



# Dangerous Goods

## Course Pre-Requisites

Course participants will be currently engaged in the transportation, packing, consolidating, shipment, handling, documentation, processing, and any other part of the transport chain, including rail, road, and shipping where dangerous goods are being offered for shipment.

Minimum age: 18 years

Education: Completion of year 10.

## Scheduled Dates

- On demand

## Course Fee

Determined by course and venue

### Includes:

- AMC Search writing materials
- Course notes and reference documents, including AMSA Dangerous, Hazardous and Harmful Cargoes Handbook and access to the 2008 IMDG Code

## Venue

Determined by client. Courses can be conducted at AMC or onsite

## Course Description

The course is designed to meet the requirements for mandatory Dangerous Goods training as per the IMDG Code 2008, which states: *Shore-based personnel engaged in the transport of dangerous goods intended to be transported by sea shall receive training in the contents of dangerous goods provisions, commensurate with their responsibilities;*

## Course Aim

To meet the mandatory requirements contained in Chapter 1.3 of the 2008 Edition IMDG Code, and in particular, within the guidelines enumerated in table 1.3.1.5 "Recommended training needs for shore-side personnel involved in the transport of Dangerous Goods under the IMDG Code" and to render course participants competent, according to their responsibilities, in the offering for transportation, shipment preparation, handling, packaging, documentation, storage, stevedoring, stowage and transportation of Dangerous Goods within Australia.

Separate courses have been developed to address the training requirements for the functions as listed in Table 1.3.1.5 of the IMDG Code, 2008.

1. Dangerous Goods Course for Shippers, Packers and Consolidators
2. Dangerous Goods Course for Shipping and Shipping Agency Administrative Staff
3. Dangerous Goods Course for Road Transport, Railway and Terminal Operators
4. Dangerous Goods Course for Shipping Terminal Supervisors, Ship Planners and Ship Officers.

The course required will be determined by the function performed by participants.

## Course Times

0900-1700

*May be varied to suit client*

## Course Approval

The course is approved by AMSA as meeting the required of Marine Orders Part 41, Issue 10, Provision 7



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## Course, Function and Duration

### Course 1: Shippers, Packers, Consolidators

<b>Function:</b> Pack Dangerous Goods Mark Label or Placard Dangerous Goods. Load/Unload CTUs	
<b>DURATION:</b>	16 hours – conducted over 2 extended days, or 2.5 days

### Course 2: Shipping and Shipping Agency Clerical Staff

<b>Function:</b> Offer Dangerous Goods for Transport Accept Dangerous Goods for Transport	
<b>DURATION:</b>	14 hours – conducted over 2 days

### Course 3: Road transport, Railway and Terminal operators

<b>Function:</b> Handle Dangerous Goods in Transport	
<b>DURATION:</b>	14 hours – conducted over 2 days

### Course 4: Shipping, Terminal Supervisors, Ship Planners, Ship Officers

<b>Function:</b> Prepare Dangerous Goods Loading Stowage Plans Unloading/Loading Dangerous Goods into from Ships Carry Dangerous Goods Enforce Survey or Inspect for Compliance with applicable rules and regulations	
<b>DURATION:</b>	18 hours – conducted over 2.5 days

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## Safety Information

Course participants are requested to note the following safety information for courses conducted at the Australian Maritime College:

Enclosed footwear must be worn at all times. The AMC Occupational Health & Safety requirements will be adhered to throughout the course. Government regulations prohibit smoking in classrooms or within 10 metres of buildings.

## Certificate

Upon successful completion, participants who satisfactorily complete the course and provide documentary evidence to satisfy the course pre-requisite will be issued:

- AMC, AMSA approved Dangerous Goods Certificate specifying the course undertaken and relevant functions.

## Delivery Strategy

The course will be delivered by classroom theory sessions.

## Assessment Strategy

Participants will sit an open book written examination, under supervision on the day the course is completed. The required pass mark is 90%.

## Application

Application forms are available for direct on-line submission from our web page: <http://www.amcsearch.com.au/courses/>. This facility provides for course fees to be paid by a secure online transmission of your credit card details. Credit card payments are processed using eWAY secure online payment technology. Mastercard, Visa, Amex and Diner cards are accepted.

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## On-Campus Accommodation

Norfolk Hall is self check-in, and offers motel style accommodation with queen or king size beds, television, fridge and ensuite bathroom facilities. Rates are: \$75 per night. All meals are available for purchase from AMC Cafeteria. For further information and to make a reservation, please contact a short course team member, or refer to: <http://www.amcsearch.com.au/home/accommodation/>

## Terms

1. To secure your enrolment, payment of 50% of the course fee is required. Cancellations up to 15 working days prior to the scheduled date will be accepted without penalty. Cancellations less than 15 working days will be subject to 100% cancellation fee.
2. AMC Search reserves the right to cancel the course if insufficient registrations have been received by seven days from commencement of course. Any fees paid for cancelled courses will be refunded in full.
3. When making flight bookings please ensure you book on a fully refundable basis.