



Neil Savage MNI

An Engineer by background, Neil began his career in the Maritime Industry as Operations Assistant to the Port Solent Marina in 2002. Since then he has travelled the World extensively working with and for almost every aspect of the Maritime Industry, both at Sea and ashore, from Oil and Gas to Cruise to Super Yachts. He holds the prestigious Certified IT Professional and Specialist qualifications from Microsoft, and has been integral in the development of both on-board Navigation equipment and shore-side Simulation training equipment for the last 14 Years.

In 2015 he completed the IMO 6.09 and IMO 6.10 Train the Trainer and Simulation Trainer courses as well as several Leadership and Management training qualifications. For the last 3 years he has been teaching several technical courses in Navigation including the IMO ECDIS 1.27 and most of the 38 Type Specific manufacturers of ECDIS. His documented feedback is outstanding achieving over 95% perfection on all courses which led him to receive the eMaritime Group Annual Instructor prize in 2017. His teaching qualifications were augmented further in 2017 with the successful completion of the PTLLS Level 3 Award in Education and Training, and further Train the Trainer qualifications with ProPass.

His passion is in delivering week in, week out Navigation courses, however over the last 12 months he has been heavily utilised at sea conducting on-board Navigation audits predominantly for LNG. He is lead author in several SMS guides and procedures and has worked with numerous large Shipping Companies in developing safe procedures and best practise for modern navigation equipment.

He is a Member of the Nautical Institute and is always looking to continually develop his Maritime Professional qualifications.

Outside of work coaches and mentors at his local archery club and enjoys camping and hill walking.

