ECDIS Generic and Type Familiarisation Training

AMSA compliance

Smartship’s Electronic Chart Display Information System (ECDIS) course is approved by the Australian Maritime Safety Authority (AMSA) as meeting the requirements of the International Convention on Standards of Training Certification and Watchkeeping (STCW) 1978, as amended in 2010.

The course is in accordance with AMSA Marine Order 70, and the International Maritime Organisation model course 1.27 (Ed.2012) for the following:

ECDIS general operator’s certificate

(STCW Reg II/1 & II/2 and Code Section II/1 & II/2, Table A-II/1 and Table A-II/2).

The course is also accepted by The UK Maritime Coast Agency (MCA) for re-validation of UK Certificate of Competencies (CoC’s).

Pilots and officers who successfully complete the course will also receive a Type-familiarisation certificate with the two integrated navigation system NACOS (Platinum and 5th gen.), which has widespread use on cruise ships, car carriers, offshore supply vessels and tankers.

Sam Electronics NACOS integrates:

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Our vision of modern pilotage is a seamless integration between visual and instrumental navigation

Simulator scenarios are customised for specific pilotage needs.

Pilots attending the course can connect their Portable Pilot Units to the Integrated Navigation System to enhance the realism of the simulation.

World class, high quality simulator training is guaranteed by a maximum number of 6 trainees per course.

Pricing and Timing of Courses

ECDIS courses are run at regular intervals throughout the year. For the latest dates and current pricing, see Smartship’s website for details.

This course equates to 10 points for professional development valid for 5 years as per the Training Standards for Australian Marine Pilots.