




RTO 2534

FAST RESCUE CRAFT

This course provides participants with the knowledge and skill to safely operate a Fast Rescue Craft (FRC) and manage its crew during operation.

The course is designed for seafarers who require AMSA endorsement and for personnel who work on floating production storage/offloading units (FPSO) and/or floating storage offloading (FSO) vessels.

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| Location | Perth | | | | |
| Duration | 3 Days | | | | |
| Outcome | MARF034 Carry out fast rescue operations |  | OR | Table A VI/2-2 Proficiency in Fast Rescue Boats | STCW |

Structure and Assessment

This course is delivered through classroom presentations, group discussion and practical elements. Assessment is carried out via written assessment, direct observations & practical exercises including the operation of a Fast Rescue Craft.

Revalidation

It is an AMSA requirement to successfully revalidate Fast Rescue Craft (STCW Reg V1.2) every 5 years.

Authority / Regulator

The Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA) is the national regulator for Nationally Recognised Training delivered by Australia's vocational education and training sector.

STCW training delivered in Australia is regulated by AMSA, which is Australia's national agency responsible for maritime safety.

Fast Rescue Craft – Nationally Recognised Training Course

Designed for personnel working on a floating production storage and offloading Unit (FPSO) or floating storage offloading (FSO) vessels.

Fast Rescue Craft – Standards of Training and Certification for Watchkeepers (STCW) Course

Designed for seafarers who need AMSA endorsement after completing the course.

If you are unsure which course/outcome is suitable for you, please contact ERGT for further information.

Course Enrolment Requirements and Learning Outcomes:

Trainees are required to submit the following evidence prior to the commencement of the Nationally Recognised Training course or the STCW Training course.

| | Fast Rescue Craft - Nationally Recognised Training Course | Fast Rescue Craft – STCW Course |
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| Training Standard Pre-requisites | There are no Training Standard Pre-Requisite requirement for participants undertaking the Nationally Recognised Training course. | Participants of the STCW course are required to provide evidence of the following pre-requisite: Proficiency in Survival Craft and rescue boats other than Fast Rescue Boats as per STCW Reg. VI/2-1 (endorsed by AMSA) |
| ERGT Required Skills and Knowledge | Participants of the Nationally Recognised Training course are required to provide evidence of the following: Sea Survival Training Standard Personal Survival Techniques STCW Reg. VI/1 and Code Section A-VI/1, Table A-VI/1-1; or equivalent (BOSIET, TBOSIET); and First Aid Standard Elementary First Aid STCW Reg. VI/1 and Code Section A-VI/1, Table A-VI/1-3; or HLTAID011 Provide First Aid or equivalent (BOSIET, TBOSIET) | Participants of the STCW course are required to provide evidence of the following: Certificate of Safety Training (CoST) (endorsed by AMSA) |
| Additional Requirements | A health questionnaire and declaration of fitness will be required at course registration. Please contact ERGT for any concerns regarding completion of practical training and assessment requirements and to discuss options for reasonable adjustments. Government issued photo identification is required for course registration. Please bring swimwear and towel for in water activities. | |
| Learning Outcomes | The Elements of Competency listed below describe the essential outcomes aligned to the industry performance expectations. MARF034 Carry out fast rescue operations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain fast rescue craft for operations Prepare fast rescue craft and crew for operations Take charge of fast rescue craft during and after launch Respond to emergencies or malfunctions involving craft, equipment and crew Locate and retrieve casualties Recover fast rescue craft | The STCW standard for competency for fast rescue boats (Table A VI/2-2) outcomes include the ability to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the construction, maintenance, repair and outfitting of fast rescue boats Take charge of the launching equipment and appliances as commonly fitted, during launch and recovery Take charge of a fast rescue boat, as commonly fitted, during launch and recovery Take charge of a fast rescue boat after launching Operate a fast rescue boat engine |
| Endorsement Requirements | Not applicable | To be issued with a Certificate in Fast Rescue Boats (FRB) by AMSA you must meet all the course requirements, lodge a formal application with AMSA using the Seafarer form 419 and pay the application fees. This fee is not covered by ERGT. Please refer to the AMSA website for further clarification on how to lodge a formal application. |