

USQC Maritime Industry Profile



Maritime Excellence

**Comprehensive Maritime Safety & Quality Management
Solutions**

Maritime Industry Expertise

Maritime Leadership

USQC has been serving the maritime industry for over 60 years, providing specialized safety management systems, port state control compliance, and vessel certification services for shipping companies, ports, and offshore operations worldwide.

Safety Excellence

Our maritime experts help organizations implement robust safety management systems, ensure regulatory compliance, and maintain the highest standards of maritime safety and environmental protection in accordance with international conventions.

Maritime Certifications & Standards



IMO Conventions

- **ISM Code** - International Safety Management
- **ISPS Code** - International Ship & Port Facility Security
- **SOLAS** - Safety of Life at Sea
- **MARPOL** - Marine Pollution Prevention



Port & Terminal Standards

- **OHSAS 18001/ISO 45001** - Occupational Health & Safety
- **ISO 28000** - Supply Chain Security Management
- **ISO 14001** - Environmental Management
- **Port State Control** - Compliance & Inspections



Quality Management

- **ISO 9001:2015** - Quality Management Systems
- **MLC 2006** - Maritime Labour Convention
- **Flag State Inspections** - Compliance Auditing
- **Class Society Standards** - Technical Compliance



Security & Risk Management

- **C-TPAT** - Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism
- **AEO** - Authorized Economic Operator
- **ISO 31000** - Risk Management
- **Cyber Security** - Maritime Cyber Risk Management

Maritime Sectors We Serve



Shipping

Companies



Ports

& Terminals



Offshore

Operations



Shipyards

& Repair



Logistics

Providers



Marine

Services



Equipment

Suppliers



Maritime

Authorities

Maritime Training Programs



ISM Code Implementation

Safety Management System
Development & Auditing



ISPS Code Training

Port & Ship Security Officer
Certification



Port State Control

Inspection Preparation & Compliance
Training



Maritime Environmental

MARPOL Compliance & Environmental
Management

Maritime Benefits



Enhanced Safety

Reduced incidents and
improved crew safety



Regulatory Compliance

Avoid detentions and penalties



Operational Efficiency

Reduced downtime and costs

Case Study: Major Shipping Company Success



International Container Shipping Line

Challenge: A major container shipping company with 150+ vessels needed to upgrade their ISM Code implementation and achieve zero port state control detentions across their global fleet.

Solution: USQC provided comprehensive ISM Code gap analysis, safety management system redesign, crew training programs, and ongoing audit support across all vessels and shore-based operations.

Results: Achieved 100% ISM Code compliance within 12 months, reduced port state control detentions by 95%, improved safety performance by 60%, and saved \$2.5M annually in operational costs.

Operational Resilience in Unstable Regions

Specialized Training for High-Risk Areas

Geopolitical Risk Management

- Threat Assessment & Risk Analysis
- Crisis Management Protocols
- Emergency Response Planning
- Communication Systems in Crisis

Security Threat Response

- Missile Threat Protocols
- Cyber Attack Response
- Naval Blockade Procedures
- Piracy Prevention & Response

Maritime Regulatory Framework

International Organizations

- IMO (International Maritime Organization)
- ILO (International Labour Organization)
- IACS (International Association of Classification Societies)
- Paris MOU & Tokyo MOU

Flag State Requirements


- Flag State Inspections & Audits
- Certificate Issuance & Renewal
- Statutory Surveys & Compliance
- Casualty Investigation Support

Ready to Navigate Maritime Excellence?

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