

Course Change Request

Date Submitted: 02/15/18 10:28 am

Viewing: **MARA 673 : International Maritime Industry Graduate Management Experience**

Last edit: 06/15/18 9:38 am

Changes proposed by: tlaverne

In Workflow

1. **MARA Department Head**
2. **Curricular Services Review**
3. **GV Committee Preparer GR**
4. **GV Committee Chair GR**
5. **GV College Dean GR**
6. **GC Preparer**
7. **GC Chair**
8. **Faculty Senate Preparer**
9. **Faculty Senate**
10. Provost II
11. President
12. Curricular Services
13. Banner

Approval Path

1. 02/15/18 11:53 am
Joan Mileski (mileskij):
Approved for MARA Department Head
2. 02/16/18 8:51 am
Sandra Williams (sandra-williams):
Approved for Curricular Services Review
3. 02/19/18 11:40 am
Nicole Kinslow (wilkinsn): Approved for GV Committee Preparer GR
4. 02/20/18 5:01 pm
Antionietta Quigg (quigga): Approved for GV Committee Chair GR
5. 03/08/18 11:31 am
Antionietta Quigg (quigga): Approved for GV College Dean GR
6. 03/09/18 10:15 am
LaRhessa Johnson (lrjohnson): Rollback to MARA Department Head for GC Preparer
7. 03/09/18 3:27 pm
Kris Knox (knoxj): Approved for MARA Department Head
8. 03/09/18 4:40 pm
Sandra Williams (sandra-williams): Approved for Curricular Services Review

Catalog Pages referencing this course [MARA - Maritime Administration](#)

Programs referencing this course [BS/MML-MARA/MAAL-GAD: Maritime Administration - 5-year Bachelor of Science/Master of Maritime Administration and Logistics](#)

Faculty Senate Number

Contact(s)

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Rationale for Course

Edit

Other

Explain other rationale

This is a Short Course

Course prefix MARA Course number 673

Department Maritime Administration

College/School Galveston Campus

Academic Level Graduate

Effective term **2018-2019 Galveston**

Complete Course Title

International Maritime Industry Graduate Management Experience

Abbreviated Course INTL MARITIME MGMT GRAD EXP

Title

Catalog course description

Combines classroom and graduate research work with international travel and provides the student direct contact with maritime industry managers. The trip emphasizes cultural and historical aspects of the maritime industry outside of the United States providing a better understanding of differing management styles, business practices, and regulatory focus.

Prerequisites and Restrictions

Graduate status.

Should catalog prerequisites / concurrent enrollment be enforced? No

Crosslistings No Crosslisted With

Stacked **Yes ~~No~~** Stacked with
MARA 493 - International Maritime Management Experience

Semester	1-4	Contact Hour(s)	Lecture:	1-4	Lab:	0	Other:	0
Credit Hour(s)		(per week):	Total	1-4				

Repeatable for credit? Yes

Number of times repeated for credit 2 - OR - Maximum number of hours

When will this course be repeated? Within a student's career

CIP/Fund Code 5211010016

Default Grade Mode Letter Grade(G)

Method of instruction
Lecture

Will sections of this course be taught as non-traditional? (i.e., parts of term, distance education) **Yes**

Learning Outcomes **Meets traditional face-to-face learning outcomes.**

9. 03/12/18 8:27 am
Nicole Kinslow
(wilkinsn): Approved for
GV Committee Preparer
GR
10. 03/12/18 8:27 am
Nicole Kinslow
(wilkinsn): Approved for
GV Committee Chair GR
11. 03/12/18 10:35 am
Antionietta Quigg
(quigga): Approved for
GV College Dean GR
12. 03/19/18 11:58 am
LaRhesa Johnson
(lrjohnson): Rollback to
MARA Department
Head for GC Preparer
13. 03/20/18 10:56 am
Kris Knox (knoxj):
Approved for MARA
Department Head
14. 03/20/18 11:04 am
Sandra Williams
(sandra-williams):
Approved for Curricular
Services Review
15. 03/20/18 11:05 am
Nicole Kinslow
(wilkinsn): Approved for
GV Committee Preparer
GR
16. 03/20/18 11:06 am
Nicole Kinslow
(wilkinsn): Approved for
GV Committee Chair GR
17. 03/23/18 4:33 pm
Antionietta Quigg
(quigga): Approved for
GV College Dean GR
18. 03/26/18 9:04 am
Meagan Kelly
(meagankelly):
Approved for GC
Preparer
19. 04/05/18 3:26 pm
LaRhesa Johnson
(lrjohnson): Approved
for GC Chair
20. 04/11/18 3:38 pm
Jan Helgoth (helgoth):
Approved for Faculty
Senate Preparer
21. 05/15/18 4:01 pm
Janet Gonzales (janet-
gonzales): Approved for
Faculty Senate
22. 06/15/18 9:38 am
Janet Gonzales (janet-
gonzales): Rollback to
Faculty Senate for
Provost II

Describe how learning outcomes are met or provide justification why they are not met.

The syllabus is attached this is a short course

Hours

Meets traditional face-to-face hours.

Describe how hours are met or provide justification why they are not met.

This course meets the 45 hours of face to face contact, Projects are due over 4 weeks

Will this course be taught as a distance education course? No

Is 100% of this course going to be taught in Texas? **No**

Will classroom space be needed for this course? **No**

This will be a required course or an elective course for the following programs:

Required (select program)

Program(s)
(MML-MAAL) Master of Maritime Administration and Logistics in Maritime Administration and Logistics

Elective (select program)

Course Syllabus

Syllabus: Upload syllabus

Upload syllabus [MARA 673 Syllabus FINAL_2018 \(002\).docx](#)
[MARA 493 Syllabus FINAL_2018.docx](#)

Letters of support or other documentation No

Additional information

Reviewer Comments **Joan Mileski (mileskij) (02/11/18 8:22 pm):** Rollback: This is a short course not an online course. See me.
Joan Mileski (mileskij) (02/13/18 3:20 pm): Rollback: see me
Sandra Williams (sandra-williams) (02/13/18 7:02 pm): Rollback: Form shows it is a stacked course - it is unclear in the syllabus the difference in grading for UG and GR students.
Sandra Williams (sandra-williams) (02/16/18 8:51 am): Moving forward, however, the grading in both syllabi appear to be the same for UG/GR students. Minimum syllabus requirements state "stacked courses...must clearly indicate additional work required for graduate students".
LaRhesa Johnson (lrjohnson) (03/09/18 10:15 am): Rollback: Per department request
LaRhesa Johnson (lrjohnson) (03/19/18 11:58 am): Rollback: Per department request
Janet Gonzales (janet-gonzales) (06/15/18 9:38 am): Rollback: Glitch in CARS, was not "approved" to be moved to Provost II.

**MARA 493 International Maritime Management Experience
Maritime Aspects of Greece: Firms, ports, operations and culture.**

May 13 – May 27, 2018

Location: Athens, Piraeus, Delfi, Aigina, Greece

Meeting times: 2 weeks minimester 2018, 8AM to 8 PM, but with study times off as appropriate

Dr. Nikolaos Mykoniatis

Email: mykonian@tamug.edu

Office: Department of Maritime Administration (CLB), Room 218A

Phone: 409-741-4012 (Office)

This course consists of group discussions, visits and presentations by representatives of firms, ports, and institutions that will take place in Athens, Piraeus, Delfi, and the island of Aigina, Greece. Other means of communication, such as video, might take place.

Grading

Students' grade will be based on 1) a written project (80%) and 2) participation (20%).

- The topic of the written project is for students to discuss lessons learned in maritime administration, port operation and firm organization from their trip to Greece, as well as the extent to which these concepts can be applied in the US maritime industry and/or worldwide. The paper written by students should address the following broad question: 1) How the trip has benefit the student professionally and 2) How the trip has benefited the student personally/culturally. The written project should be prepared individually and should be no more than 10 and no less than 8 pages long for undergraduate students. In addition, it should be typed, single spaced and have one inch margins with font of 12 point. The written project should be in the following form: i) introduction, ii) professional benefit of trip, iii) cultural/personal benefit, iv) conclusion. The deadline of the written project will 2 weeks after the program formally ends (June 14, 2018). Papers will be submitted via email (mykonian@tamug.edu). **In order for the paper to be accepted, students should have full points received in participation (20% explained below). That is if a student misses a single daily activity, he/she will not be allowed to submit the paper and will fail the class.**
- Students will receive full credit on participation if they show up for the daily activities. **If a student will not show up for a daily activity he/she will automatically receive the grade of zero in participation.** Students are encouraged to take notes and/or photos during their studyabroad course, as they will help them organize the information they will be getting exposed.

Grading scale is:

- A 90-100
- B 80-89
- C 70-79
- D 60-69
- F 0-59

Course Prerequisites:

For MARA 493 the prerequisites are junior or senior standing and MARA 205, MARA 250, MARA 301 and 302 or permission of instructor.

Major Learning Outcomes:

- a) Knowledge: Recognize, outline, and repeat previously learned information on maritime aspects and maritime industries;
- b) Comprehension: Describe and summarize an understanding of the local industry and maritime aspects, and extend this comprehension to maritime aspects and industries worldwide;
- c) Application: Demonstrate an understanding of the factors that make existing maritime firms and port operations successful and communicate it effectively using written and presentation techniques;
- d) Cultural exposure: Understand and appreciate the maritime history cultural aspects of Greece that make it successful in the maritime world;
- e) Synthesis: Compile all the above information and be able to critically apply them in maritime industries in US and worldwide.

Course Objectives:

The main purpose of the course is to blend technical maritime knowledge, already acquired at the university level, with real-life industry and port operations, as well as cultural exposure to enhance students understanding about successful maritime operations.

Required Text:

There is no required text book for this course. Students will be required to collect information from the internet and keep notes on all topics discussed.

American Disability Act

The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is a federal non-discrimination statute that provides comprehensive civil rights protection for persons with disabilities. Among other things, this law requires that all students with disabilities be guaranteed a learning environment that provides for reasonable accommodation of their disabilities. If you believe you have a disability requiring an accommodation, please contact the Counseling Office, Seibel Student Center, or call (409)740-4587. For additional information visit <http://www.tamug.edu/counsel/Disabilities.html>.

Academic Integrity

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Attendance

The university views class attendance as an individual student responsibility. All students are expected to attend class and to complete all assignments.

Absences

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