



Vacancy: Marine Officer/Pilot - Navigation

The Port of Cromarty Firth is a Trust Port which exists to improve, safeguard and develop the Cromarty Firth as a Port for the benefit of stakeholders and is a self-financing commercial business.

We are looking for a suitably qualified and enthusiastic Marine Officer/Pilot to join our team. The successful candidate will work to support the Marine Management function, supporting ongoing projects, statutory requirements and participate in training towards obtaining pilotage certification within the Cromarty Firth Pilotage District.

Key responsibilities:

- Oversee port safety, Port Radio, navigation and pilotage service requirements.
- Work as part of the on-call/ out of hours rota to support marine operations
- Assisting with supporting the Port Security function & act as Deputy PFSO as required
- Assisting with emergency response operations in the Port including but not limited to environmental impact
- Work within the Marine Operations Department with planning, data gathering, policy review and updating procedures as required
- Responsible for monitoring and reporting any navigational or equipment defects
- Assisting with planning the safe and expeditious berthing or departure of vessels. Safe piloting of vessels into, out of and shifts between locations in the Firth, as required by the Pilotage Act 1987.
- Responsible for understanding Pilotage Directions and ensure compliance with other PoCF marine procedures
- Responsible for record keeping and complying with requirements of the Health and Safety at Work Act, the Port Marine Safety Code and other company documents relating to collisions, groundings, near misses and incidents which are observed.
- Other duties as required from time to time to meet the needs of the business

Desirable Experience & Attribute Requirements:

- OOW (STCW II/1) Certificate of Competency
- Previous Pilotage experience desirable
- Valid ENG1 (or equivalent)
- Emergency Response Skills/experience
- Excellent Communication Skills

Competitive remuneration package, including excellent benefits. Full details available on request.

If you are interested please forward your completed application to DeeanneW@cfpa.co.uk

Application forms are available on the company website or upon request from our team

Closing date: 29th February 2020