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## Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences

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# BCom (Supply Chain Management)

The University of Pretoria's Department of Business Management is the only European Logistics Association (ELA) National Certification Centre (NCC) in Sub-Saharan Africa. The goal of ELA is to provide an international forum for networking, promotion and development of the logistics and supply chain profession through its network of NCCs.



### What is Supply Chain Management (SCM)?

It is a systems approach to managing the entire flow of materials, information, services and finance from raw materials suppliers through factories and warehouses to the end user.



### What you will learn

#### First year

- Business management
- Economics
- Financial accounting
- Statistics
- Marketing management
- Informatics

#### Second year

- Logistics management
- Purchasing and supply management
- Production and operations management
- Project management and negotiation skills
- Business law
- Financial management
- Marketing management
- Responsible management

#### Third year

- Warehousing management
- Transport management
- Supply chain strategy
- Strategic management
- International business
- Business analytics

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### Career opportunities in Supply Chain Management

- Supply chain analyst
- Supply chain strategist
- Buyer/Procurement manager
- Customer service manager
- Inventory manager
- Warehousing manager
- Distribution manager
- Transport manager
- Demand planner
- Planning manager
- Logistics manager



### Skills of a Supply Chain Manager

- Global orientation
- Analytical skills
- Cross-cultural literacy
- Systems thinking
- Natural leader
- Technical savvy
- Superior business skills
- Problem solver
- Innovative
- Creative thinking
- Team player
- Communication skills
- Willingness to learn



### UP's association with ELA translates to the following benefits to students:

- A degree accredited at Level 4: Candidate European Junior Logician (cEJLog), based on the European Logistics Association Qualifications Framework Standards agreed by industry.
- ELA candidates stand out from the crowd with a certificate that is a global mark of competence and promotes mobility in an international market place.
- Offers graduates a smooth path to full ELA Certification once relevant experience is obtained.



Programmes	Minimum requirements for NSC and IEB for 2023		
	Achievement level		APS
	English Home Language or English First Additional Language	Mathematics	
<b>BCom (Supply Chain Management)</b> [3 years] <b>Close on availability of space:</b> As soon as the number of places available for this programme are filled, it will be closed for further applications.	5	4	30
<b>Careers:</b> The purpose of this programme is to equip students with the ability to participate in functional management within an integrated supply chain. This includes supply management, production and operations management, warehousing, transport management and supply chain strategy.			

**Note:** Accounting at school is not a subject requirement for any of the BCom and BAdmin programmes.