



DYNAMIC POSITIONING SEA TIME REDUCTION – M403

Nautical Institute (NI) Accredited

Course Description

DP Seatime Reduction is a 38-hour, 5-day course, which puts DP Operator Trainees through continual, intense exercises going beyond those to which they are exposed in the DP Advanced Simulator course. Emphasis is placed on the DP Trainee understanding that they, as the DPO, are the most important component of the DP System. Through tasks focusing on risk mitigation, the DP Trainee learns that Dynamic Positioning cannot be undertaken as a reactionary endeavor, and they complete the course recognizing the full scope of responsibilities of the DPO.

Learning Outcomes

The reiteration of training and Seatime is costly to companies and individuals alike. If a Full or Limited DP Certificate has not been issued within the 4- or 5-year time period, it is mandated that the DP Trainee repeat any and all courses and Seatime set to expire, costing the DP Trainee and his company that much more time. To preclude this expiration, five days spent in DP Seatime Reduction is deemed equal to 30 DP. Seatime days, bringing the DP Trainee that much closer to completing the lengthy DP Training Scheme.

Prerequisites

STW- or Nationally-Licensed Deck Officer; Completed DP Basic Induction and DP Advanced Simulator

Participants

Vessel Masters, Mates, Pilot Association members, Deck Cadets, DP Operators and other personnel associated with the day-to-day operation of DP systems

Duration: 5 days

Location: USA – Houston/Pittsburgh

