

Chief Mate at PYT in Durban – just about the best package in the world

Are you ready to take the next step to being the Captain of your own vessel?

You've found the right place in the world for the best advanced training to further your megayacht career – at PYT in sub-tropical Durban, South Africa - the only venue in the southern hemisphere offering Chief Mate (Yachts) certificate of competency.

Our Chief Mate course is the best value in price and time efficiency plus you'll get the highest standards of maritime instruction anywhere for professional deck crew. Even better, you can save nearly \$2000 on a similar package in the Med or US! More than enough to take in some of South Africa's outstanding tourist attractions.

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To qualify for this certificate a candidate needs to hold the following:

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| i) | OOW(Y) Certificate of Competency | |
| ii) | MCA approved Yachtmaster Ocean Certificate of Competency | 5 days |
| iii) | Advanced Fire Fighting in terms of STCW Code A-V1/3 | 3 days |
| iv) | Medical First Aid in terms of STCW Code A-V1/4-1 | 3 days |

PYT is either accredited or holds accreditation through its affiliates for the above courses. A two week period is all that is required for these shore based modules. Once a candidate holds the necessary documentation, application can be made to the MCA for the issue of the Chief Mate's certificate.

A two week break in Durban, some intensive instruction and exposure to summery South Africa will complete your next step along the your path to Captain. It's hard to beat PYT in Durban, South Africa, for your Chief Mate when you take into account the total cost, the quality of training, the venue and a trip to one of the world's best tourist destinations.

Show the initiative and willingness to learn and we will reciprocate. You'll get the benefit of our experience, knowledge and skills, ensuring you a rewarding education experience in ideal surroundings at our world class facilities in Durban, the Sunshine capital of South Africa.