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*Abstract*

This descriptive research aimed at determining the level of team cohesiveness among the business students enrolled in Research during the first semester of academic year 2007-2008. This study involved 55 randomly selected BS Customs Administration and BS Commerce students in the College of Business of John B. Lacson Foundation Maritime University, Molo, Inc. The researchers adopted the questionnaire on team cohesiveness developed by Glinow and McShane (2002). Means, standard deviations, *t*-test for independence, and One-way ANOVA were the statistical tools employed in the analysis of the obtained data. Significance level for all inferential tests was set at .05 alpha. The study revealed that the research students' level of team cohesiveness was "low". Results also showed that there was a significant difference when the participants were classified according to their degree program. However, no significant differences were noted when the participants were classified according to sex, place of residence and monthly family income.