

## Maritime Law

| Basic Course Specification  |  |                                      |                      |                  |            |
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| Course Title  | Course Code  | Program on which the course is given |                      |                  |            |
| Maritime Law  | NM391T   | Bachelor                             |                      |                  |            |
| Academic Year   | Specialization (hr/week)   | Pre-Requisites                       |                      |                  |            |
| 2020 – 2021   | Theoretical 1<br>Application 2<br>Credit 2 CR  | None                                 |                      |                  |            |
| Overall Course Objectives   |  |                                      |                      |                  |            |
| <p>This section provides the background knowledge to support :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compliance with pollution-prevention requirements.</li> <li>• The legal obligation and responsibility concerning international provisions for the safety of life on sea.</li> <li>• Describe the rights of the seaman</li> <li>• Monitoring compliance with legislative requirements.</li> <li>• The certificates and documents required to be onboard according to IMO Conventions and codes</li> <li>• Application of Leadership and Team-working skills</li> </ul> |  |                                      |                      |                  |            |
| Course Learning Outcomes. By successful completion of the course each student will be able to:  |  |                                      |                      |                  |            |
| Topic   | Linking to PLOs  | 7th Week Assessment                  | 12th Week Assessment | Class Activities | Final Exam |
| 1. Identify the legal obligation and responsibility concerning international Conventions as SOLAS, UNCLOS82 and MARPOL  | e,f  | X                                    | X                    | X                | X          |
| 2. Demonstrate the rights of the seaman   | J  | X                                    |                      | X                | X          |
| 3. Apply Decision making tools  | d,f  |                                      | X                    | X                | X          |
| 4. Explain the importance of Maritime Law in marine industry.   | f,g,i  |                                      |                      | X                | X          |
| 5. Recognize the requirements of each convention to apply on board the ship   | d,e,h  |                                      | X                    | X                | X          |
| Course Content  |  |                                      |                      |                  |            |
| Lec./ Week #  | Topic  | Hrs. #                               | Lec.                 | Application      |            |
| 1   | -Introduction in maritime law. United Nations and The . Ship's certificates and documents<br>-United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea(UNCLOS),1982                                       | 3                                    | 1                    | 2                |            |
| 2   | -United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea(UNCLOS),1982, International Convention on Load Lines (LL), 1966.<br>-The precautions to be taken to prevent pollution of the marine environment | 3                                    | 1                    | 2                |            |
| 3   | MARPOL 73/78 Annex I/ MARPOL 73/78 Annex II  | 3                                    | 1                    | 2                |            |

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| 4                  | MARPOL 73/78 Annex III<br>MARPOL 73/78 Annex IV   | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 5                  | MARPOL 73/78 Annex V<br>MARPOL 73/78 Annex V  | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 6                  | Convention and legislations adopted by various countries<br>ANTI POLLUTION PROCEDURES AND ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT<br>Control of discharge of oil | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 7                  | 7th Week Exam.<br>Oil Record Book & Shipboard Oil Pollution Emergency Plan (SOPEP)  | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 8                  | Sewage plant, incinerator<br>International Convention for the Control and Management of Ships' Ballast Water and Sediments (BWM), 2004.       | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 9                  | SOLAS, 1974 as amended<br>SOLAS - Subdivision and stability   | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 10                 | SOLAS - Fire protection, detection and extinction<br>SOLAS - LSA and arrangements (LSA Code)  | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 11                 | SOLAS - Carriage of grain and dangerous goods<br>The International Ship and Port Facility Security Code (ISPS Code) & Port State Control.     | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 12                 | 12 <sup>th</sup> Week Exam -<br>Code of Safe Working Practices for Merchant Seamen  | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 13                 | Code of Safe Working Practices for Merchant Seamen & International Safety Management (ISM).<br>International Maritime Labor conventions 2006  | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 14                 | Introduction to Management<br>Leadership and Team working Skills  | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 15                 | Applies Effective Resource Management and Decision making.<br>Applies Task and Workload Management.   | 3         | 1         | 2           |
| 16                 | <b>Final Exam</b>   |           |           |             |
| <b>Total Hours</b> |   | <b>45</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>30</b>   |

| Teaching & Learning Methods  | Facilities Required for Teaching & Learning Methods  |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lectures</li> <li>Tutorials</li> <li>Problems based on real life scenarios</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>White board</li> <li>Projector</li> <li>Videos</li> </ul> |
| Students Assessment Methods  |  |
| Assessment Schedule  |  |
| Assessment#1   | Week 7   |
| Assessment#2   | Week 12  |
| Assessment#3   | Week 16  |

| Grading Method   |  |              |
|--|--|--------------|
| 7th Week Assessment  | Written Exam   | 30%          |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> week Assessment   | Written Exam   | 20%          |
| Class Activities   | Participation and Quiz   | 10%          |
| Final Exam   | Written Exam   | 40%          |
| <b>Total</b>   |  | <b>100 %</b> |
| Assessment criteria meets the standards of the STCW 78 convention "as amended"; and in the light of the related IMO model courses. |  |              |
| Staff Requirements   |  |              |
| Marine Chief Engineer/ Ph.D.   |  |              |
| List of References   |  |              |
| Course Notes   | Required Textbook  |              |
| None   | "Shipping law, 9780415487191" BAUGHEN, S.<br>"ELSEVIER, 6ED. 2014" |              |
| Additional References  | Periodicals and Publications                                       |              |
| None   | None   |              |
| Others (Websites, E-books, Etc....)  |  |              |
| None   |  |              |

| Accreditation Bodies  |
|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Egyptian Authority for Maritime Safety (EAMS)</li> <li>*European Commission (EC)</li> <li>*ISO (9001 – 2015) DNV-GL</li> <li>*Central Evaluation and Accreditation Agency Hanover, Germany (ZEVA)</li> <li>*Ministry of Education (KSA)</li> <li>*Ministry of Higher Education (Greece)</li> <li>*Ministry of Higher Education (Oman)</li> <li>*Commission for Academic Accreditation (CAA), Ministry of higher Education (UAE)</li> <li>*University of Plymouth, United Kingdom (dual degree)</li> </ul> |

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