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Maritime Courses



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The Scottish Maritime Academy provides STCW (Standard of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping) training and delivers approved maritime courses on behalf of the following bodies:

- **Maritime Coastguard Agency (MCA)**
- **Merchant Navy Training Board (MNTB)**
- **Association of Marine Electronic and Radio Colleges (AMERC)**
- **Royal Yacht Association (RYA)**
- **Seafish (SFIA)**

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The Scottish Maritime Academy offers high quality nautical training. Courses are offered in both fishing and the merchant navy sector and are delivered by a team of fully qualified and experienced seafarers. We are based within a dedicated maritime training centre, situated on the water's edge of the marina at Peterhead - home to the UK's largest white fish and pelagic port and a hub for the North Sea Oil & Gas industry.



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About Us



Small Classes, Unique Location

Class sizes are small which means that lecturers are able to provide as much or as little support as required. Students find that they quickly become part of the community here at the Academy.



Port in the Classroom

We are able to replicate what is happening in the Peterhead port and across the world in the classroom - providing students with realistic training scenarios in a secure training environment.



Specialist Equipment & Facilities

As the nautical centre of excellence of North East Scotland College, we have access to high specification teaching resources and specialist maritime equipment. This includes a Transas full bridge marine simulator plus three training bridges, a purpose-built 9 workstation ECDIS suite and the latest radio simulation equipment.



Working with You

We design bespoke courses for service and shipping companies to meet specific training requirements such as ship handling, bridge resource management and linesman training. If you are an employer and you would like to discuss how the Academy can help you then please contact us.

Local Amenities

The Scottish Maritime Academy is situated at the entrance to Peterhead overlooking the marina. The Academy has a café/restaurant in the same building offering a range of snacks/ meals to users from early morning to evening. A soft seating area is available for students to relax and study at their leisure. Peterhead provides a range of bed and breakfast/hotel facilities. Details are available upon request.



How To Find Us

We are easily reached by road with a large car park available. The nearest train station/international airport is in Aberdeen which provides a frequent bus service to Peterhead



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Course Fees

All course fees must be paid for on booking. The latest price list together with online booking is available at www.smaritime.co.uk. A paper application form is also available upon request.

How To Book Your Course

- **Select your course**
- **Confirm availability for your chosen date**
- **Complete the online booking form at www.smaritime.co.uk**
- **Alternatively you can complete a paper based form. This can either be downloaded from our website or sent to you.**
- **Payment is required at time of booking**

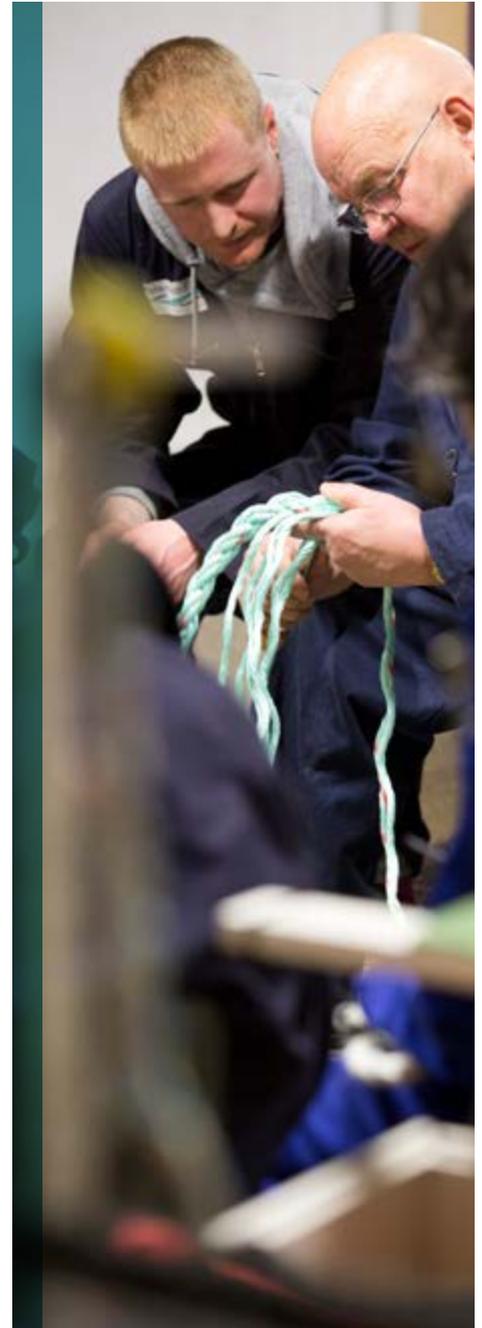
Should you require any help with your booking please contact us:

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Certification

Certificates and duplicate certificates will only be issued to candidates in person who provide necessary documentation and photographic identification.



Funding Support

For seafarers not sponsored or employed by a shipping company some courses may attract sponsorship or funding. This is dependent upon a number of different factors including course choice, personal circumstances and fund availability. Visit www.smaritime.co.uk for the latest information.

Fee Waiver

Applicable for:

- **Trainee Deckhand**

The course fee may be waived if any of the following apply to you and you are not a current student at North East Scotland College:

If you or your family is in receipt of any of the following benefits:

Pension Credit, Working Tax Credit, Housing Benefit, Income Support, Income Based Job Seekers' Allowance, Income Related Employment and Support Allowance. Further information is available at application stage.

Seafish

Applicable for:

- **Selected short sea fishing safety refresher courses**
- **Deck Officer Class 2 Fishing**
- **Deck Officer Class 1 Fishing**

Seafish may offer European Maritime and Fisheries Fund (EMFF) funding to fishermen who want to undertake voluntary training to develop their safety skills. The latest information can be found at: www.seafish.org

MARS training Shipping Fund

Applicable to support:

- **Selected Merchant Navy and Fishing courses. Application forms are available from the Academy.**

Marine Society

Applicable for:

- **HNC Nautical Science**
- **Deck Officer Class 1 Fishing (if converting to OOW Unlimited)**
- **Selected Merchant Navy short courses**

The Marine Society offers financial assistance including scholarships to seafarers to support professional development for a first certificate of competency. If you are a rating considering career progression, the Slater Fund, managed by the Marine Society with Nautilus International, offers scholarships of up to £17,500 to help you study for a first certificate of competency.

If you are not supported by a shipping company and you are self or part-funding your studies you may be able to apply for this scholarship. Full information can be found at: www.marine-society.org

The Theodore Salvesen Memorial Trust

Grants are available to individuals on selected courses where financial hardship/difficulty is experienced. More details can be found at: www.tsmtrust.com



Haydn McLeod

Haydn McLeod was sixteen when he first attended the Scottish Maritime Academy, North East Scotland College's maritime centre of excellence, based in Peterhead. He enrolled onto the Trainee Deckhand course - the twelve week course aimed at introducing new entrants into the fishing industry and/or merchant navy.

"It was a brilliant course," he says, "where I learnt a huge amount. Although that was over four years ago now I remember thinking what a great facility with a positive, friendly atmosphere. When the course finished I was offered a job with Vroon Offshore where I worked on the standby and supply vessels for eighteen months before deciding to "return" to fishing. I come from a family of fishermen and since I was small I have been on the boats with my dad, hauling creels and fishing for mackerel. Fishing is in my blood!"

Haydn returned to the Academy and successfully completed the Deck Officer Class 2 course plus the ancillary courses necessary to achieve his ticket - the GMDSS General Operators Certificate and the Electronic Navigation Systems course.

Entry Level

Trainee Deckhand New Entrant Programme

Course Summary:

This course is ideal if you are looking to start a career in the Merchant Navy; the offshore supply and standby vessel fleet and/or the fishing industry.

Entry Requirements:

Candidates must be at least 17 years old. A basic level of core skills are required. Entry to the course is by interview.

Course Content:

This course covers the basic requirements of a trainee deckhand. STCW basic safety training (personal survival techniques; first aid; personal safety and social responsibilities and security awareness) and seafish mandatory certification.

- **Rope work, Anchoring, Mooring**
- **Communication**
- **Construction & stability**
- **Safety training**
- **Seamanship**
- **Maritime security**

Duration:

12 weeks, Scottish Maritime Academy.

Progression Opportunities:

Upon successful completion of this course you will be able to seek employment in the standby and supply sector and on board fishing vessels. After 6 months sea service you will have the opportunity to undertake* Efficient Deck Hand certification towards able bodied seafarer.

* Further STCW certification will be required

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Merchant Navy Courses

| Efficient Deck Hand (EDH)

Course Summary:

This course is suitable for those with at least 6 months sea service in vessels of more than 15m who wish to progress from basic deckhand to able bodied seafarer qualifications.

Entry Requirements:

Candidates must be at least 17 years old and have completed STCW basic safety courses; hold a steering or navigation watch rating certificate and the seafarer medical test (ENG 1).

Course Content:

The course includes theoretical and practical training in all elements of seamanship including:

- Rope and wire handling
- Anchors and mooring techniques
- Opening and closing cargo hatches
- Cargo gear and rigging
- Gangway and pilot ladders
- Watchkeeping and other duties

Duration:

5 days, Scottish Maritime Academy.

Progression Opportunities:

On completion of 36 months of qualifying sea service, in an acceptable deck capacity, you may be eligible to undertake the HNC Nautical Science course and progress to MCA certification towards Officer of the Watch Certificate of Competency.





HNC Nautical Science Blended Learning

Course Summary:

This course is a mixture of self-study and face-to-face attendance at the Academy and is ideal for Deck Ratings who wish to gain further qualifications whilst working. Delegates can study and achieve a HNC and Officer of the Watch (Unlimited) without lengthy periods of study leave from employment.

Entry Requirements:

Entry is at the discretion of the Academy.

The additional requirements to gain an Officer of the Watch (Unlimited) Certificate of Competency are: a minimum of 36 months sea service (as per MSN 1856 or equivalent) and MCA requirements as detailed in the relevant M Notice. It is the responsibility of candidates to ensure that all entry requirements and the issue of a Notice of Eligibility (NoE) by the MCA are met.

Course Content:

- Celestial Navigation
- Marine Meteorology
- Bridge Watchkeeping
- Navigational Mathematics and Science
- Ship Construction
- Chart work and Tides
- Ship Stability
- Marine Cargo Ops
- Emergency Response and Communications
- Marine Law and Management and Nautical Science Graded Unit 1

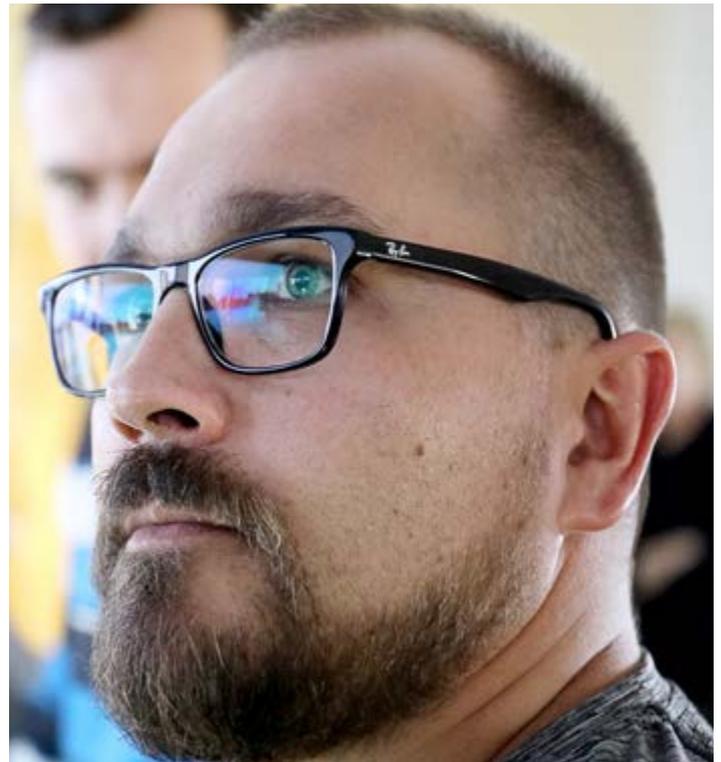
Duration:

12 months self-study including 6 separate blocks at the Scottish Maritime Academy for face to face course delivery and supervised assessment.

Progression Opportunities:

Completion of this HNC allows candidates to prepare for SQA external examinations (Navigation, Stability and Operation).

You may then progress towards the HND Nautical Science leading to the Chief Mate Certificate of Competency followed by the full Master's certification.





John Reed

John is working towards his Master's certification through the Distance Learning programme offered by the Academy. A combination of self-study and face-to-face attendance, this programme allows mariners to complete one unit at a time, which once completed is followed by the graded unit and the SQA examinations.

He explains, "I take the course materials for one unit offshore with me and study in my spare time. Then when I am on leave I am back in the Academy for tutor support followed by my assessment for that unit. I then pick up the course materials for the next unit and so it continues!"

John works for Fletcher Shipping aboard FS Cygnus, a platform supply vessel. "Once I have completed the examination and taken my orals I will achieve my Master's 3000 which means I can command any vessels in any waters up to 3000 tonnes."

Dedicated brochures on the HNC and HND Nautical Science qualifications can be found online: www.smaritime.co.uk

HND Nautical Science Blended Learning

Course Summary:

This programme is ideal for those who are working at sea as an Officer of the Watch and who wish to progress towards the Chief Mate Certificate of Competency followed by the full Master's certification. This course is a mixture of self-study and face-to-face attendance at the Academy.

Entry Requirements:

Entry is at the discretion of the Academy.

The additional requirements to gain a Chief Mate (Unlimited) Certificate of Competency are: a minimum of 12 months watchkeeping service whilst holding an Officer of the Watch (Unlimited) Certificate of Competency (as per MSN 1856 or equivalent) and MCA requirements as detailed in the relevant M Notice. It is the responsibility of candidates to ensure that requirements for the issue of an Notice of Eligibility (NoE) by the MCA are met.

Course Content:

The course includes theoretical and practical training in all elements of seamanship including:

- Marine Passage Planning
- Management of Bridge Operations
- Applied Marine Meteorology
- Ship Stability: Theory & Practice
- Management of Vessel Operations
- Marine Vessels: Structures & Maintenance
- Shipboard management
- Shipmasters Business
- Safety Management Systems
- IT Applications Software 1
- Nautical Science Grades Unit 2 and Unit 3

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Duration:

Approximately 20-24 months. Mandatory college attendance of up to 12 weeks is required for face to face course delivery and supervised assessment.

Progression Opportunities:

You may be eligible to apply for year 2 or 3 entry to a marine degree at a range of higher education institutions.





 Jason Holden

Jason Holden from Brixham successfully completed the Class 2 Fishing Deck Officer course. He received funding from the European Maritime & Fisheries Fund (EMFF), Seafish and the Maritime Coastguard Agency (MCA) fund.

He explains, "I came up to Peterhead just over four months ago to study for my Class 2 and the accompanying short courses. Although it is a long way from home it has meant that I am away from all the distractions and I can focus on what I have to learn. It's the best way to do it. It's intense - no doubt about it - but by doing it all at once I don't get time to forget anything. You have to put the effort in and it will be worth it once I get my skippers ticket."

Fishing Courses

Deck Officer Class 2 (Fishing)

Course Summary:

This course is for those who wish to be able to take command of vessels (24m) in national waters (limited). This will prepare you for the Scottish Qualification Authority (SQA) Deck Officer Class 2 (Fishing) written examination.

Note - to obtain the Certificate of Competency, candidates are required to complete additional courses including ENS, GMDSS/GOC in order to sit the oral examination.

Entry Requirements:

3 years continuous sea service on-board fishing vessels.

Course Content:

- Navigation
- Chart work and Pilotage
- Meteorology
- Safety and Management (including Ship Stability)
- MCA Signals

Duration:

12 weeks, Scottish Maritime Academy.

Progression Opportunities:

Following the Deck Officer Class 2 (Fishing) candidates will be eligible to sit Deck Officer Class 1 (Fishing) after additional 1 year sea service in unlimited waters has been obtained.

Important Information

Candidates must ensure all entry requirements and the issue of a Notice of Eligibility by the MCA are met prior to course start.



Deck Officer Class 1 (Fishing)

Course Summary:

The Deck Officer Class 1 (Fishing) allows the holder to master any fishing vessel in unlimited waters. This will prepare you for the Scottish Qualification Authority (SQA) Deck Officer Class 1 (Fishing) written examination.

Note - to obtain the Certificate of Competency, candidates are required to complete additional courses including NCC and Medical Care Onboard Ship.

Entry Requirements:

A minimum of 12 months sea service as a Watchkeeping Officer whilst holding a Certificate of Competency Class 2. Candidates must ensure all entry requirements and the issue of a Notice of Eligibility by the MCA are met prior to course start.

Course Content:

- **Navigation - Celestial Navigation, Ocean Passage Planning**
- **Navigation 2 - Radar Plotting, Electronic Navigation**
- **Ship Construction and Stability**
- **Safety and Management**

Duration:

12 weeks, Scottish Maritime Academy.

Progression Opportunities:

Holders of the Class 1 qualification can convert the Officer of the Watch (Unlimited) through the Conversion Course to Merchant Navy.

Deck Officer Class 1 Conversion to Merchant Navy Officer of the Watch (Unlimited)

Course Summary:

This conversion course is for those who hold the MCA Deck Officer Class 1 (Fishing) qualification and who wish to obtain the Merchant Navy Officer of the Watch (Unlimited) qualification. The course covers the Scottish Qualifications Authority (SQA) Higher National (HN) qualifications but please note additional short courses will be required to achieve the Officer of the Watch qualification.

Note - to obtain the qualification, candidates are required to complete additional courses.

Entry Requirements:

Deck Officer Class 1 (Fishing).

Course Content:

- **SQA HN Marine Cargo Operations Unit**
- **SQA HN Ships Stability: An Introductory Unit**

Duration:

4 weeks, Scottish Maritime Academy.

Progression Opportunities:

This allows the candidate to convert to Officer of the Watch (Unlimited) if they have the relevant sea time. It is the responsibility of candidates to ensure that all entry requirements for the course are met prior to attending the course.

Short Courses

We offer a range of short courses suitable for seafarers in navigation and information systems, leadership and management, radio, safety and security.

Engineering

MCA Approved Engine Course – Part 1

Course Summary:

The objective of this course is to provide students with the basic theoretical knowledge and some practical hands on experience of diesel engines.

Entry Requirements:

No formal entry requirements

Course Content:

- Compression Ignition Engine
- Cycle of operation and constructional details
- The Fuel System
- The role of air in the combustion process
- The cooling system
- The lubrication system
- Engine Electrical Systems
- Power transmission
- Hull fittings

Duration:

30 hours

Progression Opportunities:

MCA Approved Engine Course - Part 2

Navigation

Electronic Navigation Systems (Fishing)

Course Summary:

The certificate gained from this course is one of the requirements for those who wish to obtain their Class 2 and / or Class 1 Deck Officer (Fishing) qualification.

Entry Requirements:

No formal entry requirements

Course Content:

- Radar Plotting
- Use of ARPA
- Electronic navigation aids

Duration:

3 weeks (simulator based), Scottish Maritime Academy.

Navigation

Navigation Command Course (NCC)

Course Summary:

The certificate gained from this course is one of the requirements for those who wish to obtain the Deck Officer Class 1 (Fishing) Certificate of Competence. This is a simulator based course.

Course Content:

- Pilotage
- Passage planning
- Ship handling
- SAR procedures

Duration:

2 weeks, Scottish Maritime Academy.

"Electronic Navigation Systems is a good course - delivered at pace with several tutors. We've used the simulator which I found very realistic. It's continuous assessment with an exam at the end."

Jordan Scott





Navigation

Navigation Aids, Equipment & Simulator Training (NAEST) Operational Level

Course Summary:

This course provides delegates with the fundamental knowledge and skills to keep a safe navigational watch and to use radar and other navigational aids to maintain safety of navigation.

Course Content:

- Basic principles of electronic navigational systems
- Loren C
- Satellite navigation systems
- ECDIS
- Logs, Echo Sounders, Compasses and Steering Systems
- Radar and ARPA
- AIS
- Bridge watchkeeping and teamwork
- Integrated Bridge Systems

Duration:

6 weeks (inc ECDIS), Scottish Maritime Academy.



Short Courses

Navigation

Navigation Aids & Equipment Simulator Training (NAEST)

Management Level

Course Summary:

This simulator based course will provide you with the skills to maintain safe navigation through the use of electronic navigation systems.

Entry Requirements:

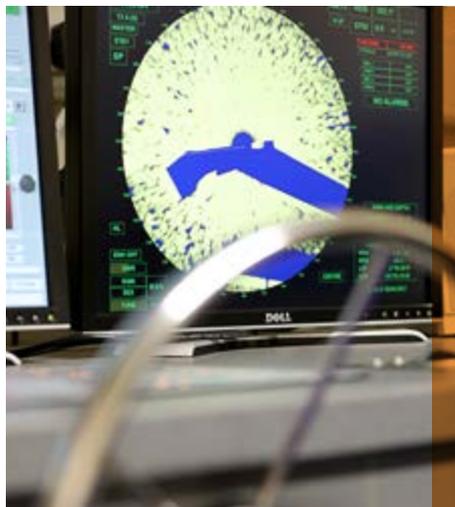
A minimum of 12 months watchkeeping service whilst holding a certificate of competency issued under Regulation 11/1 of the STCW Convention, 1978 (as amended) and evidence of completion of MCA approved Navigation, Radar and ARPA Simulator Training (Operational Level) course completed on or after 01.01.2005; or the ECDIS course in compliance with IMO Model Course 1.27.

Course Content:

- **Planning a voyage / navigation**
- **Information from navigation equipment and systems - radar and ARPA**
- **Navigation systems including ECDIS and associated systems to assist command decision making**
- **Search and rescue operations**

Duration:

2 weeks, Scottish Maritime Academy.



Navigation

Electronic Chart Display & Information Systems (ECDIS)

IMO Model Course 1.27 - Generic

Course Summary:

This course provides instruction on the use and operation of ECDIS through understanding the capabilities and limitations of the system. Practical exercises using desktop simulators reinforce the theory and provide an opportunity to develop and practice responses to training scenarios.

Entry Requirements:

All Deck Officers who hold a Certificate of Competence issued in accordance with the 2010 Manila amendments should be trained in the use of ECDIS.

Course Content:

- **Legal aspects and requirements**
- **Main types of electronic charts**
- **ECDIS data and presentation of data sensors**
- **Basic navigational functions**
- **Special functions for route planning and monitoring**
- **Updating ECDIS Chart Systems**

Duration:

5 days, Scottish Maritime Academy.



Navigation

Electronic Chart Display & Information Systems (ECDIS)

Type Specific - Furuno

Course Summary:

This course has been designed for candidates who have completed ECDIS generic training and now require equipment specific training. It has been designed for officers in charge of a navigational watch.

Entry Requirements:

Those attending the course should have completed the generic 5 day IMO 1.27 ECDIS course.

Course Content:

A minimum of 2 days using Furuno computer based type specific package and assessment. This is supported by experienced ECDIS tutors.

Duration:

2 days, Scottish Maritime Academy.



Short Courses

Leadership and Management

Human Element Leadership & Management (HELM)

Operational Level

Course Summary:

This course will provide you with awareness and understanding of the key human factors influencing performance on board a vessel at an operational level. Delegates will acquire and develop tools and practical skills to apply on board, enhancing the safe operation of the ship and care for personnel.

Entry Requirements:

You should meet the minimum seagoing service requirements for the issue of a first Certificate of Competency.

Course Content:

- Shipboard human resource management
- International maritime conventions and guidelines
- Task / workload management
- Effective communications on board and ashore
- Cultural aspects and team working principles
- Assertiveness, leadership and motivation principles

Understanding, developing and maintaining situational awareness:

- The influences of situation and risk assessment
- Identify and manage fatigue and stress
- Shipboard training and continuous professional development

Duration:

3 days, Scottish Maritime Academy.

Leadership and Management

Human Element Leadership & Management (HELM)

Management Level

Course Summary:

This course will develop your awareness and understanding of the key human factors influencing performance on board a vessel at a managerial level. Delegates will acquire useful tools and build upon existing leadership and managerial skills with the overall aim of enhancing the safe operation of the ship and the care of all persons on board.

Entry Requirements:

You should hold a deck or engineering certificate of competency at the operational level and meet the minimum seagoing service requirements for the issue of a management level Certificate of Competency.

Course Content:

- Shipboard human resource management
- International maritime conventions and guidelines
- Task/workload management
- Project management and decision making
- Leadership and management attributes
- Use of effective communications on board and ashore
- Cultural aspects
- Recognising teams
- Roles and responsibilities of a team leader
- Assertiveness, leadership and motivation principles
- Goal setting



Understanding, developing and maintaining situational awareness:

- **Creative thinking and problem solving strategies**
- **Situational awareness and risk assessment**
- **Shipboard training, mentoring and continuous professional development**

Duration:

5 days, Scottish Maritime Academy.



Radio

GMDSS General Operators Certificate (Radio)

Course Summary:

Successful completion of this certificate permits you to operate a GMDSS radio installation, including satellite communications equipment, on compulsorily fitted vessels sailing in any of the GMDSS sea areas A1, A2, A3 or A4.

Entry Requirements:

Minimum of 18 years of age.

Note - delegates are required to provide photographic identification (driving licence or passport) and 2 passport size photographs on the first day of the course.

Course Content:

- **Safety of life at sea (SOLAS) - General Radio regulations; Distress communications and log-keeping**
- **Practical operation of MF/HF terrestrial transceiver; VHF transceiver; Navtex; HF MF/VHF/DSC equipment; Inmarsat C System; Inmarsat -F-77 Systems; SART and EPIRB**

Duration:

2 weeks, Scottish Maritime Academy.

Short Courses

Radio

RYA Short Range Certificate (Radio)

Course Summary:

A course for anyone who owns a fixed or handheld marine VHF radio using international channels. This certificate is the minimum qualification required by law to control the operation of VHF and VHF Digital Selective Calling (DSC) equipment on any British flagged vessel voluntarily fitted with a radio.

Course Content:

- Basics of radio operation
- Correct frequencies (channels) to be used
- Distress, emergency and medical assistance procedures
- Ship to shore telephone calls
- Digital Selective Calling (DSC) using simulators
- Global Maritime Distress and Safety System (GMDSS)
- Emergency Position Indicating Radio Beacons (EPIRB)
- Search and Rescue (SART)

The course will be examined by a practical and written test.

Duration:

1 day and pre-course reading, Scottish Maritime Academy.

Safety

STCW Personal Survival Techniques

Course Summary:

The course delivers a basic knowledge and practice of survival techniques and principles that can be applied to maximise the probability of survival following a marine casualty. Training is delivered through a combination of theory and practical sessions.

Course Content:

- Actions prior to abandonment of the vessel
- Basic principles of survival
- Types of survival equipment provided on board ships
- Training and drills
- Correct use of the lifejacket and entering the water from a height
- Launching of a liferaft. Righting of a capsized liferaft
- Wet and dry boarding of a liferaft
- Bringing aboard an injured casualty
- Hypothermia and other medical factors
- Liferaft first aid
- Liferaft equipment
- Actions to aid location by rescuers

Duration:

1 day, Scottish Maritime Academy.





Safety

STCW Personal Safety & Social Responsibilities

Course Summary:

Ahead of going to sea, this course provides you with a basic induction in safety procedures, accident prevention and familiarisation of the employment conditions and working environment on board merchant vessels.

Course Content:

- Complying with emergency procedures
- Prevention of marine pollution
- Observing safer working practise
- Understanding the chain of command and orders contributing to effective human relationships on board ship
- Assessment is by direct observation, oral and written questioning and simulated scenarios.

Duration:

1 day, Scottish Maritime Academy.

Safety

STCW Elementary First Aid

Course Summary:

To provide you with a basic knowledge of the immediate action to be taken upon encountering an accident or other medical emergency on board ship. Assessment is by direct observation, oral questioning and simulated scenarios.

Course Content:

- Casualty Positioning
Resuscitation techniques
- Control of bleeding
- Basic shock management
- Improvised bandages
- Use of materials in a First Aid Kit
- Resuscitation techniques

Duration:

1 day, Scottish Maritime Academy.



Short Courses

Seafish

Introduction To Commercial Fishing

Course Summary:

This course is designed to give new entrants a basic knowledge and an awareness of a number of different activities that would be found operating upon commercial fishing vessels.

Entry Requirements:

There are no formal entry requirements. Candidates must be aged 16 or over.

Course Content:

The course also includes as part of the syllabus the four 1-day mandatory courses - Sea Survival, Health and Safety, First Aid and Fire Fighting - which are a legal requirement for any new fishermen entering the industry and going to sea.

Duration:

15 days



Seafish

Seafish Mandatory Safety Courses

The following 1 day Seafish Industry Authority approved courses are available and are offered subject to demand and funding availability. Please check online for dates or contact the Academy if you have any specific requests.

Health & Safety

This course covers basic health & safety issues and safety practices including safety equipment/clothing and guidelines on accident prevention.

Sea Survival

The course content is the same as that listed under **STCW Personal Survival Techniques**.

First Aid

The course content is the same as that listed under **STCW Elementary First Aid**.

Fire Fighting

This course covers basic firefighting techniques, instruction on use of various firefighting equipment and practical instruction in the use of firefighting appliances.

Safety Awareness (Experienced Fishermen)

This course covers the day to day practical safety issues on board commercial fishing boats, including risk assessments.



Short Courses

Security

STCW Proficiency in Security Awareness

Course Summary:

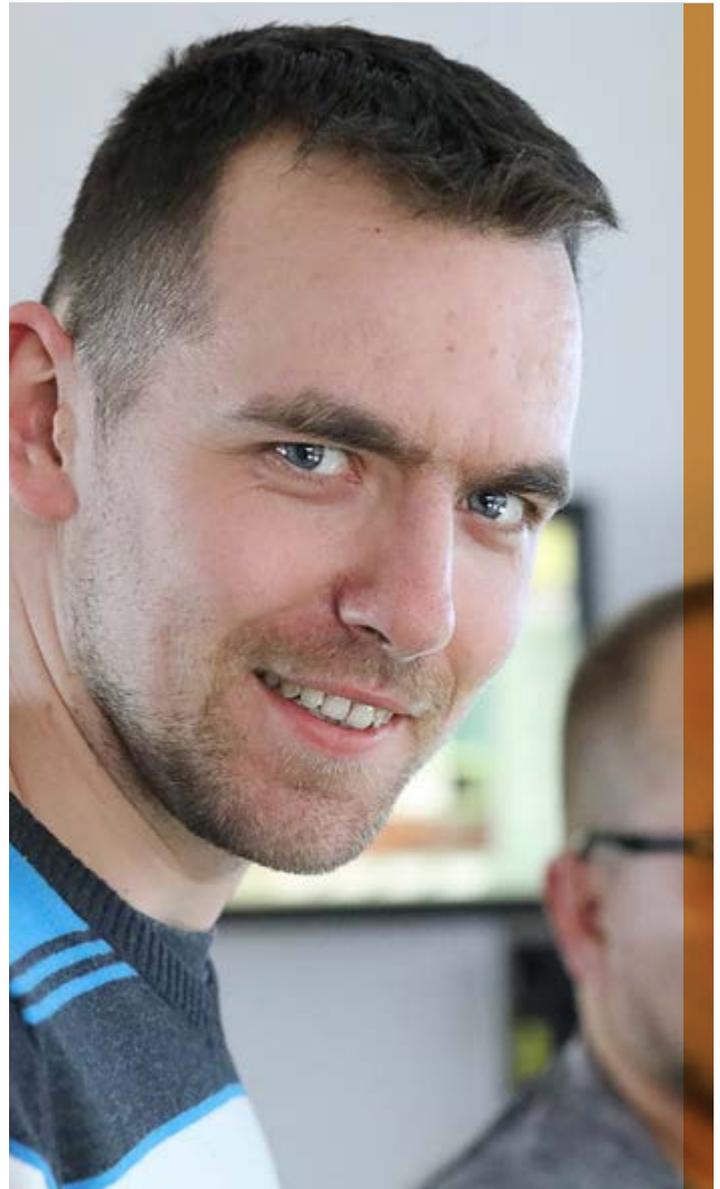
The course provides necessary knowledge, understanding and proficiency to personnel intending to work on ships who will not have any designated security duties.

Course Content:

- The importance of ship security and the roles of those involved in its provision
- The requirements and measures to maintain ship security
- Recognising and reporting a security threat

Duration:

4 hours, Scottish Maritime Academy.







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