

Admission Essay

(For Maritime Law)

I am an ambitious, energetic and highly motivated individual wishing to seriously pursue a career in the legal field. Maritime law involves not just the national legal system but it has to deal with mutually agreed international legal system while dealing with territorial and international waters, shipping and ocean fishery. It is indeed a very interesting field for me, as I do have an appetite for detail while analysing the problems during the search for solutions. The legal system calls for a thorough study and detailed analysis of the available circumstances and the existing law. Therefore, my stay at the University will prove to a very lively experience. These are the formative years in one's life and leave an indelible mark for the rest of the life. Therefore, it'll be my Endeavour to make the stay at the university a unique learning experience.

Studying law at Master's level calls for inculcating discipline and routine in one's own life. Luckily for me, I was able to learn the importance of disciplined during my days at Queen's college Nigeria. I served as a day duty prefect at Queen's. My duties included ensuring that the students were at the assembly ground in time and to punish the late comers. This ensured in my becoming a disciplined and punctual student. I intend to keep this practice along during my days in Maritime course.

With an increase in business activities, all around the globe, the sea route too has become very busy and active, thus generating more demand for experts in Maritime law. A course in Maritime from such a prestigious university will certainly go a long way in charting a

successful route for my future. Being a hard working person with an ability to adapt myself to any sort of environment, I am quite confident that I will do my university proud by excelling in the profession. Having worked as a public relations officer of a Christian society called 'The Rock Foundation' will also help me in dealing with different sets of circumstances as a legal official. If provided an opportunity at the university, I will try my best to be a disciplined student, a good member of the community and a keen learner of Maritime law, so that I can do my university proud when I join the industry and start the journey towards a successful career.