

# Study in the field of

# LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT

## LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT is about...



- getting a product to the shelf or salesroom when you want to buy it;
- making sure that the necessary materials are available when a service has to be provided;
- sourcing the raw materials required to manufacture a product from local and international suppliers;
- transporting and warehousing the product throughout the world;
- planning and ensuring that all of this happens in a way that makes the customers happy and generates a profit for the business providing the product or service.

## Study

Undergraduate – BCom (Management Sciences)  
Focal area: Logistics Management

1 Year

### Introduction to Transport Economics and Logistics Systems 144

Introduction to the unique purpose of the transport system and the economic significance thereof.

### Logistics Management 214 & 244

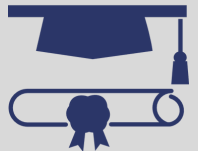
The main functional areas of Logistics Management are covered, including Demand Management, Order Management & Customer Service, Inventory in the Supply Chain, Supply Management, Sourcing & Procurement, and Transport & Distribution. *Complimentary subjects: Quantitative Management 214 & 244, Transport Economics 214 & 244, Financial or Marketing Management 214 & 244*

2 Year

### Logistics Management 314, 324, 344 & 354

The focus shifts to the more integrative elements of supply chain management (including Supply Chain Strategy, Network Analysis & Design, Performance Measurement, and Supply Chain Technology), as well as Logistics Analysis and Logistics Research. *Complimentary subjects: Project Management 314, Transport Economics or Marketing Management*

3 Year



## Focus

Postgraduate degrees:  
BComHons & MCom (Logistics Management)

## International Opportunities

The **BComHons** degree will provide an opportunity to:

- deepen knowledge in the field of Logistics Management;
- apply theoretical learning to business case projects with real companies; and
- prepare yourself for the workplace through the development of soft skills such as presentation skills, report writing, problem solving skills, and career management.

The **MCom** degree is research orientated and entails the completion of a thesis under the guidance of a lecturer. Projects are mostly undertaken in a business environment. Opportunities exist for exchange with various overseas universities, mainly situated in Europe.

## Career

Business Analyst, Consultant, Logistics / Transport / Supply Chain Manager

**Positions** held by some of our former students: Sourcing Analyst, Export Coordinator, Demand Planner, Contract Manager, Supply & Logistics Manager, Project Operations Manager, Operations Director

**Industries** in which our former students have been employed: Transport & Logistics, Retail (traditional and online), FMCG, IT & Software, Pharmaceutical, Beverage, Agriculture, Automotive, Mining, Professional Services, Humanitarian Aid

Potential employers



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