

# JULIUS KAAS

**Operations Manager, Project/Company/Client Representative, Master no limitations Sr, DPO.**

## PROFILE

**Management**, Strong team leader and motivator on-board and offshore installations with the ability to make informed management decisions and contribute end-to-end project delivery.

**Functions**, lifetime Sea going professional and able to use mine extensive nautical experience in many maritime fields and services in various functions spanning Operations Manager, project/Client Representative, Port Capt., Surveyor, Cargo Superintendent, Master Sr, DPO

**Communication**, adept efficiently across multi-cultures and nationalities at all levels using multilingual fluency, English, Spanish, German, mother tongue Dutch

**Professional**, professional seaman and specialist in Navigation and Dynamic position operations on prestigious impressive vessels for complex offshore projects worldwide

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## EDUCATION

2007 MARITIME ACADEMY FOR MARITIME SCIENCES FOR FINAL FEEDING MASTER ALL SHIPS NO LIMITATIONS.

2003 MARITIME ACADEMY FOR MARITIME SCIENCES FOR FINAL FEEDING CHIEF OFFICER ALL SHIPS NO LIMITATIONS

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### **Company-Client Representative Jan De Nul (current)**

Overseeing 2\* HVDC, FO Cable installation CLV Leonardo Da Vinci, Prysmian

Overseeing 2\*HVDC, FO Cable beach-pull CLB Ulisse, Prysmian

**Operations Manager Alis-Global Marine Consultancy Dubai, UAE HQ May 2023-June 2024**  
**Head of department Rig-Move Masters/Marine Specialists/Inspectors.**

**Subsidiaries located across the world managing operations carefully to ensure a seamless flow of communication and coordination.**

**Our headquarters in Dubai serve a central hub for decision-making strategy and developments**

- Led the Marine Specialists, Rig Move Masters, Inspectors. Port Captains and Port Engineers a team of 40 consultants to provide exceptional and specialized services as an approved supplier for ARAMCO Oils Company in Saudi Arabia
- Give full support to mine team in performing duties, especially Rig-moves from Jack- Up barges and other Offshore units and vessel
- Overseeing Offshore project activities from major Offshore construction companies
- Oversaw all company activities to ensure smooth operations and high-quality service delivery
- Developed and implemented strategic initiatives to drive business developments and expand the clientele and markets in Gulf Coast countries
- Collaborated with major offshore Construction Companies identify

- opportunities for growth and capitalize on emerging market trends
- Ensured compliance with industry regulations and standards to maintain a strong reputation in the Marine Consultancy sector
- Overseeing and managing all activities in the departments in day-to-day operations
- Closely work with senior Management team members
- Monitoring and analyze operational performance from all departments and consultants
- Providing leadership and guidance to all departments and seeking for improvement area, s

**Project/Company/Client Representative, Consultant for various companies, TennaT, Vattenfall, RWE, ARATIS, Jan de Nul.**

- In depth knowledge of Employer specifications and requirements, the scope of Work, the relevant method statements, ITP, Risk Assessments as required
- Contract clauses related to the execution of the Work, and in the perimeter defined in the Project specific Job Description.
- Specific points of attention raised by the Project Team.
- Familiar and skilled to assist and represent the Employer or contractor in all construction Phases of the projects
- Coordinate vessel inspections, verify consistency and completeness of vessel compliance report and implementation of all corrective measures.
- Supervise vessel trials and pre-operation tests and specific vessel preparation.
- Verify readiness of the vessel and the equipment before starting any operations
- Assist shore base to establish the Employer or Contractor personnel rotation plan to cover the vessel or units' projects construction campaign.
- Participates to hazard assessments for any activity involving the vessel.
- Verify completeness and consistency of the dossier of all deliverables/documents/procedures applicable and required for the Work.
- Verify completeness and consistency of all SIMOPS/COMOPS dossier required for dedicated operations and coordinate with head quarter for any SIMOPS/COMOPS purpose.
- Ensure proper coordination with MWS as required prior to vessel mobilization.
- Verify Employer provided items availability for operations.
- Participate to the selection of representatives on-board the vessels
- Deliver Employers project safety brief / commitments to all vessel crew prior to commencing works

**Responsibilities, supervisions**

- Ensure that the work is carried out by the Contractor as per the approved method statements and associated risk assessments:
- Ensure that the weather limits are properly monitored as contractually defined & that it is properly recorded in the contractor's DPR.
- Ensure storage and transmission to the Employer of those parameters
- In case of procedures not being followed by the Contractor, follow the Contractor's management of change procedure and its implementation.

- Validate any change to these procedures and requirements as per applicable MOC specific procedures.
- Be responsible for NCR mechanism implementation by Employer on board vessel,
- Attend daily meetings with the Contractor and analyses progress of the works and validate all sequence/planning changes.
- Maintain and record all parameters relevant for the validation of satisfactory completion of the work including offshore as-built records satisfying the QA and final reporting requirements of the project on board vessel.
- Assess, report and declare satisfactory completion of the Work, with intermediate validation when applicable and following Project specific Certificate / ITP process of acceptance. When applicable, list deviation, hold point and liaise with Employer for any outstanding items.
- Manage and coordinate MWS services activities on-board vessel.
- Review / comment / sign Contractor's Daily Progress Reports (and more generally all Contractor's documentation issued onboard);

#### **Role board, Vessels, Barge Units**

- Liaise daily with offshore construction management of the Employer, as well as the Installation coordinator of the package, following daily call / reporting as required by the Project for more detail on direct line of reporting.
- Represent Employer towards potential third parties (maritime authorities, customs, visitors) coming onboard or at port-call.
- Follow up management of interface of all marine assets working on Site including Contractor, third party vessels, support vessels, as well as Employer's other Contractor's vessels.
- Follow up, management of interface with all logistics support activities of Employer and any other party that could interfere with marine operations.
- Track the Employer items on board and coordinate with relevant team representative for any required purpose.
- Liaise with the Marine coordination to Prepare/validate the access permit as required.
- Coordinate Employer personnel transfer with onshore logistics.

#### **In additions to the task a minimum, not limited too**

- Daily: fill internal Employer's Daily Progress Report, with exhaustive comment that cannot be captured on Contractor's DPR.
- Maintain and share a document with other CR onboard and the Package, to capture any improvement, lesson learned, HSE observation along the operations onboard, and any proposal to add for future campaigns to increase efficiency of the operations.
- Maintain and share with other ER and the Package a file with all pictures taken onboard
- At each end of rotation, prepare a hand over dossier, with the full set of DPR, Observations, and documentation to be used by the new CR coming on board

#### **Projects**

##### **Lighting Project ADNOC (Jan de Nul)**

Overseeing 2\* HVDC, FO Cable installation by CLV Leonardo Da Vinci, Prysmian

Overseeing 2\*HVDC, FO Cable beach-pull by CLB Ulisse, Prysmian

##### **Wind plan Blauw September to November (ARATIS)**

Overseeing all WTG installations IJsselmeer work side offshore

##### **Borwin 5 Germany June to august 2023 (TENNET)**

Overseeing HVC Beach Pull/ beach pull and jointing activities Shore based

**Vesterhav Denmark June 2023 (Vattenfall)**

Overseeing Vesterhav Nord/Syd Inter-Array and Offshore Export Cable Installation

EXC pull-in operations performed by CLV Atalanti for Vesterhav Nord/Syd project.

**Borwin 5 Germany June 2023 (TENNET)**

Overseeing The project comprises two (2) beach pull-in, s HVDC cables (900 MW, ±320 kV DC cables) and one (1) FO cable for offshore wind connections, of which: • Approx. 2 x 105 km HVDC Offshore cables • Approx. 2 x 10.5 km HVDC Waddenzee-Nearshore cables • Approx. 2 x 110 km HVDC land cables.

**Sandbank Offshore Wind Farm March 2023 (Vattenfall)**

Overseeing all related activities for the Cable Protection System Stabilisation and Armouring.

**Noord Hollands coast HKN-OSS. Oct-Nov 2022 (TENNET)**

Overseeing all related activities to complete the de-armouring, hang-off, laying, protection, fixing and termination of the 220kV GIS Export Cables and Fiber Optic termination and testing at the Hollands Kust Noord during the commissioning phase of HKN Offshore Sub-Station

**Kaskasi 2 Offshore Wind Farm Germany (phase 3) (RWE) Aug-Oct 2022**

Overseeing all aspects of the Scour protection and Rock-installation works.

**DolWin 6 Germany (TENNET) June 2022**

Overseeing all aspects of the Cable Jointing Scope and installation works performed by third party Nexans.

**Kaskasi 2 Offshore Wind Farm Germany (phase 2) (RWE) May 2022**

Overseeing all aspects of the Scour protection and Rock-installation works.

**Dolwin 6 Kappa-Beta Germany (TENNET) April 2022**

Overseeing all aspects of the Dredging and Survey works

**Marine Warranty Surveyor****ABL (LOC) Germany, Associate Member May 2023**

Project DolWin5 Prysmian factory Pikkala Finland

Responsibility, acting as third-party independent Surveyor for an Onshore Load-Out 2\* time 60 Km HCDC 3 / 4 cores including FO

**Marine Surveyor Maritime Consultancy Amsterdam, Feb 2023**

Project: Panama-City

Responsibility, Acting as third-party independent Surveyor for an Onshore Load-Out

Task: Cargo Survey for sea transport

**Marine Surveyor BUREAU VOGTSCHMIDT, Netherlands Dec 2022**

Project: Port of Spain, Trinidad

Responsibility, Acting as third-party independent Surveyor for an Onshore Load-Out

Task: Float-on operation for sea transport, semi submergible" GPO Emerald" Cargo Suction cutter dredger, "Marco Polo".

**Marine Surveyor BUREAU VOGTSCHMIDT, Netherlands July 2022**

Project: Flushing, Netherlands

Responsibilities, : Acting as third-party independent Surveyor

Task, Project-Onshore Cargo Load-out for Client, Jan de Nul, Belgium.

**Marine Surveyor BUREAU VOGTSCHMIDT, Netherlands Feb 2022**

Project: Damen New-built delivery Crane barge 7532, Authority Canal de Panama. Panama

Responsibilities, Acting as third-party independent Surveyor

Tasks, New built Delivery Voyage Survey from China Shipyard Zhangzhou, China to Bilboa Panama.

## Port-Captain

**Port Captain-Cargo Superintendent UNITED HEAVY LIFT, GERMANY, SEPT, - DEC 2021**

**Port Captain-Cargo Superintendent UNITED HEAVY LIFT, GERMANY, April. - June 2021**

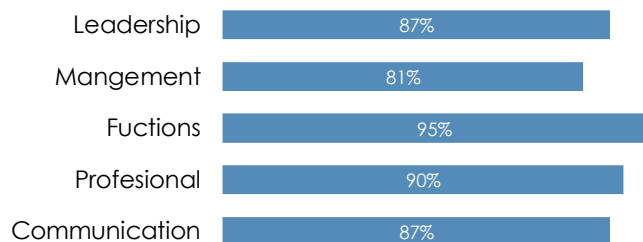
Responsibilities, Overall, in charge for the load-in/out operations for renewable energy industry elements.

Task.

- Birding between parties involved with the best interests to secure and safe shipments of Cargoes from United Heavy Lift, Germany GmbH
- Maintaining constantly contact between Authorities and third-party contractors.
- Ensuring that all relevant approved procedures and engineering calculations are always followed
- Maintain an accurate record of all activities in relation to Cargo handlings and load-in/out operations.
- Overall, in charge and play an active role in ballast, navigation and moorings operations
- Play an active role in practical engineering as well reviewing all contractual documentations, ballast calculations and engineering documents.
- Anticipation in all meetings at final engineering stage and prior transit from yard to sea and arrival on destinations.
- Prepare reports and documentations as requested report status, opportunities, problems and supply suggestions as well for improvements

## SKILLS

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## Sea-Service 1996- March 2021

**Functions, Captain, Commander, Barge-Master, Chief Off, Sr DPO**

- **Van Oord Offshore Wind. March 2021**

**Function: Master**

Project: Zuidenwind, IJsselmeer, Netherlands.

Responsibilities: Overall Command of the barge.

Selected Contributions: Full range of support wind turbine Installations

- **The Offshore Partners. February - March 2021**  
**Function: Captain (advisory)**  
 Project: Nord-stream 2, Germany.  
 Vessel: Akademik Chersiky  
 Responsibility: Consultancy.  
 Task, Advise Pipe-lay Procedures.
- **Boskalis Subsea Germany, June - Oct 2022**  
**Function: Barge Master Sr, DPO**  
 Project: Ostwind 2, Germany.  
 Responsibility: Overall in Charge of the barge.  
 Task, Pre-trenching for future Cable Burial activities.
- **Dutch Caribbean Coast Guard, 2019 - 2020**  
**Function: Commander Captain**, Dutch-Navy P812  
 Project: Saint Maarten, Netherlands Antilles Caribbean.  
 Responsibilities: Overall in Charge of Marine Navy Vessel and carrying command during operational tasks.  
 Task, Drug smuggling prevention, Border protection, Human trafficking, illegally fishing,
- **Boskalis Subsea Germany, 2019 - 2019**  
**Function: Barge Master / Pilot**  
 Project: Nordlink Germany.  
 Responsibilities: Overall in Charge of the barge.  
 Task, Trenching, Cable repairs, Jointing, Acoustic testing.
- **NPCC Abu Dhabi U.A.E., 2017 - 2019**  
**Function: Captain (1st& 2nd) Sr, DPO.**  
 Project: Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates (ARAMCO, ADNOC).  
 Vessel: DLS 4200 Heavy Lift-Pipe-lay DP2.  
 Responsibilities: Overall in Charge of the vessel.  
 Task: Heavy Lift construction, Top-sides installations, Pipe-lay, Flex-lay and ROV/ Dive-support.
- **Allseas, Netherlands, 2011 - 2016**  
**Function: 1st Officer Sr, DPO.**  
 Project: Shell, Statoil, Chevron, BP, Total, Apache, Wintershall, Exxon Mobile, Gorgon (worldwide).  
 Vessels: Solitaire DP3 Pipe-lay, Audacia DP3 Pipe-lay, Lorely DP3 Pipe-lay, Calamity Jane DP2.  
 Responsibilities: In Charge Navigational and DP watch, Safety, Helideck operations, and Security.  
 Task, Pipe-lay, Construction, Trenching, ROV, Dive support, Matresses Installations, Flex-lay.

## **SELECTED EARLIER EXPERIENCE, 1996 - 2010**

- Noordhoek diving, Netherlands, Dynamic Position Operator, Offshore.
- Van Oord Netherland, Netherlands, 2nd Officer Pipe-operator, Dredging.
- DEMA, Belgium 2nd Officer ROV Pilot, Dynamic Position operator, Offshore.
- Workfox, Netherlands, Night shift Observer, Radio Operator, Offshore.
- Jan De Nul, Belgium, 2nd, 3rd Officer, Cutter Dredging.

Multiple short duration of contract by personal crewing agencies with the following experience: Survey, Seismic, Anchor Handling, Tugs, Supply, Support, and Crew tenders, Inland Shipping.

## **PERSONAL DEVELOPMENTS COURSES AND TRAININGS**

- MASTER ALL SHIPS NO LIMITATIONS II/2.
- GWO MANUAL HANDLING REFRESHER.
- ESCAPE CHUTE & NORWEGIAN SUIT.
- GWO SEA SURVIVAL INCL, BOAT TRANSFER.
- OPITO-BOSIET CA+EBS.
- GWO WORKING AT HEIGHTS.
- ADVANCED FIRE FIGHTING- REFRESHER.
- MARITIME RESOURCE MANAGEMENT.
- CIVIL AVIATION RADIO CERTIFICATE U.K.
- MEDICAL CARE.
- BASIC TRAINING-REFRESHER.
- MEDICAL FIRST AID.
- PSCFS.
- PROFICIENCY FAST RESCUE BOATS.
- PROFICIENCY SECURITY AWARENESS.
- RADAR NAVIGATOR MANAGEMENT.
- OFFSHORE MEDICAL + CHESTER-STEP.
- SEA-FARES MEDICAL.
- INT, VACCINE CERTIFICATE COVID-19.
- SHIP SECURITY OFFICER.
- DPO FULL CERTIFICATE.
- SHIP MANAGEMENT.
- ECDIS.
- SAFE OPERATIONS SUPERVISORS (VCA).
- MARLIN ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEST.
- ARMACO ADNOC APPROVALS.
- FURTHER ADVANCED FIRE FIGHTING.
- GMDSS.
- GWO FIRE AWARENESS REFRESHER.
- GWO FIRST AID REFRESHER.

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