

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Master Mariner (Unlimited) Masters in Maritime Law (LLM) Diploma in Marine Surveying Fellow of the International Institute of Marine Surveying (FIIMS) Member of the Board of Directors, IIMS Associate Fellow of the Nautical Institute (AFNI) Fellow of the Indian Council of Arbitration

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CAREER HISTORY

- July 2018Octant Marine Limited, UKDirector2015 to 2018Solis Marine Consultants, UK
Partner, Master Mariner Consultant
- 2007 to 2015 Cwaves Limited Director, Marine Consultant

From 2007 to date, I have investigated numerous marine incidents and claims, including groundings, allisions and collisions, and provided expert advice and reports. I have provided expert advice for safety of ports and terminals, personal injury claims, cargo securing, navigational and stability issues including, loss of cargo when encountering heavy weather.

I have also prepared expert opinions on cargo hold conditions and maintenance, liquefaction of bulk cargoes, overloading of holds and vessel, general and project cargo shifting and damage, anchor damage to subsea cables, exercise of prudent seamanship. I have given evidence in High Court and Arbitrations in the United Kingdom, Norway and Chile.

2005 to 2007 AIG (South Africa) Regional Manager (Africa) Marine Loss Control The role involved establishing marine loss principles for transport of cargo by sea and assisting insured with safe carriage of various cargoes. I also assisted the claims team for large marine claims.

P & I Associates (Pty), South Africa
Correspondent for all the International Group P & I Clubs
Investigation of shipping casualties in South Africa and Mozambique
Investigation of cargo claims on behalf of shipowners and P & I Clubs
Investigation of personal injury and fatalities on board vessels
Advising Masters on loss prevention measures
General marine surveying from 10/1999 until 2/2002
Assisting maritime lawyers in collection of evidence and investigations of casualties

1996 to 1999 Gearbulk (UK)

Master of open-hatch gantry vessels trading worldwide carrying paper pulp, paper, aluminium, general and project and various bulk cargoes.

1981 – 1996 Various International Shipowners, Deck Officer and Master from 1993
 Served on general cargo ships, container ships, handy-size geared and Panamax gearless bulk carriers. Experience with a variety of cargoes – general, break-bulk cargoes including heavy lifts; containers; grain (various), rice, sugar and other agricultural products; refrigerated cargoes; fertilisers; coal and coke; petcoke, chrome ores, iron ore; pig iron; DRI, bauxite; alumina; cement; timber; concentrates (various); steel (sheet, plate, pipes coil, scrap, etc).

Traded to most parts of the world - Europe, including Baltic (also during ice season); Mediterranean, including Black Sea; Middle East; Indian sub-continent; North, West and South Africa; Australia and most parts of the Far East; East, Gulf and West coasts of North America; North and East coasts of South America; Transits of the Suez, Panama, North Sea and St. Lawrence ship canals.