

COURSE OVERVIEW OE0850

The International Ship and Port Facility Security Code (ISPS)

Course Title

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Course Date/Venue

August 03-07, 2026/Online Virtual Training

Course Reference

OE0850

Course Duration/Credits

Five days/27.5 CEUs/27.5 PDHs

Course Description



This practical and highly-interactive course includes real-life case studies and exercises where participants will be engaged in a series of interactive small groups and class workshops.

This course is designed to provide participants with a detailed and up-to-date overview of Port Facility Security Officer (IMO ISPS). It covers the ISPS code and the role and duties of the port facility security officer; the compliance requirements of ISPS code; the national and international maritime security policies; the threat identification and analysis, security levels and corresponding measures including port facility security survey and assessment; the proper maintenance and operation of security systems and continuous improvement of security operations; handling sensitive security information; and the crisis management, incident response, security drills and training.

During this interactive course, participants will learn the facility security plan (FSP) and legal and regulatory framework; the interagency and international cooperation and collaborating with customs, police, and other security agencies; auditing security processes and systems; the advanced risk management tools and methodologies, scenario planning and strategic foresight in security planning; the environmental security concerns and managing environmental risks in port operations; monitoring and control access to the facility and ensuring the security of restricted areas; securing and monitoring cargo and dealing with stowaways and contraband; securing protocols for ship-to-port interaction and the declaration of security; and the effective security communication strategies, surveillance and patrols and real-time incident handling.

Course Objectives/Outcomes & Benefits for the Participants

Upon the successful completion of this course, each participant will be able to:-

- Get certified as a “*Certified Port Facility Security Officer*”
- Discuss the ISPS code and the role and duties of the port facility security officer
- Recognize the compliance requirements of ISPS code as well as the national and international maritime security policies
- Carryout threat identification and analysis, security levels and corresponding measures including port facility security survey and assessment
- Employ proper maintenance and operation of security systems and continuous improvement of security operations
- Handle sensitive security information and apply crisis management, incident response, security drills and training
- Develop and maintain the facility security plan (FSP) and review legal and regulatory framework
- Apply interagency and international cooperation and collaborate with customs, police, and other security agencies
- Audit security processes and systems as well as apply advanced risk management tools and methodologies, scenario planning and strategic foresight in security planning
- Recognize the environmental security concerns and manage environmental risks in port operations
- Monitor and control access to the facility and ensure the security of restricted areas
- Secure and monitor cargo and deal with stowaways and contraband
- Secure protocols for ship-to-port interaction and apply the declaration of security
- Apply effective security communication strategies, surveillance and patrols and real-time incident handling

Who Should Attend

This course provides a comprehensive overview of the security requirements, guidelines and obligations of a port facility security officer in accordance with the maritime security policy of IMO-ISPS code for those responsible for overseeing fleet security and safety as well as for marine and shipping companies.

Training Methodology

All our Courses are including **Hands-on Practical Sessions** using equipment, State-of-the-Art Simulators, Drawings, Case Studies, Videos and Exercises. The courses include the following training methodologies as a percentage of the total tuition hours:-

- 30% Lectures
- 20% Practical Workshops & Work Presentations
- 30% Hands-on Practical Exercises & Case Studies
- 20% Simulators (Hardware & Software) & Videos

In an unlikely event, the course instructor may modify the above training methodology before or during the course for technical reasons.

Learning Design & Customization

This course can be customized to the exact requirements of clients. Haward Technology is so proud of our huge capabilities in tailoring our courses to the training needs of our valued clients.

Course Certificate(s)

- (1) Internationally recognized Competency Certificates and Plastic Wallet Cards will be issued to participants who completed a minimum of 80% of the total tuition hours and successfully passed the exam at the end of the course. Successful candidate will be certified as a "*Certified Port Facility Security Officer*". Certificates are valid for 5 years.

Recertification is FOC for a Lifetime.

Sample of Certificates

The following are samples of the certificates that will be awarded to course participants:-



- (2) Official Transcript of Records will be provided to the successful delegates with the equivalent number of ANSI/IACET accredited Continuing Education Units (CEUs) earned during the course.

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Continuing Professional Development (HTME-CPD)

CEUs

CEU Official Transcript of Records

TOR Issuance Date:

14-Nov-25

HTME No.

74851

Participant Name:

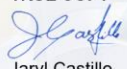
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Program Ref.	Program Title	Program Date	No. of Contact Hours	CEU's
OE0850	The International Ship and Port Facility Security Code (ISPS)	Nov 10-14, 2025	27.5	2.75

Total No. of CEU's Earned as of TOR Issuance Date

2.75

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Academic Director

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Certificate Accreditations

Haward's certificates are accredited by the following international accreditation organizations: -

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British Accreditation Council (BAC)

Haward Technology is accredited by the **British Accreditation Council** for **Independent Further and Higher Education** as an **International Centre**. Haward's certificates are internationally recognized and accredited by the British Accreditation Council (BAC). BAC is the British accrediting body responsible for setting standards within independent further and higher education sector in the UK and overseas. As a BAC-accredited international centre, Haward Technology meets all of the international higher education criteria and standards set by BAC.

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Haward Technology Middle East will award **27.5 CEUs** (Continuing Education Units) or **27.5 PDHs** (Professional Development Hours) for participants who completed the total tuition hours of this program. One CEU is equivalent to ten Professional Development Hours (PDHs) or ten contact hours of the participation in and completion of Haward Technology programs. A permanent record of a participant's involvement and awarding of CEU will be maintained by Haward Technology. Haward Technology will provide a copy of the participant's CEU and PDH Transcript of Records upon request.

Course Fee

US\$ 4,000 per Delegate + **VAT**.

Course Instructor(s)

This course will be conducted by the following instructor(s). However, we have the right to change the course instructor(s) prior to the course date and inform participants accordingly:



Mr. Saad Bedir, BSc, NEBOSH-IGC, NEBOSH-ENV, is a **Senior Engineer** with over **30 years** of extensive experience in the **Power, Petrochemical and Oil & Gas** industries. He is a **NEBOSH Approved Instructor** for various certification programs. He is well-versed in the areas of **NEBOSH International General Certificate, NEBOSH Certificate in Environmental Management, Oil & Gas Marine, Port Terminals Strategic Crisis Management & Major Emergency Response, Port Safety Awareness, Local Port Services, Implementing the ISPS Code, Oil Spill Management, International Ship & Port Facility Security Code (ISPS), Maritime Security & Piracy Security, Oil & Gas Marine Terminal Optimization, Major Terminal Management, Terminal Operations, Terminal Planning, Marine Services & Control, Terminal Optimization, Major Terminal Management, Marine Hazards Prevention & Control, Single Buoy Mooring System (SBM), Emergency Response Procedure, Oil Spill Management & Recovery, Oil Spill Management & Response, Oil Spill Prevention & Control, Oil Spill Combating Operations, Oil Spill Awareness, Oil & Gas Marine Terminals, Offshore Marine Operation Management**. Further he is also well versed in Health, **Fire**, Safety, Security & Environmental Codes of Practice, Legislations and Procedures, **Active and Positive Fire Fighting, Fire & Gas Detection Systems, Fire Fighting Systems, Fire Proofing, ESD, Escape Routes, Mobile Crane Operation, Heavy Lifting Equipments, Scaffolding, Rigging Slings, the implementation of OHSAS 18001, ISO 9001, ISO 14001, QHSE Management Planning, Crisis & Business Continuity Management Planning, Process Safety, Basic & Advanced Construction Safety, Mobile Crane Operations, Rig & Barge Inspection, Lifting & Slings, Scaffolding, Air Quality Management, Safety & Occupational Health Awareness, Loss Control, Marine Pollution Hazards & Control, Ground Contamination & Reclamation Processes, Waste Management & Recycling, Clean Energy & Power Saving, FMEA, HAZMAT/HAZCOM, HAZOP, HAZWOPER, HAZID, HSEIA, QRA, Hazardous Area Classification and Radiation Protection**. Further, he is also well-verse in **Performance Standards, Statistical Report Writing, Basic Motivation Management, Performance Assessment & Appraisal, Manpower Planning, Managing & Coordinating Training, Strategic Talent Management, Developing Others, Managing Employees Performance, Performance Evaluation and Human Resource Management**. Presently, he is the **HSE Director** for one of the largest and renowned companies in the Middle East, wherein he takes charge of all HSE and security operations of the company.

Mr. Saad's vast professional experience in directing and managing health, safety and the environment aspects as per **OSHA framework** and guidelines can be traced back to his stint with a few international companies like **Saudi ARAMCO, CONOCO, Kuwait Oil Co. (KOC)**, where he worked as the Field HSE Senior Engineer handling major projects and activities related to the discipline. Through these, Saad gained much experience and knowledge in the implementation and maintenance of international safety standards such as the National Fire Protection Association (**NFPA**), the American Petroleum Institute (**API**), Safety of Life at Sea (**SOLAS**) and Safety for Mobile Offshore Drilling Unit (**MODU**).

Mr. Saad has **NEBOSH** certificate which includes health & safety measures including:

- Fire fighting management system
- Rescue mechanisms (Escaping routes, Rope rescue, and emergency evacuation Plan)
- Machinery Safety requirement
- Occupational health measures & requirement

Mr. Saad has a **Bachelor's** degree in **Chemistry**. Further, he is a **Certified Instructor/Trainer**, an **Approved Tutor** in **NEBOSH International General Certificate**, an **Approved Tutor** in **NEBOSH Certificate in Environmental Management**, a **Certified Lead Auditor** for **OHSAS 18001, ISO 9001, ISO 14001** and a **member** of the **Egyptian Syndicate & Scientific Professions**. His passion for development and acquiring new skills and knowledge has taken him all over the Middle East to attend and share his expertise in numerous trainings and workshops.

Virtual Training (If Applicable)

If this course is delivered online as a Virtual Training, the following limitations will be applicable:-

Certificates	Only soft copy certificates will be issued to participants through Howard's Portal. This includes Wallet Card Certificates if applicable
Training Materials	Only soft copy Training Materials (PDF format) will be issued to participant through the Virtual Training Platform
Training Methodology	80% of the program will be theory and 20% will be practical sessions, exercises, case studies, simulators or videos
Training Program	The training will be for 6 hours per day starting at 0800 and ending at 1400
H-STK Smart Training Kit	Not Applicable
Hands-on Practical Workshops	Not Applicable
Site Visit	Not Applicable
Simulators	Only software simulators will be used in the virtual courses. Hardware simulators are not applicable and will not be used in Virtual Training

Course Program

The following program is planned for this course. However, the course instructor(s) may modify this program before or during the course for technical reasons with no prior notice to participants. Nevertheless, the course objectives will always be met:

Day 1: Monday, 03rd of August 2026

0800 – 0830	<i>Registration & Coffee</i>
0830 – 0845	<i>Welcome & Introduction</i>
0845 – 0900	PRE-TEST
0900 – 0915	Introduction to the ISPS Code & It's Global Impact
0915 – 0930	Role & Duties of the Port Facility Security Officer
	<i>Detailed Exploration of PFSO Responsibilities • Legal Obligations Under International & National Law</i>
0930 – 0945	<i>Break</i>
0945 – 1100	Understanding the ISPS Code
	<i>Historical Background & Development • Key Definitions & Concepts • Compliance Requirements for Port Facilities</i>
1100 – 1200	Maritime Security Policies
	<i>National & International Maritime Security Policies • Alignment of Port Security with National Security Strategies</i>
1200 – 1215	<i>Break</i>



1215 – 1350	Threat Identification & Analysis <i>Types of Threats & Patterns of Maritime Crime • Risk & Threat Assessment Methodologies</i>
1350 – 1400	Recap <i>Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow</i>
1400	<i>End of Day One</i>

Day 2: Tuesday, 04th of August 2026

0800 – 0900	Security Levels & Corresponding Measures <i>Understanding Security Levels 1, 2, & 3 • Implementing Measures as Per the Security Level</i>
0900 - 0930	Port Facility Security Survey & Assessment <i>Steps to Conduct Security Surveys • Identifying Vulnerabilities in Port Facilities</i>
0930 - 0945	<i>Break</i>
0945 – 1100	Security Equipment & Technology <i>Overview of Security Technologies & Their Applications • Maintenance & Operation of Security Systems</i>
1100 - 1200	Implementing Security Measures <i>Case Studies on Security Measure Implementation at Various Levels • Continuous Improvement of Security Operations</i>
1200 - 1215	<i>Break</i>
1215 – 1350	Handling Sensitive Security Information <i>Classification, Handling, & Dissemination of Sensitive Information • Data Protection Laws & Regulations</i>
1350 – 1400	Recap <i>Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow</i>
1400	<i>End of Day Two</i>

Day 3: Wednesday, 05th of August 2026

0800 – 0900	Crisis Management & Incident Response <i>Preparation for Security Incidents • Coordination with Local & National Authorities</i>
0900 - 0930	Security Drills & Training <i>Planning & Conducting Security Drills • Training Staff in Security Awareness & Procedures</i>
0930 - 0945	<i>Break</i>
0945 – 1100	Facility Security Plan (FSP) <i>Developing & Maintaining the FSP • Components & Critical Elements of An Effective FSP</i>
1100 - 1200	Legal & Regulatory Framework <i>Review of Applicable Maritime Security Laws • Compliance with International Conventions & Protocols</i>

1200 - 1215	Break
1215 - 1350	Interagency & International Cooperation Collaborating with Customs, Police & Other Security Agencies • Enhancing Cooperation Through Joint Exercises & Information Sharing
1350 - 1400	Recap Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow
1400	End of Day Three

Day 4: Thursday, 06th of August 2026

0800 - 0900	Security Auditing & Reviews Auditing Security Processes & Systems • Feedback Mechanisms & Continuous Improvement
0900 - 0930	Advanced Risk Management Techniques Applying Advanced Risk Assessment Tools & Methodologies • Scenario Planning & Strategic Foresight in Security Planning
0930 - 0945	Break
0945 - 1100	Environmental Security Concerns Security Considerations for Environmental Protection • Managing Environmental Risks in Port Operations
1100 - 1200	Monitoring & Controlling Access to the Facility Techniques & Systems for Access Control • Ensuring the Security of Restricted Areas
1200 - 1215	Break
1215 - 1350	Cargo Security Securing & Monitoring Cargo • Dealing with Stowaways & Contraband
1350 - 1400	Recap Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow
1400	End of Day Three

Day 5: Friday, 07th of August 2026

0800 - 0900	Ship & Port Interface Security Protocols for Ship-To-Port Interactions • Applying the Declaration of Security
0900 - 0930	Security Communications Effective Security Communication Strategies • Use of Technology in Enhancing Communication
0930 - 0945	Break
0945 - 1100	Surveillance & Patrols Planning & Executing Effective Patrols • Use of Surveillance Systems in Monitoring
1100 - 1200	Real-Time Incident Handling Simulation of Security Incident Response • Decision-Making Under Pressure
1200 - 1215	Break

1215 - 1245	Case Studies & Real-Life Examples <i>Discussion of Real-Life Incidents & Learning Points • Best Practices & Lessons Learned</i>
1245 - 1300	Course Conclusion <i>Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Course Topics that were Covered During the Course</i>
1300 - 1400	COMPETENCY EXAM
1400	<i>End of Course</i>

Practical Sessions

This practical and highly-interactive course includes real-life case studies and exercises:-



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