

Associate in Supply Chain Management

Specialization in Faith-Based Logistics for Humanitarian Aid

HBI University

Course Duration: 2 years

Credit Hours: 75 hours (including 15 minor credit hours)

Program Description

The Associate in Supply Chain Management program with a Specialization in Faith-Based Logistics for Humanitarian Aid equips students with operational and logistical skills to support global relief, community outreach, and faith-based missions. This program integrates transportation, procurement, inventory, and distribution management with biblical principles of stewardship, service, and compassion.

Students explore ethical sourcing, global supply networks, emergency logistics, and nonprofit coordination, all within the context of serving vulnerable populations through Christ-centered care. The program prepares graduates to manage complex supply systems that deliver goods and services with efficiency, transparency, and purpose.

Graduates may find employment in missions logistics, nonprofit humanitarian organizations, church outreach programs, or continue toward a bachelor's in logistics, public service, or ministry leadership.

General Education Courses (15 Credit Hours)

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
GEN 101	English Composition I	3
GEN 102	English Composition II	3
GEN 103	College Algebra	3
GEN 104	Introduction to Psychology	3
GEN 105	Introduction to Sociology	3

Core Supply Chain Management Courses (30 Credit Hours)

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
SCM 201	Introduction to Supply Chain Management	3

SCM 202	Procurement and Inventory Management	3
SCM 203	Warehousing and Distribution	3
SCM 204	Transportation and Freight Logistics	3
SCM 205	Global Logistics and Import/Export Regulations	3
SCM 206	Logistics Technology and Data Systems	3
SCM 207	Disaster Relief and Emergency Logistics	3
SCM 208	Logistics Planning for Faith-Based Organizations	3
SCM 209	Sustainable and Ethical Supply Chains	3
SCM 210	Supply Chain Capstone Project	3

Elective Courses (15 Credit Hours)

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
SCM 301	Nonprofit Management and Logistics	3
SCM 302	Logistics for Medical and Food Aid Distribution	3
SCM 303	Ministry Operations and Facilities Management	3
SCM 304	Grant Writing and Resource Procurement	3
SCM 305	Cross-Cultural Logistics and International Aid	3

Minor in Faith-Based Logistics for Humanitarian Aid (15 Credit Hours)

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
FLH 401	Theology of Provision and Community Support	3
FLH 402	Missions Mobilization and Resource Management	3
FLH 403	Church-Based Crisis Response Strategies	3
FLH 404	Building Partnerships with Relief and Ministry Networks	3
FLH 405	Case Studies in Faith-Based Humanitarian Logistics	3

Capstone Project (3 Credit Hours)

The Capstone in Faith-Based Logistics for Humanitarian Aid invites students to design or improve a logistics plan that supports faith-based humanitarian efforts. Sample projects include:

- Creating an emergency supply chain plan for a church outreach program.
- Coordinating international shipment logistics for a missions team.
- Developing a warehouse and inventory system for a local food ministry.

Program Outcomes

Graduates of this program will:

- Understand key components of global and local supply chain operations.
- Plan and manage logistics for humanitarian and faith-based settings.
- Apply Christian principles to aid delivery and resource management.
- Promote ethical, sustainable, and inclusive logistics strategies.
- Support missions, nonprofits, and churches in outreach and relief work.

Career Outcomes and Potential Pay Scale

Career Path	Average Salary (Annual)
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Humanitarian Logistics Assistant	\$42,000 - \$58,000
Missions Supply Chain Coordinator	\$44,000 - \$61,000
Church Operations and Distribution Specialist	\$43,000 - \$60,000
Nonprofit Procurement and Aid Manager	\$45,000 - \$64,000
Emergency Response Logistics Planner	\$46,000 - \$66,000