



# Master in Life Sciences

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<b>Module</b>	<b>Safety, Production and Quality</b>
<b>Code</b>	MLS_S05
<b>Degree Program</b>	Master of Science in Life Sciences (MSLS)
<b>Cluster</b>	Chemistry
<b>Specialization</b>	Chemical Development and Production
<b>ECTS Credits</b>	4
<b>Workload</b>	120 h: Contact 56 lessons = 42 h; Self-study 78 h
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<b>Entry Requirements</b>	Bachelor of Science in Chemistry or in a related course of study including chemical production, physical chemistry and automation (Bachelor level)
<b>Learning Outcomes and Competences</b>	<p>The objectives are to study, to understand, and to apply production techniques including the corresponding thermal safety, automation and quality in a sustainable development vision.</p> <p>The student will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• List and evaluate the important processes of industrial chemistry</li> <li>• Assess a process in terms of costs, validation, planning and safety</li> <li>• Know the norms ISO 9001 and GMP</li> <li>• Application of standards to concrete case</li> <li>• Select industrial facilities most suitable for the development of an industrial process chemistry</li> <li>• Know the strength of equipment materials</li> <li>• Evaluate the thermal risk of a chemical process</li> <li>• Know the elements of a process risk analysis</li> <li>• Design an automated production</li> </ul>
<b>Mode Content</b>	<p>Industrial processes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety of industrial processes</li> <li>• Thermal data analysis and calculation for scale-up of exothermal reaction</li> <li>• Analysis, understanding and troubleshooting of Industrial incidents</li> <li>• Case studies at large scale</li> </ul>

	<p>Thermal safety</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chemical thermodynamic</li> <li>• Reactions kinetics and dynamics</li> <li>• Thermal safety</li> <li>• Calorimetry, DSC</li> <li>• Risk analysis</li> <li>• Case studies</li> </ul> <p>Process Automation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enterprise-control system integration (ISA S95)</li> <li>• Batch Control (ISA S88)</li> <li>• Safety Integrity Level (ISA S84)</li> <li>• Industry 4.0</li> <li>• Case studies</li> </ul> <p>Quality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To know what means managing according to ISO 9001</li> <li>• To be able to define managing and working processes</li> <li>• To know the importance of quality controls and tracking systems</li> <li>• To know the basics of GMP</li> <li>• To be able to use several tools to increase the quality, especially in production process</li> </ul>
<b>Teaching / Learning Methods</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lectures</li> <li>• Individual and group exercises</li> <li>• Active participation in the module is requested</li> </ul>
<b>Assessment of Learning Outcome</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Final examination (oral): 100 % of the final grade</li> <li>• Reassessment: oral exam</li> </ul>
<b>Bibliography</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• F. Stoessel, Thermal Safety of Chemical Processes: Risk Assessment and Process Design, Wiley-VCH 2008</li> <li>• J. Steinbach, Safety Assessment for Chemical Processes, Wiley-VCH 1998</li> <li>• D. W. Fleming, A. Pillai, S88 implementation guide: strategic automation for the process industries, McGraw Hill 1999</li> <li>• J. Kletti, Manufacturing Execution System – MES, Springer 2007</li> <li>• Total Quality Management, Shoji Shiba, Dunod</li> <li>• Fundamentals of Management, Stephen Robbins, David Decenzo, Mary Coulter, Pearson 2011</li> <li>• How do I implement ISO 9001?, multi authored, ISO</li> </ul> <p>Documentation: <a href="http://cyberlearn.hes-so.ch">http://cyberlearn.hes-so.ch</a> (requires a login)</p>
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