



SECURITY MANAGEMENT | SM-013

Maritime and Port Security (ISPS Code)

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Course content

Why Attend

Ports and ships face threats including terrorism, piracy, smuggling, stowaways and cargo crime. The ISPS Code provides the international framework for maritime security.

This Aractech course covers the ISPS Code and related regulations, port facility and ship security assessments and plans, security levels, access control, cargo and container security, drills, piracy awareness and coordination. Participants develop port facility security plan elements. It does not replace officially approved PFSO certification.

Course Methodology

- Regulatory presentations
- Assessment workshops
- Case studies
- Drill planning
- Group discussions

Course Objectives

- Explain the ISPS Code and maritime security framework
- Conduct port facility security assessments
- Develop port facility security plans
- Manage security levels and access control
- Secure cargo and containers
- Plan drills, exercises and coordination

Target Audience

- Port facility security officers

Course content

- Port managers
- Ship and company security officers
- Maritime regulators

Course outline

Detailed course outline

Day-by-day outline for Maritime and Port Security (ISPS Code).

Day 1 - Maritime Security Framework

- 09:00-09:45 | Maritime threats
- 09:45-10:30 | ISPS Code
- 10:30-11:00 | Roles and responsibilities
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-11:45 | Roles and responsibilities (continued)
- 11:45-12:30 | Security levels
- 12:30-14:00 | Exercise: Responsibility mapping

Day 2 - Security Assessment

- 09:00-09:45 | Assessment process
- 09:45-10:30 | Vulnerabilities
- 10:30-11:00 | Critical assets
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-11:45 | Critical assets (continued)
- 11:45-12:30 | Documentation
- 12:30-14:00 | Workshop: Port facility assessment

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Day 3 - Security Plans and Access

- 09:00-09:45 | Security plans
- 09:45-10:30 | Access control
- 10:30-11:00 | Restricted areas
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-11:45 | Restricted areas (continued)
- 11:45-12:30 | Ship-port interface
- 12:30-14:00 | Exercise: Plan elements

Day 4 - Cargo and Threats

- 09:00-09:45 | Container security
- 09:45-10:30 | Smuggling
- 10:30-11:00 | Stowaways
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-11:45 | Stowaways (continued)
- 11:45-12:30 | Piracy awareness
- 12:30-14:00 | Case study: Port security incident

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Day 5 - Drills and Coordination

- 09:00-09:54 | Drills and exercises
- 09:54-10:48 | Records
- 10:48-11:00 | Coordination with authorities
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-12:12 | Coordination with authorities (continued)
- 12:12-13:06 | Improvement
- 13:06-14:00 | Capstone: Security plan review

Seminar dates

Available seminar dates

Live dates and pricing for Maritime and Port Security (ISPS Code) generated from the course details page.

Date	Location	Format	Fee
9 - 13 November 2026	Barcelona	Classroom	€2,815
14 - 18 December 2026	Paris	Classroom	€3,825
18 - 22 January 2027	Munich	Classroom	€3,225
15 - 19 February 2027	Kuala Lumpur	Classroom	€1,925
15 - 19 March 2027	Amsterdam	Classroom	€2,830
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21 - 25 June 2027	Barcelona	Classroom	€2,815
19 - 23 July 2027	Cape Town	Classroom	€1,625
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