



SPARROWS

TRAINING

Industry-leading training, coaching and assessment that ensures competence and reduces risk



ACCREDITED TRAINING PROGRAMMES

Altrad Sparrows has unrivalled experience providing lifting operations training, coaching and competence assessment to the energy industry.

ABERDEEN FACILITIES

Our centre of excellence in Aberdeen is the only one of its kind anywhere in the world. A Liebherr BOS 2600 pedestal crane, mounted over a flooded quarry, delivers a unique development opportunity for crane operators to practice and build their skills in the offloading and backloading of supply vessels.

We have invested in two state-of-the-art crane simulators that provide maximum impact for testing a crane operator's reaction to emergency situations. The simulators enable us to conduct stage 3 re-assessments, adding client value as there is no logistical impact and cost for offshore travel.

As well as offshore crane training, our newest ADS2-crane simulator has customisable programmes which can be configured for several types of onshore cranes. This highly adaptable software enables us to deliver training for gantry cranes and knuckleboom cranes in a variety of onshore simulated environments.

ALTRAD SPARROWS OFFSHORE CRANE OPERATOR STANDARD

Our Offshore Crane Operator Standard is recognised as the industry's international 'de facto' standard. This dominant position is a product of over 50 years' experience as the industry leaders in offshore lifting operations.

We now offer stage 1 and 2 combined training which aims to provide candidates with the critical knowledge and control skills required for safe crane operations at a stage 2 standard. Candidates may have little or no previous operating experience but must have a base understanding of lifting operations and safe lifting practices for offshore crane operations.

Courses / assessments

- Offshore Crane Operator Standard – stage 1 training and evaluation
- Offshore Crane Operator Standard – stage 2 training and assessment
- Offshore Crane Operator Standard – stage 2 re-assessment
- Offshore Crane Operator Standard – stage 1 and 2 combined training and assessment
- Offshore Crane Operator Standard – stage 3 assessment and re-assessments
- Crane appreciation
- Emergency crane operations
- Frog marine personnel carrier
- Gantry crane
- Reaction and awareness.



Our Offshore Crane Operator Standard is recognised as industry best practice worldwide.



All our trainers are staff members who have been selected for their technical expertise and industry experience.

WHY COMPETENCE IS IMPORTANT

Crane and lifting operations are one of the most safety critical functions across any industry. From being a key artery on an offshore platform, to moving goods around in an industrial warehouse, safe and reliable lifting performance is critical to ongoing operations.

We define competency as the ability to consistently, independently and safely perform a task that can be measured against a standard. Our goal is to improve workforce capability and safety of operations.

We are committed to ensuring the same high standard of quality and safety across all our global locations.

LIFTING OPERATIONS TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT

Our lifting operations training goes hand in hand with our crane operator standard. It is vital that all personnel involved with any type of lifting operation are competent to assess, plan and carry out a lift safely and efficiently.

Knowledge and understanding of potential hazards is vital for personnel working in an offshore environment.

Dedicated working at height and rigging frames allow candidates to develop their skills and gives employers confidence in their practical hands-on training. An additional facility nearby also allows us to provide IRATA Rope Access training to level 3 and ensure candidates competency while working in a safe environment.

Courses / assessments

- Lift planning and risk assessment
- Lifting Operations and Lifting Equipment Regulations (LOLER)
- Wire rope inspection
- IRATA rope access level 1-3
- Working at height
- Lifting operations
- Rigging loft management awareness
- Lifting Equipment Users (LEU) lifting for technicians.

50+

years' experience as the industry leaders in offshore lifting operations.

30,000+

delegates have achieved Altrad Sparrows certification over the last five years.



When people are trained, assessed and certified by us you can be assured of their competence to carry out their role to the Altrad Sparrows exacting and industry leading standard.

OPITO APPROVED LIFTING OPERATIONS

Our OPITO accredited courses are developed by us and approved by OPITO, the industry's focal point for skills, training and workforce development.

Courses / assessments

- Banksman / slinger stage 1 training
- Banksman / slinger stage 3 and 4 assessment
- Rigger stage 1 training
- Rigger stage 3 and 4 assessment
- LOLER Competent Person (LCP) assessment.

BFPA ACCREDITED HYDRAULICS

Our hydraulics training is delivered in conjunction with the British Fluid Power Association (BFPA) using bespoke training rigs.

Courses / assessments

- Level 1 hydraulics
- Level 2 hydraulics
- Hose and connectors
- Electrics for hydraulics engineers and proportional control
- H1 hydraulics competence assessment.

BESPOKE / ON-LOCATION TRAINING

We recognise that standard training courses don't always meet our client's specific requirements and that is why we regularly design bespoke courses that deliver tailored outcomes.

We don't just offer courses at our training centres, we often deliver at client locations, anywhere in the world, both onshore and offshore. All our centres have portable crane simulators that can be easily deployed quickly to any location.

Whatever your requirements, wherever you are – challenge us to tailor a course to meet your needs.

1st

company to ever receive approval to deliver the OPITO LCP assessment standard.



DELIVERY ASSURED

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