



Georgia Tech
Professional Education



Engineering the Warehouse

Address modern warehouse trade-offs between space and time in optimizing and managing your warehouse.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The requirement for high levels of customer service and increasing numbers of SKUs and high labor costs have dramatically increased the complexity of warehouse operations. It is no longer sufficient to manage a warehouse based on “ABC” classification of SKUs, which treats all those in a category as if they were identical. Instead, each decision such as where to store or pick products, must be based on careful engineering and economic analysis. Each SKU must identify its own cheapest, fastest path through the warehouse to the customer, and then compete with all the other SKUs for the necessary resources. This results in efficient warehouse operations finely tuned to patterns of customer orders.

THIS COURSE WILL ENABLE YOU TO

- Exchange space for time to better meet business objectives
- Understand when to use either dedicated or shared storage
- Identify the most convenient locations in a warehouse
- Identify and use patterns in customer orders to speed fulfillment
- Evaluate warehouse performance
- Optimally size and stock a forward pick area
- Understand the best practices in order-picking
- Understand how to think about automation
- Evaluate and choose a Warehouse Management System

COURSE TOPICS

- Management of warehouse fundamentals: space and time
- Storage policies: dedicated and shared, and their use
- Warehouse analytics: discover opportunities for improvement
- Size and stock a forward area for split-pallet and split-case picks
- Pallet operations and layout
- Order-picking in high-volume and in low-volume environments
- Benchmarking warehouse performance
- Maintaining inventory accuracy
- Warehouse Management Systems
- Issues and trends in automation

COURSE INFORMATION

DATE	October 27-29, 2025
LOCATION	Georgia Tech Savannah Campus
REGISTER	https://pe.gatech.edu/courses/engineering-warehouse

COURSE FEES

Standard Course Price	\$1,900
Certificate Course Price*	\$1,577
GA-AIM Price (GA residents only)	\$950
Multi-Team Members Discounts	CALL 404-385-8663

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Supply Chain and
Logistics Institute

DOAD EARN A GEORGIA TECH SUPPLY CHAIN & LOGISTICS CERTIFICATE

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This course is designed for supply chain and logistics consultants, supply chain engineers and analysts, facility engineers, and warehouse supervisors and team leaders.

DISTRIBUTION OPERATIONS ANALYSIS AND DESIGN (DOAD) CERTIFICATE

For supply chain and logistics professionals and managers across the entire supply chain (procurement, manufacturer, distribution, transportation, warehousing, and retail) who are interested in expanding their knowledge base and are committed to professional advancement.

HOW THE DOAD CERTIFICATE WORKS

Take four courses within four years and receive your Georgia Tech Distribution Analysis and Design Certificate. Required DOAD courses include: Engineering the Warehouse; Lean Warehousing; and Warehousing/ Distribution Center Layout. Participants may choose either Material Handling 101 or one other course in the SCM, SDP, LSCP, SCPM, or SCF series for their elective.

COURSE INSTRUCTORS

Lew Roberts specializes in the fields of Business Performance Improvement and Supply Chain Management.

Dima Nazzal is Director of Professional Practice at the Stewart School of Industrial and Systems Engineering.

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