

# PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Highly experienced and safety-oriented professional captain with over 10 years in the maritime/fishing industry. Extensive experience commanding private yachts, high-end fishing vessels, and luxury charters in international/coastal waters and several deliveries to every island in the Bahamas and several trips to the northeast and back as far as Nantucket. Proven ability to lead crews, ensure vessel integrity, manage logistics, and deliver five-star experiences. Committed to operational excellence, compliance, and the highest standards of seamanship.

## **CERTIFICATIONS & QUALIFICATIONS**

USCG Master 100 GT

- Advanced Fire Fighting | GMDSS | ARPA | ECDIS | Medical First Aid | CPR
- Security Awareness with Designated Duties
- TWIC Card Holder

#### **CORE COMPETENCIES**

- Vessel Command & Navigation
- Crew Leadership & Training
- Charter Operations
- Regulatory Compliance
- Maintenance oversight
- Guest Relations & VIP Service
- Budgeting & Logistical Planning
- Safety & Emergency Procedures

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Captain – F/V 55' LOA Valhalla

Miami, FL | January 2016 – Present

- Commanded international voyages across the Caribbean, and U.S. East Coast.
- Oversaw full new build in 2023, coordinating contractors and budget.
- Ensured full compliance with flag state and port regulations.
- Maintained high guest satisfaction with personalized itineraries and seamless service.

Captain – M/Y (40' Charter Yacht) Miami, FL | Apr 2016 – current

- Conducted over 300 successful charters, catering to all types of clients.
- Developed safety protocols and conducted drills in accordance with ISM standards.
- Responsible for budgeting, provisioning, and charter accounting.
- Navigated through complex waters including the Bahamas and Florida Keys

Chief Officer/Relief Captain – M/Y (30M Expedition Vessel) Fort Lauderdale, FL - Nantucket, MA | Jun 2021 – current

- Supported coastal Atlantic expeditions including Florida all the way to Nantucket
- Stepped in as acting captain during extended missions and maintenance periods.
- Managed bridge operations, watchkeeping, and navigational planning.
- Participated in environmental compliance and scientific logistics coordination.

Several other vessels successfully operated consistently for several years for all of my clients include:

62' & 60' Viking, 55' Valhalla, 53' HCB Adios, 47' Freeman, 42' Freeman, 37' Freeman, 33' Freeman, over 8 different 43' Tiara LE's, 37' SeaVee, 45' Seahunter, 41' Regulator, 40' Fjord, 47' Intrepid, 40' Intrepid, 35' & 39' Contender, 36' Invincible, 40' Searay

### **EDUCATION**

Successfully completed 100T Masters course

Maritime Academy – Fort Lauderdale, FL | Graduated: 2016

# **ADDITIONAL DETAILS**

- Fluent in English and Portuguese/ conversational Spanish
- Experienced in electronic Navigation suites
- Available for rotation or part-time contract positions
- Clean background and references available upon request

