



# Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting

## Course Fee

AUD \$ 1,350

## Includes:

- AMC Search writing materials
- Course notes
- Morning and afternoon tea

## Course Duration

3 days

## Venue

AMC Newnham Campus & Bell  
Bay Fire Ground

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## Course Aim

The purpose of this course is to train participants in the operation of fire fighting equipment and to make them aware of the fire fighting arrangements and the actions to be taken in the event of a fire on board ship.

The International Maritime Organisation (IMO) [www.imo.org](http://www.imo.org) and the Australian Maritime Safety Authority (AMSA) [www.amsa.gov.au](http://www.amsa.gov.au) require that all persons employed or engaged on a seagoing ship other than as passengers, shall receive approved familiarisation training or receive sufficient information and instruction in Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting.

## Course Pre-Requisites

Nil.

## Content

- Fire Safety
- Chemistry of Fire
- Spread of Fire and Extinguishment
- Operating Portable Firefighting
- Breathing Apparatus
- Shipboard Emergency Response
- Fire Detection and Extinguishing

## Course Times

0900-1700 (*may vary on individual timetables*)

## Course Approval

This course complies with Table A-VI/1-2, STCW78 as amended and is approved by AMSA.

## Certificate

Participants who satisfactorily complete the course and provide documentary evidence to satisfy the course pre-requisite will be issued:

- AMSA approved AMC Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting Certificate meeting the requirements of Table A-VI/1-2, STCW78 as amended
- AMC Statement of Attainment: TDMMF6207A Prevent, control and fight fires on board an ocean-going vessel





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## Maritime Training Package

The University of Tasmania, trading as the Australian Maritime College (AMC) is a registered Training Organisation and has a partnership agreement with AMC Search Ltd. This enables AMC to award Statements of Attainment within its scope of registration where short courses administered by AMC Search have been deemed equivalent to units of competency within the Maritime Training Package. This is identified throughout the programme by the unit title and code from the Maritime Training Package. Units delivered under the Maritime Training Package are GST free.

## Delivery Strategy

The course will be delivered by classroom theory sessions and practical hands-on training sessions.

## Physical Fitness

This is in part a practical course and all attending are required to participate in drills which require the use of fire fighting appliances and equipment, fire fighting agents and breathing apparatus. Some of the exercises are conducted in confined spaces, are strenuous and require a reasonable degree of physical fitness. Participants who require medication for breathing problems are advised to ensure they have supplies with them on practical fire fighting days.

## What to Bring With You

AMC provides protective equipment such as: boots, leggings, coat, gloves and hard hat. Participants must provide their own: overalls, socks, underwear, towels, etc. and adequate spares.

## Assessment Strategy

Full attendance and participation during the course.

## Safety Information

Course participants are requested to note the following safety information: Enclosed footwear must be worn at all times. The AMC Occupational Health & Safety requirements will be adhered to throughout the course. Government regulations prohibit smoking in classrooms or within 10 metres of buildings.

## Application

Online via: <http://www.amcsearch.com.au/courses/>

This facility provides for course fees to be paid by a secure online transmission of your credit card details. Credit card payments are processed using eWAY secure online payment technology. Mastercard, Visa, Amex and Diners are accepted.



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## On-Campus Accommodation

Norfolk Hall is self check-in, and offers motel style accommodation with queen or king size beds, television, fridge and ensuite bathroom facilities. Rates are: \$85 per night. All meals are available for purchase from AMC Cafeteria. For further information and to make a reservation, please contact a short course team member, or refer to:

<http://www.amcsearch.com.au/home/accommodation/>

## Terms

1. To secure your enrolment, payment of 50% of the course fee is required. Cancellations up to 15 working days prior to the scheduled date will be accepted without penalty. Cancellations less than 15 working days will be subject to 100% cancellation fee.
2. AMC Search reserves the right to cancel the course if insufficient registrations have been received by seven days from commencement of course. Any fees paid for cancelled courses will be refunded in full.
3. When making flight bookings please ensure you book on a fully refundable basis.