

Phillip Belcher – INTERTANKO

Phil first went to sea in 1989 and served 10 years mostly on board tankers with BP shipping. He gained a master mariner's certificate of competency and read for a number of degrees at Cardiff University. Consequently he was awarded a PhD which focussed on maritime safety. Following a 5 year stint as assistant director within the Bahamas Maritime Authority he joined INTERTANKO as their marine director.

Phil's duties now include the management of the marine section which encompasses safety, security, vetting, cargoes and the human element.