

TRAINING SHIP GOLDEN BEAR SUMMER SEA TERM 2025 CADET MEETING #1

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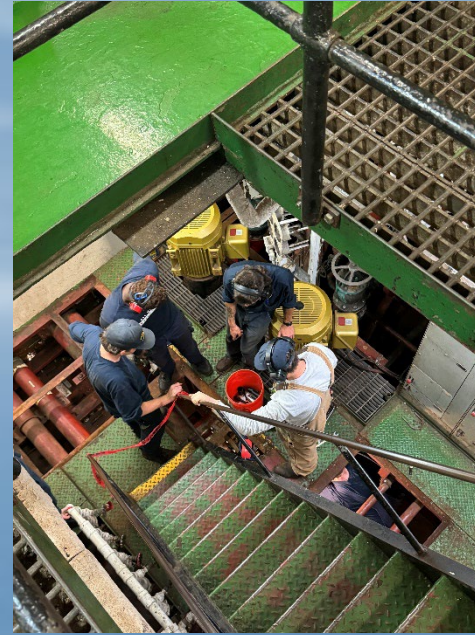
WELCOME TO CSU MARITIME ACADEMY



Congratulations on picking a unique and awesome school for your education

CSU Maritime Academy is unlike any other CSU and offers an exceptional education and experience

One of those experiences is Summer Sea Term!



SUMMER SEA TERM

- Each summer we embark on one training voyage – sea term
- We visit both international and US ports
- We bring anywhere from 250-305 cadets and 50-60 crew
- This is an opportunity for cadets to:
 - Earn sea time
 - Practice the technical skills you've learned throughout the academic year
 - Experience traveling internationally (fulfills graduation requirements)
 - Exercise leadership skills acquired from your responsibilities within the Corps of Cadets
- All hands work seven days a week – but we do our best to make it fun!

MEET THE TSGB CREW & SUMMER SEA TERM LEADERSHIP

Captain Samar Bannister – class of 2000

Chief Engineer Adam Kleitman – class of 2012

Director of CLD Jay Harcum

Chief Mate Doug Nagy – class of 1989

1st Engineer Neil McGhee

2nd Mate Jimmy Moore – class of 2010

2nd Engineer Dan Nichols – class of 2014

Bosun Anders Bland

Logistics Officer Kaitlyn Lipka

Purser Jessica Fowler



CAPTAIN BANNISTER'S 4 RULES FOR SUCCESS

We want to ensure that everyone has the amazing sea term experience they deserve!

To make this happen, the Captain has four rules that everyone must abide by:

- **COMMUNICATE**
- **DO THE JOB**
- **TREAT EVERYONE WITH RESPECT**
- **BE SAFE**



We are already preparing for sea term, both habitability and regulatory wise

What does this mean?

- **Maintenance and repair work**
- **Lots of paperwork**
- **And much more...**



GENERAL AWARENESS

Please come aboard and get familiarized with TSGB

When coming aboard, we ask that you:

bring your port pass, wear close-toed shoes, sign in and sign out

Remember one hand for you, one hand for the ship – use handrails when walking up and down stairs!

But most importantly...

When using the toilets on the ship:

**DO NOT FLUSH ANYTHING THAT HAS NOT COME
FROM YOUR BODY**

OR IS NOT PROVIDED TOILET PAPER 😊

No body wipes

No feminine products

No rags/paper towels

This ship is OLD and has sensitive plumbing. Please help us prevent major plumbing problems by following these guidelines.

CALLING ALL SENIORS 1/C

We (the ship's crew) are holding you all to a higher standard as this is your senior sea term

We will raise our expectations gradually throughout the academic year to prepare you to be leaders among your underclassmen

We will rely on you to set a good example for your peers – so please do your best!

SEA TERM REQUIREMENTS

Before you are cleared to move aboard, there are some tasks you must accomplish:

- ✓ **Pass your pre-requisite courses**
- ✓ **Earn your required credentials - Lifeboatman, Basic Safety Training (BST), Security Awareness or Vessel Personnel with Designated Security Duties (VPDSD)**
- ✓ **Furthermore, you must have proper credentials:**
 - 1) **Cal Maritime Port Pass**
 - 2) **Transportation Worker Identity Credential (TWIC)**
 - 3) **Passport**
 - * **MMC for upperclassmen**

You are required to have a valid, unexpired TWIC and Passport to sail

- **Passport cards are not allowed**
- **Passport books are required**
- If you do not have a TWIC or Passport yet – apply for them NOW
- If your Passport or TWIC are expiring before or during Summer Sea Term 2025, start the renewal process NOW

TWIC and Passport must be valid through August 2025 and you must have the physical document with you on cruise

We will start collecting copies of these documents in November 2024

PASSPORT AND TWIC RESOURCES:

TWIC:

<https://www.tsa.gov/twic>

In person location for TWIC **(UPDATED SEPT 2024)**

2475 12th St, Oakland, California

855-347-8371

Open weekdays: 8am – 10pm

PASSPORT:

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/passports.html>

BERTHING

You will have one locker and one drawer assigned to you to hold all of your belongings for your two-month sea term – pack wisely and be conscious of space

Bulky and flammable items are restricted per USCG CFR 116.423 – please leave your down comforters, fluffy rugs, and thick bedding at home

SCHEDULE

Tentative dates: May 5 - July 7 2025

We do not have our schedule or itinerary yet, but we are working hard to get it solidified and should have it ready soon

Nothing is guaranteed in life and schedules do change – especially in the maritime world

Thank you for your patience 😊

**THANK YOU
FOR YOUR TIME AND
COOPERATION!**

**We are excited to have
you all aboard for
SEA TERM 2025**

