# LOGISTICS, PURCHASING & SUPPLY

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<td>Over the last few years, the areas of logistics, purchasing and supply have received a lot of attention and rightly so. For many organisations purchasing can run into the hundreds of millions and consequently requires trained professionals. Ensuring that an organisation has the right stock of raw material or finished products at any time without overstocking, is more than just an art, it is also a science. The efficient distribution of products to customers in a cost effective manner is a complex activity in today’s world where organisations are not resident in any one country.</td>
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| Qualifications offered at SBCS | • CIPS – Chartered Institute of Purchasing and Supply: Advanced Certificate in Procurement and Supply Operations  
• CIPS – Chartered Institute of Purchasing and Supply: Diploma in Procurement and Supply  
• CIPS – Chartered Institute of Purchasing and Supply: Advanced Diploma in Procurement and Supply  
• CIPS – Chartered Institute of Purchasing and Supply: Professional Diploma in Procurement and Supply  
• HWU – Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh Business School: MBA (Masters in Business Administration) with specialism in Finance  
• HWU – Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh Business School: MSc. in Financial Management  
• HWU – Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh Business School: DBA (Doctorate in Business Administration) |
| Career Opportunities | Logistics Coordinator, Logistics Manager, Purchasing Officer, Storekeeper |
| Qualities required | Good organisational/negotiating and interpersonal skills, able to assimilate complex, real-time information, creative. |
| Entry Requirements | See flow chart |

Details:  
SBCS: [www.sbcs.edu.tt](http://www.sbcs.edu.tt)  
CIPS: [www.cips.org](http://www.cips.org)  
HWU, EBS: [www.ebsglobal.net](http://www.ebsglobal.net)
LOGISTICS, PURCHASING & SUPPLY CAREER PATHWAY AT SBCS

Entry requirements
4 CXC/O’Levels inclusive of Mathematics and English

CIPS: Level 3 Advanced Certificate in Procurement and Supply Operations

CIPS: Level 4 Diploma in Procurement and Supply

CIPS: Level 5 Advanced Diploma in Procurement and Supply

CIPS: Level 6 Professional Diploma in Procurement and Supply

Heriot-Watt University (Edinburgh Business School):
MBA (Finance), MSc in Financial Management 3 years

Heriot-Watt University (Edinburgh Business School):
DBA 3-7 years

Entry requirements
CAPE/A’Levels
Mature Entry Route
21 years and over
2 years relevant working experience