RYA Training and the ICC

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Founded
1875

UK National Governing Body for boating

Not for profit organisation

Membership Organisation
Over 100,000 members
Recreational Boating in the UK

3 million participants per year (5% of population)

Estimated Total Economic Contribution £1.3billion

Light touch regulation:

No compulsory carriage of equipment vessels < 13.7m

No operators licence vessels < 24m
Practical Training Schemes.....

..........tailored for each discipline
Protecting your Rights, Promoting your Interests
Start your training with a course appropriate to your experience - you don't have to start at the beginning. Our recommended path through the courses is shown below.

Practical Skills Courses Afloat

Start Motor Cruising → Helmsman → Advanced Pilotage

Cruising Courses Afloat

Day Skipper → Coastal Skipper

Navigation Courses Ashore

Essential Navigation & Seamanship → Day Skipper → Coastal Skipper/Yachtmaster™ Offshore → Yachtmaster™ Ocean

Certificates of Competence

RYA Yachtmaster™ Coastal

RYA Yachtmaster™ Offshore

RYA Yachtmaster™ Ocean

Refer to the Certificates of Competence leaflet for details.
SHOREBASED COURSES

Navigation Courses
- Essential Navigation & Seamanship
- Day Skipper
- Coastal Skipper/Yachtmaster Offshore
- Yachtmaster Ocean

Specialist Courses
- Basic Sea Survival
- Diesel Engine
- Maritime Radio Short Range Certificate
- Offshore Safety
- First Aid
- Radar
- Professional Practices and Responsibilities
- CEVNI Test
- Safe and Fun

ashore online
Training standards: Centre Recognition

All RYA Training MUST be delivered through a RYA Recognised Training Centre (RTC)
Recognised Training Centres meet standards set by RYA:

- Administration, policies, procedures and safety management
- Standard of training vessels and other training equipment
- RYA qualified instructors and named Chief Instructor
- Standard of tuition
- Student to Instructor Ratios
- Annual Inspections

500 centre inspectors
RYA Recognised Training Centres (RTCs) in 58 countries

2,500 RTCs
Training standards: Instructor Training

- Instructor training courses
- Progression from basic to advanced instruction
- Specialist Instructor Trainers
- Supporting resources
Training standards: Ongoing development

- Instructor update courses
- Instructor Magazine
- Regional and National Conferences
- Web-based updates
International Certificate for Operators of Pleasure Craft
✓ Given a framework understandable for many chartering ‘overseas’
✓ Flexible enough to be embedded in existing schemes

χ Has slightly changed the student relationship/aspiration
χ Misleading media about universal mandatory acceptance of ICC by countries

........is proud to offer the first International Proficiency Certificate (IPC) ....... This certificate is mandatory when chartering in most European / Mediterranean waters ............
Any questions?