Bakery Science Study Abroad Trip

Bakery Science had the pleasure of sending students and faculty to Europe! They stopped in London for some sightseeing and spent time in Cardiff for the bulk of the trip. While there, students got to explore Tesco, which is the UK’s leading grocery retailer, as well as tour the Zero2Five Food Centre and Braces Family Bakery and attend the Welsh Baking Conference.
The next stop on the trip was Lille, France, where the group was hosted by GSI alum Dr. Sherrill Cropper of Lesaffre. Students got to tour Lesaffre’s baking center and learn the French way to make baguettes, as well as tour the analytical labs. Before making their way home, the group visited Paris for sightseeing and a bakery crawl tour.

Thank you to everyone who supported our students going on this trip.
All-University Open House on Sat. April 6
Come visit Grain Science at the Open House on Sat. April 6 from 9:00-3:00!
GSI is excited to be offering demos of flour milling, pretzel rolling, and pet treat making in Shellenberger Hall. Pick up a mug cake to go and stock up on baked goods, flour, and baking mixes. Shuttle busses will leave every half hour from Shellenberger to the North Complex, where there will be games and tours of the flour and feed mills. Free lunch hosted by the Feed and Milling Clubs will be at the feed mill from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Come enjoy hotdogs, chips, granola, and drinks on us!

Upcoming Awards Banquet
The Grain Science and Industry awards banquet will take place at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 23. It will be held at the IGP Institute Conference Center, located at the north complex across Kimball from Bill Snyder Family Stadium. GSI students, staff, faculty, and alumni are all invited to attend.
GSI Helps Host Recruiting Event in Texas
Miller Milling Co in connection with Grain Science hosted a recruitment event on March 27 at their mill in Saginaw, TX. Twenty high school students and their parents attended the event which included information on careers in the milling industry and the Milling Science program, a BBQ meal, and a facility tour. MSM alums shared their education and career journey with the prospective students. Fran Churchill and Brenda Heptig represented the Grain Science department and are pictured here with members of the Miller Milling team who helped with the event.
Ardent Mills Visit
Representatives from Ardent Mills attended Bake Club earlier this month. During their visit, they lead club members in making gluten free brownies and cookies utilizing some of their specialty flours.

Calling All Milling Alumni
Milling Science would like to make a promotional video (or two) highlighting what our alumni love about the program. Here are two example videos to use for inspiration:

- https://youtu.be/a2nt9IOWqMY
- https://youtu.be/Ultq0zRvq_yQ

Please use landscape orientation when you record your video, and if possible wear a purple Milling Science polo or Company logo shirt.
Videos can be uploaded here: Milling Science Video Testimonials

Thanks for your support of this project!
Feeding Your Future
Summer Youth Camp
K-State Manhattan Campus
July 16 – 20, 2024
Cost: $75 deposit per participant
Target group: 10-12th grade students for the upcoming 2024-2025 school year

We will be hosting an immersion opportunity for high school students this summer!
The Department of Grain Science and Industry is excited to introduce a new opportunity
for high school students to learn about amazing career opportunities in agronomy, grain
science, and food production through the "Feeding Your Future" 2024 summer youth
camp. This is a collaboration between the Agronomy and Grain Science Departments to
increase awareness of our degree programs and to encourage future enrollment with K-
State Ag.

- Camp activities will feature Agronomy, Milling Science, Bakery Science, and Feed and
  Pet Food Science.
- As many as 30 campers will be engaged in hands-on learning during workshops on the
  Manhattan campus.
- The camp will include a career night for them to make connections between what
  they’ve learned during the week and the variety of careers available in agronomy and
  grain science.
Our Mission
The mission of the Department of Grain Science and Industry is to advance the global grain and plant-based food, feed, and bioproduct industries through scholarship, research, and outreach.

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