

Captain Philip McCarter – British Columbia Institute of Technology (Retired)

Philip McCarter has 35-plus years' experience working in many different facets of the shipping industry. His past roles have spanned government (Canadian Coast Guard), academia (The Marine Institute of Memorial University), maritime simulation (Virtual Marine), commercial (Canship Umland Ltd. & Oceanex) and domestic shipping (BC Ferries). He very recently retired as the Associate Dean of the BCIT Marine Campus and held that position for the last seven years. Philip has a Canadian Master Mariner's CoC, graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Marine Zoology in 1980 from the University of British Columbia, a Bachelor's Degree in Vocational Education from Memorial University, and a Master's in Maritime Law from Cardiff University. He completed two progression seminars towards a PhD in Maritime Affairs at the World Maritime University. He has worked on icebreakers, cable ships, buoy tenders, tankers, container vessels, bulk carriers and search and rescue cutters/OSV's