



**Southampton
Solent
University**

Maritime

Undergraduate courses 2026



Best university in Hampshire for learning opportunities, teaching, assessment and feedback, and academic support (NSS 2025).



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The maritime industry is the backbone of international commerce, with shipping responsible for approximately 90% of all global trade. Whether you're interested in a role at sea or more focused on shoreside opportunities, there's scope for a huge range of rewarding roles and careers across maritime business, shipping, education and naval architecture.

Hugely respected in the industry, our programmes and courses at Solent cover subjects as diverse as

marine underwriting and maritime law; shipping and port management; deck (navigation), engineering and electro-technical officer cadetship programmes; maritime education and training; and yacht design.

With 80 years serving the maritime industry, our Warsash Maritime School is known the world over and enjoys the active support and engagement of alumni from and working in more than 70 nations.

Course list	UCAS tariff points	Includes sea time	URL and UCAS code
BEng (Hons) Marine Electrical and Electronic Engineering	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/BEngMETO
FdEng Marine Electrical and Electronic Engineering	54	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/FdEngMETO
HND Marine Electrical and Electronic Engineering	See website	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/HNDMETO
BEng (Hons) Marine Engineering	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/BEngMarineEng
FdEng Marine Engineering	54	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/MarineEng
HND Marine Engineering	See website	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/HNDMarineEng
BSc (Hons) Marine Engineering (Top-up)	See website	–	www.solent.ac.uk/MarineEngTU
BSc (Hons) Maritime Business**	104-120	–	www.solent.ac.uk/N900
BSc (Hons) Maritime Management (Top-up)	See website	–	www.solent.ac.uk/NN20
BSc (Hons) Nautical Science	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/BScNautSci
FdSc Nautical Science	54	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/NautSci
HND Nautical Science	See website	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/HNDNautSci
BSc (Hons) Nautical Science (Top-up)	See website	–	www.solent.ac.uk/NautSciTU
BSc (Hons) Shipping and Port Management**	104-120	–	www.solent.ac.uk/3GAL
BEng (Hons) Yacht and Powercraft Design*	104-120	–	www.solent.ac.uk/H522
BEng (Hons) Yacht Design and Production*	104-120	–	www.solent.ac.uk/21B6

*Foundation year available ** Foundation and part time study available

Specialist facilities and equipment

State-of-the-art facilities such as our high-tech maritime simulation centre provide hands-on practical experience for students, supported by a team of dedicated technical instructors with industry experience to advise on the latest equipment and techniques.

Our world-class simulation centre, utilised by professional seafarers and industry, offers:

- State-of-the-art networked full-mission navigational bridge simulators.
- On- and off-shore crane and tug simulators.
- Electronic Chart Display and Information Systems (ECDIS) suites.
- Vessel traffic management and GMDSS radio communications.
- Full-mission engine and high voltage simulators.

We also have:

- A dedicated ship handling centre at Timsbury Lake.
- Survival craft facilities, including lifeboats, fast rescue boats, RIBs and lifting equipment.
- A purpose-built fire training facility with a two-storey steel ship/offshore unit.
- A new Bloomberg business suite, providing real-time financial information.



Take a virtual tour of our state-of-the-art facilities – visit explore.solent.ac.uk

Why Solent

- We run one of the world's top maritime training centres, with 80 years' experience of delivering internationally recognised education and training to the maritime industry.
- Working alumni and strong connections throughout the maritime world, providing networking and employment opportunities.
- Home to cutting-edge maritime research into digitalisation, autonomy and decarbonisation.
- Solent University is part of a national research partnership that has been awarded £21.3 million to decarbonise the UK maritime sector.
- Our annual programme of maritime events develops professional connections, bringing students, Solent alumni and senior professionals from the industry together to share early career experiences, discuss industry developments, build employability, and more.





Southampton is a city that revolves around its students. And the location and history of Southampton city helps in adding value to studying maritime. The international culture and the University's location at the heart of the city give you the best of both worlds."

Atef Abou Merhi, Co-founder and Managing Director, Pelagic Partners
BSc (Hons) Shipping and Port Management



I was the first and the youngest person in my cohort to qualify and [this] would not have been possible without... the incredibly skilled, patient and driven people that helped me every step of the way."

Tom Welch, HND Engineer officer cadet, sponsored by Carnival UK (Cunard and P&O Cruises)



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How to apply

For information and advice on how to apply to Solent, find your course at www.solent.ac.uk/courses and visit the 'How to apply' section.

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