

Able Seafarer Deck - job description

Rank / Position	Able Seafarer Deck
Department	Deck
Reports to	Chief Officer and Bosun

Duties, Responsibilities and Accountabilities

Main Responsibilities:

- Compliance with safe working practices on LNG bunker vessels.
- Preparation and safe handling LNG bunkering equipment/ cargo hose
- Compliance with Permits to Work that are in force.
- Forming part of a safe navigational watch.
- Lookout duties under supervision of OOW and/or Master, including working with pilots.
- Forming part of a cargo watch.
- First line of security as gangway watchman.
- Surface preparation and maintenance including:
 - Painting
 - Safe use of hand tools, pneumatic and electric tools and equipment
 - Inspection of equipment before use
 - Use of correct PPE (Cryogenic PPE knowledge essential)
- Speaking up if/when unsafe practices or conditions are identified

Minimum Requirements:

- **Able Seaman Deck (Reg. II/5)**
- **Basic Liquefied Gas Tanker Cargo Operation A-V/1-2-1**
- **Experience with STS (Ship-to-Ship) LNG cargo operations.**
- **Cargo hose and LNG bunkering equipment handling expertise/ experience**
- **In rank sea service and experience on LNG cargo / LNG bunker vessels of minimum 1 year.**

Assist with any shipboard activities as directed by the Bosun or ship's officers, including:

- Cargo operations and cargo related matters
- Movement of cargo hatches and cargo cranes
- Preparation of tanks and hatches to receive cargo
- Tank cleaning and de-sludging
- Duties at mooring and anchoring stations
- Handling and stowage of stores
- Maintenance and repairs
- Training of junior deck ratings
- Environmental compliance
- Ship security

Other duties and responsibilities:

- Comply with BSM's SMS, EMS and international standards and regulations
- Form part of the emergency response team (specific duties as per ship's emergency organization)
- Report any non-conformities or defects

- Keep and promote a high standard of discipline and behavior
- Perform additional tasks as assigned by the Master, Chief Officer or Duty Officer
- Follow the requirements of the Competency Management System (CMS)