



CAPTAIN CARLOS M

Direct/Personal | Bahamas

OBJECTIVE

Looking for the next long-term Captain position for another great family utilizing my diverse skill sets from working nearly every position on yachts to continue to deliver great ownership experiences.

Venezuelan

Current US Passport

Non-Smoker | No Visible Tattoos

Clean Driver's License

Current Location: Fort Lauderdale, FL



USCG 200GRT LICENSED MASTER CAPTAIN
RYA 200GRT LICENSED YACHT MASTER OFF SHORE CAPTAIN (SAILING ENDORSEMENT)
RYA SAILING CRUISING INSTRUCTOR | STCW 95 | ENG1 | TWIC CARD
RYA DIESEL | RYA (VHF) SHORT RANGE RADIO | RED CROSS FIRST AID | CPR | AED
RED CROSS LIFEGUARD CERTIFIED & SWIMMING INSTRUCTOR



SKILL SETS

1825 + Days at Sea
Skilled Navigator / Boat Handler
Procedures & Protocols Set Up
Yacht Operations & Compliance
Safety Protocols/ Training
Weather Routing
Schedule Maintenance Programs
VOLY Financial Management
Budget & Accounting Management
Yard Period Management
Project Management
Troubleshooting
Crew Management / Development
Charter Operations
Trip Planning / Itineraries
Log Book Creation
Detailed Oriented
Highly Organized
Strong Communication Skills
Hospitality Experience
Cooking /Provisioning
Bilingual
Fishing
Sailor
Surfer
Swimmer

M/Y | 80' Princess X

CAPTAIN | Jan 2025 - Present | Guatemala/Isla Mujeres/Belize/Honduras/Coconut Grove, FL/
Bahamas/East Coast USA/New England/West Coast USA/Florida Keys

- * Managed daily operations for a family of 4, including the husband and wife Owners from Guatemala, their two young daughters, and a teenage son
- * Oversaw operations for a 38' Fjord tender (2024), a Williams jet tender for the Princess X 80', a jet ski on the Fjord 38', and two Sea-Bobs
- * Supervised crew of 2, including a super mate, with plans to hire a third crew member
- * Maintained constant communication with Princess Yachts America for support and coordination
- * Supervised yearly shipyard management and maintenance for both vessels
- * Handled all accounting and financial responsibilities related to the vessels

M/Y | 100' Riva

CAPTAIN | Jan 2024- Dec 2024 | Star Island

Yacht Operations Key Contributions

- * Oversaw all aspects of vessel operations including 3 full time crew and additional crew as needed for outings through management company, Dayboard Marine
- * Completed day trips and overnight local cruises with 20-40 guests including HNWIs/celebrities
- * Worked directly with yacht management company to coordinate meetings, budgeting, accounting, maintenance logging, record keeping, and service maintenance
- * Handled operations of 47' Axopar tender, 4 Jet Skis, 1 Williams Tender, inflatables, and 300' dock

Property Management & Administrative Duties

- * Oversaw property management of large estate including pool, recreation, garage, and kitchen areas
- * Maintained consistent communications with 6-8 assistants

M/Y | 85' Azimut | Private/Charter

CAPTAIN | Oct 2023 - Jan 2024 | Florida/Port Washington, NY

- * Managed process of commissioning the vessel at Marine Max Facility at Dania Ft. Lauderdale as well as the entire disassembly and new assembly of the ZF PODS SYSTEM at Bradford Marine
- * Completed several successful sea trials and fixed numerous onboard issues
- * Oversaw 4 crew program that cruised Bahamas, Florida Keys, West/East Coast USA, New England and the USVI and BVI Islands

CARLOS MEJIA

I have accumulated over 25 years of global experience serving in 3 languages as a professional Captain. I have been serving performance sailing vessels as well as motor yachts worldwide often serving the same client for several years. From my earliest appointments, I have been accustomed to maintaining the highest standards of yacht presentation and operation. In addition, my bridge and Captain skills are highly practiced, including overseeing successful refit and yard periods.

I believe that a successful program can be attained by focusing on good vessel operations and hiring the right crew with the right training. My goal is to always ensure the vessel is well maintained, having a good system of all procedures, protocols, manuals, and reporting are in place. Through this process, and good reporting, the Owner is always well informed and provides the opportunity to consistently meet expectations and provide great experiences.

EDUCATION

USCG (United States Coast Guard)
Master 200 Tons (2010)

RYA (Royal Yachting Association) Yacht
Master Off Shore 200 Tons (2012)

RYA (Royal Yachting Association) Sailing
Cruising Instructor certified (2010)

RYA (Royal Yachting Association) VHF
Radio & Diesel Engine certified (2010)

CPR/FIRST AID/AED/Life Guard &
Swimming Instructor certified (Red
Cross) (2016)

University, Atlanta,
Georgia / B.B.A. in Management (1996)

University, Atlanta,
Georgia / ESL Certification (English
Second Language) (1994)

M/Y [REDACTED] | 85' Princess

CAPTAIN | Feb 2023 - Sep 2023 | Bahamas/Ft. Lauderdale, FL/East Coast USA

- * Captain for busy family program that cruised Exumas for multiple months and made trips to Staniel Cay, Cat Island, Compass, Highborn, Norman, Robert's, and Hawksbill islands
- * Worked alongside Mate/Chef and Steward to host 4-6 guests
- * Utilized VOLY financial management software for expense tracking, accounting, and reporting
- * Oversaw operations for 36' Boston Whaler, 27' Master Craft for watersports, fishing, and toys onboard including foil electric board, surfing, water skate, tubing, paddle boards
- * Safely delivered vessel from Ft. Lauderdale to Nassau, Bahamas/Bay Street Marina
- * Summer 2023 itinerary included Nantucket, Newport, Martha's Vineyard, Sag Harbor, and Block Island followed by several months in Mountak
- * Vessel owners were very satisfied with the first class service and experiences but ultimately placed the vessel up for sale

M/Y [REDACTED] | 88' Sirena | Charter/Private

CAPTAIN | Dec 2022 - Jan 2023 | Bahamas/Turks & Caicos/Dominican Republic/PR/USVI/
Florida Keys/East & West Coast USA

- * Captain for 4 crew vessel with Owners from Los Angeles, CA
- * In charge of recruiting, management, and accounting
- * Handled all vessel operations/logistics and watersports
- * Oversaw shipyard repairs and worked side by side with yacht builder to bring vessel to prime conditions utilizing the warranty

M/Y [REDACTED] | 80' Horizon

CAPTAIN | May 2022 - Dec 2022 | Palm Beach/Riviera Beach/Sail Fish Marina

- * Took vessel to Cape Cod in 10 days and remained for summer season
- * Navigated all areas including Martha's Vineyard, Newport, and Nantucket as well as Boston Harbour via the Cape Cod Channel and Falmouth, MA
- * Worked alongside Mate to oversee all aspects of operations
- * Communicated directly with Owner on a daily basis to bring vessel up to standards and ensure all systems were working properly
- * Received excellent feedback from Owner and guests regarding professionalism and first class service onboard

M/Y [REDACTED] | 124' Lloyds

CAPTAIN | Feb - May 2022 | East/West Coast/Keys/Bahamas/NY/New England

- * Full time Captain responsible for overall vessel operations and management of 124' Lloyds as well as 70' Sail Boat, including customs and immigration
- * Provided guest concierge services including travel arrangements, shipping and receiving, shore tours/excursions, and business communications
- * Completed engineering duties, oil changes, fueling, and minor repairs
- * Prepared and submitted budget and expenses to Owner including payroll, dockage, fuel, supplies, repairs, and maintenance
- * Screened, hired, and directed crew members in daily work lists

M/Y [REDACTED] | 68' Princess

CAPTAIN | Mar 2018-Jan 2022 | East Coast USA/Florida/Bahamas

- * Full time Captain for busy family program with frequent trips every season up to 3 weeks for up to 6 guests and 2-3 children, many back to back schedules
- * Very active watersports program including waterskiing, knee boarding, tubing, snorkeling, and shore excursions
- * Hands on Captain responsible for all aspects of yacht maintenance as well as all engineering duties, including oil changes, maintenance and minor repairs, fuel, maintenance, guest services, and overall operations of the vessel
- * Managed all preparations for voyage preparations including passage and route planning, and provisioning
- * Made regular reports to Owner on expenses and repair projects
- * Created maintenance schedule for all equipment to ensure long running life, performance, and to have vessels always available for Owner's use

OTHER PREVIOUS POSITIONS (2013-2018) AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST



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