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USCG Merchant Marine Credential REF # 3748275  
200 ton inland, 100 ton near coastal, STCW, Adv fire fighting, MROP

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A lifelong mariner on sail and power yachts, with experience in navigation, weather routing, boat handling, & management. Have done over 108k miles and 3300 days in Alaska, Canada, Mexico, Eastern & Western US coast, Caribbean, Central America including panama canal, and Hawaii. My engineering degree from Oregon State, along with corporate work, and commercial fishing background give me life long experience on management and ship board systems. My long time goal has always been to further my knowledge and proficiency in these areas while continuously upgrading my training and certifications in both US and international certification systems.

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## Skills

- Charter/Private/Delivery/Instruction
  - Crew organization
  - Guest planning, including youth and children
  - Vessel turn over & cleaning
  - Fishing from Alaska to Central America, and East Coast
- Vessel
  - Manage Funds, budgets, and resources
  - Piloting
  - Port planning
  - Navigation
  - Weather
  - Provisioning
  - Towing experience
- Maintenance & Upgrades
  - Extensive boat/ship yard experience
  - Diesel & Gas; Cooling, Fuel Systems, Power train, as well as outboard motors.
  - Pump systems, hydraulics, and Refrigeration systems
  - Electrical systems including 12 volt, 32 volt, and 120/220/480 volt & Electronics
  - Rigging, spars, and other onboard systems
  - Fiberglass & welding methodology

## Accomplishments

***CoastGuardCaptain.com, 2015 - present***

***Captain in Portland/Vancouver, Operating through PDX around the world***  
private; deliveries, charters, lessons, and management.

***Prosailingschool.org, thru Nauticed.org, 2019-present***

***Captain Sailing Instructor, Portland/Vancouver area***  
Captain; sailing instruction and ceterfications.

***National Oceanic & Atmospheric Association, 2023***

***Relief Pool, AB and Fisherman, cape Canaveral to mobile, alabama***  
deck hand and fisherman.

***Zenith Yacht Charters, 2023***

***Captain for 100 ft 12 pac, and 80 ft COI, new york area***  
crew manager, engineer.

*Alaska Dream Cruise, 2022*

*Captain, M/V Kruzof Explorer 130 ft converted king crab vessel, SE Alaska*

Week long charter cruises, operating under 12 pac.

*M/V Kayana 125 foot private yacht, 2022*

*Captain and Manager, Seattle to Sitka*

Private yacht management, captain, manage crews and vessel, Seattle to Alaska.

*M/V Nirvana 100 foot private yacht, 2021*

*Captain and Manager, Ensanada to San Diego*

Private yacht management, captain, manage crews and work on vessels, charters in San Diego and Mexico.

*M/V Trilogy 103ft charter, 2021*

*Captain and Manager, Boston area*

Private yacht management, captain, manage crews and work on vessels, charters in boston area.

*M/V Mixer 106ft, M/V Big Dawg94ft, 52SC Viking, 62 viking, 2021*

*Captain and Manager, Seattle area*

Private yacht management, captain, manage crews and work on vessels, fishing trips in sitka, and cruising in Puget sound and san juans.

*M/V Tamara 100 ft & M/V Shaken Knot Stirred 75 ft, 2019*

*Captain and Manager, Portland/Vancouver area*

Private yacht management, captain, boat work

*Go-Sail.org*

*Non Profit 2014 – 2019, Portland/Vancouver area*

Providing sailing/marine opportunities to those that don't have access.

*Sailboat Racing & Cruising 1992 – Present, Portland up to Whidbey Island*

From small dinghy's to large sailboats, around bouys, along the coast, and across oceans. Experienced helmsman/navigator that can function in any position on any sailboat. This includes multihull type vessels also.

*Fishing commercially, charter, and sport 1984 – Present, Astoria to Alaska*

Both large and small fishing vessels for salmon, tuna, bottom fish, and crab.

*Vancouver Lake Sailing Club Sailing School Director 2012 – 2015, Vancouver area*

Hire and direct sailing; promote youth racing.

*Willamette Sailing Club 2000-2012, Portland area*

Weekly laser sailing, fleet champ, fleet captain

*Competitive College & Junior Sailing 1980-1994, Corvallis up and down west coast*

UofO, OSU, and PSU, Groton CT, & Kaneohe Yacht Club

## **MEMBERSHIP, EDUCATION, & TRAINING**

**Mariner Advancement winter 2023/2025;** 500 ton review course

**MERTS Clatsop Community College dec 2002;** Advanced Fire Fighting

**US captain training fall 2022;** FCC radio man license

**MERTS Clatsop Community College april 2022;** STCW basic

**FAA drone license dec 2020;** December

**US captain training spring 2020;** 200 GRT Master inland, 100 GRT master near coastal, 500 GRT mate

**Mariners Learning System USCG Captain Course sprint 2015;** 50 GRT Master inland, 6 pac, sailing & towing

**US Sailing Safety at Sea Seminar, Level 1 instructor, club level & PRO certification**

**Vancouver Lake Sailing Club honorary member 2011-current**

**Willamette Sailing Club member 2000-2014**

**CYC member in PDX 2017;** performing race management

**Dave Perry Rules Seminar; Portland, OR; April 2005:** Rules seminar with practice protest hearing

**Oregon State University spring 1994:**Bachelors of Science in mechanical engineering

**Clatsop Community College; Astoria, OR; Spring 1989:** Coast Guard Captains License course

**ASA; Seattle, WA; 1987:** Instructor training and certification for inland and coastal cruising