

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: MARITIME MANAGEMENT  
Status: Definitive  
Code: **4013MAR** (105575)  
Version Start Date: 01-08-2016

Owning School/Faculty: Maritime and Mechanical Engineering  
Teaching School/Faculty: Maritime and Mechanical Engineering

Team	Leader
Zaili Yang	Y

**Academic Level:** FHEQ4  
**Credit Value:** 12  
**Total Delivered Hours:** 30  
**Total Learning Hours:** 120  
**Private Study:** 90

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	24
Seminar	3
Tutorial	3

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	AS1	time constrained	60	
Essay	AS2	Coursework including an oral presentation	40	

### Aims

*To introduce the theory and principles of management, and understand the application of these theories to management of shipping.*

### Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Describe the organizational structure of ships and shipping organizations
- 2 Understand the application of management principles and techniques.
- 3 Appreciate the role of personnel managerial issues of a ships officer or shore-based supervisor.
- 4 Demonstrate an understanding of the principles of Employment Law

### **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

CW	1	2	3	4
CW	2	3		

### **Outline Syllabus**

*Organisation and structure of ships, shipping companies and other maritime organisations. Ship management and ship owners – differences of function and responsibility. Functions and departments in a shipping company. Developments in ship organization – dual function officers, general purpose crews. Function and organization of crewing agencies. Multi-cultural crews.*

*Management theory. Leadership styles. Management skills – motivation, leadership, teamwork, delegation, time management. Communication – interpersonal and organizational. Management style and communication. Barriers to communication. Advice evaluation. Active listening.*

*Officer as an effective manager. Self management. Productive working relationships. Planning work and allocating resources. Safe working practice management. On board training and assessment. On board conditions – fatigue, stress, isolation and boredom. Relationship difficulties. Personality types and social styles.*

*Employment Law and relevant Merchant Shipping Acts. Safe manning, fatigue, hours of work, discipline, unfair dismissal*

*Oral presentations*

*Use of budgets, variance, fixed and variable costs*

### **Learning Activities**

Lectures, tutorials and seminar

## **Notes**

This module covers the STCW Deck Officer requirements for management of ships and employment of UK seafarers.