

GEORGE WADE HOWELL

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS

Master Unlimited License	DP Advanced Course
DP Basic Induction Course	Vessels security officer
Ship Security Officer (SSO)	Fast Rescue Boat
HUET Training course	HLO Helicopter landing Officer
Safe Gulf	Vertical Rescue 1 & 2
GMDSS	Shipboard Security Tactics (SST)
Tankerman asst. Liquid Gas,	Tankerman PIC Dangerous liquids
Anti-Terrorism Officer Level 2 (ATO)	ECDIS
Anti-Terrorism Officer Level 3	Qualified Assessors
Basic Rigger course	14-Hour Crisis Management

EXPERIENCE

Master: Overall in Command of vessel with crew size of 90 - 150 CIVMARS. Primary responsibilities are to oversee all vessel operations, manage ships budget, all onboard Human resources activities and ships business, conduct training for senior and junior officers.

- USNS Big Horn – Jul 19-Aug 19 Persian Gulf: Diesel
- USNS Amelia Earhart –Aug 19-Nov 19: Far East: Diesel Electric
- USNS Zeus – Dec 19 – Apr 20: (Kongsberg DP class 2); Diesel Electric: Far East to Atlantic Operations
- USS Frank Cable – July 20 – Dec. 20: Steam Ship: Far East Operations

Chief Mate: Officer in charge of navigational watch; Conducted daily maintenance of vessels and supervised Bosun and AB in daily projects. Conducted budget approval process and ordering of equipment for vessel and long-term planning of ship condition.

Additional duties onboard USNS Vessels, Supervise and run a deck department between 35 to 75 people and all aspects of deck and cargo operations. Coordinated projects, ordering and human resources and crewing duties.

- MV Cape Kennedy – July 11 – Aug 11 - ROS
- MV Liberty Eagle - Aug 11 – Sept 11
- USNS Zeus – Aug 12 – Dec 12 (Kongsberg DP class 2); Diesel Electric: Atlantic Operations
- USNS Wally Schirra – Dec 12 – Jan 13: Diesel Electric: Far East Operations
- USNS Zeus – Apr -13 – Aug 13 (Kongsberg DP class 2); Diesel Electric: Atlantic to Far East
- USNS Charles Drew Aug 13 – DEC 13: Diesel Electric: Far East Operations
- USNS Mercy Nov 15 - Oct 16: OIC: Steam Ship: Major Yard Overhaul: West Coast & Far East Operations
- USNS Supply Mar 17-Oct 17: Gas Turbine: Persian Gulf, Mediterranean, Atlantic Operations
- USNS William McLean – May 18 – Dec 2018: Diesel Electric: Mediterranean, Atlantic Operations
- USNS Charles Drew- Feb 19- Jul 19: Diesel Electric: Far East, Persian Gulf, Atlantic, Pacific Operations

Second Officer: Officer in charge of navigational watch, supervised cargo operations,

inspections on all safety and lifesaving equipment, planned and maintained all voyage information, bridge electronics and ship hospital dispensary. Provided instruction to deck cadets in seamanship, navigational principles and cargo operations.

Additional duties onboard USNS Flint: Bridge department head, supervised two licensed officers and twelve AB'S and OS for overtime, developed and implemented maintenance plan for bridge and surrounding deck. Conducted arrival/departure briefs for all officers prior to ship evolutions.

- USNS Bowditch – (Kongsberg DP class 1)
- USTS Golden Bear/ CA. Maritime Academy – Deck Training Officer Jun '10 – Aug '10
- LNG-RV Express - May '09 – August '09
- LNG-RV Excelerate - February '08 - January '09
- LNG-RV Excellence - April '08 – July '08
- USNS Flint, Oct 06 - Feb '07: Steam Ship
- USTS Golden Bear/ CA Maritime Academy – Officer Communications Jun '06 – Aug '06

Third Officer: Officer in charge of navigational watch, supervised cargo operations, Ship Medical Officer, in charge of maintenance / inspection on safety equipment, instructed crew in basic safety training.

Additional duties onboard Pride of Aloha: Conducted crew training in lifesaving and lifeboat man for wait staff to serve as life boatman, monitored company SMS system for update to be given to the ship's licensed staff as company policy changed.

- MV Alliance New York – Third Officer Jun '07 – Oct '07
- MV Liberty Sun – Third Officer Dec '05 – Feb '06
- MV Pride of Aloha – Third Officer Aug '05- Nov '05
- USTS Texas Clipper II/Texas Maritime Academy – Third Officer – May '05 – Aug '05
- MV Cape Knox - Third officer - Oct '04 - Feb '05

Texas A&M University: Asst. Professor of Practice – August 2021 to Present

- Lecturer - Department Maritime Transportation and Texas Maritime Academy
- Instructed cadets in STCW required course Bridge Resource Management

Texas A&M University: Visiting Asst. Professor of Practice – Jan 2021 – May 2021

- Lecturer - Department Maritime Transportation and Texas Maritime Academy
- Instructed cadets in STCW required course Bridge Resource Management

Military Sealift Command, Master / Chief Mate – November 2015 – March 2021

- Overall In command of Ship.
- Deck Department Head of up to 75 total personnel
- Monitor Budgetary and Payroll expenditures
- Develop, Execute and review ship topside preservation plan
- Supervise and Train Junior Officer, Cadets and Crew

Hornbeck Offshore Services, Third Mate / Junior DPO – March 2014 – June 2015

- OICNW, maintain all bridge navigation equipment and electronics charts
- Operate Dynamic Position System, Class 2
- Conduct Safety inspection of ship and conduct crew training in use.

Texas A&M University/ Texas Maritime Academy – Jan 2010 – May 2011

- Lecturer - Department Maritime Transportation and Texas Maritime Academy
- Instructed cadets in STCW required courses
- Developed and revamped new training plan for 250 cadets for weekly two hour training period.
- Instructor in Bridge Resources Management, Seamanship, Celestial and Electronic Navigation

Texas A&M University/ Department of Student Relations- Jan '04 – Jun '04

- Public relations, ship and campus tours
- Recruiting For Texas Maritime Academy

Galveston Emergency Medical Service - 2001-2003

- Emergency Medical Technician - Basic
- Dealt with medical treatment in emergency settings

EDUCATION: TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY AT GALVESTON
Bachelor of Science Degree – Marine Transportation - Dec. 03

TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY AT GALVESTON
Masters Maritime Administration and Logistics – Currently Seeking

ACTIVITIES

US Navy

- Cmdr. US Naval Reserve, Strategic Sealift Officer
- Council of American Master Mariners – Financial Committee Chairman

AWARDS

- M award from MARAD Part of Crew
- Eagle Scout, Boy Scouts of America