







## **Top Shipping School Research Rankings 2011-2013**

Shipping refers to cargo movement between two or more geographic locations in all transport modes. It is a global industry closely linked with global trade. Shipping research has grown significantly in recent years. Researchers have devoted effort to advance the knowledge frontier of shipping studies as well as the theoretical foundation. Scholarly journal publications are important to facilitate knowledge sharing among researchers and practitioners. This report provides the latest information on the top shipping school rankings in the world.

By tracking publications on shipping studies under the category "Transportation", we examine research on shipping and shipping-related topics captured in Thomson Reuters' database of *ISI Web of Science* between 2011 and 2013. This report provides information on: (1) number of shipping articles published between 2011 and 2013, (2) key journals publishing shipping research outputs, and (3) worldwide rankings of shipping schools.

To begin, we conducted a search of the Citation Report in the *ISI Web of Science* to identify shipping-related articles published between 2011 and 2013 under the category of "Transportation". We found that there are 307 such articles as follows:



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According to the *ISI Web of Science*, ten key journals published shipping articles between 2011 and 2013. These journals accounted for 85% of the total shipping research outputs in 2011-13 (i.e., 261 out of 307 articles):

Journal	No. of shipping articles published in 2011-2013
Maritime Policy and Management	62
International Journal of Shipping and Transport Logistics	44
Transportation Research: Part E	39
Maritime Economics and Logistics	35
Journal of Transport Geography	24
Transportation Research: Part D	22
Accident Analysis and Prevention	10
Transportation Research: Part B	9
Transport Policy	8
Journal of Transport Economic and Policy	8
Total	261

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To provide timely data on the research productivity of leading shipping schools, we report in the following the top world rankings of shipping schools based on the number of shipping articles published between 2011 and 2013:

Rank	University	No. of shipping articles published in 2011-2013
1	The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	28
2	National University of Singapore	20
3	University of Antwerp	19
4-5	Nanyang Technological University	10
	University of Piraeus	10
6	Erasmus University Rotterdam	9
7 <b>-</b> 9	Cardiff University	8
	Nan Kai University	8
	University of Wollongong	8
10-13	City University London	7
	Delft University of Technology	7
	Kedge Business School	7
	University of Plymouth	7
14-18	Chung Ang University	6
	Inha University	6
	Napier University	6
	National Cheng Kung University	6
	National Taiwan Ocean University	6

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