

POLAR CODE - BASIC TRAINING ONLINE STCW

COURSE ALSO KNOWN AS:
BASIC TRAINING FOR SHIPS OPERATING IN POLAR WATERS

Designed for Masters, Chief Mates and Officers in charge of a navigational watch on ships operating in polar waters as required by the IMO's [Polar Code](#). AMSA-approved, meeting the requirements of STCW Reg V/4 and Code Section A-V/4, Table A-V/4-1.

Polar Code - Basic Training for Ships Operating in Polar Waters helps participants gain an understanding of safe operation of vessels in unique environmental conditions, together with an understanding of the international and national legislative requirements and safe working practice specifically in relation to polar waters.

Under Regulation V/4 of the STCW code, *Masters, Chief Mates and Officers in charge of a navigational watch on ships operating in polar waters shall hold a certificate in basic training for ships operating in polar waters, as required by the Polar Code.*

Participants will gain the skills to:

- Contribute to safe operation of vessels operating in polar waters
- Monitor and ensure compliance with legislative requirements
- Apply safe working practices, respond to emergencies
- Ensure compliance with pollution-prevention requirements and prevent environmental hazards

WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE?

This course is designed for Masters, Chief Mates and Officers in charge of a navigational watch on ships operating in polar waters and will introduce participants to the IMO's special training requirements for training and qualifications of masters and deck officers on ships operating in polar waters.

COURSE ENTRY PREREQUISITE

Please note the following prerequisite is for entry onto the course and evidence must be provided upon enrolment:

- STCW Certificate of Competency for International Waters

CERTIFICATION

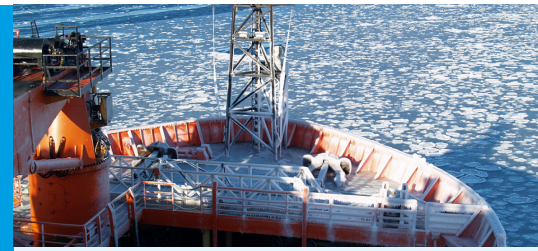
The following certificate will be issued by AMC to participants who successfully complete* the course:

- Basic Training for Ships Operating in Polar Waters (AMSA approved), meeting the requirements of STCW Reg V/4 and Code Section A-V/4 paragraph 1, Table A-V/4-1

**Please allow up to 5-7 days after completing the exam to receive the certificate. Certificates will be posted via Registered Post within and Australian and overseas. Additional charges are applicable if next day delivery is required.*

APPROVED BY

Australian Maritime Safety Authority (AMSA) as meeting the requirements laid down in the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers (STCW).



DURATION: Online, approximately 21 Hours

AMSA APPROVED COURSE

COURSE DATES:
Course Fee | Online | \$1,405

RELATED COURSES

[Polar Code - Advanced Training](#)

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED

Polar Code Basic online is provided using the University of Tasmania's online learning environment, MyLO.

The course involves the viewing of multiple videos, which require a reasonable internet connection speed. Please note that to complete the final assessment you will need access to a web camera.

Computer setup: please check your browser is set up to use MyLO by checking this [browser information](#).

ACCEPTED BY

Antigua and Barbuda Department of Marine Services and Merchant Shipping | Bahamas Maritime Authority | Bermuda Shipping and Maritime Authority | Maritime Authority of the Cayman Islands | Marine Department of Hong Kong | Liberian Registry | Panama Maritime Authority.

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.

PAYMENT TERMS

Online course registrations

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.

Self-funded registrations

Once payment is requested, it must be received by the stated deadline. If payment is not received and no contact has been made by that deadline, AMC Search reserves the right to remove you from the course.

Company sponsored registrations

All company-sponsored registrations must be supported by a valid Purchase Order (PO) within 7 days of registration. Please send the PO to AMCS.courses@utas.edu.au and include the student's name in the subject line. If these requirements are not met, AMC Search reserves the right to remove the student from the course.

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](#).

ONLINE DELIVERY