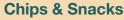


Savoury Snacks Production Course

UPDATED AND ENHANCED CONTENT INCLUDES FLAVOUR WORKSHOP

Plus plenty of networking as well as direct exchanges with expert speakers



Formed products to end-of-line

13-15 October 2025 Vienna, Austria



Course objectives

This three day intensive course organised by the European Snacks Association will provide an understanding of:

Handling / Sorting

- Controlling product feed from the fryer / oven to the flavouring and packaging stages and the potential benefits to be made in operational efficiency and product quality
- Optical sorting and how it can be used effectively to remove product defects and enhance product safety as appropriate

Flavouring

- Flavour development and custom designing the perfect taste
- Flavour flow and adhesion
- Flavour application techniques and the options available for line or head flavouring
- How to achieve consistent levels of application whilst minimising flavour losses
- Flavour design

Weighing / Bagging

- Multi-head weighing speed, accuracy, performance and value – and compliance with current legislation
- Online and offline quality monitoring controlling product quality from cooker to packet
- Bag forming and key considerations in cost-effectively achieving product protection and pack presentation
- Gas flushing nitrogen or argon / bottles or onsite production
- The latest techniques available for preventing 'foreign body' contamination, and associated food safety requirements





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Packaging

- Understanding how packaging can add value to your brands
- Flexible films, drums and other forms of packaging in use today for a range of savoury snack applications
- Making the right packaging material choice to ensure your product has the protection it needs, whilst affording consumers the aesthetic pack feel and accessibility they demand
- The wide range of printing techniques available that can make your product shout out from the shelf

Coding / Automation

- The case for cartons and trays selecting the right board and design to achieve fitfor-purpose transit stable outers
- Packet and carton coding latest options for fast, efficient, and reliable coding meeting legal requirements and more

- Packaging automation state of the art solutions and a look ahead to what the future holds
- Factors to consider when making the investment decision

You will have the opportunity to interact with expert speakers with years of practical experience of working within the savoury snack food industry. They will empower you to trouble-shoot and evaluate your own processes and equipment, to find hidden areas of opportunity that could result in novel process solutions and new product ideas. They will introduce you to best practice solutions to improve product quality and consistency and open your eyes to the potential of significant cost savings

The course combines virtual classroom lectures from leading experts in the savoury snacks industry with live interactions at the end of each session as well as further direct exchanges during breaks.

Who should attend?

The agenda is presented as an intensive course for new plant personnel or as a refresher for more experienced operators.



It offers an excellent opportunity for those professionals involved in savoury snack manufacture to meet experts in the field, to discuss their current problems, and to find creative solutions which will enhance their plant operations.

The course is designed for:

Snack manufacturing personnel, including:

- Plant managers, operations personnel, project managers
- Research & Development personnel
- Plant engineers and quality control technicians

Personnel wishing to better understand their production processes

- Line production personnel and supervisors
- Quality assurance personnel
- Production management

Suppliers researching the needs and production methods of their customers

In addition, the course content is appropriate for business development managers, sales and marketing specialists, equipment manufacturers and product designers who are interested in understanding the wide range of possibilities for turning creative ideas into real products.





Location & accommodation

The course will be held on 13. 14 and 15 October 2025.



Delegates should arrive on the evening of Sunday 12 October. Hotel accommodation for the nights of 12, 13 and 14 October is included in the fee, as well as the digital course materials, all meals, fun networking evening activities and digital certificate of attendance.

All lectures will take place in the Renaissance Wien Hotel in Vienna, located just minutes from the world famous Schonbrunn Palace.



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Registration

Advance enrolment is required – use form on next page.



Course Registration Fees

ON OR BEFORE 5 SEP 2025

ESA members

EUR 2.220 + 20% Austrian VAT

ESA non-members

EUR 2.550 + 20% Austrian VAT

AFTER 5 SEP 2025

ESA members

EUR 2,750 + 20% Austrian VAT

ESA non-members

EUR 3.150 + 20% Austrian VAT

Belgian course attendees are subject to 21% Belgian VAT on top of the above cost.

Note: Course registration is on a "first-come, first-served" basis. Places are strictly limited to encourage participant interaction. Full payment of the course enrolment fee is required at the moment of booking in order to confirm each participant's place in the course. Payment may be made by credit card – Visa, MasterCard – or by bank transfer

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Enrolment



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1 How to book

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Generous Early Bird discount when you register by 5 Sep 2025

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