

**CLTD** CERTIFIED IN LOGISTICS,  
 TRANSPORTATION AND DISTRIBUTION

Optimize flow and maximize profit with the APICS CLTD

Earning your CLTD certification shows employers that you know how to effectively manage logistics and transportation to align with operational strategy.

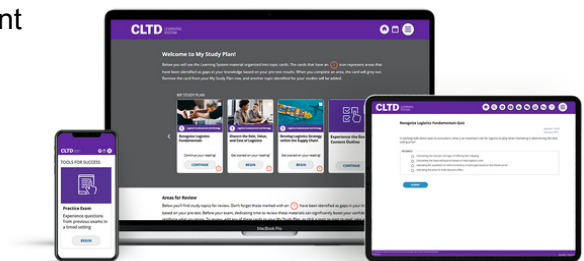
This credential empowers professionals with a comprehensive understanding of global logistics, sustainability, and integrated logistics systems, enabling them to optimize trade-offs, align logistics strategy with organizational goals, and identify the most profitable service mix while considering costs.

CLTD-certified individuals have the strategic and tactical expertise essential for supply chain excellence and add value across the entire supply chain.

What’s covered in the CLTD program?

The CLTD content covers the following key topics:

- Logistics Fundamentals and Strategy
- Demand Management and Supply Capacity Management
- Customer and Order Management
- Warehouse Distribution and Fulfillment Center Management
- Inventory Management
- Transportation Management
- Global Logistics
- Sustainability, Reverse Logistics and Risk Management
- Logistics Framework, Metrics, Network Design, Transformation and Improvement



Enroll Today!



Professional growth begins with CLTD

**4,800+**

CLTD-certified professionals since 2016

**24%**

Higher salary with APICS CLTD certifications\*

**\$106,800**

Average salary of APICS CLTD earners

\*Data based on the 2025 ASCM Salary and Career Report

Have Questions?

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## Prepare for the APICS CLTD exam with expert guidance

The APICS Certified in Logistics, Transportation and Distribution (CLTD) provides a comprehensive body of knowledge, best practices and standards for those in logistics, transportation and distribution industries.

The CLTD certification is your guide to mastering the complexities of supply chain logistics. By gaining a deep understanding of network design, sustainability and reverse logistics, capacity planning and demand management, you'll transform your career and organization.

### After earning your CLTD you will be able to:

- Improve distribution inventory management
- Develop and monitor warehouse performance metrics
- Identify and mitigate risk in logistics and transportation
- Manage and execute orders with an emphasis on logistics
- Identify and maintain optimal inventory levels including costs, controls and policy

## INSTRUCTOR-LED COURSES

### Expert Instructor-led Classes

#### Join a course with an experienced instructor

Our certification preparation courses utilize the APICS CLTD Learning System, giving you access to the most comprehensive, effective, and up-to-date exam preparation tools available.

#### Benefits of an instructor-led course

- Learn from an experienced instructor who provides expertise, insights, and one-on-one guidance
- Network, share experiences, and discuss topics with a diverse group of professionals
- Stay on track to earn your certification with a structured learning experience

In addition to the guidance you'll receive in the classroom, you will also receive the APICS CLTD Learning System. The Learning System provides access to both printed and digital materials. The online platform also includes learning activities, a personalized study experience, microlearning, and convenient access to reading materials.

## Who should earn the APICS CLTD?

The APICS CLTD is Ideal for supply chain professionals seeking to advance their careers, or, currently in a job with these supply chain planning roles and responsibilities:

- Oversee the planning and execution of forward and reverse logistics
- Manage logistics, distribution, warehouse technology and information processing
- Execute requirements for the planning, scheduling, and budgeting of transportation systems
- Handle warehouse or distribution inventory management, global logistics
- Manage carrier selection and negotiations or transportation mode analysis
- Responsible for warehouse strategy and layout

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The CLTD Learning System and preparation courses are broken down into 9 modules spread across 2 books.

## Book 1

**Module 1:** Logistics Fundamentals and Strategy

**Module 2:** Demand Management and Supply (Capacity Management)

**Module 3:** Customer and Order Management

**Module 4:** Warehouse Distribution/ Fulfillment Center Management

**Module 5:** Inventory Management

## Book 2

**Module 6:** Transportation Management

**Module 7:** Global Logistics

**Module 8:** Sustainability, Reverse Logistics, and Risk Management

**Module 9:** Logistics Framework, Metrics, Network Design, Transformation, and Improvement

# 24%

Increase your salary by up to 24%\*. Earn your CLTD!

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## PREPARATION DESIGNED FOR SUCCESS

### Exam Preparation

The CLTD Learning System incorporates three components to help you apply the concepts and test your understanding and retention of the information.

- Assess
- Study
- Practice

Begin preparing for your CLTD certification today!

The CLTD content is integrated with best practices in the day-to-day function of logistics professionals that drive the improvement in distribution and transportation necessary to maximize an organization's efficiency and impact the bottom line.

### The Exam

There is one CLTD exam that consists of 150 questions answered in 3.5 hours. You receive your results immediately after completing the exam. APICS Instructors have helped professionals all around the globe prepare successfully for their CLTD exam.

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**Module 1: Logistics Fundamentals and Strategy**

- Section A: Recognize Logistics Fundamentals
- Section B: Discern the Role, Value, and Cost of Logistics
- Section C: Logistics  
Develop Logistics Strategy within the Supply Chain

**Module 2: Demand Management and Supply (Capacity Management)**

- Section A: Forecast Demand
- Section B: Understand Demand Management Translate
- Section C: Demand into Logistics Capacity Planning
- Section D: Support Sales & Operations Planning (S&OP)
- Section E: Support Distribution Requirements Planning (DRP)
- Section F: Understand Master Scheduling and Material Requirements Planning
- Section G: Facilitate Sourcing and Procurement

**Module 3: Customer and Order Management**

- Section A: Enable Customer and Relationship Management (CRM)
- Section B: Enable Outbound and Inbound Order Management

**Module 4: Warehouse Distribution/ Fulfillment Center Management**

- Section A: Identify Warehouse Strategy, Ownership, and Roles
- Section B: Formulate Warehouse Processes and Order Flow
- Section C: Evaluate Warehouse Facility Layout Decisions and Manage Performance
- Section D: Incorporate Packaging
- Section E: Incorporate Materials Handling and Warehouse Automation

CLTD 2026 Learning System follows the APICS CLTD Exam Content Manual (ECM) version 3.0.

**MODULE CONTENT OUTLINE**

**Module 5: Inventory Management**

- Section A: Understand Inventory Management Fundamentals
- Section B: Develop Inventory Strategy and Policy and Implement Inventory Control

**Module 6: Transportation Management**

- Section A: Understand Transportation Fundamentals
- Section B: Identify Road Transportation Characteristics
- Section C: Identify Rail Transportation Characteristics
- Section D: Identify Air Transport Characteristics
- Section E: Identify Water (Ocean and Inland Waterway) Transportation Characteristics
- Section F: Identify Multimodal, Multi-Stop, and Characteristics of Other Modes
- Section G: Implement Transportation Management
- Section H: Conduct Transportation Administration

**Module 7: Global Logistics**

- Section A: Characterize the International Environment and Global Infrastructure
- Section B: Incorporate Regulations into Global Logistics Processes
- Section C: Facilitate Export/Import, Customs Clearing, and Documentation
- Section D: Understand Finance, Payment, Currency, and Tax Options/Implications

**Module 8: Sustainability, Reverse Logistics, and Risk Management**

- Section A: Apply Sustainability Principles
- Section B: Incorporate Reverse Logistics
- Section C: Incorporate Risk Management Principles

**Module 9: Logistics Framework, Metrics, Network Design, Transformation, and Improvement**

- Section A: Design the Logistics Framework
- Section B: Coordinate Strategic Performance Management
- Section C: Facilitate Facilities Planning and Network Design
- Section D: Coordinate Digital Transformation and Continuous Improvement