



CPLP Program at CBU

The International Safe Transit Association (www.ista.org) is the leading organization in distribution/transport packaging. ISTA develops various pre-shipment laboratory test protocols. It certifies testing laboratories, laboratory professionals, and packaged products.

ISTA offers a unique Certified Packaging Laboratory Professionals (CPLP) certification program. CPLP certification enhances the credibility of people involved with ISTA testing and ISTA certified laboratory operations.

There are three levels of CPLP certifications:

- Level I – Technician
- Level II – Technologist
- Level III – Professional

Undergraduate packaging students at CBU are eligible for CPLP Technician certification. PKG 203 Distribution Packaging & Logistics covers materials related to this certification exam. Graduate packaging students at CBU are eligible for CPLP certification at both Technician and Technologist levels. ENGM 644 Transport Packaging covers materials related to these two certifications.

To become an ISTA Certified Packaging Laboratory Technician (Level I), one must pass a two-hour exam, which covers basic laboratory operations, procedures, protocols, and conduct of the essential ISTA shock/drop/impact, vibration, compression, and atmospheric tests. For more information: https://ista.org/certified_packaging_laboratory.php#technician

To become an ISTA Certified Packaging Laboratory Technologist (Level II), one must be a CPLP Technician and must pass another two-hour exam. This Level II exam covers advanced procedures & protocols including those from other organizations (such as ASTM), random vibration, dynamic material testing, instrumentation, and enhanced simulation. For more information: https://ista.org/certified_packaging_laboratory.php#technologist

To become an ISTA Certified Packaging Laboratory Professional (Level III), one must go through a resume evaluation of industry participation and achievements, including work experience, education background, attendance at packaging events, publications, presentations, teaching, honors/awards, etc. For more information: https://ista.org/certified_packaging_laboratory.php#professional

Congratulations to the following students, staff, and faculty for becoming International Safe Transit Association (ISTA) Certified Packaging Laboratory Professionals.

Semester	CPLP Professional (Level III)
Fall 2013	1. Siripong Malasri (<i>Professor</i>)

Semester	CPLP Technologist (Level II)
Fall 2013	1. Siripong Malasri (<i>Professor</i>)
Spring 2019	2. Jade Housewirth 3. Georgina Johns
Fall 2019	4. Mona Al Assi 5. Robert Moats (<i>Lab Technician</i>) 6. Thomas Podesta (<i>Lab Technician</i>)
Spring 2020	7. Ngan Nyugen
Summer 2020	8. Wilson Pritchard
Summer 2021	9. Dalton Bailey 10. Victoria Fletcher 11. Larry Hubbard 12. Dedrick Lindsey 13. Carlie Paine 14. Kevin Wright

Semester	CPLP Technician (Level I)
Spring 2013	1. Siripong Malasri (<i>Professor</i>)
Spring 2014	2. Alex Othmani 3. Caleb Smith 4. Rebecca Wauford
Summer 2014	5. Gabriela Gomez-Pedro 6. Mallory Harvey
Spring 2015	7. Alana Byrd 8. Joseph Ferris 9. Antoine Herve* 10. Michael Kist 11. Robert Moats (<i>Lab Technician</i>) 12. Sebastian Polania 13. Yuliana Luna 14. Mark Wolfe 15. Anne Youngblood
Summer 2015	16. Possawat Poonpurmsiri** 17. Chonnavee Takkarnviroj** 18. Poomtawan Tiapradit**

Spring 2016	19. April Bonner 20. Charlotte Hare 21. Jade Housewirth 22. Georgina Johns 23. Benjamin Loving 24. Ngan Nyugen 25. Stephen Russell 26. Sammurelle Savage 27. Juan Vazquez 28. Clark Wadlington 29. Zhihong Zheng
Summer 2016	30. Bharath Bahudhoddi 31. Abhishek Chava 32. Yugesh Devabakthni 33. Sesa Kota 34. Jeremy Lloyd 35. Radhika Suryadevara 36. Erica Thomas
Fall 2016	37. Vinitraj Thota
Spring 2017	38. Eduardo Aguilar 39. Hope Campbell 40. Eric Defo Fondouop 41. Hunter Howard 42. Conrado Jimenez 43. Brianna Jordan 44. James Alex Moses 45. Scott Pala 46. Britney Payne 47. Yocelin Sanchez
Spring 2018	48. Vanessa Cervantes 49. Jazzmyn Davenport 50. Ian Dover 51. Deliya Duckworth 52. Daniel Gamez 53. Henry Liu 54. Michael Longo 55. Saira Martinez 56. Christopher Payne 57. Racheal Pham 58. Luis Rodriguez 59. Yuritza Sanchez 60. Salvador Saucedo 61. Kevesha Snow 62. Alandria Waller
Summer 2018	63. Thomas Podesta (<i>Lab Technician</i>)

Spring 2019	64. Alexander Brown 65. Benjamin Knighton 66. Carl Gody 67. Cesar Samaniego-Mata 68. Jean Melo Escobedo 69. Kyle Nicholson 70. Zachery Tabor 71. Guillermo Valverde Toledo 72. Taylor Waddell
Fall 2019	73. Mona Al Assi
Spring 2020	74. Rachel Anderson 75. Victor Fantaziu 76. Omar Halim 77. Gabriel Price 78. Fayira Sanyang
Summer 2020	79. Wilson Pritchard
Spring 2021	80. Taqwa Ayesh 81. Jalen Davis 82. Luciano Galizzi 83. Guillermo Zavala
Summer 2021	84. Dalton Bailey 85. Victoria Fletcher 86. Larry Hubbard 87. Dedrick Lindsey 88. Carlie Paine 89. Kevin Wright
Spring 2022	90. Edgar Avalos-Loeaza 91. Tovia Barnes 92. Josiah Brown 93. Jacob Byrd 94. Oriana Gee 95. Brandon Guerrero Jaimes 96. Talia Pfeifer 97. Andrew Seay

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