

for an exciting career...

just add water

▶ **LOOKING**
for a new
challenge?

▶ **WANT** to see
the world
from new
horizons?

▶ **STUCK** in a
go-nowhere
job?

The maritime industry needs people like you to work in a range of exciting careers.

You'll work on some of the most impressive and technologically advanced equipment on earth in a challenging but rewarding environment.

You can also gain internationally recognised qualifications that make you the person in demand.



Commercial shipping drives the Australian and world economies. Want to drive the biggest ships carrying the biggest cargo? The challenge and excitement of the open sea awaits – Are you up for it?

Here is just a sample of the exciting careers on offer in commercial shipping

Drive
the biggest
machines in the
world

Join as a

Deckhand

Or as a

Officer Cadet

and undertake a wide range of maritime work on land and at sea, including communications, seamanship, hospitality and logistics.

With training and experience
you could become a

**Ship's
Master**

Or take control
and become a

Pilot

and as an expert ship handler manoeuvre vessels in and out of ports and environmentally sensitive areas carrying a variety of cargo valued at hundreds of millions of dollars.

**Commercial
Vessels**

People who work on commercial vessels are employed by operators large and small in both the blue water and coastal fleets.

The Australian passenger vessel fleet is as vibrant and varied as any around the world. From city ferries to high-speed catamarans in the Great Barrier Reef and Antarctic ice-breakers, the Australian passenger vessel industry has a role for you that will take you places.

Get Paid

to visit some of the most beautiful and exotic places on earth

Here is just a sample of the great careers on offer on passenger vessels.

Join as a **Deckhand**

and be in control of ferries, catamarans, and other coastal vessels.

Or as a **Officer Cadet**

With training and experience you could become a

Coxswain

and command large passenger vessels including ocean going catamarans and even cruise liners.

Or go in a different direction and become a

Ship's Master

Passenger Vessels

People work on many types of passenger vessels ranging from gigantic cruise liners and high speed catamarans to luxury super yachts and essential ferry services.

With Australia's long coastline, Australian fishing vessels operate in the world's third-largest market. The Australian seafood industry operates in some of the most pristine marine environments in the world. If you want to say that you've 'gone fishing' the seafood industry may be for you.

Wouldn't you rather be

Fishing

Here is just a sample of the satisfying careers on offer on fishing vessels

Join as a **Deckhand Fishing**

and oversee, navigate, manage and supervise the operation of fishing ship at sea. A ship's master consults weather forecasts, makes a voyage plan, and gives instructions to the ship's crew.

With training and experience you could become a

Skipper

Or go in a different direction and become a

Master Fisher

and control fishing operations to catch and preserve fish and other seafood with equipment such as nets, lines, traps, pots or towed dredges, in ocean, coastal and inland waters.

Fishing Vessels

Trawlers and other fishing vessels operate throughout Australia's waters and need talented people.

Forget the old stereotype. Modern vessel engines are complex and technologically advanced. Whether you work onboard or in one of many shore-based design and maintenance roles if you have got skills, the maritime industry needs you.

Here is just a sample of the high-powered careers on offer in marine engineering

Think your **V8** is powerful? Maybe you would like to work on a 80,000 kilowatt engine!

Want a mechanical or electrical trade, use it as an

Assistant Engineer

and perform various roles in central control rooms and engine rooms in all sorts of vessels including cargo ships, dredges, offshore supply and drill vessels, oil tankers, passenger ships and tugs.

With training and experience you could become a

Marine Engine Driver

Or reach the level of

Engineer

and control the installation, operation and maintenance of machinery and equipment on ships and offshore structures.

Marine Engineering

Marine engineers are in high demand across the maritime industry including in boat design, building and repair as well as onboard vessels of all sizes.

From tankers and tugs to tinnies, Australia's boat builders and naval architects have a reputation for quality which enables them to work for local and international companies large and small.

Here is just a sample of the fantastic careers on offer in boat building and naval architecture

Are you ready to

make waves

as a boat builder or naval architect?

Join as an

Apprentice Boat Builder

Already got a trade, use it as a

Boat Builder

and get industry qualifications while working on all sorts of vessels including powerboats, harbour cruisers, and super yachts right through to luxury sports boats.

With training and experience you could take your career in a different direction and become a

Naval Architect

Senior Naval Architect

and design and oversee the construction and repair of vessels such as naval craft, passenger and cargo ships, sub-marines, high-speed ferries and catamarans, tugs, boats, yachts and oil rigs.

Naval Architecture

Without hydrography the world's ships would be in constant danger. Hydrographers chart the world's waterways making it safe for ships to navigate reefs, hidden rocks, fast-moving tides, and narrow channels. Through a career in hydrography you can explore an ever changing environment onboard research vessels.

Here is just a sample of the rewarding careers on offer in Hydrography

Got a degree in surveying? Chart a new course as a

Hydrographer

With training and experience you could become a

Senior Hydrographer

If you have your sights set on surveying, the world's oceans are waiting for you

and work on and off vessels measure and map the earth's surface waters including oceans, seas, rivers, lakes and estuaries.

Hydrography

Hydrographers are in high demand in state and federal government departments like the Bureau of Metrology and the Royal Australian Navy.

For more information

about how you can embark on one of these exciting careers in the maritime industry visit: www.nmsc.gov.au



National Marine Safety Committee

