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**ACADEMIC PREPARATION IN ATTAINING COURSE TOWARDS INDUSTRY STANDARDS
AMONG FOURTH YEAR BS CRUISE SHIP MANAGEMENT STUDENTS
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Abstract

This study determined the academic preparation of the fourth year CSM students towards industry standards when taken as an entire group and when classified according to different categories such as gender, section, and age. The participants of this study were the 152 fourth year BSCSM students of JBLFMU-Molo, Inc. for School Year 2017-2018. Statistical tools were frequency, percentage, mean, t-test, and ANOVA. Results revealed the following: (1) the academic preparation of the CSM students when classified according to different categories was *highly* satisfied. However, when it comes to different categories, in some categories, they were *moderately* satisfied; (2) there were no significant differences in the academic preparation when it comes to gender and age; (3) there were significant differences in the academic preparation when the respondents were grouped according to gender and age; and (4) The students who belonged to sections A and C had significant differences in their academic preparation.