



Name: J.M. Hoppzak
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Nivre-re (register surveyor)
Date of birth: 20 May 1953

Career highlights:

- BSc Naval Architecture (1977)
- Assistant salvagemaster Smit Salvage (1977-1978)
- Marine Surveyor and Consultant (Hull and Machinery) since 1978
- Specialism: -Damage surveys, inspections and condition surveys on any type or size ship (seagoing and inland), crane and salvage equipment
 - Valuations, including salved values of ships
 - Project management
 - General average
 - Salvage consultancy
 - Salvage remunerations
 - Wreck removal consultancy for underwriters, for the Dutch Ministry of Transport and Public Works and for the European Union (European Agency of Reconstruction and European Investment Bank)
 - Consultancy for the Dutch government, European Union, shipowners, ship repair yards and salvage companies
 - Liability claims

Current employment and relevant additional jobs:

- Freelance senior marine surveyor and consultant to Marinco Survey B.V. at Rotterdam (NL)
- Arbitrator registered at the Dutch maritime arbitration institute UNUM (former called Tamara) and at the Dutch arbitration institute NAI
- Member of the Dutch Arbitration Association - DAA
- Expert witness for Court and for Arbitrators
- Organizer of and lecturer at various courses on marine survey and on salvage and wreck removal
- Writer of various publications on marine survey, salvage and on the BRI (Belt and Road Initiative) project.

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