

Seaworthiness & Seafarers in a Changing World

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INSPIRE THE NEXT GENERATION OF SEAFARERS

THE NAUTICAL INSTITUTE (SINGAPORE) CONFERENCE 2025

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Hosted by The Nautical Institute (Singapore), this annual conference addresses critical industry challenges and future directions. The event unites over 200 maritime professionals for a full day of engaging panel discussions and networking.

KEY DISCUSSION TOPICS



Seaworthiness

Examine critical safety and operational challenges, covering core seaworthiness, misdeclared containerized cargo risks, and crew work/rest compliance. The panel will also address break bulk stowage, charterers' responsibilities, and essential issues in navigation and passage planning.



Seafaring as a Career

Explore the development of the maritime workforce, focusing on the future seafarer pipeline, cadet placement, and recruitment fee impacts. The session will address the global officer shortage, retention of experienced mariners, and strategies for managing the sea-to-shore career transition.



Seafarer Wellbeing

Focus on the human side of shipping covering security risks, global conflicts, piracy, and challenges in the Singapore Strait. The panel will also address mental health, harassment, connectivity, and the industry's duty of care for seafarers.



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