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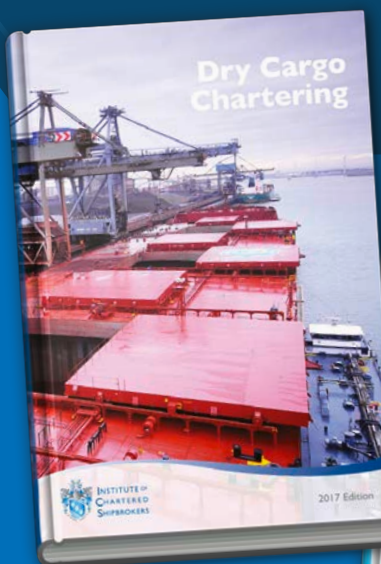
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SHIPPING BUSINESS

- The shipping business entity
- Shipping business sectors
- Business ethics
- Geography of trade
- International trade and finance
- Business communications
- Shipping organisations – their role and contribution

DRY CARGO CHARTERING

- Ships
- Cargoes and trade routes
- Freight markets
- Contracts
- Bill of lading
- Charting market practice
- Financial elements of charter parties
- Laytime
- Calculations
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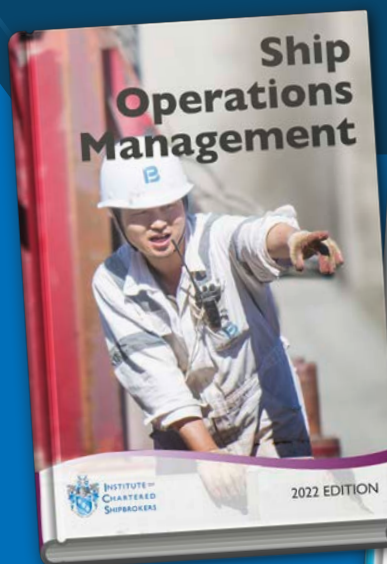
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SHIP OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

- Shipowners, operators and managers
- Ship types
- Cargoes
- Registration, classification, port state control, ISM code
- Costs
- Accounting
- Crewing
- Marine insurance
- Bunker management

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Geography of trade
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Business communications
Shipping organisations – their role and contribution

SHIP SALE AND PURCHASE

The ship
Geography
Registration and classification
The parties involved
Markets
Contracts and documentation
Negotiation
Finance
Valuations
Legal aspects of sale and purchase

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The trades
Freight markets
Contracts
Bill of lading
Charting market practice
The financial elements of charter parties
Laytime
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- Business ethics
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- International trade and finance
- Business communications
- Shipping organisations – their role and contribution

LINER TRADES

- Basic definitions and principles in the liner trades
- The ships
- Port terminals and cargo handling
- Liner shipping organisation and management
- Containerisation, intermodal transport and logistics
- Forms of co-operation in the liner industry
- Bills of lading and other documents
- Tariff construction, pricing and agreements
- Legal aspects of liner trades
- Business issues in the liner trades

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PORT AGENCY

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Cargoes and trade routes
Registration, classification and surveys
Port Agency operations
Ship documentation
Charter parties
Port working documentation
Cargo documentation
Legal aspects of Port Agency

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- Shipping organisations – their role and contribution

LOGISTICS AND MULTI-MODAL TRANSPORT

- International distribution
- Physical operation
- Trade routes
- The practitioners
- Through transport pricing
- Inventory management
- Sale contracts and documentation
- Conventions relating to multi-modal transport
- Regulation
- Sales and marketing

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PORT AND TERMINAL MANAGEMENT

Aim
Ports and their functions
Ships and cargoes
Port management
Port competition and marketing
Port pricing
Legal aspects of port management
Port planning
Port finance
Port equipment
Port ownership

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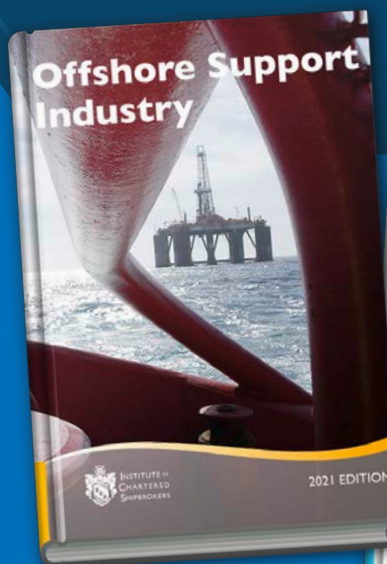
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Aim
Vessels
Oil and gas business
World regional markets
Chartering markets
Workscopes
Offshore construction
Contracts and commercial aspects
HSE and security
OSV management and operations
General

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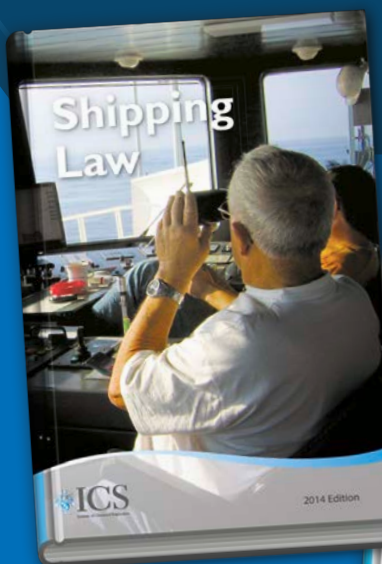
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Ship ownership and admiralty jurisdiction
Legal aspects of charter parties
Legal aspects of bills of lading
Conventions on carriage of goods by sea
General average, salvage and towage
Collision
Pollution and the environment
Shipowners' limitation of liability and passengers
Dispute resolution

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- The shipping business entity
- Shipping business sectors
- Business ethics
- Geography of trade
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MARINE INSURANCE

- Shipowners, operators and managers
- The principles of marine insurance
- The practice of marine insurance
- Claims
- General average

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- The nature of the shipping business
- The current status of the ship finance market
- The lender's perspective in the ship financing decision
- Equity as a source of finance in the shipping business
- Debt financing and the bond markets
- Alternative sources of ship finance
- Types of loans used in shipping finance
- Securitisation
- KS and KG ship financing
- Significance of the debt-equity structure for a shipping company
- Islamic finance in shipping
- Legal issues in shipping finance

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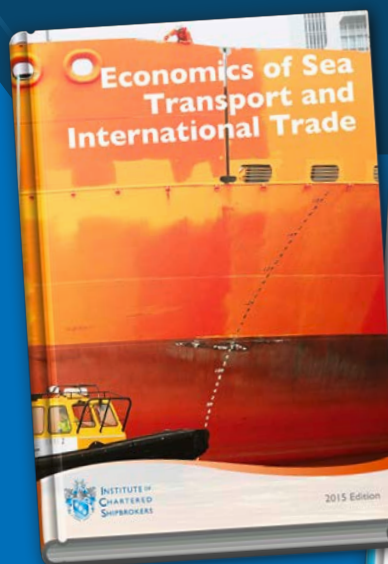
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ECONOMICS OF SEA TRANSPORT AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE

Basic economic concepts
The demand for shipping
The supply of shipping
Cost analysis and economies of scale
Competitive markets – tramps
Competitive markets – tankers
Liner trades – oligopoly and the competitive market
Ports, canals and waterways
Shipping and international trade
Exchange rates and balance of payments

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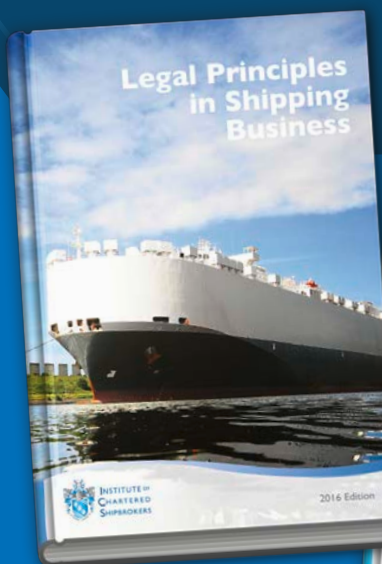
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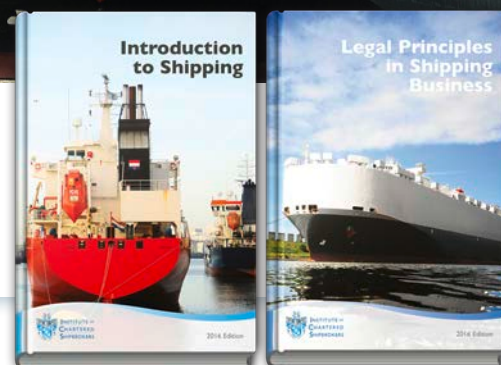
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LEGAL PRINCIPLES IN SHIPPING BUSINESS

- Introduction to the law
- Contract
- Tort
- Agency
- Voyage charterparties
- Bills of lading
- Law and the carriage of goods by sea
- Common areas of dispute and dispute resolution
- Other international conventions and general average

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