

# CAPTAIN



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## OBJECTIVE

Seeking a Captains position for long term, rotational, shore side, or project manager on a luxury private yacht with an energetic and positive team.

DOB: Oct 30, 1968  
American  
Excellent Health

No Visible Tattoos  
Non Smoker  
Full Drivers License  
Location: Fort Lauderdale, FL  
Residence: St Petersburg, FL

## CERTIFICATIONS

USCG 1600 GRT MMC	STCW H.E.L.M.
USCG 3000 ITC MMC	Lifeboatman
Marshall Island 3000 ITC	Advanced Sea Survival
UPON ALL OCEANS	Commercial Towing
AB Limited	Adv Sea Survival
Radar Observer Unlimited	STCW Medical Care Provider
ECDIS	Security Awareness
STCW RFPNW	PADI Open Water

## SKILL SETS

Experienced and knowledgeable Seamanship  
Skilled Navigator/Boat Handler  
Extensive Bahamas/Caribbean Knowledge  
Accounting & Reporting  
Extensive Yard Experience  
Charter Operations  
Guest Itineraries  
Guest Concierge  
Guest Focused  
Professional

# BRANDON L. COLGAN

## M/Y DRILLER | WESTPORT 130' 40M | PRIVATE

**CAPTAIN** | FORT MYERS, FL – GULF COASTS

OCT 2021' – PRESENT

- Responsible for continued preparations on ABS annual and 5-year inspections.
- Oversaw and performed maintenance jobs, detailing and repair of onboard systems.
- Responsible for hiring marine dept team members, and operations for owner's heavy use schedule.
- Reported financial portfolio expenses biweekly to the owner.
- Management of 5-6 crew members

## M/Y MOONRIVER / SOUTHERN BELLE | 90' JOHNSON | YACHT | PRIVATE

**CAPTAIN** | ATLANTIC EAST COAST US - CARIBBEAN

MAY 2013 -OCT 2021

- Responsible for shipping vessel via Dock wise Los Angeles - South Florida
- Extensive yard period management, including extension refit on transom, engine machine overhaul, interior electronics upgrade, teak deck replacement, paint jobs.
- Responsible for hiring sub-contractors as needed
- Management of up to 4 crewmembers
- Owners trip planning and vessel movement.
- Set up budgets by month and reported to vessels owner rep.
- Instrumental in sale and hand over of vessel to new owner and captain

## M/Y HAWKEYE | 90' OCEAN ALEXANDER | YACHT | PRIVATE

**CAPTAIN** | PACIFIC WEST COAST US

MARCH 2013 – JUNE 2013

- Responsible of acceptance of new vessel from dealer Seattle Washington US., and delivery to Los Angeles CA.
- Oversaw and performed maintenance schedule, cleaning and scheduled mechanical services.
- Responsible for hiring and overwatch of all sub-contractors
- Management of up to 4 crewmembers
- Reported financial portfolio expenses directly to owner

## M/Y KAUALE KAI | 90' EXPEDITION ABD YACHT | PRIVATE

**RELIEF CAPTAIN / CAPTAIN** | PACIFIC WEST COAST US

MARCH 2010 – MAY 2012

- Responsible for captain hand over interim periods through various seasons; period of 2010 – 2012
- Oversaw and performed maintenance schedule and repair work, which included twin transmission rebuild, stabilizer rebuild, propeller shaft alignment, and full-service bottom paint work.
- Responsible for hiring and overwatch of sub-contractors
- Responsible for owner itinerary cruise planning Channel Islands CA.
- Management of up to 5 crew members.
- Acting Captain for owner and broker through pre-sale of vessel.

## Personal statements



After recently becoming a new father again to a new son, one could say I should only focus on such an important thing in life. As with a new owner acquiring a new Yacht, it could be said that these similarities could cross paths.

Truth be told, You only want to have what is best for you and your new important achievement.

"Safety, Security, and Satisfaction"  
I want all of these for my daughter's and sons' future, and I believe every owner would want the same for their new important asset.

I strive to focus on these items as well as the continual assistance in boating education for the new or novice yacht owners.

Continuity and loyalty are both hand and hand with all yachting goals and crew.

## REFERENCES

Guy Alex White | M/Y MOONRIVER  
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## M/Y UBIQUITOUS | 112' WESTPORT | YACHT | PRIVATE

**CAPTAIN** | PACIFIC WEST COAST US

MAY 2010 – AUG 2010

- Responsible for Captain hand over upon completion of yard period.
- In charge of maintenance and repair jobs to satisfy foreign flag recommendations. Which to include all engine mechanics, HVAC systems, black water tank systems, deck gear systems, tender davit systems and re-organization of entire vessels crew operating procedures.
- Responsible for the financial accounting portfolio with direct reports to acting manager weekly.
- Management of up to 5 crew members

## M/Y DA BUBBA | 100' HARGRAVE | YACHT | CHARTER / PRIVATE

**CAPTAIN** | ATLANTIC EAST COAST US, CARIBBEAN

OCT 2008 – MAY 2009

- Responsible for annual yard period hand over.
- Over watched and completion of yard period service work; which included, bottom service, running gear service, HVAC systems service, electrical upgrade work and exterior painting.
- In charge of charter season itineraries, vessel movement, guest relations, and charter broker correspondence.
- Responsible for owner's itinerary as requested.
- Maintained accounting and financial expenses to present to the owner biweekly.
- Responsible for hiring sub-contractors as needed
- Management of up to 5 crew members
- Maintained safety protocols and instructed and performed all required safety drills with crew members

## M/Y HARD ASSETS | 95' JONES GOODELL | YACHT | PRIVATE

**CAPTAIN** | ATLANTIC EAST COAST US, CARIBBEAN

JAN 2007 – JULY 2008

- Responsible for ownership transition
- In charge of new owners' itinerary and vessel movements.
- In charge of annual yard period maintenance, which included main engine re-power and all generator services.
- Responsible for hiring and overwatch of sub-contractors as needed.
- Maintained budgets and expense reports
- Management of 4 crewmembers

## M/Y KORDURA | 95' JONES GOODELL | CHARTER | YACHT | PRIVATE

**CAPTAIN** | PACIFIC WEST COAST US , PANAMA , CARRIBBEAN, ATLANTIC US

FEB 2005 – JAN 2007

- Acceptance and delivery of vessel from Los Angeles CA – Antigua BWI
- Responsible for vessel and its daily charter quests arrivals. Itinerary creation and concierge services for clients that co-inside with a large real estate firm in the area.
- Acted as a liaison for final brochure sales marketing team.
- Planed itinerary for owner's usage as needed.
- Management of up to 5 crewmembers.