

# Capt. Hristo I. Gyaurov

## Curriculum Vitae

### Personal Information:

**Nationality:** USA Resident- Green Card/ Bulgarian  
**Date of Birth:** 20<sup>th</sup> Feb 1979  
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### Career Objective:

My career in the maritime industry started since 1998 and continues until now. Over the time I've been passing through the very bottom positions as a deckhand going through five years University Master Degree studying in the major of Ship Navigation and Engineering, several sailing practices and contracts as Assistant Officer and OOW in the Commercial Shipping Industry and progressing through the Yachting Industry reaching my present position as a Yacht Captain. During that time I managed to gain extensive sailing experience visiting places all around the world, building working habits in docking, navigational watch keeping, maintenance, safety, security, shipyard work periods, commissioning, surveys, Port State Controls and establishing a lot of connections in the maritime industry. Overall I become more disciplined, responsible and cooperative with sense of humor and more open to work and communicate in team with lots of people from different nationalities. As young and ambitious person I can say that I really enjoy my profession and I hope that I will find the best boat and team to work with. My future intentions are to continue my professional development in the industry, because sailing is my passion.

### Education & Services:

**2004 – 2004** Six months Military Service- Private at Air Force Bases Dolna Mitropolia & Bezmer. Training: Chronometrist of Dispatcher Tower & Driver of Fire Brigade and Operator of Military Vehicles such as: KRAZ, TETRA, ATC.  
**1998 – 2003** Student at Technical University- Varna, Bulgaria; Master Degree: Ship Navigation & Engineering.  
**1993 – 1998** High School- Yambol, Bulgaria; Subject: Automatized Technology Systems.  
**1986 – 1993** Primary School- Yambol, Bulgaria.

### Spoken Languages:

English, Russian, Croatian, Bulgarian- Fluent; Spanish- Basic.

### Licenses and Certificates:

- ✓ Certificate of Competency- Master 3000 GT- Unlimited- Commercially Endorsed (reg. II/2, IV/2 STCW78/95).
- ✓ MCA Certificate of Equivalent of Competency- Master 3000 GT- Unlimited- Commercially Endorsed (reg. II/2, IV/2 STCW78/95).
- ✓ Certificate of Competency- Chief Officer- Unlimited- Commercially Endorsed (reg. II/2, IV/2 STCW78/95).
- ✓ Cayman Islands Certificate of Equivalent of Competency- Chief Officer- Unlimited- Commercially Endorsed (reg. II/2, IV/2 STCW78/95).
- ✓ Malta Certificate of Equivalent of Competency- Chief Officer-Unlimited-Commercially Endorsed (reg. II/2, IV/2 STCW78/95).
- ✓ International Tug Master Certificate (reg. II/2, IV/2 STCW78/95).
- ✓ Operator of Uninspected Passenger Vessels (OUPV) – six pack – USCG
- ✓ TWIC - Transportation Worker Identification Credential
- ✓ GMDSS Radio Operator Certificate
- ✓ ARPA & Radar Observation Certificate
- ✓ Training in Bridge Resource Management and Teamwork
- ✓ Training in Operational Use of Electronic Chart Display and Information System (ECDIS) and Automatic Identification System (AIS)
- ✓ Training in Marine Environmental Awareness
- ✓ Training in Passenger and Cargo Safety and Hull Integrity
- ✓ Training in Passenger Ship and Crowd Management
- ✓ Crisis Management and Human Behaviour Training
- ✓ Safety Training for Personnel Providing Direct Services to Passengers in Passenger Spaces
- ✓ Proficiency in Survival Craft and Rescue Boat Other Than Fast Rescue Boat
- ✓ Proficiency in Advanced Fire Fighting- STCW 78/95
- ✓ Proficiency Ship Security Officer- ISPS Code
- ✓ Proficiency in Basic Safety Training- STCW 78/95
- ✓ Proficiency in Medical Care on Board
- ✓ Proficiency in Medical First Aid
- ✓ Open Water Diver (PADI)
- ✓ Lifeguard Certificate (BRC)



- ✓ International Passport
- ✓ Seaman's Passport
- ✓ Seaman's Discharge Book
- ✓ Cayman Island Discharge Book
- ✓ AEC- Approved Engine Course Certificate (MCA)
- ✓ ENG 1 & Medical Fitness Certificate & Vaccination Against Yellow Fever & Vaccination Record
- ✓ ISF Marlins English Language Test- 94%; ISF Marlins Test of Spoken English
- ✓ USA Clear Professional Driving License- Driving Record Included (Car, Truck, Tractor and Motor Bike- No Limitation)

☐ Maritime Experience:

May.2015 – May.2016 (M/Y Element TA – 24 m.) *Captain*



- Builder: Riva, Italy
- Private Boat
- 3 x Crew
- 8 x Guests
- Shipyard Experience: Harbour Town Shipyard, Dania Cut - USA
- Cruising area: N Atlantic Ocean- SE USA, NE USA; Caribbean Sea, Bahamas

Dec.2014 – May.2015 (M/Y Marina – 18 m.) *on call Captain*



- Builder: Prestige Yachts, France
- Private Boat
- 2 x Crew
- 8 x Guests
- Cruising area: N Atlantic Ocean- SE USA; Caribbean Sea, Bahamas

Feb.2015 – Mar.2015 (M/Y Sea Falcon B – 44 m.) *Relief Captain (During the Sale of the Boat)*



- Builder: Swift Ship and Angus Yachts, USA
- Private Boat
- 7 x Crew
- 10 x Guests
- Cruising area: N Atlantic Ocean- SE USA; Caribbean Sea, Bahamas

Dec.2013 – Nov.2014 (M/Y Erik I (ex. Karlou) – 20 m.) *Captain*



- Builder: Sunseeker Predator- Arnesson's Surface Drives, UK
- Private Boat
- 2 x Crew
- 4 x Guests
- Shipyard Experience: Rolly Marine, Cable Marine- USA
- Cruising area: N Atlantic Ocean- SE USA; Caribbean Sea, Bahamas

July.2013 – Dec.2013 (M/Y Bina (ex. Kimberly II) – 43 m.) *Chief Mate/ Relief Captain*



- Builder: Mondo Marine, Italy
- Private & Charter Boat
- 9 x Crew
- 10 x Guests
- Shipyard Experience: LMC (Lauderdale Marine Center), Dania Cut – USA
- Cruising area: N Atlantic Ocean- SE USA, Caribbean Sea, Bahamas

Sept.2012 – July.2013 – Planned time out and doing some courses: Bridge Team and Resource Management Specialized Training for Personnel on Passenger Ships- STCW 78/10 and Marine Environmental Awareness. Passing with the family through all preparation process for immigration in the USA- documents preparation, medical exams, held interview in the US Embassy and settling our new life in the USA.

Apr.2012 – Sept.2012 (M/Y Mar (ex. Mare) – 50 m.) *Chief Officer- Single Handed Watch*



- Builder: Ortona Navi, Italy
- Charter Boat
- 11 x Crew
- 12 x Guests
- Cruising area: Mediterranean Sea- France, Italy, Sardinia, Corsica, Malta



Jan.2011 – Apr.2012



I took a time out because I became a father. During this period I passed some courses and exams: Master 3000 GT exams; UKLAP- Grade 1 exams in order to pass MCA CEC Master 3000 GT; 4 months International Tug Master course with practical exams; Open Water Diver Course- PADI and I did delivery with Atlantic crossing on board M/Y Katara 124 m.

- Builder: Lurssen, Germany
- Private Boat
- 70 x Crew
- 36 x Guests
- Cruising area: N Atlantic Ocean; Caribbean Sea; Mediterranean Sea- France

Apr.2010 – Jan.2011 (M/Y Malibu – 50 m.) *Chief Officer- Single Handed Watch*



- Builder: Amels, Holland
- Private Boat
- 12 x Crew
- 12 x Guests
- Cruising area: Mediterranean Sea- France, Italy, Sardinia, Corsica, Adriatic Sea; Ionian Sea; Aegean Sea- Greece, Turkey

Aug.2009 – Jan.2010 (M/Y Lauren L – 90 m.) *Chief Officer- Single Handed Watch*



- Builder: Cassens- Werft, Germany
- Private & Charter Boat
- 40 x Crew
- 40 x Guests
- Cruising area: Mediterranean Sea- France, Italy, Sardinia, Corsica; Adriatic Sea; Ionian Sea; Aegean Sea- Greece, Turkey; Red Sea- Egypt; Indian Ocean; Arabian Sea; Persian Gulf- UAE

June. 2009 – Aug.2009 (M/Y Le Yana – 43 m.) *Chief Mate- Single Handed Watch*



- Builder: Baglietto, Italy
- Private & Charter Boat
- 8 x Crew
- 12 x Guests
- Shipyard Experience: VSY (Viareggio Shipyard)- Italy
- Cruising area: Mediterranean Sea- France, Italy, Sardinia, Corsica, Spain, Malta; Balearic Sea- Palma de Mallorca, Minorca

June. 2008 – Sept. 2008 (M/Y Alexandar V – 48 m.) *Chief Mate- Single Handed Watch*



- Builder: ISA, Italy
- Private & Charter Boat
- 10 x Crew
- 12 x Guests
- Shipyard Experience: ISA (International Shipyard Ancona)- Italy
- Cruising area: Mediterranean Sea- France, Sardinia, Corsica; Adriatic Sea; Croatia, Italy; Ionian Sea

Oct. 2006 – May. 2007 (M/Y Tuscan Sun – 45 m.) *Chief Mate- Single Handed Watch*



- Builder: Izar, Spain
- Charter Boat
- 9 x Crew
- 12 x Guests
- Shipyard Experience: MB-92 (Marina Barcelona- 92)- Spain; Amico Shipyard- Italy
- Cruising area: Mediterranean Sea- France, Italy, Sardinia, Corsica, Spain; Ionian Sea; Balearic Sea- Palma de Mallorca, Minorca



June. 2006 – Aug. 2006 (M/Y Radiant – 52 m.) *2nd Mate- Single Handed Watch*



- Builder: Amels, Holland
- Private Boat
- 11 x Crew
- 12 x Guests
- Cruising area: Mediterranean Sea- France, Italy, Sardinia, Corsica; Ionian Sea; Adriatic Sea- Croatia; Aegean Sea- Turkey

Nov. 2005 – May. 2006 (PCC Andes Highway – 155 m.) *3rd OOW- Single Handed Watch*



- Builder: Shin Kurushima Onishi Shipyard, Imabary, Japan
- Commercial Vessel
- 26 x Crew
- Shipyard Experience: Nha Trang Shipyard- Vietnam
- Cruising area: Indian Ocean; Java sea; South China Sea; Philippine Sea; Coral Sea; Tasmanian Sea; Pacific Ocean

Apr. 2005 – Sept. 2005 (M/Y Liman – 52 m.) *Chief Officer- Single Handed Watch*



- Builder: Liman JSC, Ukraine
- Private Boat
- 12 x Crew
- 12 x Guests
- Cruising area: Black Sea- Turkey; Aegean Sea- Greece; Ionian Sea

Sept.2004 – Feb. 2005 (BC Brazil Star – 300 m.) *Assistant Officer*



- Builder: Sumitomo Heavy Industries, Oppama Shipyard, Japan
- Commercial Vessel
- 28 x Crew
- Cruising area: Mediterranean Sea- France; S Atlantic Ocean- Brazil; Pacific Ocean- Chile; Indian Ocean- Singapore; Andaman Sea

Nov.2002 – Feb.2003 (Ro-Ro Dobrudja – 127 m.) *Assistant Officer*



- Builder: Odesos Shipyard Varna, Bulgaria
- Commercial Vessel
- 24 x Crew
- Cruising area: Black Sea- Bulgaria, Turkey; Mediterranean Sea- Spain, Portugal; Adriatic Sea- Italy; Ionian Sea; N Atlantic Ocean- Holland

May.1998 – Nov.1998 (S/Y Pelican & S/Y Flamingo – 15 m.) *Deckhand*



- Builder: Peterson, USA
- Charter yachts
- 3 x Crew
- 8 x Guests
- Cruising area: Black Sea

□ Skills:

Knowledge of navigational equipment: (Electronic Charts, Auto- pilots, Satellite Navigation Systems, ARPA, Radars, etc.) and keeping record of them, handling: (AZIPOD, Arnesson's Surface Drives, Jet Drives), on-board drills procedures, corrections to charts, pilot books, lights and fog signals. Competency in LSA and FFE and maintaining them, COLREGS, ISM, ISPS- SSO, MARPOL, Medical Care Onboard, sanding, varnishing, painting, polishing, tender and jet- ski operation, excellent computer skills, MS Office, Internet, Photoshop, Tennis, Swimming, Kite & Wind Surfing, Wake & Snow Boarding.

I am able to work in strict schedules, under pressure and accurately to execute all assigned tasks by the time fixed. Strongly motivated person, willing to work and contribute to the success of the company and the business, easy to adapt and master new technologies, hard worker, honest, communicative and friendly orientated person, good team player with excellent organization skills and with previous hospitality experience.



□ Interests & Hobbies:

Yachting, Kite & Wind Surfing, Weak & Snow Boarding, Tennis, Swimming, Photography, Cinema, Theatre, Music, Fashion.

□ References:

Available on request