

Port Management and Security

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	7163MAR
Formal Module Title	Port Management and Security
Owning School	Engineering
Career	Postgraduate Taught
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 7
Grading Schema	50

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery	
Engineering	

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	24
Tutorial	12

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
JAN-CTY	СТҮ	January	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

the maritime and ports sectors, including an analysis of the effectiveness of mitigation policies and practices.	Aims	To provide students with insight to global trends in port administration, governance and management which includes the appraisal of a range of contemporary security issues affecting the maritime and ports sectors, including an analysis of the effectiveness of mitigation policies and practices.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Identify and evaluate global trends in port functions, administration and governance
MLO2	2	Analyse the specific security hazards affecting the maritime and port sector in the present day and the relevant legislation on the fields of maritime and port security
MLO3	3	Appraise the merits of public and private sector involvement in port affairs
MLO4	4	Evaluate and apply the principles to a selection of relevant case study examples in order to identify best practice

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Port facilities, services and terminal logisticsPort roles – cargo handling, economic and logisticsPort authority functions (regulatory, operational, landlord and community management) and administration models. Port ownership, reform concepts and privatisation optionsService quality, corporate social responsibility and performanceThe need for Security & Safety – Ports, Ships, Passengers and CargoNational Territorial Controls & UNCLOS (Law of the Sea)The Role of the IMO and Government – Navy, Customs, Border Security, EuropeanMaritime Safety Agency (EMSA)ISPS CodeMarine Reporting – Reporting of Vessels and Cargoes, Declarations under theConvention on Facilitation of International Maritime Traffic (FAL Convention)Container Weighing/ScanningSecurity ConcernsResponsibilities of Ports, Shipping Companies and Shippers – Procedures andDocumentationPiracy, Terrorism & International ConflictCase Studies
Module Overview	
Additional Information	This module provides students with an overview of the global port industry and the evolving role of ports. Students will gain appreciation of the diverse functions of port authorities and examine the public interests and commercial factors that influence the administration of ports at national level, and governance of ports at the corporate level. This module examines a range of contemporary issues in the field of maritime and port security through the analysis of a series of relevant case studies. Students are introduced to some of the overarching legislation and are able to appraise its effectiveness.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Report	Interim Report	50	0	MLO2, MLO4
Report	Final Report	50	0	MLO1, MLO3, MLO4

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Robyn Pyne	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

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