



**PORT OF
DOVER**

EMPOWER EXCHANGE



BERTHING MASTER & BOATYARD TECHNICIAN TRAINEE

Salary: £23k + benefits

**Do you want to make a difference at one of Europe's busiest
transport hubs?**



**Exchange ideas
& innovate**

We share our knowledge and experience. We encourage curiosity and challenge the boundaries of what's possible.



**Working
together**

We are one team, unified to deliver the best results.



**Empower
each other**

We trust, respect, and recognise each other.



**Look after everyone
& everything**

We are safe, secure and sustainable. We care about people's wellbeing, and are responsible custodians of assets



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About us

The Port of Dover is Europe's busiest ferry port, handling 33% of UK-EU trade, worth £144bn per annum. Each year more than 2 million freight vehicles, 2 million tourist vehicles and 10 million passengers pass through the Port. We also welcome more than 120 cruise ships, 150 cargo vessels and 4,000 leisure craft in our marina each year. But we're not just about trade and transport.

We have a vibrant and growing property portfolio and are transforming the waterfront with new amenities and activities that are making Dover a great place to live, work and enjoy under the famous White Cliffs.

Providing the infrastructure to support this diverse and busy 24/7 operation requires a dedicated team of people working in a diverse range of roles. We are committed to developing the skills and industry knowledge of our employees to enhance performance and support the achievement of our business objectives.

Job summary

This role entails the hauling out of leisure and commercial vessels, you will be trained in all aspects of boatyard plant to include lifting vessels using the boat hoist, moving of vessels in yard with a tractor and boat mover trailer and forklift operations.

You will also be required to undertake maintenance and repair work within the marina confines. This position will also require you to will undertake waterborne duties using the marina workboat on completion of a power boat level 2 qualification.

This role also incorporates the training of duties in the Marina office including use of the Bascule bridge and lock operations and communicating with customers on a daily basis in a professional and courteous manner.

Skills and Qualifications

- GCSE or equivalent in Maths and English 'Grade 4' or above
- Good oral and written communication skills
- Conversant in Microsoft Office to include Word and Excel
- Be able to work outside in all weathers
- Be able to work at heights
- Full UK driving licence

Desirable Skills and Qualifications

- Forklift/telehandler licence
- Previous experience of working within a Customer Service environment
- Knowledge of the Port's activities
- Interest in, or experience in sailing/Marina's
- Ability to swim

Benefits

- Be part of a fantastic team
- Exciting place to work
- 25 days annual leave (plus bank holidays)
- Generous contributory pension scheme
- Discretionary bonus scheme
- Private Health Care
- Life assurance
- Employee assistance programme
- 3rd party discounts
- Cycle to work scheme
- Benefits and discount platform
- Employee volunteering programme