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So You Want to Work on a Boat (Paperback)

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Createspace, United States, 2012. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. This book is a practical guide for employment on commercial vessels. Currently featured on and , the book provides an overview of the industry and outlines the best places to search for jobs. A wide range of shipboard jobs are described, including those aboard small inland vessels, coastal vessels, cruise ships, and large ocean-going cargo ships. This covers deckhands, tankermen, mates, pilots, captains, staff captains, stewards, cooks, chief engineers, QMEDs, DDEs, chief officers, environmental officers, shipboard IT officers, and other positions. The book provides guidance on how to apply for jobs, prepare for interviews, and develop effective resumes and cover letters. Sample professional mariner resumes and cover letters are included, along with lists of companies and organizations that operate cruise ships, tugboats, ferries, research vessels, dinner cruise vessels, tour boats, dredges, and ocean-going cargo vessels. Regulatory requirements are outlined, such as Merchant Mariner Credentials, Transportation Worker Identification Credentials, STCW Certification (Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers), together with information about Coast Guard license exams. Educational resources are discussed, such as maritime academies, specialized colleges, and training...



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