Example of Seaman Job Description



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Our growing company is looking to fill the role of seaman. If you are looking for an exciting place to work, please take a look at the list of qualifications below.

Responsibilities for seaman

- Performing general vessel maintenance duties while vessel spends time in ports waiting for missions
- Manning life rafts and supervising emergency crews when required
- Maintain ship's gear and decks
- Perform assigned watch duties during rig moves
- Stow or remove cargo from ship's cargo areas as necessary for maintenance
- Perform repairs and routine maintenance on ballast system, bulk transfer system and pump room equipment
- Paint and chip rust on deck or superstructure of ship
- Overhaul lifeboats and lifeboat gear and lower or raise lifeboats with winch or falls
- Break out, rig, overhaul, and stow cargo-handling gear, stationary rigging, and running gear as needed for jobs
- Take charge of wheel on bridge or emergency steering apparatus during rig moves

Qualifications for seaman

- VPDSD Endorsement
- Successful completion of the Construction and Skilled Trades (CAST) selection test is required for this position
- Certified Crane Operator
- Perform all duties of a marine roustabout
- Possess STCW Able Seaman A-II/4