



### Certified in Logistics, Transportation and Distribution (CLTD)

#### The Association for Supply Chain Management (APICS / ASCM): International Certification



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Join the more than 1,000 professionals since the program launch in 2016 who have mastered essential knowledge and concepts to streamline logistics operations.

#### Why you should earn the CLTD designation?

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The APICS CLTD Learning System is a comprehensive professional development and exam preparation program. It consists of eight reading modules and interactive, web-based study tools that reflect the new APICS CLTD Exam Content Manual (ECM). This program provides a comprehensive body of knowledge and standards for those in the logistics, transportation and distribution industries. Each module will further empower you with an understanding of best practices, knowledge and skills necessary to maximize your organization's efficiency and impact the bottom line. No matter where you are in your career, earning the CLTD credential will demonstrate your mastery of a broad range of logistic, transportation and distribution topics.

#### APICS/AST&L Merger

- APICS merged with the American Society of Transportation and Logistics (AST&L) in 2015.
- Better integration of logistics, transportation and distribution in the end-to-end supply chain.
- Replacing AST&L's certified in Transportation and Logistics (CTL) certification and create the new, expanded CLTD.

## The benefits of earning the CLTD designation

- Gain recognition in the field as a logistics expert
- Build credibility and set yourself apart from peers
- Learn latest trends in global supply chain logistics
- Impact your organization's bottom line
- Demonstrate logistics mastery of knowledge

## Earning the CLTD credential will help you:

- Master the essential knowledge needed for the logistics, transportation & distribution industry
- Bring new ideas to your organization
- Remain current with global logistics trends & developments
- Boost your confidence with recognition as a logistics expert
- Reduce costs & impact your organization's bottom line

## Who Should Consider CLTD?

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Logistics manager/engineer</li><li>• Logistician/analyst</li><li>• Logistics planner/specialist</li><li>• Distribution manager</li><li>• Global sourcing, import/export</li><li>• Inventory and logistics</li><li>• Consulting firms</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Supply chain logistics</li><li>• Traffic manager/analyst</li><li>• Transportation/fleet manager</li><li>• Vendor managed inventory</li><li>• Warehouse operations manager</li><li>• Warehousing distribution</li><li>• Reverse logistics</li></ul>
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Employer Types	Industry Sectors	Transportation / Distribution Sub-domains
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 3PLs and logistics services –Asset based, non-asset based</li><li>• Manufacturing firms–Direct or indirect</li><li>• Retailers</li><li>• Government/military</li><li>• Mega-construction</li><li>• Energy production/supply</li><li>• Large distributors</li><li>• Importers/exporters</li><li>• Service industry providers</li><li>• Consulting firms</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Automotive</li><li>• Commodities &amp; industrial</li><li>• Defence &amp; government</li><li>• Food &amp; beverage</li><li>• Healthcare</li><li>• Energy, oil, &amp; gas</li><li>• Pharmaceuticals &amp; chemicals</li><li>• Retail</li><li>• Technology</li><li>• Humanitarian aid</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Air cargo</li><li>• Contract logistics</li><li>• Freight forwarding</li><li>• Intermodal</li><li>• IT solutions</li><li>• Road freight</li><li>• Ocean freight</li><li>• Warehousing</li><li>• Humanitarian aid</li></ul>

## About the CLTD program content

Divided into nine modules across four books, the Learning System content is integrated with best practices in the day-to-day functions of logistics professionals to drive improvement in distribution and transportation, maximize efficiency and impact the bottom line.

<p><b>Module 1: Logistics Overview and Strategy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Logistics Fundamentals</li><li>• Logistics Strategy</li><li>• Lean Logistics</li></ul> <p><b>Module 2: Logistics Network Design</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Facilities Planning and Network Design</li><li>• Risk Management</li></ul> <p><b>Module 3: Sustainability and Reverse Logistics</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sustainability</li><li>• Reverse Logistics</li></ul> <p><b>Module 4: Capacity Planning and Demand Management</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Aligning Supply and Demand</li><li>• Translating Demand into Capacity Planning</li><li>• Demand Management</li><li>• Sourcing and Procurement of Inventory</li></ul>	<p><b>Module 5: Order Management</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Customer Relationship Management (CRM)</li><li>• Order Management</li><li>• Customer Service Management (CSM)</li></ul> <p><b>Module 6: Inventory Management</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Inventory Management in Logistics</li></ul> <p><b>Module 7: Warehouse Management</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Warehousing Strategy and Management</li><li>• Packaging and Materials Handling</li></ul> <p><b>Module 8: Transportation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Transportation Fundamentals</li><li>• Modes of Transportation</li><li>• Transportation Management</li></ul> <p><b>Module 9: Global Logistics</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Infrastructure and System</li><li>• Regulations</li><li>• Customs Clearing and Documentation</li><li>• Finance and Payment Options</li><li>• Currency and Tax Consideration</li></ul>
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## Methods of delivery

This course could only be delivered as self-study as most learners are enrolling on a self-study basis. We are not able to get an economical viable class together

## Eligibility

No formal eligibility is needed but it would be an advantage if you did complete a program in Supply Chain management. Examples are:

- PPIM (Principles of Production & Inventory Management) or
- One or more of the APICS Principle series courses
- Similar industry qualifications or experience

## Exams and Assessments

An APICS international examination, which assesses you by a series of multiple-choice questions. The exams are Computer Based only. All APICS certification exams will be done on demand. Students can book any date and time throughout the year to take the exam. You will only be able to schedule your exam once you have paid the examination fee and received the Authority to Test (ATT) email from APICS. The exam scores are based on scaled scores. Time allowed to complete the CPIM exam is 3.5 hours for each exam.

**When purchasing a bundle, all costs are included (material, on-line access to the learning system, membership, & examination fee, as well as a free re-write in the event that you fail) T's & C's apply**

## Certification Maintenance

In order to keep your CPIM designation you are required to maintain it. Certification maintenance cycles run in five-year intervals, commencing from the date of initial certification and ending the last day of the month that initial certificate was received (5 years later). The link to the Certification Maintenance is

<https://www.ascm.org/learning-development/certifications-credentials/certification-maintenance/>

Please do not hesitate to contact me for any assistance or further questions.

Enjoy your day!

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