



Company Profile





Introduction

- Karis Ocean was founded in 2008.
- Karis Ocean is a marine offshore service company specializing in technical and logistical services for vessels and rigs used in the Oil and Gas Industry.
- Our vessel expertise includes Dive Support Vessels (DSV), Heavy Lift ROV support, Offshore Supply Vessels (OSV), Anchor Handling Tugs Supply vessels (AHTS) and Pipe-lay Vessels/Barges. Our rig expertise includes semi-submersibles and jack ups.
- The company operates worldwide with offices in the Netherlands and Malaysia.
- With a broad range of services from thruster installations to major conversions, DP upgrades, steel renewal, HV electrical installations and trouble-shooting, we make vessels and rigs ready for projects and/or support these vessels and rigs during projects.





Services

Technical Support Services

- We offer general technical support.
- HV trouble-shooting, upgrading, and support.
- Power Management Systems.
- Engine trouble-shooting, repair, maintenance and overhaul.
- Shipyard oversight for new builds, refurbishments, and upgrades.
- Design review, consultation and assessments.





Services

Third-party Consultancy

- DP Trials
- FMEA
- Saturation Dive System audits
- D23/D24 DP audits
- Incident Investigation
- Client Representative
- CMID
- Vessel/rig Suitability Surveys
- On-hire/Off-hire Surveys
- Preventative Maintenance System Implementation

Services

Ship and Rig Management

- Crewing.
- Establishment, implementation, and oversight of budgets.
- Targeting the right asset for the right market.
- Efficient modifications of chosen assets in order to meet current market requirements.
- Vessel management while on project for major oil companies servicing their off shore platforms, etc.





Services

Shipyard Management Services

- Our shipyard management services result in clients meeting their contractually-mandated schedule, while maintaining highest European quality standards and ensuring cost oversight.
- Shipyard management services are carried out by a diverse project team with expertise in multiple disciplines.
- Shipyard management services are generally split up into several phases.
- Overall project management is consistently monitored by Karis Ocean on and off site.
- For further information please see our Karis Ocean Shipyard Management Services Profile.

Team

Karis Ocean is managed by a team forged over 25 years. Don White and Olumide Somefun first met in Germany in 1984. Don White as CEO is responsible for the operations and technical side of Karis Ocean. Olumide Somefun as CFO is responsible for the business, financial and legal side of Karis Ocean.



Don White (CEO)

Experience

- Over 20 years of maritime experience.
- US Coast Guard Chief Engineers Unlimited License.
- Commercial Diver certificate, Divers Institute of Technology, Seattle.
- Since 1998 in Vessel Management for Dive Support Vessels and offshore and subsea construction in the US, Middle East, Africa and Asia. His experience has been concentrated on DP vessels, most recently in third-party consultancy. In such roles he has developed relationships with class societies, shipyards, and potential clients.



Olumide Somefun (CFO)

Experience

- Over 20 years of management, business and legal experience.
- Partner /founder in several maritime projects (ship building).
- For over 10 years involved as a former partner and co-founder of a successful business/technology law firm.





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