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INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING LAWS, REGULATIONS AND CONVENTIONS

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The international maritime regulations are governed by over **200 international treaties and conventions** and these conventions intersect with over 190 national and local regulations. This complex interplay of international conventions and domestic maritime laws makes compliance a challenging task for shipping companies. As a result of this, over **45% of shipping companies have recently reported facing maritime disputes** and these companies faced over \$1 billion in fines and penalties due to non-compliance with complex maritime laws.

This certified program will help you gain a comprehensive understanding of the complex and dynamic shipping laws and the international regulations and conventions that govern them. You will delve deep into key regulations, including the **International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS)**, the **International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code)**, the **International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL)**, and the **International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers (STCW)**. In addition, this program will cover critical domestic laws from several jurisdictions, offering a holistic view of the legal landscape governing the shipping industry.

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This program will also shine a light on how **international conventions impact domestic laws, focusing on their unique features and implementation nuances**. You will also learn how to ensure regulatory compliance, devise risk management strategies, and tackle challenges posed by technological advancements, climate change, and environmental sustainability in shipping. Throughout the program you will acquire necessary tools to **navigate maritime disputes, understand seafarers' rights and protections, and appreciate the role of enforcement mechanisms in upholding shipping laws**. You will also gain essential skills for maneuvering maritime cases, interpreting the Bill of Lading and implications of shipping contracts, and understanding the function of enforcement mechanisms in maintaining shipping laws.

Upon successful completion of the program, you will attain the **Certification in International Shipping Laws, Regulations and Conventions**. This distinguished certification will elevate your professional standing and demonstrate your proficiency in international shipping laws and your ability in crafting robust compliance frameworks in alignment with pertinent legislations and regulations. Globally recognized and valued, this industry-recognized certification holds lifelong validity and stands as a testament to your expertise, dedication, and commitment to excellence in the maritime industry.

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KEY SKILLS YOU WILL GAIN

From This Program



**INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING LAWS
MARITIME JURISDICTIONS
MARINE POLLUTION ACT
INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION (IMO)**

**LAW OF COLLISIONS
NAVIGATION ACT
MARITIME OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY
REGULATIONS
CHARTER PARTIES**

**QUARANTINE ACT
MARINE INSURANCE
LAW OF SALVAGE
PROTECTION AND INDEMNITY INSURANCE**

**SHIPPING CONTRACTS
BILL OF LADING
MARITIME SAFETY
SOLAS
ISM CODE**

**MARPOL
WATCHKEEPING STANDARDS**

YOUR FACULTY DIRECTOR



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Dr. Filip Saranovic is a Senior Lecturer in Shipping Law at Queen Mary University of London's Centre for Commercial Law Studies. He holds the positions of **Director of the International Shipping Law LLM program and Deputy Director of International and External Engagement.**

Renowned for his expertise, Dr. Saranovic's recent book, 'Freezing Injunctions in Private International Law,' sheds light on his intensive doctoral research conducted at the prestigious University of Cambridge. Adding to his intellectual pursuits, Dr. Saranovic has also served as a Visiting Researcher at **Harvard Law School** and he is also an Ordinary Member of the **European Association of Private International Law.** Prior to joining Queen Mary, **Dr. Saranovic was a member of the Institute of Maritime Law at the University of Southampton** where he was the Academic Lead for Executive Training.

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PROGRAM AGENDA

MODULE 1 - INTRODUCTION TO ADMIRALTY LAW AND WET SHIPPING LAW

- Lesson 1 - Interpretation of international conventions
- Lesson 2 - Principles of tort law and their application in the context of 'wet shipping' law
- Lesson 3 - Relationship with 'dry shipping' law

MODULE 2 - UNDERSTANDING MARITIME LAW

- Lesson 1 - Maritime Law: Definition, purpose, and major principles
- Lesson 2 - Laws governing carriage of goods by sea
- Lesson 3 - Laws of the sea: Territorial Sea, high seas, and exclusive economic zones

MODULE 3 - THE SCOPE OF ADMIRALTY JURISDICTION

- Lesson 1 - Subject-matter jurisdiction
- Lesson 2 - Types of maritime liens
- Lesson 3 - Relationship with arrest of ships

MODULE 4 - COLLISIONS AT SEA

- Lesson 1 - Collision regulations - COLREGS
- Lesson 2 - Apportionment of liability
- Lesson 3 - Pilotage, SOLAS

MODULE 5 - MARITIME SAFETY LAWS AND REGULATIONS

- Lesson 1 - Introduction to Safety of Life at Sea Convention (SOLAS)
- Lesson 2 - Marine pollution prevention laws and MARPOL Convention

MODULE 6 - SALVAGE

- Lesson 1 - The Salvage Convention
- Lesson 2 - Contractual salvage
- Lesson 3 - Environmental salvage

MODULE 7 - GENERAL AVERAGE

- Lesson 1 - The York-Antwerp Rules
- Lesson 2 - Relationship with piracy
- Lesson 3 - The CMA-CGM Libra case

MODULE 8 - LIABILITY FOR OIL POLLUTION AND WRECK REMOVAL

- Lesson 1 - Nairobi Convention
- Lesson 2 - The Civil Liability Convention
- Lesson 3 - MARPOL

MODULE 9 - ARREST OF SHIPS

- Lesson 1 - Arrest Convention 1952
- Lesson 2 - Comparison with freezing injunction



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MODULE 10 - INTERNATIONAL JURISDICTION AND RELATIONS

- Lesson 1 - International jurisdiction on the merits: Global, European, and English position
- Lesson 2 - Relationship between admiralty law and private international law
- Lesson 3 - European framework on jurisdiction

MODULE 11 - SHIPPING CONTRACTS AND BILLS OF LADING

- Lesson 1 - Importance and types of shipping contracts
- Lesson 2 - Understanding bills of lading and its implications
- Lesson 3 - Key clauses and their implications in shipping contracts

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Upon successfully attending this program, you will be awarded with the **Certification in International Shipping Laws, Regulations and Conventions** that can be used in your resume, CV and other professional credentials. This certification is industry-recognized with lifelong validity.

Globally demanded and recognized, this certification will amplify your professional qualifications and demonstrate your expertise in **navigating the complexities of shipping laws, ensuring compliance, and promoting safe and environmentally responsible practices**. Developed by **Chartered Institute of Professional Certifications**, the content of this program has been independently accredited by **CPD Certification Service** as adhering to the highest standards of continuing professional principles.

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