Project Description

We are a Berlin based non-profit-association founded in 2018 by a transnational collective of activists. With our ship MARE LIBERUM (pleasure craft) we monitor human rights in the Aegean Sea, mainly off the coast of Lesvos. Our vessel is operated by a crew of five people who combine a variety of skills and knowledge, such as nautical, engineering, media, human rights advocacy, research expertise and experience in search and rescue operations.

Our crew at sea can rely on a back-office structure which provides all necessary administrative work meanwhile engaging in further research and the processing of all our findings from our monitoring activities at sea.

To keep our costs low we must ask for a minimum commitment of 4 weeks, to cover flights to and from Lesvos (until 300 euros) (exceptions possible). All onboard expenses, including food and accommodation are covered. Conditions on board are basic - you will sleep in shared cabins and work with a team of volunteers from different backgrounds. You may spend several nights in a row at sea, mostly on anchor but during this time on monitoring duty (night watch in shift system), which involves being awake and alert for several hours during the night, watching the coastline and document any activity.
Chief Engineer

Profile

- Works in close collaboration with Mission Coordinator and Captain
- Experience working on truck/tractor/boat engines
- Main engine is a 360HP MAN V10 diesel, generator: 2-cylinder Lister-Petter diesel, bow thruster: 4-cylinder Peugeot diesel, outboard: 60HP Yamaha 3 cylinder (2 stroke, auto lube)
- Must be able to service an engine, understand the how’s and why’s.
- Must be able to come up with creative solutions
- Preferably some understanding of marine outboard engines
- Organized work ethic
- trains the crew in basic seamanship
- facilitation of general emergency trainings (i.e. fire drill, abandon ship, MOB, lock down)
- watch keeper of one of the shifts
- takes care about the organisation of work on deck and is responsible for the maintenance work all over the ship

Need to have:

- ideally has a nautical license
- alternatively, other (non-professional) certificates and extensive experience in a similar range of duties can be considered as well
- has a strong safety awareness and knowledge of standard safety equipment and procedures on board ships
- Advanced English
- Positive attitude towards the protection of human rights and vulnerable people

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