

# Curriculum Vitae



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## -PERSONAL INFORMATION-

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<b>Credentials Held</b>	Master Upon Oceans Limited to 1600 GRT/2 <sup>nd</sup> Officer Unlimited  Unlimited Dynamic Positioning Operator -Nautical Institute  Unlimited Dynamic Positioning Operator –OSVDPA

## -CURRENT JOB PROFILE-

Currently serve as Assistant Department Head of the Maritime Transportation department and Assistant Professor of the Practice with Texas A&M University at Galveston teaching three classes. Celestial Navigation, Mart 303, is an advanced navigation course which studies the use of celestial bodies to determine a position at sea. Introduction to Dynamic Positioning, Mart 265, is an elective that introduces the cadet to the systems and machinery required on dynamically positioned vessels. Commercial Sea Term, Mart 350, instructor for cadet's commercial internship. Responsible for AEFIS internal review and goal setting reports; Conduct search and hiring committee for ne MART faculty; Hold positions on various internal and external review and development committees; Advisor to Cadet run organization Women on the Water.

## -EDUCATION-

**Bachelor of Science, Marine Transportation**  
Texas A&M, Maritime Academy

**2009-2011**  
Galveston, Texas

-Company commander of Victor Company

## -EXPERIENCE-

**2<sup>nd</sup> Officer/Senior DPO**

Fugro Explorer-DP2 Geotechnical Drill Ship  
Responsibilities included but not limited to

- DP Watch During Drilling Operations
- Navigation Watch Stander
- Planned Maintenance on Navigation and ISM Critical Equipment
- Purchasing and Stock Control
- Plan/Conduct Weekly and Monthly Drills
- Ship Handling
- Mooring/Unmooring Operations

**2016-2018**  
Worldwide

-Anchoring Operations

**3rd Officer/DPO**

**2013-2016**

Fugro Explorer-DP2 Geotechnical Drill Ship

Worldwide

-Planned Maintenance on LSA & Fire Fighting Equipment

-DP and Navigation Watch Stander

-Purchasing and Stock Control

**3rd Officer**

**2012-2013**

Seaprobe - 4 point Anchor Geotechnical Drill Ship

Worldwide

-Navigation

-4 point mooring

-Planned maintenance

**Cadet**

**2010**

T5 Motor Tanker Houston

U.S. Coastwise

-Liquid cargo operations

-Manual stability calculations

-Ballasting/De-ballasting operations

-Extensive commercial cruise project

**-CERTIFICATION-**

Type	Expiration
Second Mate Unlimited/Master 1600/3000 ITC	10/2025
OSVDPA-Dynamic Positioning Operator Unlimited	12/2023
NI-Dynamic Positioning Officer Unlimited	12/2025
Passport	09/2028
TWIC	10/2024
USCG Medical Cert	12/2023
ECDIS Generic and TRANSAS Specific	
Radar Observer Unlimited	
Vessel Security Officer	
First Aid/CPR	
Leadership and Team Working	
OSVDPA-Dynamic Positioning Instructor	