

# **PACKING AND DESIGN IN FOOD INDUSTRY (III-RD YEAR OF STUDY - TPPA, SEMESTER VI)**

**Credit value (ECTS) 3**

## **Course category**

Domain (Imposed)

## **Course holder:**

**Assoc. Prof. PhD. George Ungureanu**

## **Objectives (course and applications)**

Discipline " *Packing and design in food industry* " in accordance with the syllabus aims:

- Acquisition of concepts necessary for understanding the role of packaging in implementing, promoting and effectiveness of products;
- Acquiring the necessary skills of designing a modern packaging and in line with European standards expected in this area for food;
- To acquire the necessary understanding and conveying a rich informational message to the consumer through packaging design and writing.

## **Contents (syllabus)**

Course (chapters/subchapters)
<b>Definition and classification of packaging</b> Packaging - concept and features classification packaging
<b>The functions of packaging</b> Function preservation and protection of food Transportation function - handling - storage The function of food promotion
<b>Materials used for the manufacture of packaging for food cellulosic</b> Plastic materials Metallic materials The wood and its by-products Glass
<b>Modern methods and techniques of food packaging</b> Shrink film packaging filling in Modified atmosphere packaging and vacuum packaging Cryovac packaging system Packaging with adhesive tape Next-generation devices and materials on packaging and microbiological parameters
<b>Labeling of food</b> The importance of food labeling Modern aspects of food labeling Food labeling regulations in our country
<b>The design and aesthetics of packaging bottle shape</b> Graphic styles used in packaging design Color packaging: the combination of product features, messages information etc.
<b>Standardization and coding of packaging</b> Standards and rules of correlation between the external shape construction products and packaging

Standards and rules of correlation between external gauges packaging and vehicle envelopes Standards and rules workload load Standards and rules on the possibility of repeated use made packaging The new coding system for the recycling of plastics packing
<b>Specific aspects of packaging goods in relation to consumer protection and environment</b>
<b>Economic assessment of packaging spatial indicators</b> Table indicators Indicators of consumer Productivity indicators Indicators of cost Methods used in optimizing packaging costs

Practicum
Designing a package for a food
Case study on the relationship between the packaging and graphics characteristics of different types of products
Case study and debate on the European norms for packaging that comes into contact with food
Case study on interpreting the information given by the labeling in accordance with the legislation in force
Economic assessment of packaging: calculating spatial indicators, mass consumption, productivity, cost

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## Evaluation

Evaluation form	Evaluation Methods	Percentage of the final grade
Exam	Oral examination	60%
Appreciation of the activity during the semester	Oral assessment during the semester, verification tests and final laboratory colloquium.	40%

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