

TL Aurel Cretu



PERSONAL DETAILS

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Date of Birth: 30th May 1977

Health: Excellent

Maritime: MCA SSO ,MSO, STCW 95 & ENG 1, Medical FPOS I, RYA VHF

Short Range, RYA Radar Course, RYA Powerboat Level2

Inoculations: All current including Yellow Fever

Seaman's Card & Discharge Book: Available

KEY STRENGTHS

Euro-Tactical Maritime Firearms Course

Trained on following platforms:

DSKM,PKT,PKM,RPK, AK/AKM 47
Glock 17 9mm
HK USP 9mm
Sig P226 9mm
M4 5.56mm
M16 5.56mm
M14 7.62mm
AK74 5.56mm
Sig SG 550 5.56mm
G3 7.26mm
FAL L1A1 SLR 7.62mm
Remington 700 police .300 win mag
Bar Longtrac .300 win mag
Sako TRG 42
CZ SCORPION EVO3 A1 sub machine gun
LDT MP5
Benelli M4 12 gauge



Physically fit and mentally robust
Calm and level-headed with sound judgment skills.
Able to adjust to altering levels of risk and new developments.
Professional and confident approach to all tasks.
Excellent communication skills across all levels.
Extensive Infantry training including FIBUA and CQB

First Aid At Work including Defibrillation
STCW 95 course all 4 modules via UKSA
MCA approved SSO ,
MSO course
FPOS I
RYA Powerboat Level2
RYA Radar Course
RYA VHF Short Range Certificate
ASP Tactical Baton
Maybo Physical Intervention Programme
BTEC Level 3 Certificate in Close Protection

APPLICANT'S OVERVIEW

Former JNCO who served in 1st Tank Armored Reconnaissance Regiment for 5 years gaining an intimate exposure to the complexities of operating in hostile environments. Highly trained across a broad range of skills
Have MCA SSO ,MSO, STCW 95 & ENG 1, Medical FPOS I, RYA VHF Short Range, RYA Radar Course, RYA Powerboat Level2 Eurotactical Maritime Firearms Course
Entered the Maritime Security industry in 2009 and have undertaken various contracts since.

A mature, professional, reliable and highly trained individual who had the honour of serving in 1st Battalion, Romanian Armoured Reconnaissance Regiment for 5 years, before making the natural transition to the Private Security industry.

The action-packed military career would develop the character traits of determination, adaptability, courage and the true belief in the team ethos. As the career progressed it would follow the natural leadership route, which would highlight both proficient management skills and training instruction ability.

The leadership, training and development of others has always been an area of interest, which stems from the time spent as a Section Commander in Romanian Army and a mentor for members of the Angolan Casa Militar (Angolan Presidential Security Guard). This leadership ability and skill set have already proved to be valuable assets in the Maritime Security industry.

Entered the Maritime Security sector in October 2009 and have successfully completed various contracts covering some of the world's most hostile waters including the Gulf of Aden, Red Sea and the Indian Ocean. Would quickly establish a reputation of being a 'safe pair of hands', who remains focused, calm and level-headed and an individual who has the spare capacity to take on more responsibility, which led to gaining promotion to Team 2ic and Team Leader. To summarize, when considering the increased level of attacks from pirates, who continue to expand their Area of Operations, there has never been a more crucial time to have a mature and professional individual on board who will maintain the correct level of protection whilst ensuring compliance with regulations and the company SOP's.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Ship Security Team 2IC & Team Leader ,Freelance CPO, Country Manager , Vessel Manager, Deployed Teams Manager 2IC

Dates: 16 October 2002 to present day.

Employers: Various Maritime Security providers , Aegis Defence Services, Gulf of Aden Group Transits ,Blue Border Holdings,MOAS

Location: Various including Angola, Ex-Yugoslavia ,Turkey, Spain,Sri Lanka ,Ras al Khaima, Gulf of Aden and the Indian Ocean

Team 2IC & Team Leader providing armed protection on various types of vessels that are transiting through hostile waters
Conducting visual security audits identifying vulnerable areas and implementing any physical security measures that are needed to mitigate risk

Training the crew in drills and anti-piracy procedures and performing simulated incident exercises and addressing any areas of deficiency . Maintaining the security of the ships whilst in port , Checking the intelligence reports , Liaising with the Ship's Master advising on all relevant security matters

1st Tank Battalion, Romanian Armored Reconnaissance Regiment for 5 years, Dates: 15 /09/1997- 16/10/ 2002

Rank Attained: Lance Corporal (Acting Full Corporal)

Military Service Record: Exemplary

Location: Various, including 6 deployments to various locations as part of the Romanian-hosted joint combined exercises to Babadag Range and participation in the Special Convoys Programs where units were disbanded and the equipment was relocated.

For the purposes of this CV will focus on the key highlights, which were as follows:

Employment History:

1st Tank Battalion, Romanian Armored Reconnaissance Regiment for 5 years, Dates: 15 /09/1997- 16/10/ 2002

Freelance CPO in Spain,Ex-Yugoslavia 2004 - 15 Jan 2006
Torcuss S.A UK Country Manager 10/01/2009 - 10 Dec 2010

Freelance CPO ,MSO 4 Feb 2004 - Present Day

GoAGT OP's Support 30 Aug 2011 - 21 Oct 2011

I was part of a team that provided 24/7 support liaising with our deployed and internal staff to ensure that our clients' vessel protection requirements are met. I was managing the movement of vessels and providing constant updates to clients and staff on any changes;liaising with the logistics and manpower staffing teams; obtaining feedback from clients and ensuring that all transits are billed

Aegis Defence Services CPO/LO in Angola

10 December 2010 10 August 2011

It was a Tier two project and my duties as Team Member CPO were:

Supervising and working alongside members of the Presidential Personal Security Detail in Angola, escorting principals to various ministries, government buildings and social events.

Employing current tactics, techniques and practices to deter risk to the client whilst travelling to remote sites either by foot or using transport.

Identifying potential risk to the client and advising as necessary, ensuring a safe working environment at all times. Manage the movement of personnel within specified time frames. Control the access to highly sensitive material.

Liaison Officer tasked with liaising with government staff and members of the Presidential PSD team. Establish a very good working relationship, in order to provide the highest quality of service to the client.

We (the Portuguese speakers) were also required to act as translators /interpreters at various meetings and interface with the authorities, and with Casa Militar.

GoAGT Country Manager Sri Lanka May 2012 – May 2013

Providing project progress updates to our regional management and the headquarter in Europe-Malta and Ras al-Khaimah (UAE);

Supervise the development of the operations, co-ordinate all third parties and represent the best interests of the company in line with local legal requirements;

Principally responsible for the provision of all logistics support to GOAGT projects in Sri Lanka area.

Building and maintain relationships with the local authorities and our agent key players;

Gathering local intelligence and knowledge to meet company targets and forecasts;

Oversee project execution decisions, which may impact on GOAGT's reputation and long-term client relationships.

Oversee the implementation and embedding of a robust and effective Country Security Plan, Crisis Management Plan and Emergency Response and Evacuation Plans to support the continuing efforts and business plans in Sri Lanka.

Coaching and managing junior members of the staff and reviewing their work, as well as coordinating sub-contractors and freelancers.

GoAGT DTM 2IC May 2013 January 2014

My main role was assisting the company's DTM (Deployed Teams Manager) in carrying out reports and tasks as is was required daily.

This would be in addition to assisting the DTM with emails and creating reports, charts, graphs, ensuring that the recruiting pipeline was continually delivering sufficiently qualified and vetted personnel by sourcing, vetting and liaising on a daily basis with recruitment companies worldwide. Ensuring that all personnel have required documentation prior to individual tasking's.

Responsible for the day to day management of all MSO's (Maritime Security Operatives) which included personal and disciplinary issues and overseeing and maintaining the standards of their E.O.T's (End of Transit Reports) Planning the delivery of training to existing personnel and the provision of induction training to newly recruited personnel; Providing official company directives.

I was singlehandedly responsible for the creation of a recording and archiving database system for MSOs documents and reports that assisted GoAGT in achieving ISO9001.

GoAGT Vessel Manager Galle Sri Lanka AGMS Floating Armory January 2014 March 2014

Floating Armory Platform (Weapons and personnel Kit) enabled GoAGT Maritime Security Officer/Teams to Embark and disembark Merchant Vessel (Company Client Vessel) to protect and provide Anti-Piracy Countermeasures in the HRA (High Risk Area)

Vessel manager Daily routine: Sri Lanka AGMS Floating Armory in Galle .

Dealing with Daily Operations – Rigging and craning weapon kits, transfer boats and deck operation and stores ,Making Decisions and Solving Problems ,

Coordinating the Transfers to merchant vessel via Captains , Scheduling timing ETA's ,Monitor Intel on events like the weather and to detect or evaluate any problems .

Logistics equipment and accountancy ,Navigation plan ,Replenishment scheduling

Finance and cost reduction saving ,Accountability of weapon Kits in Armory vessels stores , Responsibilities for Crew and Security teams Welfare onboard.

Blue Border Holdings July 2014 – Present Day Maritime Security Team Leader

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Spoken Languages:

Spanish	advanced level speak ,read and write fluently
Moldovan	advanced level (speak, read and write fluently)
English	advanced level (speak, read and write fluently)
French	Conversational level (still learning)
Portuguese	Conversational level (still learning)
Italian	Conversational level (still learning)
Skilled in :	Swimming, Diving , Climbing.

Trained in Arrest & Restraints Tactics, Convoy Operations ,Base Security, Patrol and close reconnaissance , Battlefield First Aid, CQB tactics ,Survival in warm/cold weather, Personnel safety in foreign cultures, Concealed movement , Code of conduct during hostage-prison situations, Extraction procedures.

REFERENCES:

References are available upon request