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EDUCATION

Diploma in Shipwright Carpentry

Marine Trades School, United States, Portland, ME 2009 - 2012

Maritime Safety Certification

Issued by: American Maritime Safety Association, Date: January 2023

Advanced Shipwright Techniques Certification

Issued by: New England Shipbuilding Institute, Date: June 2020

SKILLS

- Traditional Shipbuilding Techniques
- Wood Selection and Preservation
- Maritime Safety Standards
- Precision Craftsmanship
- Project Management
- Tool Maintenance

EARL COLLARD

SHIPWRIGHT CARPENTER

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Experienced Shipwright Carpenter with over 12 years in shipbuilding and repair, specializing in wooden vessel construction and restoration. Proven expertise in traditional shipwright techniques, wood selection, and detailed craftsmanship. Adept at managing projects from conception through completion, ensuring adherence to maritime standards and client specifications.

EXPERIENCE

• March 2020 - September 2024

Senior Shipwright Carpenter

Portland Shipyard Inc. / United States, ME

- Led a team of 10 shipwrights in constructing and refurbishing wooden vessels, including sailboats, yachts, and historical ships.
- Oversaw the installation of structural components, including frames, ribs, and planks, while adhering to maritime safety and quality standards.
- Conducted thorough inspections and assessments of vessels under repair, diagnosing issues and implementing effective solutions.
- Collaborated with marine architects and engineers to modify designs and incorporate custom features based on client requirements.
- June 2013 February 2020

Shipwright Carpenter

New England Maritime Co. / United States, Bath, ME

- Performed detailed carpentry work on various shipbuilding projects, including hull construction, deck installations, and interior fittings.
- Executed precise joinery and woodwork, utilizing hand tools and modern equipment to achieve high standards of craftsmanship.
- Assisted in the restoration of historical wooden ships, including the replacement of rotting timbers and repair of intricate carvings.
- August 2012 May 2013

Apprentice Shipwright

Coastal Shipwrights / United States, Portsmouth, NH

- Engaged in routine maintenance and repair tasks, including sanding, painting, and varnishing wooden surfaces.
- Developed skills in wood selection, cutting, and shaping, contributing to the overall quality of finished vessels.