

CURRICULUM VITAE

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In the past ten years I've logged around 95.000NM sailing around the world in different kinds of boats, absorbing technical, management, oceanic and multicultural knowledge.

Maritime Qualifications

- ✓ MCA/RYA Yachtmaster Ocean Commercial Endorsement
- ✓ MCA STCW 95 (updated Nov. 2016)
- ✓ GMDSS General Operators Course
- ✓ Proficiency in Medical Care
- ✓ RYA Diesel Engine Maintenance
- ✓ Dinghy sailing instructor Level 3, regatta judge and various certificates of sailing tactics and trimming ISAF
- ✓ Diver P1, Safety and Nitrox Course CMAS (under training for Advance PADI diver)

Working Experience

June to Oct. 18

SailZen Azores Charter

Bavaria 46C

Owner/Founder/Skipper. Cabin and private charter around the Azores for ten days sailing cruises. Together with my girlfriend we have run five successful charters around the Azores Islands where I have put on practise my know-how to provide high quality charter being successful and receiving extremely good feedback from the clients. As well, it was a good introduction for my girlfriend about cook/stew/deck along the way of a charter sailing boat.

April / May 18

SY Karibu

Oyster 885

Project Manager and handover to new Captain. Un-stepping mast for checks and refit, deck teak sanding, antifouling, hull polishing and thrusters serviced. Worked together with Mallorca Management, RSB, Marine Hydraulic Solutions, Pro-Rigging at STP Mallorca. Assemble everything followed by one-week handover to new captain, including sail trials.

Jan. / Feb. 18

SY Early Purple II

Southern Wind 93'

First Mate replacement. Service all mast, new paint, new mainsail track and replacement of wiring for instruments, lights and installation of new standing rigging, Navtec ROD, in Lorient, France.

Nov.16 to Oct. 17

SY Karibu

Oyster 885

Captain/engineer on a private Oyster 885/02 built in 2013. Started in Palma with a crew of 3 + 5 guests across the Atlantic in November to join Oyster World Rally 2017-19. Cruising the Caribbean the owners decided to abandon the rally. Sailed back for Mediterranean season, Balears, Greece, Italy, Cote d'Azur and then to Palma to winterise and hand-over the boat to Oyster for sale.

Dec.15 to Oct.16 **SY Lucy Z** **Sunreef 74'**

Captain/engineer of a private and charter brand new sailing catamaran. Crew of four following a busy itinerary sailing from Palma via Pisa to Tel Aviv in the winter followed by summer season in Sicily, Salento and chartering in Montenegro and Croatia. Reason for leaving: opportunity of captaincy of Karibu for the Oyster Round the World Rally.

October 15 **Club 103, Alan Roura** **Custom Class40**

Crew on a delivery from Lorient to Le Havre for Transat Jaques Vabre.

September 15 **SY Early Purple II** **Southern Wind 93'**

Crew on a **Atlantic Passage** from Newport, USA to Lorient, France

April 15 to August 15 **G Adventures** **Various boats**

Freelance skipper and boat supervisor for G Adventures in Greece and Turkey on board Lagoon 400, Harmony 52, Cyclades 50.5 and brand new Bavaria 51. Going around all the boats to check their condition, organise reports and job lists.

Feb / March 15 **MS Hortense** **Michel Joubert 90'Ketch**

Watch Leader on a **Pacific Passage** from La Paz, México to Nuku Hiva in the Marqueses, French Polynesia

March 14 to Dec. 14 **SY Early Purple II** **Southern Wind 93'**

First Mate sailing from New Zealand to New Caledonia, Australia, private cruising in Indonesia over two months and then delivery to South Africa via Cocos Keeling and La Reunion.

November / December 13 **MY Skylark** **Sunreef Power Cat 70'**

Crew for **Atlantic Passage** from Les Roses, Spain, to Antigua via Barcelona, Gibraltar, Lanzarote and Las Palmas due to technical issues and re-fuel. The boat is equipped with ultimate technology.

April 13 to October 13 **G Adventures** **Bavaria 50'**

Skipper for full season sailing around the Cyclades Islands, Greece. Ten days cabin charter with up to eight guests keeping all time the same boat. (Check Reference)

Oct 11 to Dec 2012 **SY Early Purple II** **Southern Wind 93'**

First Mate and project manager on a seven months refit before circumnavigation and then sailed from France to the Azores, Canaries, Cape Verde and Brazil while chartering

June 11 **SY Early Purple II** **Southern Wind 93'**

Freelance delivery and race crew from Marseille to Sardinia to join Loro Piana Super Yacht Regatta and afterwards delivery to Antibes.

April / May 11 **SY Lupa of London** **Baltic 80'**

Crew on a **Atlantic Passage** from St. Marten to St. Tropez, via Azores.

Feb to April 11 **SY Early Purple II** **Southern Wind 93'**

Refit Manager in Genoa, Italy!

Nov 10 **MS Hortense** **Michel Joubert 90' Ketch**

Freelance Watch keeper on a **South Atlantic Passage** from Rio de Janeiro (Brazil) to Stanley (Falkland Islands).

Jun to Oct 10 **SY Early Purple** **Swan 64'**

First Mate on a Swan 64 doing some charter and private cruising around Ionian and Cyclades heading later to Turkey and sail back to France to sell the boat.

May 10 **MS Hortense** **Michel Joubert 90'Ketch**

Freelance Watch Keeper for **Atlantic crossing** from St. Martin to Lorient (France) via Horta (Azores).

April / May 10 **SY Toto** **Palmer & Johnson 108'**

Freelance Watch Leader for **Atlantic Passage** delivery from St. Martin to Las Palmas.

Nov / Dec 09 **MS Dolphin** **Abekin Rasmussen 92' Ketch**

Freelance Watch Leader for **Atlantic Passage** delivery from Palma Mallorca to Guadeloupe via Tenerife.

Feb to Nov09 **SY Calimar** **Abekin Rasmussen Maxi 80'**

First Mate Refit and three months private cruise around Baleares and Sardinia.

April to Oct 08 **SY Desirade** **Sangermani, Farr 92'**

Deckhand Private cruise around Mediterranean. Spain, Italy and Greece.

1999 to 2007 **Dinghy Sailing** **Optimist, 420, Laser Radial and Standard**

Azores Podium for seven years. Best result: 2nd of Portugal class Optimist in 1999.
As well as racing I was involved in sails, rig and fiberglass maintenance and repairs since childhood.

About me

Raised in the Azores Archipelago I have grown up fishing, dinghy sailing and practising a variety of water sports since a childhood.

Fair team leader, I do love cool dynamics and environments but straight and serious when on duty.

I am used to maintain boats under Super Yacht standards with all round experience. I start to have a good experience with all types of machinery, rigging, hydraulics, composite, painting, electronics and general management. I have run boats with in-mast furling, boom furling and traditional mainsails.

In the interior department, I can cook and know if the galley is running well, I have a good food stock management experience (shopping and storage) and I try my best to be always reasonable with the budget. Well aware of safety due to a experience that starts to talk by itself.

Hobbies are surfing, kite-surfing, my own 29ft classic sloop from 1948, diving, wakeboarding, snowboarding, music, video, photography and experiencing new challenges in interesting locations.

All reference letters and contacts available up on request.