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Top Shipping School Research Rankings 2015-2017

Shipping 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 2015 and 2017. This report provides information on: (1) number of shipping articles published between 2015 and 2017, (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 shippingrelated articles published between 2015 and 2017 under the category of "Transportation". We found that there are 470 such articles as follows:

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According to the ISI Web of Science, ten key journals published shipping articles between 2015 and 2017. These journals accounted for 90% of the total shipping research outputs in 2015-17 (i.e., 423 out of 470 articles):

Journal	No. of shipping articles published in 2015-2017
Maritime Policy and Management	109
Transportation Research: Part E	75
International Journal of Shipping and Transport Logistics	53
Transportation Research: Part D	48
Maritime Economics and Logistics	46
Transportation Research: Part B	27
Transportation Research: Part A	21
Journal of Transport Geography	19
International Journal of Transport Economics	13
Transportation Science	12
Total	423

(Date of search: 24 January 2018)

To provide timely data on the research productivity of leading shipping schools, we report in the following top shipping schools research rankings based on the number of shipping articles they published between 2015 and 2017:

Rank	University	No. of shipping articles published in 2015-2017
1	The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	38
2	Dalian Maritime University	21
3-4	National Taiwan Ocean University	19
3-4	National University of Singapore	19
5-6	Nanyang Technological University	16
5-6	Norwegian School of Economics	16
7-8	Shanghai Jiaotong University	15
7-8	Technical University of Denmark	15
9	Norwegian University of Science and Technology	14
10	The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology	13
11	Chungang University	11
12-13	University of Antwerp	10
12-13	University of Piraeus	10
14-15	Old Dominion University	9
14-15	University of Genova	9

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Texas A&M University	7
University of Liverpool	7
The University of Sydney	7
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