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About Us

Overseas Marine Certification Services (OMCS CLASS) is a leading ship classification society.

We provide a critical link in the marine risk management chain by serving as an independent institution operating between ship owners, builders, financiers, underwriters, flag administrations, and vessel charterers.

We maintain independent technical requirements for the design, construction, and survey of ships and marine facilities. These requirements incorporate the latest methods, tools, and techniques to ensure that we provide the most efficient and thorough service while keeping costs to you at a minimum.

Our periodic class surveys enable you to maximize your vessel's operational capability while ensuring risks to life, property, and the marine environment are minimized.

Overseas Marine Certification Services (OMCS CLASS) provides responsive service to our clients through a global network of exclusive surveyors strategically located on all major ports around the world. We are ready to provide you service on a moment's notice.

International Conventions permit flag administrations to delegate the inspection and certification of ships to a recognized Organization (RO) and Recognized Security Organization (RSO)

Working Alongside Multiple Flags WorldWide as a Recognized Organization

As such, OMCS CLASS represents the maritime administration of **Panama, Vannuatu, Barbados, Belize, Sierra Leone, Palau, Bolivia, Paraguay, Honduras, Nigeria, Togo, Moldova, Ecuador, Colombia, Guinea-Bissau** and several others flag states through our world wide coverage.



What We Believe

At **OMCS CLASS**, we realize that every vessel operator has unique needs. We work with you to provide the expertise you need, not the overhead you don't. As the international maritime community moves toward uniform standards and safety equivalencies, we still value the personal relationship over a one-size-fits-all approach.

It is often said that classification societies live on their reputations. We have developed an unparalleled standing throughout the maritime industry for providing reliable, quality-oriented services. We consistently review our operating activities to ensure continuous improvement. Further, we believe in operating as a transparent organization open to external review.

Our Technology

We are devoted to providing leadership in the implementation of new technologies to protect life, property, and the marine environment, using the best tools and techniques in the industry.

We do this by maintaining in-house, managerial and technical support as well as research staff. Our dedicated professionals ensure that you have access to world-class survey procedures and technologies, and our cutting-edge online database provides you real-time status of your compliance condition.

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World Wide Offices

Our multilingual professionals have been vetted, trained, and approved to conduct class and statutory surveys and issue the relevant certificates. We maintain three Main regional offices and over 50 exclusive representative offices at key ports throughout the world in order to ensure that the Society's full range of services are available 24/7, worldwide.

To provide you with a personal level of customer service, faster response time and greater reliability, our two regional offices in the middle and far east regions are headed up by senior managers capable of resolving issues on the spot.

With our worldwide presence, we provide more effective and timely services to our customers and serve under the standard 24/7.



OMCS CLASS Regional Offices are located in the Middle East, Far East, the West Coast of Africa (Lagos, Nigeria & Canary Islands, Spain), the Philippines, and South America; in order to provide more effective and timely services to our customers and serve under the standard 24/7. Our Head Office, Far East Regional Office and our Southeast Asia Regional Office are under ISO 9001:2015 certification from ABS QE and Global GROUP.

Panama Head Office (HO)

Overseas Marine Certification Services (OMCS CLASS) began operations as early as 2004. With the objective of providing better service to its clients in the region, since then we have set as permanent goal to steadily meeting the expectations of its customers and should be provided with clear, reliable, credible, accurate, impartial, and speedy service.

Far East Regional Office (FERO)

Overseas Marine Certification Services (OMCS CLASS) began operations in Asia as early as 2004. With the objective of providing better service to its clients in the region, considering the time difference with the Americas, thereby minimizing response time in Asia; OMCS CLASS decided to open our semi-independent regional office. OMCS CLASS Far East Regional Office is located in Shanghai, China and operates under a certified quality management system in accordance with ISO 9001:2015. This certification guarantees uniformity of all of the processes that are used by OMCS CLASS.

Africa Regional Office (AFRO)

Due to the growth of the marine market in Africa, OMCS CLASS decided at the beginning of 2016 to establish a new regional office in Lagos, Nigeria. This new location offers an extensive range of technical services and solution in the fields of certification, conformity, assessment, consulting, among others.

European Regional Office (EURO)

In 2013, OMCS CLASS opened a European Regional Office in Las Palmas, Spain, in order to benefit with the strategic location, cater our European clients and the emerging West African market.

Middle East Regional Office (MERO)

In 2008, OMCS CLASS successfully opened a Regional Middle East Office located in Dubai, United Arab Emirates with the clear objective of providing real-time and timely service to its customers. OMCS CLASS Middle East Regional Office is duly approved and licensed to provide ship classification and statutory certification services by the Dubai Maritime City Authority.

South America Regional Office (SARO)

In the early 2018, OMCS CLASS introduced a new branch to our customers: Colombia Branch. Duly authorized by the Maritime Colombian Authority and Strategically located in Manga, Carrera 18B #26-166, office 1101 Cartagena de Indias, Colombia.

Southeast Asia Regional Office (SEARO)

OMCS CLASS has multiple offices worldwide to provide the most efficient and immediate response to all our clients. Our Southeast Asia Regional Office, also known as SEARO, located in Guadalupe Viejo Makati, Philippines, operates hand in hand with all our branches delivering the best quality service that our clients expect.



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OUR VISION

We want to become the leading NON-IACS Classifications Society and Recognized Organization in terms of Safety, Quality, Reliability and Services.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to ensure the preservation of life, property, and the marine environment. We accomplish this through impartial surveys and certifications to ensure a vessel is in compliance with established national and international rules and regulations.



Our Services

Ship Classification

Classification is a comprehensive verification service assuring that a set of requirements laid down in rules and standards established by the classification society are met during design and construction, and maintained during operation. The rules and standards are aimed at ensuring safety against hazards to the ship, personnel, and against hazards to the environment.

Our high standards of service ensure that all of our registered vessels comply with applicable requirements and regulations. We work in cooperation with the Flag Administrations and Port State Controls with the underlying objective of maintaining safer ships and cleaner seas.

As a Classification Society, OMCS CLASS offers a range of services to vessels and marine structures of all types. Our goal is to safeguard the preservation of life, property and the marine environment while ensuring that vessel operators have the flexibility to maximize their resources.

In accordance with international rules and regulations, OMCS CLASS has established technical requirements regarding the design, construction, and survey of ships. A Certificate of Classification documents that the inspected vessel complies with the technical requirements specified in OMCS CLASS Rules.



Our Society is fully authorized to perform flag state inspections and issue statutory certifications under the following international regulations:

1. Cargo Ship Safety Construction Certificate (CCC).
2. Cargo Ship Safety Equipment Certificate (CEC).
3. Cargo Ship Safety Radio Certificate (CRC).
4. International Load Line Certificate (LL).
5. International Tonnage Certificate (ITC 69)
6. International Oil Pollution Prevention Certificate (IOPP).
7. International Air Pollution Prevention Certificate (IAPP).
8. International Sewage Pollution Prevention Certificate (ISPP).
9. ISM Code (Document of Compliance-DOC & Safety Management Certificate-SMC).
10. ISPS Code (International Ship Security Certificate-ISSC).
11. Crew Accommodation Inspection Certificate (OMCA).
12. Fishing Vessel Safety Certificate (FISVEL).
13. Safety Certificate for Vessels under 500 GT (SAFCE).
14. Radio Certificate for Vessels under 300 GT (SARCE).
15. Authorization for Grain Loading Certificate (GRALO).
16. Passenger Vessel Safety Certificate (PASAC).
17. Pleasure Vessel Safety Certificate (PLECE).
18. International Pollution Prevention Certificate for the Carriage of Noxious Liquid Substances in Bulk (NLS).
19. Interational Certificate of Fitness for Carriage of Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk (IBC).
20. Certificate of Fitness for Carriage of Dangerous chemicals in Bulk (BCH).
21. International Certificate of Fitness for Carriage of Liquefied Gasses in Bulk (IGC).
22. Certificate of Fitness for Carriage of Liquefied Gases in Bulk (GC).
23. Anti-Fouling Certificate (AFS).
24. Special Purpose Ship Safety Certification (SPS).
25. High Speed Craft Safety Certification (HSC).
26. International Marine Bulk Cargoes Certificate (IMSBC).
27. Certificate of the Carriage of Dangerous Goods (CDG).
28. Caribbean Cargo Ship Safety Certificate (CCSSC).
29. Maritime Labor Certificate (MLC 2006).
30. International Energy Efficiency Certificate (IEEC).
31. Hull & Machinery Class Certificate.
32. Document of compliance with the special requirements for ships carrying dangerous goods (DOC-IMDG).
33. Enhanced Survey Program (ESP).
34. Certificate of prevention of pollution by garbage from ships.
35. Declaration of Maritime Labour Compliance (DMLC) II.
36. Manual, Booklets & Plan Approvals, etc.
37. International Certificate on Inventory of Hazardous Materials (IHM)



ISM / ISPS

The International Safety Management (ISM) Code & International Ship and Port Facility Security (ISPS) Code.

Our professional and experienced auditors are situated close to your premises and are available in all ports worldwide. We focus on safety and practical compliance.

International regulations require vessels to have in place a safety management system and a security plan that has been reviewed and approved by a Recognized Security Organization (RSO). Flag Administrations have fully approved OMCS CLASS to conduct the following ship safety and security audits:

- * International Ship Security Certificate (ISSC).
- * Ship Security Plan Approvals (SSP)
- * Safety Management Certificate (SMC).
- * Document of Compliance (DOC)

OMCS CLASS could perform combined ISM & ISPS certification audits in order to save you time and money.

Maritime Labour Convention

Since August 2013, the **Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 (MLC 2006)** convention certificate has been mandatory for all Ship-owners, making this a requirement in order to be in compliance with their flag state legislation. The Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 convention applies to ships of 500 GT or over, engaged in international voyages.

OMCS CLASS can support ship-owners to achieve their MLC 2006 needs step-bystep, helping them to demonstrate compliance and avoid unnecessary delays.



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The International Labour Organization adopted the **Maritime Labour Convention, 2006** with the objective to certify the working and living condition of all ships over 500 GT in international trade.

The Flag State will remain fully responsible implementing and enforcing the Convention through national measures, but may delegate inspection and certification to recognized organizations (RO). The MLC certification process will be similar to ISM and ISPS for ships, and the certificate will have 5 years validity and the process will include interim, initial and intermediate inspections.

OMCS CLASS will inspect and provide the required Maritime Labour Certificate (MLC) for your ships.

OMCS CLASS is fully authorized to perform MLC 2006 inspections on behalf of Panama, Vanuatu, Barbados, Belize, Sierra Leone, Palau, Bolivia, Paraguay, Nigeria, Togo, Moldova and several others Flags.

We encourage an extensive cooperation with flag state administrations.



Our Leaderships

Eng. Javier Bru

Chief Executive Officer Senior Marine Surveyor & Consultant

United States Merchant Marine Academy (Kings Point).

- Bachelor of Science- Marine Operations and Technology Program Degree.
- Advanced Master in Naval Architecture, University of Liege/Ecole Central de Nantes
- Master of Marine Management (Dalhousie University).
- Master of Business Administration-Marketing (ULACIT, Panama).
- Diplomas in Marine Surveying, Shipyard Management and Ship Repairs (Universite de Liege).
- Diploma in Negotiations, Treaties and International Commerce - Universidad de Santiago de Chile.
- Class / Statutory Surveyor and ISM / ISPS Lead Auditor for Det Norske Veritas (DNV).
- Technical Manager of Isthmus Bureau of Shipping (IBS).
- First A. E.- Unlimited Horsepower/ First Deck Officer- Unlimited Tonnage (Panama).
- ISO 9001 Lead Auditor.
- Consultant & Surveyor with experience in Class, Statutory and Cargo Surveys, Hull and Machinery Damages, P&I and Insurance Surveys. re-Vetting such as: Sire OCIMF, CD! & Shell.

Raymund Puso

SEARO President

- Certified Level 2 Non-Destructive Testing Inspector
- Certified Pollution Control Officer - Department of Environment and Natural Resources
- Certified Safety Officer Level 3 — (Occupational Health and Safety Practitioner)
- Certified Master Scuba Diver / Nitrox Level 1 (NAUI PACIFIC RIM, USA)
- ISO 9001:2008 STANDARD

Yoyo Wang

FERO Branch Manager

- The Jiangxi University of Finance and Economic
- More than 10 years of experience as a Director Assistant and Sales Agent.

Eng. Hassan Deylam

Branch Manager Technical Officer / Supervisor - Surveyor

- MLC inspector certificate
- CSO / SSO Certificates by MUSC
- Damage Control in Shipping
- ISM Lead Auditor
- IRISL Certificate, Refrigeration
- ISO 9001-2008 lead auditor certificate by AFNOR
- CD1 - Deep Diving / Commercial Diver
- TFT certificate
- MBA

Eng. José Guillermo Stoute

Commercial Manager

- Bachelor Degree in Naval Architecture, Universidad Veracruzana - Veracruz, Mexico.
- MBA in Maritime Administration and Shipping Business, Universidad Latino Americana De Ciencia 1, Tecnologia, ULACIT, Panama city, Rep. of Panama.
- International Marine Safety Inspector Escuela Nautica Fernando Siliceo, Veracruz, Mexico.
- Oil Spill Control - Sponsored by IMO and APN (Autoridad Portuaria Nacional), 1991.
- ISO 9000 Quality System, SGS - International Certification Services, Interpretation and Internal Auditor, Panama.
- ISM Code, ISO 9000:2000 Lead Auditor Training Course for Quality Management Systems Ferriby Marine
- (UK). Recognized by IRCA Diploma in Marine Surveying; one-year Distance Learning Course. National Sea Training Center and the Dartford-Gravesend College at North-West Kent, UK.

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Administrator and Human Resources Manager

- Master's in business Administration-University of Arkansas & University of Panama.
- Bachelor of Science, Administrative Industrial Engineer- USMA, Panama.
- Lead Auditor for ISO 9001:2015 - Bureau Veritas, Dubai, UAE.

Lic. Zayaira Santos

Accounting Manager

- Bachelor in Maritime Business Administration - University of Panama.
- Master in Corporate Finance -University Specializing CPA.
- Master in Business Management-ADEN International Business School.
- Training course of ISO 17020.
- Risk Management Course - SGS 2018.
- Lead Auditor for Quality System ISO 9001:2015.

Lic. Carmen Briceño

Quality Manager

- Bachelor Degreee in Maritime and Ports Operations - Technological University of Panama
- Internal Auditor for Quality Management System under ISO 9001:2015 - SGS
- Lead Auditor for Quality Management System under ISO 9001:2015 - SGS
- Internal Auditor for Information Security Management under ISO 27001: 2013
- Marine Risk Assessment - Jordan Academy for Marine Studies
- Permit Required Confined Space Entrant / Attendant - INQUEST
- ASNT NDT Inspector Level II VB-MT-UT-PT.
- Corrosion, Surface Preparation & Marine Coating - PPG Industries
- Basics of Steel Surface Preparation - SSPC The Society for Protective Coatings
- Basics of Non-Ferrous Surface Preparation - SSPC The Society for Protective Coatings

Our Surveyors & Technical Staff

Eng. Edward Velarde

Technical Manager

- Bachellor of Science, Marine Engineering - United States Merchant Marine Academy
- More than 15 years as Technical Manager and Surveyor.
- ISPS SSO CSO and PFSO Training Course - PMDSS
- ISO9001:2005 Lead Auditor - Ferriby Marine
- ISM Auditor - UKAS
- Maritime Labour Convention 2006 Course.
- ISO 9001:2008 Familiarization course.
- ISM ISPS Ship & Company Auditor - RINA
- Experienced in National and International Regulations for Ships in Recognized Organizations.

Eng. Bustavino Gonzalez

Technical Officer

- Bachelor Degree in Maritime Port Engineering - Technological University of Panama
- Bachelor of Maritime Business Administration
- Lead Auditor for Quality Management System under ISO 9001:2015 - Ferriby Marine
- ISM Code Familiarization & Designated Person Assshore Dutties - Marine Advisors Corporation Center INC
- Radio Inspections Workshop for Annual Safety Inspections - International Marine Experts
- Company Security Officer Course as per ISPS Code - Marine Advisors Corporation Center INC
- IADC Site Visit Training for Assessors - Lloyd's Register
- Class Surveyor - IAMSP Academy
- Classification and Statutory Surveys - IAMSP Academy

Eng. Pablo Calzada

Marine Surveyor

- Polytechnic University of Madrid.
- Naval Architect and Marine Engineering •
- Maritime Labour Convention 2006 Course.
- ISO 9001:2008 Familiarization course.
- 8 years as Ship Manager in various companies at Canary Islands, Spain. •
- 3 years as Superintendent of Arabella Enterprises Corp fleet.
- Experienced in National and International Regulations for Ships in Recognized Organizations.

Eng. Zhan Shi Ping

Technical Supervisor & Marine Surveyor

- Firefighting and lifesaving appliances; Ship construction; stability and load line.
 - Ship structure, materials, and equipment; Machinery; Electrical systems and automation systems; Materials, welding.
 - International maritime conventions; Instructions to surveyors, Testing Class, and statutory basics
- NDT.etc
- China MSA Registered surveyor certificate.

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Technical & Quality Assurance Officer

- Bachelor Degree in Navigation - Shanghai Maritime University
- ISM & ISPS Auditor - CCS/Class NU
- Hull Inspection damage repair
- Classification & statutory survey - Class NU
- ILO MLC2006 Inspector - International Register Training Institute
- Registered Marine Surveyor
- Qualification Certificate - Chinese MSA
- ISO9001 Internal Auditor - CCS
- Extensive working knowledge of Rules and Regulations of Class, SOLAS, MARPOL,ISM,ISPS code.

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