

INTERNATIONAL MARITIME SECURITY LAW COURSE

The IMO International Maritime Law Institute (IMLI) wishes to bring to your attention that its Course on International Maritime Security Law will commence in February and conclude in April 2020.

The International Maritime Security Law Course covers the various critical modern-day challenges to the international rule of law at sea and the freedom of navigation which include maritime piracy and armed robbery, maritime terrorism, drug trafficking and migrant smuggling.

The course is highly recommended for the officials of Maritime Administrations, Navy, Coast Guard, Law Enforcement Agencies, prosecutors and other security agencies involved directly or indirectly in maritime security affairs. It is also beneficial for the professionals involved in maritime industry including lawyers, port officers, marine insurers, shipowners and operators.

For more information, please see the attached document.

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IMO INTERNATIONAL MARITIME LAW INSTITUTE, MALTA



Over 30 Years Serving the Rule of International Maritime Law

PROGRAMME

The International Maritime Security Law Course covers the various critical modern-day challenges to the international rule of law at sea and the freedom of navigation which include maritime piracy and armed robbery, maritime terrorism, drug trafficking and migrant smuggling.

The fluidity and complexity of the nature of these threats require a deep understanding of the law of the sea, maritime law, policies and regulations before responding to them. These newlyemerging and transformed threats are largely unregulated in the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea 1982, which has led to the adoption of various conventions and protocols. installations and coastal security of maritime States. It also covers the contribution of international institutions and the role of regional cooperation in overcoming such threats.

The course offers participants the chance to meet like-minded professionals in an interactive academic atmosphere to reinforce their knowledge, skills and proficiency of international maritime security law, which are required to perform effciently the responsibilities assigned to them as senior government officials and shipping executives.

It is anticipated that at the end of the course, participants will be equipped with theoretical and operational strategic-legal knowledge which will enable them to respond and/or advise the industry, maritime forces and other government departments on maritime security-related issues.

The course addresses in detail the gravity of these threats and the existing international laws and State practices to deter the same. The course focuses on the current legal developments ensuring the safe navigation of ships, offshore

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

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The course will be delivered at the IMO International Maritime Law Institute in Malta. At the end of the course a certificate of attendance will be issued.

LECTURERS

- Lt. Col. Susann Agius, Armed Forces of Malta (Legal Section)
- Professor David Attard, Director, IMO-IMLI
- Dr. Felicity Attard, Lecturer, University of Malta
- Ms. Elda Belja, Senior Lecturer, IMO-IMLI
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- Mr. Mourad Ghorbel, Technical Officer, Subdivision for Maritime Security and Facilitation, IMO Maritime Safety Division
- Dr. Yurika Ishii, Associate Professor, National Defence Academy of Japan
- Cdr. David T. Lee, Military Professor, Stockton Center for International Law, US Naval War College
- Dr. Anirudha Rajput, Member of International Law Commission
 Dr. Sanjeet Ruhal, The Nippon Foundation Lecturer on Maritime Security Law, IMO-IMLI
- Lcdr. Rachel Strubel, Staff Attorney, US Coast Guard
- Ms. Rebekah Pija Tanti-Dougall, Senior Associate, Tanti-Dougall & Associates, Malta
- Mr. Chris Trelawny, Chief, Subdivision for Maritime Development, IMO Technical Cooperation Division
- Professor Patricia Vella de Fremeaux, Head, Department of International Law, University of Malta

MODULES

- INTRODUCTION TO MARITIME SECURITY LAW
- CRIMINAL JURISDICTION UNDER THE LAW OF THE SEA
- MARITIME PIRACY, SHIP HIJACKING AND ARMED ROBBERY AT SEA
- MARITIME TERRORISM
- MIGRANT SMUGGLING AT SEA
- TRAFFICKING OF ILLICIT DRUGS AND ARMS
- CYBER SECURITY OF MARITIME DOMAIN
- TRANSPORT OF SLAVES AND UNAUTHORISED BROADCASTING
- ILLEGAL, UNREPORTED AND UNREGULATED FISHING
- SHIP, PORT AND PORT FACILITY SECURITY
- IMO MEASURES AND REGIONAL COOPERATION TO COMBAT PIRACY AND OTHER MARITIME SECURITY THREATS
- PRIVATELY CONTRACTED ARMED SECURITY PERSONNEL
- THE RIGHT OF APPROACH AND VISIT
- HOT PURSUIT

TUITION FEE

€1,800

BONUS Registered participants may attend a number of related IMLI lectures free of charge

To apply, please contact by not later than 6 January 2020 admissions@imli.org.

Bearing in mind that eminent personalities from all over the world deliver lectures in the Institute's programmes, candidates applying to a programme shall be flexible as the dates of delivery may be subject to change.

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