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Education:

- Bachelor of Science, Massachusetts Maritime Academy, class of 1995.
- Major in Marine Transportation.
- United States Coast Guard license, Chief Mates unlimited tonnage, open oceans.
- Radar observers unlimited endorsement.
- G.M.D.S.S. Operators certificate.

Work Experience:

- 2000-05 Second and Third mate with Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution on board the *Oceanus*, *Knorr*, and the *Atlantis*. Very familiar with all forms of oceanographic research including operations with the submersible *ALVIN*, *Jason*, and DSL-120
- 1998-99 Third Officer with Mobil's foreign flag tanker fleet. Working on board the VLCC tankers *Eagle*, *Raven*, *Magnolia*, and *Winamac*.
- 1996-98 Senior mate on board The Dredge *Mermentau*. Became extremely efficient in the operations of a split hull hopper suction dredge, with Z-drive.
- 1995 Second Mate on board passenger ships *Executive Explorer* and the *Wilderness Explorer*. Worked as a navigation watch officer during cruises on the Alaskan Inside Passage. Became familiar with a high-speed catamaran hull.
- 1994 Cadet intern with ARCO Marine Inc. on board the *ARCO Fairbanks*. Developed skills with loading and discharge procedures, applied bridge team management techniques, promoted safety, and became familiar with all procedures that are associated with operating a VLCC.
- Intern with Panama Canal Commission. Worked with pilots, tug captains, and the Board of Local Inspectors. Provided professional skills to assistance with pilot exams and accident investigations.
- 1992-93 Crew on the topsail schooner *Shenandoah*. A pleasure ship providing passengers on weeklong charters off Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket. Demonstrated seamanship and developed the skills involved with caring for a large wooden sailing vessel, with no engine.
- 1990-91 Crew on the schooner *Tabor Boy*. Taught seamanship skills to new freshman at Tabor Academy.

