

Foundations of Supply Chain Management – Foundations of Inventory Management (FIM) Online Self-Study Course

The Foundations of Supply Chain Management – Foundations of Inventory Management (FIM) from the Association of Supply Chain Management (ASCM) currently consists of nine modules and is the leading online education program for professionals at entry levels / supply chain professional who wish to take the next step in supply chain certification.

Earning the ASCM FIM enables to reduce cross-functional knowledge gaps, use standard terminology developed by the industry and enhance internal communication across the extended supply chain.

The Online Foundations of Inventory Management (FIM) course is suitable for supply chain professionals:

- Start or restart your ASCM (APICS) supply chain education journey
- As part of Continuing Professional Development (CPD) collect maintenance points for your existing APICS CPIM, CSCP, CLTD or CTSC Certifications
- A stepping stone for those inspired to enroll in:
 - ✓ ASCM Procurement Certificate program, ASCM Warehousing Certificate program, ASCM Planning Certificate Program
 - ✓ Certified in Planning and Inventory Management (CPIM), Certified Supply Chain Professional (CSCP), Certified in Logistics, Transportation and Distribution (CLTD), Certified in Transformation for Supply Chain (CTSC)

The ASCM FIM program is structured in nine modules:

Module 1: Operations Management

Module 2: Introduction to Inventory Management

Module 3: Purpose & Function of Inventory

Module 4: Inventory Replenishment Management

Module 5: Inventory Replenishment Techniques
& Inventory Performance

Module 6: Lean Inventory - Theory & Practice

Module 7: Introduction to Purchasing and Procurement

Module 8: Sourcing Strategies

Module 9: Purchase Order Management &
Performance Measurement

The IPICS SCM Foundations of Inventory Management (FIM) Online Self-Study provides:

- ✓ **ASCM FIM e-Learning System:** online course material and case studies accompanied with a series of questions and quizzes facilitating discussion, online access for one year
- ✓ **APICS Dictionary App** can be downloaded to your smartphone and as a pdf.
- ✓ **Course price for the Foundations of Inventory Management (FDL) course** is €200 per course participant (this course price includes Joint ASCM / IPICS Membership with no discounts of €100), with online access for one year. The course participant is entitled to collect 27 certification maintenance points towards maintaining an already existing APICS certification.
- ✓ **Course price for all six Foundations of Supply Chain Management courses** is €300 per course participant (this course price includes Joint ASCM / IPICS Membership with no discounts of €100), with online access for one year. With access to all six Foundations courses the course participant is entitled to collect 135 certification maintenance points towards maintaining an already existing APICS certification.

Contact Jennifer or Robin at IPICS today for registration details at +3531 9023729 or download an application form from <https://ipics.ie/online-fim/>

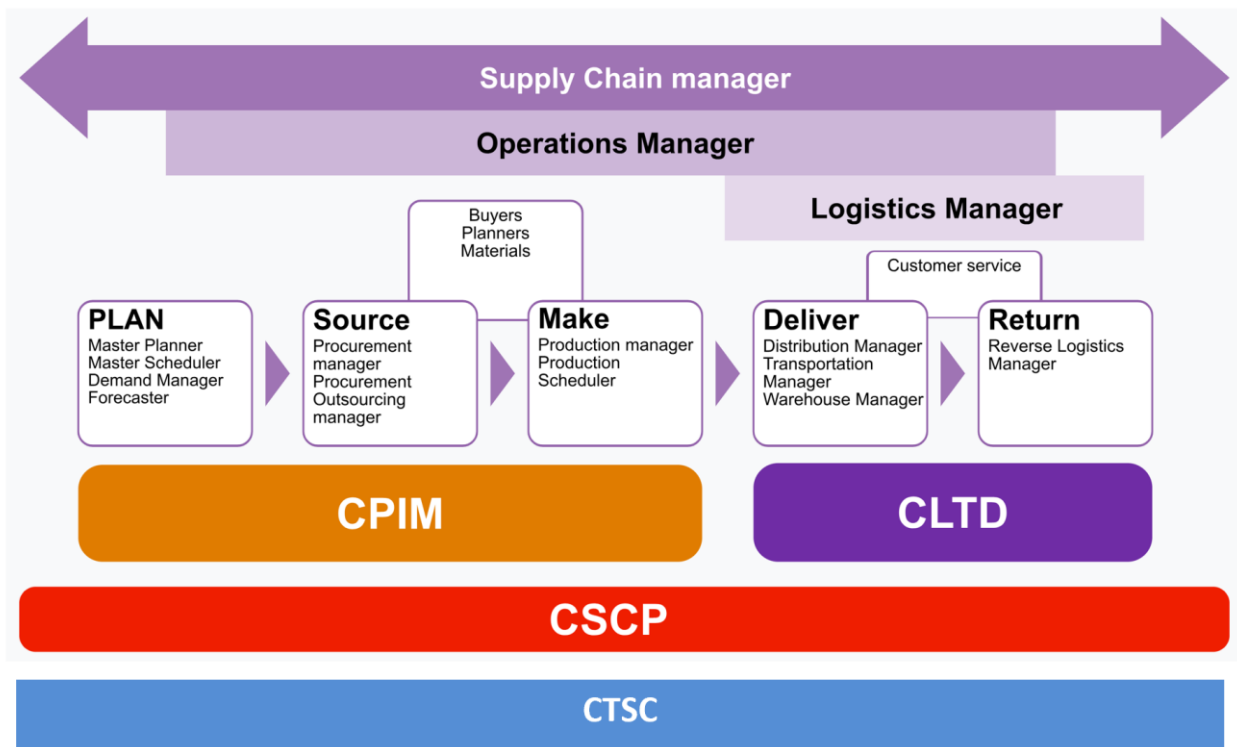
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