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Michele Acciaro is the Director of the [Hapag-Lloyd Center for Shipping and Global Logistics \(CSGL\)](#) at the Kühne Logistics University (KLU). His main research interests are sustainability, global logistics, maritime business, energy transition and low carbon transport.

Since 2016 Michele is Associate Professor of Maritime Logistics. He joined KLU in 2013 as Assistant Professor. In his function, he focuses on container transport, ports, terminals, and shipping at the intersection of transport economics, supply chain operations, sustainability, public policy and management science. Between 2016 and 2018 he was also Head of the Logistics Department.

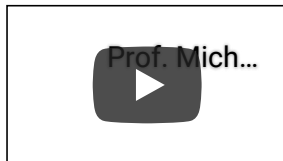
Before accepting the appointment at KLU, Michele held the position of Senior Researcher – Green Shipping in the Research and Innovation department of Det Norske Veritas AS (DNV) in Høvik, Norway. From 2004 until 2010, he was deputy director and researcher at the Erasmus University Rotterdam Center for Maritime Economics and Logistics (MEL)/Erasmus SmartPort.

He holds a BSc and an MSc cum Laude in Statistics and Economics from University of Rome “La Sapienza”, an MSc in Economics from Erasmus University Rotterdam (with a focus on Maritime Economics and Logistics, for which he was awarded the NOL/APL Prize for Student Excellence), and a PhD in Logistics from Erasmus University Rotterdam. He was awarded the Young Researcher Best Paper Prize at the Int. Association of Maritime Economists (IAME) Annual Conference in 2005, and the

Prize for Best Reviewer during IAME 2018.

He is Member of the Editorial Board of Maritime Economics & Logistics (since 2015) and › [Maritime Transport Research](#), Member of Editorial Advisory Board for › [Transportation Research Interdisciplinary Perspectives](#) and was Associate Editor of Maritime Policy & Management (2015- 2017). He is the Editor of the IAME Newsletter (since 2015) and Secretary of IAME (since 2018) and co-hosted the Annual Conference of IAME in 2016. He is also the organiser of the › [Sustainable Maritime Business Conference \(SMB2020\)](#) in Hamburg in 2020.

Since 2001 he worked as a consultant, advisor and researcher in the areas of liner shipping economics, terminal management and operations optimisation, green shipping, container logistics integration and supply chain pricing and finance. He has lectured at several institutions around the world, including Erasmus University Rotterdam, the University of Reading, World Maritime University, Bocconi University and University of Antwerp and has been invited speaker at industry events such as TOC Europe and Intermodal.



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“What really motivates me for my work is making a difference for students, understanding business better and informing policy makers.”

– Prof. Dr. Michele Acciaro

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SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

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RESEARCH PROJECTS

- › Clean Cargo Initiative – Sustainability in the cargo shipping industry
- › Differentiated port infrastructure charges to promote environmentally friendly maritime transport activities and sustainable transportation
- › Feasibility study and support for missing data for maritime sector technical specifications
- › WASP - Wind Assisted Ship Propulsion

TEACHING AT KLU

- › Advanced Topics in Logistics (MSc GL & SCM)
- › Maritime Logistics (MSc GL & SCM)
- › Maritime Logistics and Port Management (MSc SCM TRI)
- › Port Management (MSc GL & SCM)
- › Seminar in Logistics & SCM (BSc MGT)
- › Transportation Management (BScBBA)

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