The Hospitality Administration program provides the skills to be successful in the hospitality industry which is the largest private sector employer in the U.S. offering exciting, fulfilling career options with excellent advancement opportunities for those who possess the passion and willingness to work hard and serve others.

**Degrees & Certificates Offered (Southwest Region):**
- Associate of Applied Science (AAS) - Baking and Pastry Arts
- Associate of Applied Science (AAS) - Culinary Arts
- Associate of Applied Science (AAS) - Technical Certificate (TC)

**Typical Careers:**
- Event Planner
- Convention Center Coordinator
- Lodging Manager
- Pastry Chef/Baker
- Food Service Manager
- Baker
- Chef or Head Cook

**POINTS OF PRIDE**
- Our program has provided over 1,500 volunteer hours in support of not-for-profit organizations over the last seven years.
- Students enjoy real-world experiences during field trips that are provided by the Hospitality Program Advisory Committee members to organizations such as the Victory Theater and Ford Center, The Old National Events Plaza, The Convention and Visitors Bureau and more!
- Students engage in supportive services for college activities including Ivy Tech staff retirement parties, Free Community College Day, food-styling photography with the photography program and more.
- Students have the opportunity to participate in workshops provided by SCORE small business counselors to help develop theoretical business plans in HOSP 108 and HOSP 221.
- The program has been featured in numerous publications.
- Students have the opportunity to participate in the Young Professionals Network which is hosted by the Evansville Chamber of Commerce.