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Graduate Degrees Offered

- M.S. in Nutrition (<https://catalog.twu.edu/graduate/health-sciences/nutrition-food-sciences/nutrition-ms/>) (Degree is available online, thesis, and non-thesis)
- M.S. in Nutrition (Dietetics) (<https://catalog.twu.edu/graduate/health-sciences/nutrition-food-sciences/nutrition-ms-dietetics/>)
- M.S. in Food Science and Flavor Chemistry (<https://catalog.twu.edu/graduate/health-sciences/nutrition-food-sciences/food-science-ms/>) (The only program of its kind in Texas and one of 10 nationally)
- M.S. in Exercise and Sports Nutrition (<https://catalog.twu.edu/graduate/health-sciences/nutrition-food-sciences/exercise-sports-nutrition-ms/>) (Combines courses from Nutrition and Kinesiology)
- M.S. in Exercise and Sports Nutrition (Dietetics) (<https://catalog.twu.edu/graduate/health-sciences/nutrition-food-sciences/exercise-sports-nutrition-ms-dietetics/>)
- Ph.D. in Nutrition (<https://catalog.twu.edu/graduate/health-sciences/nutrition-food-sciences/nutrition-phd/>) (Offered on both Denton and Houston campuses)

The primary objectives of the graduate programs are to:

- a. provide practice-related experience and transformational learning to advance students' knowledge and expertise in their field of study,
- b. engage in experiences that contribute to the profession and to society through improved health and wellness, and
- c. assist in the development of future professional leaders.

Depending on the course of study, students are prepared for a variety of professional careers in clinical dietetics, the food industry, health and wellness, sports nutrition, education, or research.

Research interests of the faculty include areas of laboratory and clinical investigation focused on the nutritional sciences, nutrition education, and food sciences. The Nutrition and Food Sciences site (<http://www.twu.edu/nutrition-food-sciences/>) references specific faculty research areas.