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## IMLI CONDUCTS A SHORT COURSE ON MARITIME LAW FOR THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF PESCARA

The Institute conducted a short course on Maritime Law for the students following the second level Master Degree in Maritime Law and Economics. The Degree Programme is organized by The Chamber of Commerce of Pescara with the scientific collaboration of the University of Law of Teramo, Italy. The short course was held from the 9 to 12 September 2014 at the Institute's premises.



Participants in the short course during one of the lectures

The course was attended by 12 students and two officials, Dr. Tosca Chersich, who is the Vice General Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Pescara and Secretary of the Judicial Research Centre and Dr. Selene Galante, Lecturer.

The programme was very detailed and comprehensive covering topics in both Law of the Sea and Shipping Law including Maritime Zones, Ship Registration, Maritime Security, Maritime Safety, Carriage of Goods by Sea, Law of Pilotage, Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims, Carriage of Passenger and their Luggage by Sea, Law of Salvage and Wreck, Arrest of Ships, Oil Pollution, and Liability and Compensation.

In addition to the lectures, the Institute organized a number of visits which enabled the participants to understand the practical aspects of the shipping industry. Visits were made to the Malta Freeport, Transport Malta and the students were also privileged to go onboard an Italian flagged cargo vessel of the Grimaldi Lines.

At the end of the course, the participants were awarded a certificate of attendance. At this ceremony, Dr. Norman Martinez, Senior Lecturer, on behalf of Professor David Attard, Director of the Institute, wished all the participants the very best of luck for the remaining modules of their study.



Short course participants with IMLI's faculty members who delivered the lectures at the end of the course

Dr. Tosca Chersich thanked the Institute for the very comprehensive course and stated that it is their hope that the collaboration between the two Institutions will continue in the future.

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