

Common Course Outline
TDML 155
Maritime Transportation and Distribution Technology
3 Credits

The Community College of Baltimore County

Description

TDML 155 – Maritime Transportation and Distribution Technology examines the use of computer concepts and applications for the transportation and distribution of goods in the maritime industry. Students will be given a broad understanding of the industry through the use of computer technology.

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Prerequisites: (ENGL 052, RDNG 052) or ACLT 052 and MATH 082

Overall Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course students will be able to:

1. examine maritime computing concepts and applied distribution technology;
2. evaluate various networking structures to improve business strategies;
3. describe maritime global electronic commerce;
4. analyze emerging technologies and operating systems;
5. apply computer hardware and software applications in real-world scenarios; and
6. describe effective maritime computer technological usage.

Major Topics

- I. Maritime Computer
 - A. Data Security
 - B. Network Systems
- II. Networking Structures
 - A. Business Applications
 - B. Industry Trends
 - C. Business Use of the Internet/Extranet
- III. Maritime Global Electronic Commerce
 - A. Tracking
 - B. Weather
 - C. Electronic Data Interchange (EDI)
- IV. Technology and Operating Systems Innovations
- V. Real-World Computer and Technology Scenarios
- VI. Effective Technology Usage

Course Requirements

Grading procedures will be determined by the individual faculty member but will include the following:

Exams

- A minimum of three exams

Written Assignments: Students are required to use appropriate academic resources. The individual faculty member will determine specific writing assignments but must include:

- A minimum of two individual written case analyses
- A minimum of one team case analysis

Other Course Information

This core course is a requirement for a Transportation, Distribution, and Maritime Logistics AAS degree program and certificate.

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