



TRAINING WORKSHOPS

IMPORTANT : Please choose 2 training workshops from the following list and indicate your choices on the registration form.

**Please note that all the workshops will be given in French only and that there will be no simultaneous interpretation.*

Training workshop 1 — Lobster Boat Workstation Simulator

Presentation of a simulator in the form of a platform equipped as the deck of a lobster boat. The two traps reboarding devices developed during the research project to avoid falling overboard on lobster boats—thanks to the skills of fishermen combined with the capabilities of the Merinov and Laval University team—will be simultaneously shown publicly. Their respective benefits will be explained. Innovative fact, fishermen will be invited to try these tools, to question them and to share their first impression.

Training workshop 2 — Tuna Fishing: Avoid Penalties and Troubles (cont'd)

In 2019, Transport Canada Marine Safety and Security began assisting Quebec fishermen to conform to occasionally carry special people (guests, restaurateurs, etc.) for tuna fishing expedition. What are the results of this pilot project? What will be the TC requirements for this kind of activity in 2020? What do I have to do to get a special certificate from TC to be able to undertake my tuna fishing activities lawfully? Come get the answers to your questions.

Training workshop 3 — Individual Protective Equipment and Prevention Measures When Working in Semi-Closed Environment

On fishing vessels as in many other workplaces, workers are exposed to various risks of injuries to the hands, head, eyes, etc. Depending on the tasks and risks involved, one individual protection equipment or more is required. Amongst the tasks carried out on a vessel, some happen in semi-closed environments (bilge, engine room) where atmospheric hazards can be present. It is then appropriate to put in place preventive measures to control these risks.

Training workshop 4 — PFDs and Immersion Suits Maintenance

Safety equipment required under the Fishing Vessel Safety Regulations must be maintained and replaced in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions or recommendations. This maintenance is critical, as it is your warranty that the equipment will function if it has to be used. This is particularly important for equipment like self-inflatable PFDs and immersion suits. Join this practical workshop where we will show you how to do this maintenance on the types most frequently present on your fishing vessels.

Training workshop 5 — Selling my Company: Issues and Potential Pitfalls to Avoid (*Valeurs mobilières Desjardins*)

The sale of your company is one of the most important decisions of your life and is most of the time irreversible. Before signing the bill of sale, many factors have to be assessed and reflected upon. The only factor often taken into consideration is the tax to be paid. Unfortunately, all the other factors ensuring the success of the sale as well as of your retirement are discarded or neglected. Where to start? If you are in a sale process or if you plan to undertake this process in 5 years or less, this workshop will provide you the tools necessary to make an informed decision.



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Training workshop 6 – A Workshop That Can Generate More than a Year of Profit (*Valeurs mobilières Desjardins*)

When your retirement is coming, you want to be certain that each and every dollar is managed with the same care it was earned. This being said, the management of your assets is unknown and many questions remain. Is each of my withdrawal made at the lowest fiscal cost? Do I get the best performance of my fund managers? Are the fees too high for the management of my assets? This workshop will allow you to ask the right questions to your financial advisor and ensuring that you are in good hands.

Training workshop 7 – Map for the future: Modernization of hydrography and transformation of the Canadian Hydrographic Service

The technological evolution brings changes to the way mariners and fishermen use the information to fulfill their tasks. To address emerging technologies, new ways of doing things are necessary. New hydrographic standards modify the hydrographic information formats and transmission mode. The Canadian Hydrographic Service has undertaken a reflection bringing it to shift from a product-based organization to a data-based organization. This workshop will present the proposed changes and will allow to gather feedback from participants.

Training workshop 8 – Fishing Vessel Safety Regulations

On July 13, 2017, the Fishing Vessel Safety Regulations came into force. However, there is currently no requirement regarding vessel construction in these regulations. These requirements will be added subsequently, in the second part of these regulations. Transport Canada began modernizing the regulations about fishing vessel by updating the current requirements regarding small vessels construction. The staff of Transport Canada Marine Safety will be present to inform you about the details regarding Phase 2 and to consult you about the upcoming new requirements.

Training workshop 9 – Understanding Maritime Documents to Renew Them on Time

Fishermen are more and more flooded with maritime documents of all kinds that they must not forget to renew if they don't want to be committing an infringement and risking of being penalized. What are those documents and what is their purpose? What is their validity period? Whom should I contact to renew them? How can I do an efficient tracking of all these documents? Join this workshop and you will be able to bring a bit of order in all this paperwork.

Training workshop 10 – JOBEL Electronic Logbook

A presentation workshop about the JOBEL Electronic Logbook and its use, as well as about support tools implemented for all fishermen of the Province of Quebec by the RPPSG and DFO as part of the implantation by the DFO of the Electronic Logbook to catch reporting since 2018. There will be a demonstration of the units qualified by the DFO. People of the *Regroupement des pêcheurs professionnels du sud de la Gaspésie* are waiting to help you better understand and use this tool.