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EXPERIENCE

Dry Bulk Chartering

- Chartering of multi-purpose to Panamax size vessels as an owners and/or charterers broker. For many years acted as an exclusive broker for several different principals.
- Charter party negotiations, financial management, lay time/demurrage claims.
- Contract of affreightment (COA) negotiations.
- Period and long-term bareboat fixtures, including options.
- Sale and purchase broker.

Operating Dry Cargo

- Set up a new ship operating business.
- Managed a fleet of 13 Handy/Handymax and 4 Panamax vessels. Sole responsibility for all commercial decisions and the logistics of running the fleet. The Panamax vessels were run on a joint venture basis.
- Financial management and projections.
- Inspecting vessels and overseeing the loading and discharging of the cargo operations.

Offshore Oil and Gas

- Set up a new offshore owning company.
- Experience in rising finance and loans.
- Assisted with the design and construction of a new offshore vessels.
- Chartering of dive support vessels, anchor handling vessels, accommodation vessels, barges, tugs and platform supply vessels.
- Involved in the full management of vessels including daily running and operations.

Membership

- Baltic Exchange.
- Baltic Exchange Experts Panel.
- London Maritime Arbitrators Association (Supporting)
- Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (Associate - ACiArb)