



Global Trade Compliance

Certificate

Why this Programme is for You

The KBS Certificate in Global Trade Compliance is designed for those involved in trade with non-EU countries, whether as managers, front-line operatives or business operators. This programme is designed to advance your understanding in how to navigate the growing complexity of customs and other regulations, especially with the implementation of full border controls in the UK, and a radical reform programme in the EU.

This programme is specifically tailored by industry experts to fill the skills gap created by an explosion in demand for certified expertise in Ireland and Northern Ireland since Brexit. On completion, you will have an internationally recognised qualification that will open new career possibilities and will increase your abilities and confidence in designing, planning, and managing complex international supply chains.



Professional and Personal Gain

You will be capable of anticipating and dealing with all the formalities associated with inbound and outbound Customs and compliance processes. You will be familiar with the “pillars” of Customs – Classification, Origin and Valuation. You will understand Customs controls generally, their rationale and operation. Learn to prepare for controls based on security concerns as well as regulations governing trade in high risk and dual use goods.

You will know how to use simplifications, authorisations and special procedures to minimise cost and disruption. You will understand how to deal with different authorities, particularly in Ireland, Northern Ireland and the UK.

You will be comfortable with the procedures for importing, and you will know how to research the rules and regulations of export markets. Overall, you will have a broad professional competence, and the ability to locate the most up to date relevant information on specific issues.

Candidate Profile and Requirements

Programme participants should be involved in international trade, transport or Customs services. Your role should involve one or more of; preparation of documents, managing the logistics function, import procurement or export sales, customs compliance, provision of customs services and supply chain planning and management.

A strong knowledge of the compliance requirements of International Trade is required. Recognised prior learning (RPL) will be considered for suitable applicants.

'I got such a wealth of information and thoroughly enjoyed the programme, the standard of material and access to industry experts was exceptional'

Denise Gavin, current student
of Global Trade Compliance

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NFQ Level 7
1 Year
Part-Time
Online

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Our Learning Approach

This programme is designed for busy professionals, delivered 100% online and offers a flexible learning environment for maximum engagement, with minimum stress.

Learning is facilitated through extensive interaction and engagement with fellow professionals, leading academics and industry practitioners. Modules are assessed through ongoing and continuing assessment and feedback cycles.

Modules run in sequence, during which you will have the opportunity to engage and interact with fellow industry professional learners and share learning experiences and reflect on new knowledge gained and its impact on your personal learning.

Course Content

Semester 1

Export In the Context Of Global Supply Chain:

Examine the key principles of underlying export procedures and protocols within the EU and globally. Investigate the legislative basis and the mechanisms required for export compliance.

Advanced Practices In Classification:

Develop an understanding and practical ability to correctly classify, value and determine origin for materials being imported or exported by their organisations. Investigate the legislative basis and the mechanisms required for import and export compliance.

Applications of Security Controls:

Explore the main import and export security controls. Understand your, and your organisation's, obligations in complying with these controls and understand the frameworks and structures both within the EU and Internationally.

Principles 2, Customs Controls:

The aim of this module is to provide you with an understanding of customs controls and how they impact the organisation. You will develop an understanding of the legislative basis and the mechanisms required for import and export compliance with customs in the EU.

Importing in the context of the Global Supply Chain:

Investigate and understand the principles of importing into the EU and Ireland, the legislative basis and the mechanisms required for import compliance.

Semester 2

Skills Portfolio:

Develop the ability to promote both the understanding & development of a range of skills appropriate to the performance of Global Trade Compliance, Import/Export & Supply Chain roles in modern organisations. Create an opportunity to reflect on your previous experiences & past learning and accreditations.

Case Study:

Integrate your learnings across a range of subjects within the Global Trade Compliance sector. Develop analytical skills in identifying the key management problems depicted within the case study. Apply knowledge and techniques gained across programme modules by solving the key management problem(s) identified.

Strategic Supply Chain & Logistics Frameworks:

Learn practical information for application in organisations and develop your understanding of how transport and logistics is part of the wider supply chain and appreciate how the two concepts together continue to drive growth and efficiency.

Managing Change & Conflict:

Explore the key role of the frontline manager; environmental triggers for change; impact of change at organisational, team and individual levels; resistance to change and strategies to overcome resistance. Develop an understanding of organisational culture and climate; and major change strategies and the HRM implications.

Industry Learning Project:

Combine previously learned material with your individual talents to solve real-life industry projects. Develop your ability and techniques in organising and directing your own work.