry-based Research & Development Projects in collaboration with other agencies and institutions to enhance sectoral practices in the food services. Areas of focus could be in the enhancement of productivity in the value chain such as source, distribution, and process, or in the production part of the operation.

To find out more about Asian Culinary Institute’s courses and/or services, please visit our website www.aci.edu.sg or contact:

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Officials from Philippines Government departments with NYP staff. They attended a four-week programme on Productivity, Innovation and Enterprise Development in January 2015.
Over the years, we have established a strong international presence. With the setup of Nanyang Polytechnic International (NYPi) in August 2007, we have been able to bring the world to NYP and NYP to the world.

NYPi focuses on enhancing the NYP brand name in technical education and training beyond Singapore. It contributes to the strengthening of NYP’s existing international partnerships and collaborations, as well as creates more opportunities for students and staff to be engaged in international exchange and attachment programmes. NYPi also facilitates the conducting of courses for international participants who wish to learn more about NYP’s successful pedagogic and management concepts such as the NYP Teaching Factory™ Concept, and those who wish to emulate the Teaching Factory™ model. NYPi is a vehicle to extend the NYP Teaching Factory™ model and other concepts, the polytechnic’s expertise and NYP’s education and training programmes into the region and beyond.

NYPi contributes towards the development of NYP into a global polytechnic of distinction. This was endorsed by then-Minister for Education Heng Swee Keat in his speech delivered at the dinner on 30 March 2012 to celebrate NYP’s 20th Anniversary: “NYP has made significant progress in twenty years, to deliver a world-class, a global polytechnic of distinction. This was endorsed by then-Minister for Education Heng Swee Keat in his speech delivered at the dinner on 30 March 2012 to celebrate NYP’s 20th Anniversary: “NYP has made significant progress in twenty years, to deliver a world-class, national prestige and international recognition. This is in line with our vision to be a global polytechnic of distinction.”

To date, NYPi has conducted courses for more than 16,000 international participants and senior government officials, academics, principals and specialist staff of technical colleges, as well as meet the training needs of the various overseas organisations. These programmes support the Singapore Government’s initiatives, as well as training is customised to meet the specific requirements of the client organisations and participants.

They have consistently given excellent feedback on the quality of training received, the professionalism and dedication of NYP staff and the friendship and hospitality they have experienced. These programmes provide opportunities for our staff to visit cities in regional countries and to interact with their senior officials and professionals. This allows them to better understand the countries’ social, economic and political trends and developments. As a result, our staff are able to incorporate a regional and international perspective into their teaching, helping our students gain a better appreciation and understanding of different cultures and practices.

In addition, students have opportunities for overseas exposure from the four student project centres in China, which have been set up with the support of NYPi. They are located in Beijing, Suzhou, Guangzhou and Chengdu. NYP and NYPi aim to inculcate in our students a global mindset and inspire them to take on the challenges of a fast-changing world.

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NYPi offers a wide range of manpower development programmes for overseas professionals, where training is customised to meet the specific requirements of the client organisations and participants. These programmes support the Singapore Government’s initiatives, as well as meet the training needs of the various overseas organisations.

Participants of the training programmes include senior government officials, academics, principals and specialist staff of technical colleges, and senior management staff from the public and private sectors.