

Training Centre - Quality Management System

Course Descriptor

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TUG MASTER TRAINING (TMT 5 days)





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HIGHLIGHT:

Our inhouse simulator based Tug Master training is a potent combination of knowledge, theory and practice. Delivered by experienced Master Mariners with first-hand expertise across the full range of tug types, our methods are based on in-depth tug operation knowledge combined with extensive towage experience in all conditions and environments..

COURSE CONTENT AND OBJECTIVES:

The structure and contents of this course align with the IMO MSC/Circ. 1101; MEPC/Circ.409; FAL/Circ.100 8 September 2003: Ship/Port interface, availability of tug assistance.

The Tug Boat Master theory consists of theoretical studies in a class room environment and is supplemented by bridge simulator training using different tug models.

Some examples of the topics addressed during this course are:

- Factors determining tug design
- Various types of harbour tugs
- Assisting methods
- Tug capabilities and limitations
- Manoeuvring aspects of ships to be assisted
- Tug capacity requirements
- Interaction and tug safety
- Towing equipment
- Escort towing and terminal operations
- Towage and Tug knowledge

PRACTICAL MANOEUVRING SIMULATION:

These training courses take place in a state-of-the-art simulator. The trainers are highly experienced experts in tugs and towage who will guide you towards becoming a towage expert yourself.

Basic Tug Handling

- Mooring
- Unmooring
- Sailing ahead and astern
- Turning
- Side stepping
- Emergency stops
- Coping with currents and other relevant aspects

Basic Harbour Towage

- Connecting to moored vessels and vessels at moderate speed with and without current
- Coming alongside
- Push-pull
- Following up pilot commands
- Direct and transverse arrest
- Direct and indirect steering

Advanced Harbour Towage

- Connecting at high speed
- Coping with and avoiding the influence of ship/tug interaction
- Getting more insight
- Speeding up your manoeuvres
- Dealing with push pull at speed
- Avoiding donkey effects

Escort Towage (advanced)

- Escorting ships at different speeds under different circumstances and environmental conditions
- Tug handling, towing, and ship/tug interaction
- Emergency situations
- Communication on board
- Communication with pilots
- Tug knowledge
- Familiarization with operating area
- Special Operations

ELIGIBILTY:

The courses cater to levels ranging from New Crew Member to experienced Tug Master who seek refresher training

DURATION:

5 DAYS

COURSE DELIVERY:

Master Mariner(s) with Relevant field experience and dedication, delivers the Training programme

AID & INFRASTRUCTURE:

Full Mission Bridge Simulator at NTCPWC, IIT MADRAS

PARTICIPANTS:

Maximum 4 per batch

LANGUAGE:

The training shall be conducted in English and Hindi

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