

Programme jointly offered by Ghent University, Vrije Universiteit Brussel  
Master of Science in Maritime Science

Language of instruction: English

Programme version 4

## 1 General Courses 39 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001426 Port Technology <i>Patrick De Baets -- Department of Electromechanical, Systems and Metal Engineering</i>	5		1	A:1	150
2	B001427 Ship Technology <i>Evert Lataire -- Department of Civil Engineering</i>	5		1	A:1	150
3	B001432 Law of the Sea <i>Klaas Willaert -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	3		1	A:1	90
4	B001433 Maritime Law <i>Kristiaan Bernauw -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law</i>	3		1	A:1	90
5	B001514 Transport Economics and Policy <i>Frank Witlox -- Department of Geography</i>	3		1	A:1	90
6	B001512 Supply Chain Management <i>Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Yves Molenbruch</i>	5		1	A:2	150
7	B001511 Maritime and Port Economics <i>Theo Notteboom -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	4		1	A:2	120
8	B001428 Contemporary Port Problems <i>Daan Schalck -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	3		1	A:2	90
9	B001793 Transport Law <i>Kristiaan Bernauw -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law</i>	3		1	A:2	90
10	B001429 Study Trip and Field Trips <i>Frank Maes -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	5		1	A:J	150

## 2 Elective Courses 6 credits

Subscribe to 6 credit units from the following list. Subject to approval by the faculty.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001436 Port Planning <i>Theo Notteboom -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	6		1	B:2	180
2	B001435 Port History <i>Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Christiaan Koninckx</i>	3		1	A:1	90
3	B001794 Sustainable Mobility and Logistics <i>Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Cathy Macharis</i>	3		1	A:1	90
4	B001440 Transport Business Economics	3		1		90
5	B001443 Transport Insurance Law <i>Kristiaan Bernauw -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law</i>	3		1	A:1	90
6	B001439 Urban Mobility and Logistics <i>Frank Witlox -- Department of Geography</i>	3		1	A:1	90
7	B001441 Law of the Sea: Special Issues <i>Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Franckx Franckx</i>	6		1	A:2	160
8	B001445 Air Law <i>Mia Wouters -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	3		1	A:2	90
9	B001579 International and European Biodiversity Law <i>An Clïquet -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	3		1	A:2	90

10	B001444	International and European River Law <i>Marc De Decker -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	3	1	A:2	90
11	B001437	Spatial Analysis of Maritime and Port Development	3	1		90

### 3 Master's Dissertation

15 credits

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1	B001076 Master's Dissertation <i>Frank Maes -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	15		1	B:J	450

#### Teaching

When a course is not taught (solely) in the programme's language of instruction, the effectively used languages are indicated in square brackets following the course name, using the following ISO codes:

bg: Bulgarian	de: German	es: Spanish	ja: Japanese	pl: Polish	sh: Croatian/Serbian	zh: Chinese
cs: Czech	el: Greek	fr: French	nl: Dutch	pt: Portuguese	sl: Slovene	
da: Danish	en: English	it: Italian	no: Norwegian	ru: Russian	sv: Swedish	

#### Semester

Semesters are indicated by their number (1 or 2); semester 3 represents the summer period and J indicates a course spanning semesters 1 and 2. When a capital letter precedes a semester number, the course has multiple offerings. The letter indicates the offering concerned.

When a semester is shown in brackets, the course is not offered this year in the specific offering.

The offering frequency and first year of offering are indicated by the following codes:

a: bi-annually	c: annually, from 2023-2024	f: annually, from 2024-2025	i: annually, from 2025-2026
b: tri-annually	d: bi-annually, from 2023-2024	g: bi-annually, from 2024-2025	j: bi-annually, from 2025-2026
	e: tri-annually, from 2023-2024	h: tri-annually, from 2024-2025	k: tri-annually, from 2025-2026