




Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION V - BICOL
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF CATANDUANES

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TO : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisor (CID & SGOD)
Public Schools District Supervisor
Secondary School Heads
Other Concerned

FROM :  **SOCORRO V. DELA ROSA**
Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT : **The Norwegian Shipowners Association (NSA) Scholarship Grants**

DATE : September 19, 2023

1. This is in connection with the letter of The Norwegian Shipowners Association (NSA), with the objective of developing the next generation of Filipino Maritime professionals through scholarships grants and best maritime education.
2. The NSA would like to extend its offer to the Senior High graduating class ad students who are interested in maritime career. The courses offered are Bachelor of Science in Maritime Transportation and Bachelor of Science in Marine Engineering.
3. NSA Written Examination is tentatively scheduled in October 2023, in Naga City. Interested applicants may email at <https://nsacadet.com/> until January 15, 2023, and for other details please see attached communication.
4. For information, guidance and dissemination.



September 8, 2023

Mr. Socorro V. Dela Rosa
Superintendent
School Division of Catanduanes



Dear Sir:

The Norwegian Shipowners Association (NSA) Cadet Program, under the Norwegian Maritime Foundation of the Philippines Inc. (NMFPI), is an initiative program of the Association of Shipowners' Training and Education Project (ASO-TEP), with the objective of developing the next generation of Filipino maritime professionals through scholarship grants and best maritime education.

The program was established in 1993 to ensure STCW compliance of Filipino merchant marine officers selected to sail on the NSA members' vessels. To date, there are more than 6,000 young Filipinos who have received this scholarship and are now serving on board international vessels as merchant marine officers.

In search of top-caliber cadets, we have partnered with selected prestigious maritime institutions, namely: the DMMA College of Southern Philippines, the Lyceum University of the Philippines – Batangas, and the University of Cebu-Lapu Lapu and Mandaue. The program follows a 2-1-1 structure, with 2 years at school, 1 year at sea as a cadet and in their 4th year, they will be back at school to finish the academic requirement.

In this regard, the NSA Cadet Program would like to extend its offer to your K-12 graduating class and students among your respective schools interested in a lucrative maritime career. The courses we offer are Bachelor of Science in Marine Transportation and Bachelor of Science in Marine Engineering where they can become future Ship Captains and Chief Engineers respectively.

The chosen scholars will be enjoying the following:

- Scholarship in a prestigious Maritime Institution
- Free dormitory, board, and lodging during the first two (2) years of the scholarship period
- Free training and upgrading courses
- A meaningful leadership and character development program
- Opportunity to travel worldwide during apprenticeship

Further, you can visit and be updated through the NSA's Official Social Media Accounts:

Instagram: [NSA Cadet Program](#)
YouTube: [NSA Cadet Program](#)
Facebook: [NSA Cadet Program](#)
Website: <https://nsacadet.com/>

Enclosed in this letter are the details of our application qualification requirements.

Please be informed that there will be an NSA Written Examination in Naga City, tentatively this October, 2023. We would like to ascertain further that your generous support to this opportunity will help students of your respective schools – they will not need to travel to Manila anymore to take the examinations.

Interested applicants are welcome to apply online at <https://nsacadet.com/> until January 15, 2024.

Thank You!

Sincerely,


Mr. Larry V. Gonzales, MSc.
NSA Cadet Manager

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QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must be:

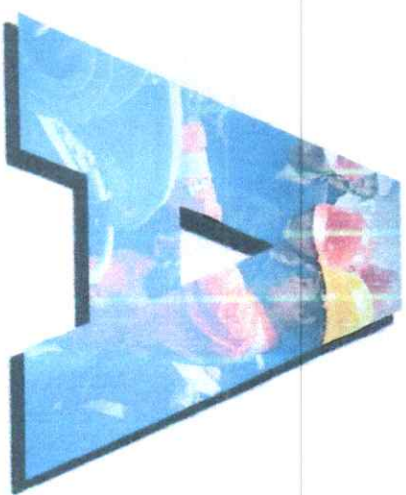
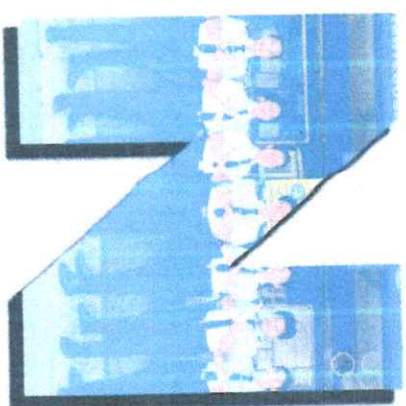
- 17-23 years old on or before April 30
- Senior High School (K-12) graduates
- Existing college students and tertiary level graduates
- Physically and Mentally fit
- Filipino Citizen
- No derogatory records or was not convicted / accused of any crime of moral turpitude

DEGREE PROGRAMS

- Bachelor of Science in Marine Transportation (Future Ships' Captain and Deck Officers)
- Bachelor of Science in Marine Engineering (Future Chief Engineers and Engine Officers)

ENJOY THE FOLLOWING:

- First two (1st-2nd) years free tuition fees, books, dormitory and meals
- See the world and travel to different places
- Have an assuring career at sea



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APPLY ONLINE!

