



## MODULES FOR THE SUPER YACHT FIVE DAY INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNISED DECKHAND COURSE

The Crew Pacific 5 Day Super yacht Deckhand course is offered BOTH in “Theory & Practical” lessons the course COST IS \$2400.00AUD.

Theory can be completed at home on your own laptop, and the practical skills will be completed at Crew Pacific’s training facilities as per course dates provided.

- Theory cost: \$1200.00 AUD
- Practical cost \$1200.00 AUD

**Find the following modules below and what they cover:**

### MODULE ONE- SPECIFIC’S REGARDING THE INTERNATIONAL YACHTING INDUSTRY

- How to start in the international yachting industry
- Salary Guidelines for Europe, USA, and Australia.
- Crew contracts – what will be covered in a 12-month contract.
- How to obtain a B1/B2 visa the easy way.
- How do international Crewing agents work overseas?
- What is an MCA ENG1 medical and how do I obtain it?
- What is an AMSA Medical and How do I obtain it?
- Crewing agencies/accommodation overseas
- What a Deckhand position is and the different types of levels.
- Yacht crew structure and ranks.
- Planning and designing a resume that is specific to the international super yacht industry.
- Preparing for an interview as well as what questions you should be asking when you obtain an interview - either “Face to Face” or over the phone.
- Recommend dress appearance for an interview in this industry.
- What is a Private/charter yacht?

### MODULE TWO – STORAGE & SAFETY AT SEA

- The importance of storing and stowing a yacht
- Useful items for stowing a yacht.
- Storage of chemicals
- Rubbish at sea – MARPOL.
- Watch-keeping procedures at sea & alongside
- Day in the life of a deckhand
- Safety drills on a yacht
- Piracy at sea
- First Aid Kit

### **MODULE THREE- BASIC SEAMANSHIP SKILLS**

- Nautical Terminology
- Maritime identification flags
- Common rope ties
- Rope splicing
- Rope presentation on board a super yacht
- Basic Navigation skills (chart Reading)

### **MODULE FOUR -SUPER YACHT MAINTENANCE**

**Before completing this module, you will complete a 2-hour excursion viewing the outside of a luxury yacht and during the module you will be completing some practical tasks.**

- What is a Deckhand?
- Taking Care of windows and glass
- Wash downs
- Polishing-paint work and stainless steel
- Taking care of teak decks
- Detailing the yacht & common cleaning products to use
- Varnishing
- Launching of tenders and jet skis
- Tips on how to maintain a 4-stroke outboard engine.
- Refueling a yacht

### **MODULE 5 - PROFESSIONAL DECORUM AND SOCIAL SKILLS**

- Occupational health and safety maritime requirements
- Personal hygiene and appearance upon a yacht
- General hygiene throughout other areas of the yacht
- What a deckhand roster looks like on a sail and motor yacht
- Working with crew from different countries
- Describe the customary living and working standards aboard a yacht.