

# ADVANCED HARBOUR TOWAGE / ESCORT TOWAGE

This training program is a combination of theoretical lecturing, instruction, and practical training in the simulator on either conventional or Azimuthal propulsion tugs.

This course focuses on the tugs role in escorting ships at different speeds under different circumstances and environmental conditions in a safe and professional manner including:

- Direct and Transverse arrest
- Direct and indirect steering and changing between the modes
- Powered indirect
- Steering and braking forces
- Stability and dynamic stability
- Shifting from direct to indirect
- Shifting form indirect to direct
- Connecting at high speed
- Coping with and avoiding the influence of ship/tug interaction
- Avoiding and creating donkey effects
- Successful escort response factors
- Kinetic energy
- Speeding up manoeuvres

## COURSE ENTRY PREREQUISITE

There are no formal entry requirements but it is expected that the candidates will have undergone prior tug training such as the Harbour Towage course and have a basic knowledge of stability.

## CERTIFICATION

The following certificate will be issued by AMC and Kotug Training and Consulting to participants who successfully complete\* the course:

- Advanced Harbour Towage / Escort Towage

*\*100% attendance, full participation and completion of all exercises is required.*

## COVID-19 VACCINATION

AMC Search (AMCS) is operating a COVID-Safe campus aligned with the protocols and procedures established by the University of Tasmania. The safety and wellbeing of staff, students and the broader community is an absolute priority for the University of Tasmania.

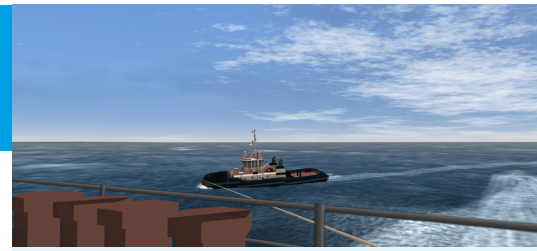
We strongly encourage everyone to remain up to date with their COVID-19 vaccinations but no longer require our students to be vaccinated to come to our university campuses, facilities or events.

## PAYMENT OPTIONS

Payment methods accepted:

- Register now and pay later (payment required 15 days before the course starts)
- Credit Card (online or via (03) 6324-9850)
- Bank Deposit
- Company sponsorship.

Detailed payment options are available [here](#).



**DURATION:** 5 days

## RELATED COURSES

[Tug Knowledge / Basic Tug Handling](#)  
[Harbour Towage / Push-Pull and Line Towage](#)

## REGISTRATION TERMS

### Face to face courses

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.

AMC Search reserves the right to cancel the course 15 working days prior to the scheduled date if insufficient registrations are received. Any fees paid for cancelled courses will be refunded in full.

When making flight bookings please ensure you book on a fully refundable basis.

### Online courses

Payment of course fees, or authorisation to invoice from your company, is required before access to the online learning environment is provided. Please note, it will take between 2-4 business days to provide your access to the online course if you have not studied previously with AMC Search, the Australian Maritime College or the University of Tasmania.

## COURSE FEE INCLUDES

- Course notes and writing materials
- Morning and afternoon tea
- Complimentary WiFi access

## LAUNCESTON, TAS

Location: Australian Maritime College, Newnham Drive, Newnham, Launceston, Tasmania.

Airport Transfers: Participants arriving at Launceston Airport should make their way to the Australian Maritime College, Newnham Drive, Newnham. Taxi fare from the airport is approximately \$55.00.

Parking: Complimentary car parking is provided on campus in areas designated to AMC Search participants and clients.

Launceston Accommodation: On-campus accommodation in Launceston can be reserved via the online enrollment form. Further accommodation information is available [here](#), together with off-campus options.

## NORFOLK HALL ON-CAMPUS ACCOMMODATION

We offer affordable on-campus accommodation that's ideal if you're taking part in a course at our campus in Launceston, Tasmania.

[Norfolk Hall](#) offers Motel Style accommodation for \$100 per night (bed only). On-campus accommodation in Launceston can be reserved via the online enrolment form.

Norfolk Hall is situated on the main campus of the Australian Maritime College at Newnham, Launceston, which is where most of our courses take place.

Accommodation at Norfolk Hall provides the following facilities:

- Queen size beds
- En-suite facilities
- Television
- Fridge
- Rooms serviced daily (excluding weekends)

Affordable meals are available at the on-site AMC Cafeteria.

You can reserve a room when you register for your course or via email [AMCS.courses@utas.edu.au](mailto:AMCS.courses@utas.edu.au) or telephone: +61 3 6324 9850.

