



Dear [Approving Manager],

I'd like to request your approval to attend the **MSc Sustainable Maritime Operations**, starting on 15 September 2025 with an application deadline for 8 September 2025.

This **prestigious online master's programme** is delivered by the UK's leading centre for maritime and engineering courses in partnership with Lloyd's Maritime Academy. I will be learning from the top experts in the industry about the topics and issues that relate directly to our priorities and current challenges.

For instance, by the end of the programme I will be able to:

- Critically assess vessel safety, operational efficiency, and regulatory compliance in marine technical operations
- Demonstrate advanced understanding of international convention compliance systems and certification processes
- Analyse shipping economics, ship finance, and operational aspects of ship management
- Demonstrate a critical understanding of the law relating to international sales and the carriage of cargo
- Appraise contemporary issues within salvage, ship arrest, and maritime liens
- Analyse cargo claims and legal issues involving carriers and charterers
- Analyse trade patterns within geopolitical contexts and international transport options
- Analyse projects in terms of time, cost, and quality management
- Identify and evaluate operational risks throughout project lifecycles

While in the programme, I'll have the opportunity to pick the brains of like-minded students and colleagues from across the globe, and some of the most respected experts in the sector.

Here are the modules I believe would be most valuable to me:

- **Module Title**
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As a student, I will return with all presentation materials. Therefore, I'd like the opportunity to review the materials with you and discuss how we can best leverage my time in this master's programme.

Thank you for considering my request. I look forward to discussing the MSc in Sustainable Maritime Operations in more detail.

Sincerely,
[NAME]