

## SEMESTER BY SEMESTER SUMMARY

MIPMAL is a two-year programme of 120 credits (30/semester). All courses will be taught in English.

### Semester 1

#### View from the sea side

Module 1. Port Services & Operations.  
30 ECTS

##### Course list:

- MIP1.1 Introduction to MIPMAL
- MIP1.2 Operations & Services in Ports
- MIP1.3 Terminal Design & Construction
- MIP1.4 Cargo-Handling Equipment & Technology
- MIP1.5 Energy Transition
- MIP1.6 Sustainable Port Cities

### Semester 2

#### View from the land side

Module 2. Port Economics & Logistics.  
30 ECTS

##### Course list:

- MIP2.1 Port Governance
- MIP2.2 Strategic and Port Master Plans
- MIP2.3 Economic Evaluation of Port Infrastructure
- MIP2.4 Port Competition & Competitiveness
- MIP2.5 Supply Chain Management
- MIP2.6 Port Logistics Organisations and Sustainable Financial Instruments
- Governance, Regulation and Compliance
- Current Issues in Sustainable Management

### Semester 3

#### Connections among both sides

Module 3. Port Law & Digitalisation.  
30 ECTS

##### Course list:

- MIP3.1 Logistics Modelling
- MIP3.2 Digitalisation and IT Tools
- MIP3.3 Introduction to the International Law of the Sea
- MIP3.4 Core Issues and Development of Maritime Shipping Law
- MIP3.5 Port Activities and the Environment
- MIP3.6 Research Methods

### Semester 4

#### Master Dissertation

Module 4. 30 ECTS

- **MIP4.1 OPTION A.** Industrial track: Internship (minimum 3 months) + Master's Dissertation
- **MIP4.2 OPTION B.** Research track. Master's Dissertation

Joint Master's Degree in

# Port Management and Logistics

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# Why MIPMAL?

Step into the **dynamic world of maritime logistics** with the Joint Master in Port Management and Logistics (MIPMAL) designed in collaboration with the Ports Authorities of SEA-EU territories. Gain **expertise in port operations**, sustainable transport systems, and logistics integration. **Study across five prestigious coastal universities** and learn to navigate the complexities of digital environments and energy transitions. With the growing demand for **skilled professionals in port and logistics management**, MIPMAL prepares you to lead in a thriving sector of global trade.

**Maritime logistics**  
**Digital transformation**  
**Energy transition**  
**Supply chain efficiency**



# Where will you study?

MIPMAL is co-created by **five universities of SEA-EU**, European University of the seas:

- University of Cadiz (Spain) - UCA
- University of Split (Croatia) - UNIST
- University of Gdansk (Poland) - UG
- University of Malta (Malta) - UM
- University of Algarve (Portugal) - UAlg

MIPMAL includes a mandatory **12-month mobility period** to be performed in the second year. To be eligible for mobility in the final semester of the MIPMAL programme, students must have successfully completed all the credits from the first year.

COHORT	YEAR 1		YEAR 2	
	Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 1	Semester 2
2025/2027	UCA	UCA	UG	Pathway

# Learning Outcomes

The Master comprises of **four different modules** each semester respectively:

- Port Services & Operations
- Port Economics & Logistics
- Port Law & Digitalisation
- Research Track

The Research Track module in the second semester of the second year offers two different options for the final project:

- Industrial Master's Dissertation: Internship = 20 ECTS (minimum 3 months) + Dissertation (10 ECTS).
- Research Track: Master's Dissertation = 30 ECTS.

The **co-teaching model** for MIPMAL is a collaborative approach that integrates the expertise of five participating universities, enriched with sessions from external industry experts. This model ensures **comprehensive, interdisciplinary training** that aligns with current industry needs and trends. In this model, each university is responsible for teaching specific modules based on its academic strengths and expertise.

Lecturers from all five universities collaborate to ensure the programme's content is coherent and well-integrated.

# Practical Information

## Price

- 4.500€ / year
- Scholarships are available for european and non european students.

## We will also take in consideration:

- Very good results from a first degree.
- Proven interest in environmental and/or social issues.
- Europass CV in English (max. 2 pages) recommended.

## Who can apply?

We will consider applicants who are openminded and highly motivated and at least:

- Have a first degree at Bachelor's level (EQF Level 5), or equivalent from a recognised tertiary education institution
- Have a B2 level of English
- Must be ready to take part in a minimum of two mobilities during the programme

## How to apply?

- Check our website for more informations on how to apply.
- Follow us on social media, to have up to date informations.
- You can **contact** [jointprmanager@sea-u.org](mailto:jointprmanager@sea-u.org)



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