

CRANE OPERATOR & RIGGING SAFETY

for crane operators, direct supervisors and operator trainees

Dates: Thursday and Friday, February 13-14, 2020

Time: 8:30 am – 4:00 pm (class will start at 8:30 am each morning, and may end earlier than 4 pm depending

on the needs of the class participants)

Location: Portland Yacht Services • 100 West Commercial Street • Portland, ME

Crane Operator & Rigging Safety Course Description: Geared towards the crane operator and instilling a better understanding of safe practices in rigging and hoisting this class will cover the following topics:

- Overview of Crane Operations
 - o 29CFR1910.179
- Load Capacities & Chart Interpretations/Reading
- Crane Accident Causes & Control
- Safe Rigging Practices & Applications
 - o 29CFR1910.184
- Rigging Accidents & Control
- Inspection Practices for Cranes and Hoisting Gear
- Crane Safety Test
- Below the Hook Rigging Test

Instruction will include hand out materials, films, workshops, Power Point. Ample time has been allotted for Q&A as well as breaks. Morning coffee and lunch will be provided each day. Participants **must** bring a calculator to class as it will be necessary for the successful completion of the classwork. Participants who successfully complete the Crane Safety and Rigging Safety tests will be awarded a Certificate of Completion.

Who Should Attend: This class is intended for your company's designated crane operator. You may also want to send the operator's direct supervisor. The class would also be beneficial for someone in your company who is currently training to become a designated operator. The class will NOT provide instruction in how to operate your crane and will assume, at the very least, a basic understanding of crane operation and rigging.

SEATING IS LIMITED – PLEASE REGISTER EARLY

Registration Deadline is Friday, February 7

Fee: Cost per person (for MMTA members) is \$375.00* for both days (incl. handout materials, morning coffee and lunch for each day) **Participants must bring their own pocket calculator**. *Discount available for payment by check; reduce price to \$360.00 per person.

About the Instructor:

Bob Burdick is a Professional Safety Consulting and Trainer with 28 years of experience as an Occupational Health & Safety professional in the General Industry and Construction field. He is retired from his role as a safety officer for FEMA MATF-1 in Massachusetts. He is certified NCCO crane instructor and a Master Rigger instructor. Bob is an active member of the safety industry serving as Chair for the National Safety Council Conference Committee for Maine, Chair for the MESHE (Maine Employers for Safety and Health Excellent), member of SHARP and SHAPE with The Maine Department of Labor and actively involved with OSHA.

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MMTA Course Registration Form

Company Name:
Contact Name:
Contact Phone: E-mail:
Do you need directions to the training venue?
Course Requested: CRANE OPERATOR & RIGGING SAFETY February 13-14 Portland Yacht Services Portland
Name(s) of Participant(s): Please type or print clearly, names as they should appear on the certificate
Tuition Amount: \$375.00* (MMTA members) X No. of Participants =
To pay by credit card, please email stacey@mainemarinetrades.com for your online invoice.
*To pay by check, please complete this form and return it with your discounted payment of \$360 per person.

Due to LIMITED SEATING this will be a 'members only' class - Please register early!

PLEASE NOTE: Please provide all requested information. Payment in full will secure your registration(s). E-mail confirmation will be sent upon receipt of completed form and payment. Please make checks payable to and mail to:

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