### The Warsash Association



### CALLING ALL OFFICER CADETS AND EX-CADETS OF THE



# AND ITS PREDECESSOR ESTABLISHMENTS SINCE THE SCHOOL OF NAVIGATION WAS FOUNDED IN 1935, ALSO SENIOR STUDENTS, LECTURERS AND MEMBERS OF STAFF.

You are eligible to join an expanding and exclusive worldwide Association which keeps mariners and ex-mariners in touch with their peer groups throughout their service in the maritime industry.

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Discover what they are doing now, where their careers have taken them, identify common professional and/or business interests.













TO FIND OUT MORE OR TO APPLY TO JOIN THE WARSASH ASSOCIATION VISIT OUR WEBSITE

www.warsashassociation.net

You can also complete the application for overleaf and eMail to: wamemsec@warsashassociation.net

#### ABOUT THE WARSASH ASSOCIATION

Warsash Association members are current and ex-Officer Cadets, senior students and staff of today's Warsash Maritime School, an integral part of the Solent University, as well as its predecessor establishments including the School of Navigation and the Warsash Maritime Academy. We enjoy an excellent relationship with the Warsash Maritime School.

There is no charge for Officer Cadets to join until they have passed their Certificate of Competency.

The Association was formed in 1984 and the membership has more than doubled in size to 530 members worldwide since 2009. We have Branches in Australia, New Zealand and North America (USA & Canada combined) and members in about 12 countries. It is run by an Executive Committee in the UK and three Branch committees.

Annual events are held in the UK and by our three overseas Branches. These include golf tournaments, two and three-day social events in different locations (generally a port), and in the UK a Remembrance Ceremony and a Christmas Lunch. In addition, local Groups formed anywhere in the world arrange their own informal gatherings from time to time. The Present COVID-19 Crisis has caused variations to our events.

WA officers attend the Warsash Maritime School Passing-out Ceremonies in the UK where we present annual awards to Officer Cadets.

A large proportion of our members are ex-cadets from the 1940 - 1971 era but nowadays most new joiners were at Warsash from the 1970s to the present day. This includes about 50 members who were Officer Cadets since 2012.

The UK membership fee is a modest £15 per year which includes our All Hands journal (members are encouraged to use an electronic version), with comparable fees in our overseas Branches. All recent and most old journal editions since 1949 can be downloaded by members from our website.

Our expanding Warsash Association's Facebook Group currently has about 245 members https://www.facebook.com/groups/warsashassociation/

You can view the Association's website at <a href="https://www.warsashassociation.net">https://www.warsashassociation.net</a>. If you would like to join you can apply using the link in the top right corner of the home page (or if reading electronically use this link >> Membership application). Our Membership Secretary will be pleased to respond.

The website Gallery contains over 4,400 photos including Passing-out (graduation) photos and hundreds of historical pictures from the initial years of the School of Navigation to the present day.

Alumni search functions enable members to locate anyone on our database which comprises more than 4,300 current and ex-Warsash names.

We look forward to hearing from you.