



भारतीय समुद्री विश्वविद्यालय
INDIAN MARITIME UNIVERSITY
(A Central University under the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Govt. of India)
Established by an Act of the Parliament in 2008

POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN MARITIME LAW (PGDML)

SCHOOL OF MARITIME MANAGEMENT,
IMU CHENNAI CAMPUS

**ADMISSIONS OPEN
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Program Overview

The PGDML is a specialized academic program designed for graduates and professionals seeking to advance their expertise in the field of Maritime Law. Delivered in an online format, the program is particularly suited for:

- Practicing advocates
- Maritime professionals across shipping, logistics, and regulatory sectors
- Officers from the Indian Navy, Indian Coast Guard, and Port Authorities
- Seafarers and Certificate of Competency (CoC) holders with sailing experience

Certificate Courses Offered

1. Certificate in Maritime Law
2. Certificate in Shipping and Admiralty Law
3. Certificate in Marine Insurance Law
4. Certificate in Maritime Arbitration & Dispute Resolution

Program Highlights



Modular Structure

Comprises four distinct certificate courses



Duration

3 months per certificate (maximum 3 years to complete all)



Credits

40 credits total
(10 credits per certificate)



Pedagogy

Case-based learning with practical insights



Delivery Mode

Online learning with 10 hours of contact classes per course

Eligibility Criteria

- Graduates from any discipline
- CoC holders or seafarers with a minimum of two years of sailing experience may enroll in individual certificate courses.
- Such candidates will be eligible for the award of PGDML upon successful completion of all four certificate courses, provided they are graduates at the time of enrolment of the first certificate course of their choice

Upon successful completion of all four certificates, candidates will be awarded the Post Graduate Diploma in Maritime Law (PGDML)

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Important Dates



Registration Opens : 15.09.2025

Registration Closes : 10.10.2025