

ADVANCED TRAINING IN FIRE FIGHTING

COURSE AIM

During the course delegates will gain and demonstrate to a level of competence on how to take command, organize and train fire parties and control fire fighting operations. The delegate will acquire knowledge of fire prevention and an ability to inspect and service fire detection and extinguishing systems and equipment. Delegates will also be able to investigate and report on incidents involving fire

TARGET GROUP

This course is aimed at seagoing personnel designated to take charge and control of fire fighting operations in an emergency. The emphasis of the training is in organization, tactics and command. This course is delivered in accordance with section A-VI/3 of the STCW Code.

COURSE CONTENT

- Control fire fighting operations aboard ships
- Organize and train fire parties
- Inspect and service fire-detection and fire-extinguishing systems and equipment
- Investigate and compile reports on incidents involving fire.

This course is designed in conformity with the IMO model course 2.03.

COMPETENCY

Delegates will be required to pass a practical assessment of skills, and a written or verbal examination of theory.

PRE REQUISITE

All delegates must be in possession of a valid seafarer medical certificate issued by an approved medical practitioner and show evidence of attending STCW Basic Training in fire prevention and fire-fighting.

METHOD OF TRAINING

Theory conducted in a classroom including presentations and discussions based on lived experiences, followed by practical & simulation training and assessment and will include the visual teaching aids, writing materials and provision of catering.

COURSE DURATION

Five (5) days.

RATIO OF THE TRAINING

50% Theory / 50 % practical

VALIDITY OF CERTIFICATE

5 years

DURATION OF REFRESHER TRAINING

1 day

