

CML Port Side Seminar

An introduction to marine mutual protection and indemnity (P&I) insurance, the International Group of P&I clubs and a case study on the grounding of *The M/v TS Taipei*

18 March 2025, 12nn to 2pm Block B, Level 2, Staff Lounge, NUS Law (Bukit Timah Campus)

On 18 March 2025, the Centre for Maritime Law (CML) at NUS Law was pleased to collaborate with the Singapore Maritime Foundation (SMF) and the International Group of P&I Clubs to conduct a student seminar on marine mutual protection and indemnity insurance. IGP&I Representative Mr Jason Wee (Head of Claims at Swedish Club) was the guest speaker for the seminar, with introductions from SMF representative Melissa Leong, who shared career and training opportunities available to legal students in the maritime sector.

Mr Wee explained to students the functions of a P&I club, the organisation and role of IGP&I, and how the clubs work on a non-profit basis. He highlighted the role of P&I clubs in facilitating international trade and loss prevention, as well as the contributions they make to society. Mr Wee illustrated the day-to-day work of P&I clubs, drawing upon the M/V *TS Taipei* grounding incident to depict how P&I clubs perform tasks of perception, comprehension, and projection to make the right decisions in a timely manner.

The event was attended by maritime law graduate students and undergraduate students, researchers and representatives of the various P&I club members. CML thanked everyone who had participated in this event.

