

## Captain – Brian Skally

Irish

Interests:

Photography, Mountain biking, Scuba diving.



Brian brings the CORAL OCEAN program a wealth of knowledge and experience in both the Mediterranean and Caribbean along with a professional attitude and meticulous eye for detail. With an easy going leadership style and over 13 years professional yachting experience Brian will help to get the best out of any situation and ensure a wonderful experience for you and your guests.

## Chief Officer (on rotation) – Philippus Coetzee

South African

Interests:

Woodwork, Hiking, Snorkelling, Sailing



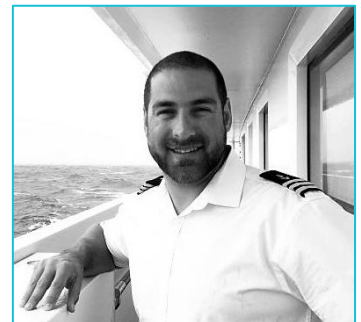
Philip grew up on a farm in the north west corner of South Africa. He started his career on Sailing yachts at the early age of 20. After his early years of sailing he moved on to the larger motor yachts. Philip began as deckhand and has gradually moved his way up the ladder to become a Chief Officer. For the last 5 years he has been working on charter yachts as Chief officer and will be doing his Master ticket this upcoming winter. He brings a great deal of experience to the table and is a good all round leader.

## Chief Officer (on rotation) – Grant Gold

South African

Interests:

Golf, Squash, Rugby, Cricket, Finding Solutions



At the age of 7, Grant spent 5 years living on a 40ft sailboat with his family sailing around the world. He grew up in the Caribbean, racing and cruising before moving to New Orleans to study Naval Architecture & Marine Engineering. Grant decided he missed being on the water, so he started his career in the superyacht industry. He has worked for 14 years on a number of prominent motor yachts, and holds his Master 3000grt Captains license. Grant is very experienced, with a warm glowing personality, he is always ready to help out wherever he can.

## Chief Stewardess – Rebecca Cape

### British

#### Interests:

Interior design, Irish dancing.



Rebecca grew up in the small seafaring town of South Shields in the northeast of England. Her career in hospitality began at a young age in fine dining restaurants and later as a flight attendant, operating flights across Europe. She has since studied Superyacht and Maritime Operations to pursue a career in yachting. With a passion for travel and for providing the highest levels of service, Rebecca looks forward to welcoming you on board CORAL OCEAN.

## Second Stewardess – Georgina Brazier

### South African

#### Interests:

Travelling, Watersports, Skiing,  
Cooking, Reading



Georgina was born and raised in the beautiful town of Kloof, near Durban, South Africa. After school, she completed an undergraduate degree at the university of Stellenbosch and a postgraduate degree in marketing at the University of Cape Town before beginning her yachting career. Her love of travel and adventure led her to the exciting world of yachts.

## Stewardess - Nicolene Els

### South African

#### Interests:

Dancing, Yoga, Hiking, Fashion



Nicolene grew up in the beautiful Cape Town in South Africa. She studied BSc Food Science at the University of Stellenbosch, before discovering the intriguing yachting industry. Her passion for traveling, exploring new places and cultures and hospitality made her fall in love with the industry

## Stewardess - Kim Reilly

### South African

#### Interests:

Stand Up Paddling, Surfing, Hiking,  
Yoga, Watersports, Traveling.



Kim was lucky enough to grow up in the beautiful, sunny South Africa. After she finished school, she studied Business at Stellenbosch University where she completed her degree, and then went to further her studies and completed her postgraduate diploma in entrepreneurship at the University of Cape Town. Kim lives for adventure and travel, and since finishing her studies she went on to do a ski season in Colorado, America, followed by a few years teaching English in Vietnam. Kim's passion for the ocean and travel has brought her into the wonderful world of yachting.

## Stewardess - Emily Nielsen

### British

#### Interests:

Scuba Diving, Running, Exploring.



Emily grew up in the glorious countryside of Kent, UK. Having spent several years working within a land-based service industry Emily decided to take her knowledge to the sea, following in her sisters footsteps. When she isn't busy on board, Emily loves to explore the surrounding areas.

## Masseuse - TBC



## Laundryman – Ryard Cahanap

Filipino

Interests:

Basketball, Tennis, Volleyball



Ryard was born on the small island of Bohol in the Philippines. He earned a bachelor of science degree in Marine Transportation and worked on cruise ships, travelling globally, before entering the yachting industry in 2007. He is an excellent seafarer and an ever smiling member of the crew in addition to providing a top class laundry service to our guests.

## Chef - Rob Cartledge

Tasmanian

Interests:

Photography, Hiking, Scuba Diving and Reading



Rob is a Tasmanian born chef who has honed his skill over the years working in various restaurants and yachts around the world. His inspirations are from multiple cultures which shows in the vibrant meals. He thrives on sourcing local ingredients and creating dishes from the finest products he can find in the markets. When Rob isn't slicing and dicing, he's usually focusing on one of his other passions which is landscape photography.

## Sous Chef – Frederic Tsjoen

French

Interests:

Athletics, Motor sports, Jazz music



Born in France, and trained in the classical French culinary tradition, Frederic has spent the last number of years living in Britain and working on some of the finest superyachts. He has over 19 years of professional experience in both restaurants and on yachts. When he is not busy in the galley Frederic can be found exploring the local markets or running in the mountains.

## Chief Engineer (on rotation) – Steve Austin

British

Interests:

Football, Running, Golf, Fishing



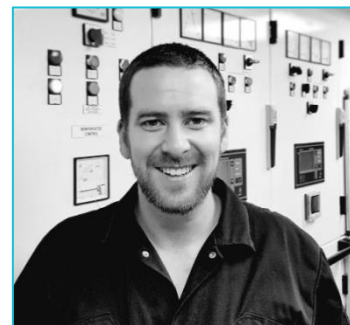
Steve, originally from Birmingham, spent 29 years in the Royal Navy achieving the rank of Warrant Officer serving on board nuclear submarines, before joining the superyacht industry over five years ago. He possesses sound technical knowledge and organisational skills, bringing a wealth of knowledge and experience to the engineering team.

## Chief Engineer (on rotation) - Martin Mclellan

British

Interests:

Scuba Diving, hiking and wildlife



Martin grew up on the west coast of Scotland. In pursuit of sunnier climes, Martin joined the Merchant Navy and completed his Engineering officer cadetship in 2006. Since then Martin has worked in many different sectors of the marine industry and is thoroughly enjoying his role as Chief Engineer on board CORAL OCEAN.

## Second Engineer (on rotation) – Mark Baptiste

British

Interests:

Running, Rugby, Motorbikes



Mark grew up in Watford before joining the Royal Navy, serving on nuclear submarines alongside our Chief Engineer Steve. He has worked on yachts since leaving the navy and brings both experience and a great sense of humour to the engineering team.

## Second Engineer (on rotation) - Martin Slaven

British

Interests:

Travel, weight training, reading and astronomy.



Growing up on an Island on the west coast of Scotland, Martin has always been interested in the sea and the maritime industry. Martin has worked around the world on a variety of different vessels and has recently achieved Second Engineer Unlimited certification. Joining CORAL OCEAN during the refit period, Martin has thoroughly enjoyed the new challenges presented within the Yachting industry and applying his experience from other vessels in a new environment. Martin enjoys problem solving and has a keen eye for detail.

## ETO (on rotation) – Alexander Bentley

South African

Interests:

Travelling, Wildlife, Golf, Scuba diving,  
Trail running



Alex was born on a farm in Cape Town, South Africa where he grew up and went to school. He studied Electrical Engineering and a postgraduate degree in Biomedical Engineering at the University of Cape Town. He then spent 4 years working for Unilever as a Project Engineer before deciding to pursue a career in yachting. Alex loves travelling, adventure and exploring different parts of the world. He has a passion for wildlife and is a qualified African Safari Guide which he practices in his spare time.

## ETO (on rotation) - Glenn Rogers

British

Interests:

Photography, fitness, yoga and scuba diving.



Originally from Hertfordshire in the UK, Glenn is a highly experienced and pragmatic Engineer with over 12 years of experience in electrical/avionic engineering. Glenn served in the Royal Air Force as an Aircraft Electrical and Avionics Engineer for 9 years before pursuing a career in the yachting industry. He enjoys photography, keeping fit and regularly practices yoga. Glenn is also a keen scuba diver and is a qualified Dive Leader with the British Sub Aqua Club.



## Second Officer – Ross Dunbar

### South African

#### Interests:

Kite surfing, Watersports



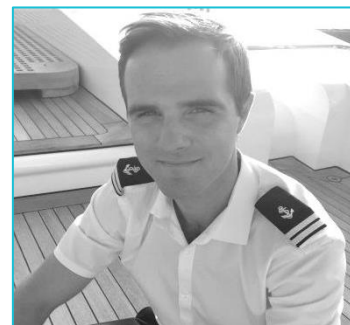
Ross grew up in the small coastal town of Knysna, South Africa where he developed a passion for the marine world. Having completed a business degree at Stellenbosch, Ross joined a superyacht in Tahiti and was quickly hooked on the industry. He is a passionate kite surfer and water sports enthusiast and looks after all the guest's water sports activities.

## Bosun – James Taylor Coe

### British

#### Interests:

Kite surfing, Watersports



Born in Leicester, England, James began his sailing career on the south coast of the UK before pursuing a full time career in yachting. He is currently working toward his Officer qualifications. A talented amateur boxer, James completed nationally earning himself the nickname “Punch” before focusing on his yachting career.

## Deckhand - Mary Jo Langhein

### South African

#### Interests:

Sports, Hiking, Traveling



Mary-Jo grew up in a small town in the Eastern Cape of South Africa. She stumbled across the yachting industry after school and was instantly hooked on the travel and meeting new, exciting people. After her first season as deckhand/stewardess, she knew she was more suited to the exterior and enjoys keeping an eye on the boys.

## Deckhand – Richard Ford Moore

### British

#### Interests:

Swimming, Running, Fishing, Dinghy sailing



Richard grew up in the Isle of Wight where he developed a passion for sailing and watersports. Having completed his sailing qualifications Richard decided to move to motor vessels and pursue a full time career. He hope to one day become the captain of large yacht.

## Deckhand – Jay Salabas

### Filipino

#### Interests:

Scuba diving, Watersports



Jay joined the yachting industry following a 6 year period in the Merchant Navy and has many years' experience yachting in both the Mediterranean and Caribbean. He worked as a dive instruction in the South Pacific before joining CORAL OCEAN and has a passion for scuba diving and the marine world.

## Deckhand – Shaun Derry

### Zimbabwean

#### Interests:

Swimming, Music, Sailing



Having grown up on a farm in Harare, Zimbabwe, Shaun has always been the outdoors type. A keen sailor, he completed a range of sailing qualifications before joining super yachts and one day hopes to captain a vessel of his own. He is a keen water sports enthusiast.