



# 5 days Certificate Course on International Maritime Law Organised by Gujarat Maritime University in association with Dhaka International University

# From

12<sup>th</sup> February to 16<sup>th</sup> February 2025

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## About Gujarat Maritime University

Gujarat Maritime University (GMU) is an endeavour by the Gujarat Maritime Board (GMB), the state regulator for the ports and maritime activities in Gujarat. The University has been conceived by visionaries to address the burgeoning need for a skilled workforce in the ever-changing dynamics of the maritime sector. Gujarat Maritime University is a bespoke institution for advancing maritime education, training, and research in India. The University began its academic journey in the year 2019 and has established two schools so far namely, the School of Maritime Law, Policy and Administration, and the School of Maritime Management. The University commenced its academic journey in 2019 with the establishment of its first School the School of Maritime Law, Policy & Administration (SMLPA), which offers LL.M in Maritime Law and International Trade Law and Executive Diploma Programs in Maritime Law and International Trade Law. The University also offers MBA in shipping and Logistics and MBA in Port Management under its school of Maritime Management (SMM). In pursuit of creating an institution of global standards, GMU has collaborated with internationally prominent institutions like Erasmus University, STC International, CBS Executive, ISWAN, Maersk and APM Terminals and many more such alliances shall be forged in times to come.





## About Dhaka International University

Dhaka International University (DIU), established on April 7, 1995, is a renowned private university in Bangladesh, committed to delivering quality education and fostering academic excellence. Among its distinguished faculties, the Faculty of Law stands out as a pioneer in legal education and research since its inception in 1995. The faculty offers a range of programs, including the Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.), Master of Laws (LL.M.) (1-year and 2-year options), and the Master of Human Rights Laws (MHRL) (2 years), designed to meet the evolving demands of the legal profession. With a curriculum focused on critical thinking, legal expertise, and human rights advocacy, the faculty aims to produce competent legal professionals and scholars. DIU's Faculty of Law, led by dedicated academic leaders and experienced educators, provides students with the knowledge and skills necessary for success in the global legal arena.







## Introduction to the Certificate Course

Maritime law impacts everyday life as 90% and more of total trade and commerce in volume depends on it and yet as a sector it remains invisible. In a globalized world it is impossible for a country to operate in isolation. It is a less known fact about the shipping industry that a ship can be operated from one country, flagged for operational reasons to another and then has crew from yet another nation. Increasing mobility in the maritime space leads to various scenarios, such as ship arrests and cargo claims, providing excellent opportunities for experts in maritime law. This mobility primarily serves security, defence, and commercial purposes. However, the rules, regulations, and laws governing the maritime sector regulate mobility, exploration, and all other human-induced activities in the world's oceans.

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## **Course Details**

The course is designed for anyone who has a passion for shipping and the diverse legalities that ships need to comply with not just limited nationally but on an international level. The course is also aimed to attract those who are already working in the industry but strive to get on to a very exciting and challenging role.

## **Duration of the Online Course**

05 days

Dates 12<sup>th</sup> February to 16<sup>th</sup> February 2025

03:00 PM to 05:15 PM (IST).

Mode: Online

Platform: WebEx

## **Topics Covered**

Introduction to Law of the Sea

Law of Carriage of Goods by Sea

Laws applicable to the Ocean, Climate Change and Marine Pollution

**International Fisheries Governance** 

Maritime Dispute Settlement





## **Detailed Programme Outline**

| Date                                 | Session                         | Time                             | Resource Person   | Торіс   |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|---|
| 12 <sup>™</sup><br>February<br>2025  | Session 1<br>&<br>Session 2     | 03.00 PM to<br>04.00 PM<br>(IST) | <b>Dr. Mohit Gupta,</b><br>Assistant Professor,<br>Gujarat Maritime<br>University   | Law of the Sea,<br>Evolution,<br>Codification and,<br>Overview of<br>Maritime Zones |
|                                      |                                 | 04.15 PM to<br>05.15 PM<br>(IST) |   | Contemporary<br>Challenges in the<br>Ocean<br>Governance                            |
| 13 <sup>th</sup><br>February<br>2025 | Session 3<br>&<br>Session 4     | 03.00 PM to<br>04.00 PM<br>(IST) | <b>Dr. Abhay Singh</b><br>Director (I/C), School<br>of Maritime Law, Policy<br>and Administration<br>(SMLPA) and Assistant<br>Professor of Law,<br>Gujarat Maritime<br>University | Introduction to<br>Shipping and the<br>Law of Carriage of<br>Goods by Sea           |
|                                      |                                 | 04.15 PM to<br>05.15 PM<br>(IST) |   |   |
| 14 <sup>th</sup><br>February<br>2025 | Session 5<br>&<br>Session 6     | 03.00 PM to<br>04.00 PM<br>(IST) | <b>Dr. Mohit Gupta,</b><br>Assistant Professor,<br>Gujarat Maritime<br>University   | International<br>Fisheries<br>Governance  |
|                                      |                                 | 04.15 PM to<br>05.15 PM<br>(IST) |   |   |
| 15 <sup>th</sup><br>February<br>2025 | Session 7<br>&<br>Session 8     | 03.00 PM to<br>04.00 PM<br>(IST) | <b>Dr. Abhay Singh</b><br>Director (I/C), School<br>of Maritime Law, Policy<br>and Administration<br>(SMLPA) and Assistant<br>Professor of Law,<br>Gujarat Maritime<br>University | Laws applicable<br>to the Ocean,<br>Climate Change<br>and Marine<br>Pollution       |
|                                      |                                 | 04.15 PM to<br>05.15 PM<br>(IST) |   |   |
| 16 <sup>th</sup><br>February<br>2025 | Session 9<br>&<br>Session<br>10 | 03.00 PM to<br>04.00 PM<br>(IST) | <b>Ms. Shalini</b><br>Assistant<br>Professor of Law,<br>Gujarat Maritime<br>University  | Law of Admiralty<br>and Maritime<br>Dispute<br>Resolution                           |
|                                      |                                 | 04.15 PM to<br>05.15 PM<br>(IST) |   |   |



Registration form for Indian participants: https://forms.gle/6Qh8wWzBbA1nVUAZ8

**Registration form for Bangladesh participants:** <u>https://forms.gle/WWrTC8RSGpkRApGh6</u>

Attendees of the course will be provided with a Certificate of Participation.



## **Patrons**



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