

Craig B [REDACTED]

USA [REDACTED]

BAHAMAS [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]



DUAL NATIONALITY: South African / U.S. Citizen

D.O.B: [REDACTED]

DRIVERS LICENSE: South African / American

LANGUAGES: English

No Tattoos or Piercings

Objective:

To combine my experience with an owner that shares the same interests of travel, vessel maintenance, and teamwork that I feel is important to a harmonious, professional, relationship.

Experience:

I have been involved in yachting for 20 years, 12 of which have been as a Delivery Captain. In this time I have also worked as a Mate on Motor-yachts and Sailing-yachts.

My relationship with crews' and owners' has been most professional and enjoyable. I have done deliveries' and seasons' for the same Owners' and Brokers' over the years. I'm very much a "hands on" Captain, helping with interior and exterior work while often being the Engineer on board as well. I like to lead by example.

My resume at first glance may show limited longevity, however, most of the short term contracts (summers in the Mediterranean or New England, and winters in the Caribbean), have been seasons or deliveries done for the same three Brokerages worldwide, or for the same two yacht-owners'. In this perspective I have an average of Five years per owner/broker, extensive longevity!

Blue-water experience:

38 Trans-Atlantics, 3 Indian-Ocean, 1 South Atlantic Ocean crossing, as well as time cruising in the Mediterranean,.

Maritime Qualifications:

- **Yacht Master Ocean (M.C.A) (200 Ton) (Unlimited)(All Oceans) Commercially endorsed**
 - Yacht Master Offshore (M.C.A.)
 - Yacht Master Ocean (R.Y.A)
 - Yacht Master Offshore (R.Y.A.)
 - Basic Marine Diesel Certificate
 - P.A.D.I. Open Water Diver Certificate
 - S.T.C.W.'S (M.C.A.)

Maritime Experience: *Mediterranean (Multiple Seasons), Caribbean (Multiple Seasons), USA East Coast, as well as numerous Atlantic crossings.*

Shipyard Experience: *From Construction to Warranty work: Merrill Stevens, Ft Lauderdale, Florida / Thunderbolt, Savannah, Georgia / Derecktors, Florida – all USA.*

Chartering:

Several Season in the Mediterranean, and Seasons in the Caribbean, as Charter Captain 2 years of term and day charter in the Bahamas.

Engineering Experience: *Through the years I have worked on a wide variety of Marine systems, including: Water makers, Air conditioning units, Hydraulic systems, Generators, Engines, etc.*

Machinery Experience: *MTU, Caterpillar, Detroit Diesel, John Deere, Northern Lights.*

History:

May 2024.

Captain engineer 95' princess M/Y [REDACTED]

To July 2025	
January 2021 To May 2024	Captain/Engineer 95' sloop S/Y [REDACTED]
December 19 To December 2020	Captain/Engineer 82' Sunseeker Chartering in the Bahamas
July 19 To November 19	Owner's rep/Captain 90' Custom yacht Managed new build to final delivery and staged it for the Ft Lauderdale show
June 18 To April 19	Captain S/Y [REDACTED] 96' cruising Florida, New England and Bermuda
June 17 To May 18	1st Officer M/y [REDACTED] 142' <i>Temp, to finish the Med Summer season</i>
January 17 To March 17	CAPTAIN S/Y [REDACTED] 105' west ship <i>Manage vessel and teach crew how to sail</i>
January 15 To Dec 16	PRIVATE ISLAND MANAGER/ENGINEER <i>Managed and maintained a private island in the Bahamas</i>
October 14 To Jan 15	CAPTAIN M/Y [REDACTED] 130' West port <i>3Month temp for Captain's vacation</i>
October 11 To Oct 14	CAPTAIN/ENGINEER S/Y [REDACTED] 96' Sloop <i>Private cruising, the Bahamas and the East coast.</i>
July 10 To Nov 11	CAPTAIN/ENGINEER S/Y [REDACTED] 112' sloop <i>Private cruising, the Caribbean. Major rig refit in St Maarten.</i>
May 09 To March 10	CAPTAIN/ENGINEER S/Y [REDACTED] 1956 Rhodes Design <i>Private cruising In Caribbean, the east coast, New England. Dock express to West Coast Mexico then up to California</i>
Oct' 08 to Feb' 09	CAPTAIN/ENGINEER M/Y [REDACTED] 95' Hatteras motor Yacht, <i>Private cruising, Fort Lauderdale and the Bahamas.</i>
April' 08 to Sept' 08	CAPTAIN/ENGINEER M/Y [REDACTED] 88' Johnson <i>Private cruising, Med and Dock Express back to Florida</i>
August' 07 to April' 08	CAPTAIN/ENGINEER M/Y [REDACTED] 88' Ferretti <i>Private cruising, Florida Cays and the Bahamas.</i>
June'07 to Jul.07	CAPTAIN/ENGINEER [REDACTED] 72' M/Y "Sugar Magnolia" <i>Private cruising, Bahamas.</i>
April'07 to May.07	CAPTAIN/ENGINEER Take delivery of 90' Burger <i>for broker in Bahamas, oversee upgrades and repairs for new owner.</i>
Jul. 06 to Mar.07	ENGINEER Summer contract on M/Y [REDACTED] 115' <i>Private and charter cruising, from the Caribbean to New England.</i>
Nov. 05 to Mar. '06	MATE Winter contract on M/Y [REDACTED] 115' <i>Private and charter cruising, from the Caribbean to New England.</i>
June'05 to July '05	CAPTAIN Commissioned and Sea Trialed [REDACTED] 75' Sun Seeker <i>Fort Lauderdale, FL</i>
May '04 to Sept. '04	CAPTAIN [REDACTED] 65' Jet Boat <i>plus multiple tenders and sailboats Summer Contract in New England</i>
June 03	CAPTAIN M/Y [REDACTED] V 70' Maiora <i>Private cruising, South Florida and the Bahamas. Yacht up for sale in December 03.</i>

August '02

CAPTAIN On "S/Y [REDACTED] 65' Sloop
contracted for winter season in the Caribbean Cruised the Windward Islands, Leeward
Islands and the Virgin islands.

July '01

FIRST MATE On M/Y [REDACTED] 100'
Private cruising, East Coast of USA until Nov. 2001(had to return to S.A. VISA)

June. '00

FIRST MATE On S/Y [REDACTED] 73' frers design
Summer contract, cruising Maine and New England, out of New Port

**1994
To 1999**

Employed by [REDACTED] **delivery captain.**
Yachts between 50' and 136', Caribbean to the Med and back as the seasons required.

**1987
To 1994**

Social Sailing
Local deliveries and yacht maintenance in South Africa

Interests:

Sport, Travel especially non-tourist & diving destinations & Fiction Reading.

Private pilot's License:

FAA SEL

Prior to Professional Yachting Career:

MILITARY SERVICE 1988-91: National Served in the [REDACTED] as an officer in a
Marine Reconnaissance unit

TERSURY EDUCATION:

H.T.M.L. programmer

Computer & Electronic Skills

- **Microsoft programs:** Word, EXCEL, Power point, Outlook
- **Accounting Software:** Quicken

References:

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]