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Master of Science Degree in Logistics and Supply Chain Management

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MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

The Master of Science Degree in Logistics and Supply Chain Management is a postgraduate qualification, which combines lectures, research, project work and assessment. Learning outcomes at this level include the enhancement of specific professional or vocational skills which may be undertaken by directed coursework and/or research, and the acquisition of in-depth understanding in a specific area of knowledge which is usually undertaken through research.

COURSE DURATION

The duration of the Masters Degree is a minimum of twelve (12) months, full time, and (18) months part time. To graduate students are required to earn sixty (60) credits as follow:

- 30 credits from 12 taught courses.
- 30 credits from a 20,000 word thesis on shipping and/or logistics management and operations.

ENTRY REQUIREMENT

- A Bachelors Degree
- Any other criteria as may be accepted by the Academic Council.

COURSE CONTENT

- Research Methodology (2 credits)
- Quantitative Methods (3 credits)
- Ethical and Social Responsibility in Shipping and Logistics (2 credits)
- Occupational Health and Safety (2 credits)
- International Logistics Management (3 credits)
- Operations Management (2 credits)
- Management Information System (3 credits)
- Cruise Shipping Management (2 credits)
- Strategic Management for the Shipping Industry (3 credits)

- Managing Human Resources (3 credits)
- Logistics and Supply Chain Sustainability (2 credits)
- Port Economics and Global Supply Chains (3 credits)

RESEARCH PROJECT

Students are required to complete a research project in the final year. This project values 16 credits. Students will be required to identify a research topic based on a local need and devise and investigate ways to solve this problem.

MODES OF INSTRUCTION

A variety of methods will be used to facilitate teaching and learning with the purpose of accommodating the learning styles of the diverse population of candidates. These will include:

- Seminars
- Student presentations
- Guest speakers
- Case studies
- Field trips
- Role play
- Audio-visual presentations
- Active class discussion and debates
- Workshops
- Quizzes
- Panel discussion

METHODS OF EVALUATION

This will be both formative and summative and will employ the following:

- Assignments
- Presentations
- Quizzes
- Projects (individual and group)
- Group discussions
- Final examinations