



# Diploma of Maritime Operations (Watchkeeper Deck)

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Ready to navigate your crew through rough or smooth seas? Further advance your maritime career and become a highly skilled specialist in a supervisory role.

This course will qualify you to work in international waters as a:

- Master or Chief Mate on vessels less than 500 gross tonnage in any operating area; and
- Watchkeeper deck officer on vessels of any gross tonnage and in any operating area.
- Master and chief mate on ships less than 3000 gross tonnage in near coastal waters.
- Able seafarer - deck

Gain these skills:

- maintain seaworthiness of the ship (ship stability)
- monitor, loading, unloading, securing and stowage of cargo
- contribute to fire prevention and firefighting (basic firefighting)
- follow vessel security procedures (security awareness training)
- observe personal safety and social responsibility (PSSR)
- prevent, control and fight fires on board a vessel (advanced firefighting)
- survive at sea in the event of vessel abandonment and personal survival techniques (PST)
- plan and conduct a passage and determine position
- use of electronic chart display and information system (ECDIS) to maintain the safety of navigation
- use of radar and other bridge equipment to maintain safety of navigation
- manoeuvre the ship
- maintain seaworthiness of the ship (ship construction)

**Your qualification prepares you for roles such as:**

Ship's Master

Further Study Option(s)

Advanced Diploma of Maritime Operations (Master Unlimited)

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## Course Overview



Location	Duration	Competitive	Selection criteria
Fremantle	Two semesters	No	No selection criteria