

### Culinary Arts Academy Application

Thank you for your interest in The **B5 Foundation Culinary Arts Academy Program** (CAAP) featuring Chef Mike Martinez of 5000 Pies. Becoming a skilled culinary professional requires years of experience but does not require any specific degree before going to culinary training. This is a **seven week/4-hour a day (subject to change)** culinary program specifically designed for persons who are passionate about culinary arts. Please note that classes are held on Saturday every week from 9:00am to 1:00pm. This session will begin on August 7, 2021 and run through September 25, 2021(8/7, 8/14, 8/21, 8/28, 9/11, 9/18, 9/25).

All classes will be held at 5000 Pies, 2064 Santa Fe Avenue, Long Beach, CA 90810. There are 15 slots available per class session. **Please complete, scan and submit completed applications to [Maria@b5foundation.org](mailto:Maria@b5foundation.org) no later than 5pm on July 16, 2021.** Successful applicants will be notified of their acceptance to the program no later than **July 23, 2021**.

*Please note: no jeans, jewelry, nail polish, or false eyelashes are permitted during class time.*

**All students are required to have the following materials upon the start of class:**

- Black Slacks
- Black socks
- Plain white t-shirt
- Safety shoes

#### APPLICATION

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

1. How did you hear about the program?
  - Another Graduate
  - Website
  - UDWA
  - Family Member
  - Social Media
  - Other
2. What is your highest level of education?
  - Middle School
  - GED
  - High School Degree
  - Some College
  - Bachelor's Degree

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3. Do you currently provide meals as a part of your job?

- Yes
- No

4. What is your reason for applying to Culinary School?

- To become a chef as my ongoing career
- To cook better meals for myself and those around me
- To cook better meals for my in-home patient
- To expand my opportunities

5. Are you eligible to work in the USA?  Yes  No

6. Are you currently employed?  Yes  No

7. Do you have a food handler's card?  Yes  No

Please stay under a 300-word total in responding to each of these four questions. Please use separate paper for your answers.

- 1) Why do you want to be in The B5 Foundation Culinary Arts Academy? What makes you qualified?**
- 2) In your past experience, what was your favorite job & why?**
- 3) Please describe yourself in 5 words.**
- 4) Do you have any hobbies or special interests?**

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