

Captain Stu Coleman

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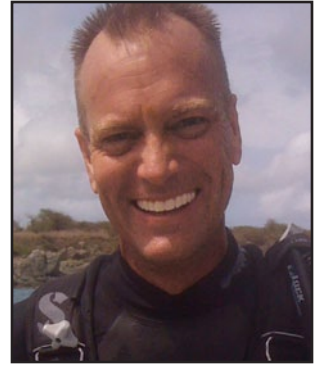
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Maritime/Scuba Qualifications

USCG 100-Ton Near Coastal Master w/Aux. Sail & Towing. MMD #2756015

STCW-95 5-Day Basic Safety Training | Officer in Charge of a Navigational Watch (Near Coastal)

STCW-95 Proficiency in Survival Craft, Lifeboatman

STCW-95 Vessel Security Officer

STCW-95 Crowd Control

STCW-95 Crisis Management

FCC Marine Radio Operators Permit

EFR (CPR/First Aid) Instructor

American Sailing Association Instructor: Basic Keelboat, Coastal Cruising, Bareboat Chartering

U.S. Sailing Certified Club Race Officer

PADI Open Water Scuba Instructor (MSDT Pending) #242271

PADI Specialty Instructor: Enriched Air, O2 Provider, Wreck, Gas Blender, Night Diver,

Digital U/W Photography, Equipment Specialist, Peak Performance Buoyancy, Project Aware

Profile/Career Objective

I am an enthusiastic, motivated instructor with over 900 sea days above the water and over 300 dives below the water. I am now seeking a position that makes full use of my teaching, diving and sailing experience, conscientious attitude and tireless work ethic. I am looking to share my passion for the sea with a company that values the customer experience and rewards employee diligence.

Education

Advanced Project Management Certificate, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, 2010

PADI OWSI/Specialty Instructor, Utila Dive Centre, Utila, Honduras, 2009

Bachelor of Business Administration, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA, 1985

Maritime Experience

St. Thomas Diving Club, April 2010 - June 2010

Scuba Instructor, St. Thomas, USVI

Served as mate on Dive boat and as scuba instructor, gave personalized service to resort customers in creating outstanding dive experiences. Taught PADI Discover Scuba Diving and Open Water Courses.

Underwater Safaris - Corinthian 45 - October 2009 - March 2010

Dive Boat Captain/Scuba Instructor, St. Thomas, USVI

As dive boat captain, responsible for up to 32 passengers and crew for cruise ship excursions and Marriott resort diver's experiences in St. Thomas, USVI. As scuba instructor, responsible for outfitting resort/excursion divers and conducting guided tours for certified divers and teaching DSDs (PADI Discover Scuba Diving).

SV Reliance – Beneteau 331 2003 - present

As owner/skipper, over 500 days of racing and cruising with over 8000 sea miles, including four 125 mile Newport to Ensenada Races. Recruited and trained crew and performed all maintenance.

Maritime Experience (Continued)

SV Hawaiian Chieftain, 106' TopSail Ketch, June 2009 - September 2009

12-week contract as Mate/Purser/Master Gunner sailing Puget Sound and the Pacific Northwest on education sails, cannon battle sails, and family adventure sails. Responsible for ship's budget and all cash accounting, crew training, sail handling, watch leading, navigation and ship's maintenance.

SV Chasch Mer, Santa Cruz 50, May 2009

18 day delivery as part of 4-man crew from Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii to Long Beach, CA

SV Indy, Lido 14, January 2007 - April 2009

60 days as skipper of 2-person racing dinghy. Performed all maintenance and repairs.

SV Brig Lady Washington January 2007

Deckhand/Chanteyman/Educator: 15 days as volunteer crew on 200-ton tall ship setting and furling square sails, teaching school children the life of an 18th century sailor, and ship's maintenance.

Bluewater Sailing 2003- 2006

Soling 27, Catalina 22, Catalina 27, Catalina 30, Catalina 36

ASA Sailing Instructor: 100+ days teaching Basic Keelboat, Coastal Cruising and Bareboat Chartering

SV Silver Fox 36' Catalina 2001-2003

Foredeck Racing Crew: 90 days as foredeck/mast man including 2 Newport to Ensenada Yacht Races.

Additional Work Experience

Crew Creative Advertising, Director of Production August 2001 - October 2008

Managed 8-person department and oversaw final mechanical production of all key art for entertainment clients. Created 1-Sheets, banners, billboards and all outdoor advertising for Hollywood movies. Created design and production methodologies and procedures. Maintained a Total Quality Management system for workflow and deliverables. Originated and maintained website and created all new print marketing materials for company promotion and new business development.

Personal Interests

Sailing, diving, photography, public speaking, seafaring history and sea chanteys

Other Skills

Fluent in graphic design including Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign and Quark Xpress

Fluent in web design including Dreamweaver, Fireworks, Flash and SEO

Fluent in Microsoft Office: Word, Excel, Powerpoint

Fluent in music production including Logic Pro, Reason, and Garageband.

Extensive writing and photography experience for publications

Affiliations

SCCYC - South Coast Corinthian Yacht Club — Commodore 2008

IOBG - International Order of the Blue Gavel — District Eleven

ASMBYC - Association of Santa Monica Bay Yacht Clubs — Webmaster 2006-2009

San Diego Skippers Association (Deliveries)

American Professional Captains Association (USCG Compliance)

Screen Actors Guild — Member since 1995