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Qualifications from the recognised professional body for the shipping industry worldwide.



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Syllabus and content led by practitioners.



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ADVANCED DIPLOMA

A stepping stone to full professional qualification ideal for those with existing industry knowledge

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Syllabus

SHIPPING BUSINESS

The shipping business entity

Shipping business sectors

Business ethics

Geography of trade

International trade and finance

Business communications

Shipping organisations – their role and contribution

LINER TRADES

Basic definitions and principles in the liner trades

The ships

Port terminals and cargo handling

Liner shipping organisation and management

Containerisation, intermodal transport and logistics

Forms of co-operation in the liner industry

Bills of lading and other documents

Tarriff construction, pricing and agreements

Legal aspects of liner trades

Business issues in the liner trades

Both subject exams must be passed during the same exam session in order to qualify for the Advanced Diploma.

View the full syllabus at: www.ics.org.uk/learning/syllabus

Further subjects and qualifications available

FOUNDATION DIPLOMA

Ideal for new entrants or those wishing to pursue a career in liner trades.

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFYING EXAMS (PQE)

While the Diplomas are recognised qualifications in their own right, they also carry credit towards the seven professional qualifying examinations (PQE) required to be eligible for Institute membership. The Institute syllabus offers 16 subjects to choose from to enrich your knowledge and skills and further enhance your career.

Supported learning

Gain additional support for your learning through networking, mentoring and branch events including free revision evenings and options to attend Institute PREP events.

Talk to us about designing your own company specific qualification with co-branded certification.

To discuss the programmes or find out how the Institute's range of qualifications can help you and your organisation:

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