

Employment Opportunities

The Customs Broker professional may pursue among others:

- a. Practicing Customs Broker
- b. Corporate /Government Institutions
 - b.1 Entry Level Positions

Government	Private Enterprise
Customs Operations Officer	Declarant/ Import Tax Specialist
Tariff Specialist	Logistics Assistant/Associate
Customs Police	Foreign Procurement Assistant
Intelligence Officer	Transportation Assistant
Customs Inspector	Warehouse Assistant
Wharfinger	Inventory Assistant
Customs Guard	Import-Export Assistant
Trade Specialist	Manifest Clerk
Trade Analyst	Forwarding Account Executive
	Airline/Shipping Lines Assistant

b.2 Middle Level and Executive Level Positions

Government	Private Enterprise
Customs Director	Purchasing Manager
Collector of Customs	Logistics Manager
Deputy Collector of Customs	Import-Export Manager
Division Chief	Supply Chain Manager
Supervising Tariff Specialist	Forwarding Manager
Section Chief	Account Manager
Academic Faculty	Inventory Manager
Lecturer/Researcher	Transportation/Traffic Manager
	Academic Faculty/Lecturer/Researcher
	Global Trade Manager
	Compliance Officer
	Tariff and Customs Consultant

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Customs Brokers

Any person who is bonafide holder of a valid Certificate of Registration/Professional Identification Card issued by the Professional Regulatory Board and Professional Regulation Commission. (Republic Act No. 9280)

Scope of the Profession

The practice of Customs Broker Profession involves any of the following services rendered to client importer and exporter consisting of:

- Consultation on matters relating to tariff and customs laws, the rules and regulations thereof and all other laws, their rules and regulations attaching or in connection with activities of importation and exportation;
- Preparation of customs requisite document for import and export;
- Declaration of customs duties, taxes and other charges;
- Preparation signing, filing, lodging and processing of import and export entries and documents required to be filed with the Bureau of Customs and other government agencies under the Tariff and Customs Code of the Philippines and other existing laws;
- Representing importers and exporters before any government agency and private entities in cases related to valuation and classification of imported articles;
- Rendering of other professional services in matters relating to customs and tariff laws its procedures and practices; and

- Teaching customs and tariff administration subjects in any university, college or school duly recognized by the government.

Skills and Competencies

- Demonstrate the ability to determine the degree of compliance of a particular importation or exportation to existing rules and regulations;
- Declare using the various commercial and customs documents the correct dutiable value, customs duties, taxes and other charges, including the proper tariff heading and classification of an importation applying the various methods of customs valuation, release the importation of the client from customs custody and to avail of the remedies under the law where appropriate;
- Make use of the trade benefits and privileges for the shipment of a client availing under the various international trade organizations and agreements to which the Philippines is a party;
- Demonstrate self-confidence in representing clients before the various government agencies;
- Accomplish the assigned tasks pertaining to the transportation or forwarding of shipments applying the different supply chain management approaches and methodologies; and
- Conduct researches.

Basic Educational Requirement

To be able to take the Customs Broker Licensure Examination (CBLE), an applicant must submit the duly authenticated requirements showing proof of completion of the prescribed curriculum leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Customs Administration and other requirements prescribed under Republic Act 9280, as amended.



Cost of Education

The Bachelor of Science in Customs Administration is a four-year program and the cost may range from Php30,000.00 and above per semester in private schools and universities. The cost may be 50-60% lesser in public educational institutions.