

# Career Information

## Diploma in Shipping and Logistics (shore-based)

### Location

Steve Biko Campus (S6, Level 5)

### Description of the Programme

The Diploma in Shipping and Logistics represents a level of qualification that recognises the ability to gain and apply a range of focused, specialised, skills and understanding. Graduates of the diploma would be able to display competence in the application of knowledge in a broad range of varied work activities associated with a career in shipping and logistics.

### Career opportunities

A number of employment opportunities exist within the shore-based sector of the maritime industry. These include port agency, stevedoring, clearing and forwarding, surveying, warehousing, project management and terminal management.

### Explanation of Points scale:

symbol	Senior Certificate	
	Higher Grade	Standard Grade
A	8	6
B	7	5
C	6	4
D	5	3
E	4	2
F	3	1

%	NSC Level	Points
90-100	7	8
80-89%	7	7
70-79%	6	6
60-69%	5	5
50-59%	4	4
40-49%	3	3
30-39%	2	2
20-29%	1	1

## Entry Requirements

DEPARTMENTAL NSC REQUIREMENTS		DEPARTMENTAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS		
NSC Diploma Entry		A Senior Certificate with a pass in English or equivalent qualification		
Compulsory Subjects	NSC Rating Code	Compulsory Subjects	HG	SG
English (home) OR English (1st additional)	4	English	E	D
Mathematics	3	Mathematics	E	D
Business, Commerce or Management subject	4	Business, Commerce Or Management subject	E	D

### OR

### NCV level 4 with statutory requirements for a diploma entrance.

With English, Mathematics and Business, Commerce or Management subjects at 60%

### OR

A recognized Maritime or Shipping NQF 4 or above qualification from an accredited college, with a minimum or 60% in all subjects. In addition to this, the incumbent must possess a NSC, with English (home) OR (1<sup>st</sup> additional) level 4 and Mathematics level 3.

### OR

### Admission Requirement based upon Work Experience, Age and Maturity

For admission to entry level DIPLOMA and certificate studies:

A person may, subject to such requirements as the Senate may determine, be admitted to the Institution even if such a person is not in a possession of a National Senior Certificate, Senior Certificate or an equivalent certificate, provided that:

- The person shall have reached the age of 23 in the first year of registration and shall have at least:
  - three years' appropriate work experience; and/or
  - capacity for the proposed instructional programme, which shall be assessed at the discretion of the respective Head of Department by a Senate approved admission assessment comprising of a DUT Standardised Assessment Test for Access and Placement (SATAP), Academic Literacies (AL) & English for Academic Purposes (EAP) and/or an appropriate subject or programme specific written assessment designed and marked by the relevant Department; and
- The relevant Faculty Board shall be satisfied that the person's standard of communication skills, ability to study successfully and/or work experience are such that the person, in the opinion of the relevant Faculty Board, should be able to complete the proposed instructional programme successfully. If required, the communication skills and study skills should be tested; and

(c) The person's application for admission in terms of work experience, age and maturity is approved prior to registration.

**Applicants intending to gain admission through work experience, age and maturity must submit their applications at least four months before commencement of the academic year inclusive of the date of scheduling writing a requisite eligibility assessment.**

### Additional Entry Requirements:

Selection will be determined according to the level of achievement in the above subjects, and of the SATAP test in English and numeracy.

### Tuition Fees

To assist you with your planning, the 2019 fees have been indicated.

**PLEASE NOTE:** DUT cannot be held liable for the fees in this brochure as the 2020 fees are not yet final.

### First Year Curriculum Semester One

### 2019 Fees

Economics I (Micro)	R2 950
Introduction to Statistics I	R2 950
Communication Skills I	R2 950
Computer Skills & Information Literacy I	R2 950
DUT Cornerstone 101	<u>R2 950</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b><u>R14 750</u></b>

### Semester Two

Economics II (Micro)	R2 950
Statistics I	R2 950
Introduction to Shipping	R3 940
Constitutional Law and Human Rights	R1 850
Cultural Diversity (elective)	R1 850
Violence and Non-Violence (elective)	R1 850
Introduction to Applied Sciences (elective)	R2 950

### Second Year Curriculum Semester Three

Shipping and Legal Practice	R3 940
Logistics I	R2 950
Business and Management I	R2 950
Port and Terminal Management I	R2 950
The Global Environment (elective)	R1 850
HIV and Communicable Diseases in KZN (elective)	R1 970

#### Semester Four

Shipping and Legal Practice II	R2 950
Logistics II	R2 950
Business and Management II	R2 950
Port and Terminal Management II	R2 950
Applied Science and Wellness	R2 950
<b>Total</b>	<b><u>R14 750</u></b>

#### Third Year Curriculum

##### Semester Five

Shipping and Legal Practice III	R2 950
Logistics III	R2 950
Business and Management III	R1 970
Port and Terminal Management III	R1 970
Equality and Diversity	R1 850
HIV and Communicable Diseases in KZN (elective)	R1 970
The Entrepreneurial Edge (elective)	R1 970
Applied Sciences and Society (elective)	R2 950
Applied Sciences for Environment Sustainability (Elective)	R2 950
Applied Sciences and Community Engagement (Elective)	R2 950

##### Semester Six

Maritime Shore-based Work Practice

#### Marine Engineering – Non-Diploma Programme NODIPM

##### Marine Engineering Diploma Programme NODIPM

The Department of Maritime Studies offers a Non-Diploma programme for Marine Engineering.

The broad outline for this source is as follows:

Entry requirements will be a successful completion of a Bachelor of Engineering Technology in Mechanical Engineering.

Applicants for the full marine engineering programme must apply for the Bachelor of Engineering Technology in Mechanical Engineering.

Successful students will now be ready for registering for Workplace Integrated Learning (WIL). Successful completion of statutory requirements for workshop training, ancillary safety courses and sea-time will allow the student to sit for an Engineer Watch keeper Certificate of Competency with the South African Maritime Safety

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

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#### APPLICATION FORMS

Contact the Central Applications Office (C.A.O)

**CAO Code:** DU-D-SL3

Address letters to:

Central Applications Office  
Private Bag X06  
Dalbridge  
4014

Tel: (031) 268 4444  
Fax: (031) 268 4422

Apply online: <http://www.cao.ac.za>

**Closing Date for Applications:** 30 September 2019

#### Financial Aid

For Financial Aid application for a DUT programme please apply online at [www.nsfas.org.za](http://www.nsfas.org.za) or call the NSFAS call centre on 0860 067 327.

For an explanation on how to fill out the application form, please go to [www.nsfas.org.za](http://www.nsfas.org.za) or contact the call centre on the number above.

Please note that completing a form does not guarantee Financial Aid. For further assistance, please consult the Department of Financial Aid and Scholarships on (031)373 2931/2557/2054.



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