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#### REVIEW

of the Maritime Industry Management Educational and Scientific Programme  
of the Third (Educational and Scientific) Higher Education Level  
of 07 Management and Administration Field of Knowledge  
in 073 Management Speciality,  
Prepared by National University 'Odesa Maritime Academy'

The educational programme was developed by teachers of National University 'Odesa Maritime Academy' together with employers, so it meets the requirements of both the academic and transport communities, which makes it as close as possible to the realities of the activities of maritime enterprises.

The modern labour market in the field of water transport is characterized by very high requirements for the education of top and middle managers, managers of various profiles. Specialists of the highest category, which include postgraduate training programme graduates, should master modern approaches to the management of maritime enterprises, know well the specifics of the activities of participants in the market of transport services, and know a methodology of management of enterprises of sea and inland water transport.

Students of this programme have a wide range of knowledge about the peculiarities of functioning of shipping and operating companies, the peculiarities of principles of functioning of the global freight market.

The ability to think creatively, develop new ideas, substantiate them, and apply them in practice is also important. Very important skills for specialists in the economic profile of transport enterprises are proficiency in English, resistance to stress, and communication skills.

Taking into account these requirements, I believe that the educational programme contains all the necessary educational components to acquire knowledge, skills, and abilities aimed at training highly qualified personnel for the maritime industry. Goals and results of the programme meet these requirements, are formulated correctly, in detail, and, importantly, take into account industry specifics.

The scientific part of the programme provides for applied research, the subject of which corresponds to the specialty of Management and takes into account the peculiarities of the maritime industry.

In my opinion, the specialists trained under the Maritime Industry Management educational and scientific programme of the postgraduate training programme of National University 'Odesa Maritime Academy' will be in demand by employers—enterprises of the maritime industry. Therefore, I consider it expedient to train applicants for the Doctor of Philosophy degree on the basis of the Maritime Industry Management educational programme at National University 'Odesa Maritime Academy.'

Sincerely Yours,  
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