# Charlotte Brittain

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Date of birth: 07.08.1998

Nationality: British

Location: Bournemouth, UK

Language: English

Marital status: Single

Non smoker

Discreet Tattoos

Fully Vaccinated

## Certifications:

- ENG1 (Exp 10/2023)
- STCW (Exp 10/2026)
- Full UK Drivers Licence



- Food & Hygiene Level 2
- RYA Power boat level II
- RYA First Aid

Profile:

Following on from my previous experience as a deckhand, I am seeking a new challenge on a sailing or motor yacht to further develop my skills and comprehension on deck.

I am a friendly, confident, positive and easy going individual. I enjoy meeting new people from around the world and I am told I am easy to get along with and have a great sense of humour. Because of this I have been able to develop long lasting relationships with the crew on my previous boats. I am self-motivated and constantly seeking new ways to develop my skills and knowledge. I traveled the world for over a year where I worked in Australia in different kinds of work and learnt to adapt quickly to different work and social settings.

Industry Related Experience:

## Deckhand / Cook / Stewardess - M/Y ITHAKA 30m April 2022 - October 2022

- Handling the stern lines, fenders and comms when docking.
- Anchoring & shore lining. Including double anchoring independently.

- Jet tender experience.
- Two part teak clean.
- Polishing/wash downs.
- Sanding/vanishing & general maintenance.
- Navigation & watch experience.
- Housekeeping in cabins.
- Provisioning and cooking healthy meals for the crew and guests.
- Built a strong rapport with primary guests and children, regularly participating in
- activities/games good knowledge of the water sports on board and helping out with this on charter

## City Cruises Poole - Deckhand February 2022 - April 2022.

- Charters around the south coast of the UK.
- Line handing, washdowns, some engine knowledge such as pumping bilges etc.

## Sydney Harbour Tall Ships - Deckhand on 40m Soren Larson June 2017 - December 2017

- Cooking a set menu for up to 5 cruises per day and a maximum number of 100 passengers whilst also cooking lunch and dinner for 14 crew members.
- Preparing for each day's sail by checking stock, provisioning & keeping the boat clean.
- Working in different positions which included working on deck and in the galley. Mast climb
  instructor where I instructed passengers how to climb up the mast and went up with them
  when needed.
- I also helped with setting sails, throwing and catching the lines, driving the tender and learnt to carry out instructions from my captain.
- Two months of refit where I was trained to sand, paint & varnish to a high level.

## Ferndown Forest Inn September 2019 - March 2020

- Working in the Bar and Kitchen.
- Putting my own specials on the menu weekly.
- Working in a fast paced environment.
- Barista skills, Bar Skills & Knowledge and Waitressing.
- Managing my time efficiently by catching up on cleaning jobs or helping other departments.

# Wolfox Cafe - Brighton & Hove May 2019 - September 2019

• I worked as a juicer & barista in a health-food cafe creating smoothie bowls, different fresh juice recipes and simple lunches.

Work Experience:

#### Travelling January 2017 - March 2018

At 18 I travelled to Australia for a year on my own where I lived and worked In Sydney and
Melbourne and travelled the east coast. I worked a wide range of jobs including farms, sales,
bars and ships. I also travelled to Vietnam and New Zealand. This experience gave me a great
new outlook on life. I constantly wanted to meet new people and learn new things.

## Big Warranties - Bournemouth July 2020 - February 2022

- Customer service telephony & sales agent.
- The 'Customer champion' role was given to me after six months which meant I would manage the trust pilot page and regularly motivate the team to go above & beyond for customers.
- Recruiting engineers & upselling repairs showing great confidence & communication skills.

## Hays Travel - Verwood October 2019 - March 2020 (Furlough to July)

- Great people skills as a sales agent.
- Dealing with clients and tour operators.
- Knowledge of different countries & cultures.

#### Hobbies & Interests

I have a love of the outdoors and nature. I enjoy Hiking, Swimming, and camping. I love keeping fit and healthy and have a huge passion for cooking, regularly trying new recipes and cooking for friends and family. I am also a very social person, I love seeing friends and attending live music & festivals.

## References;

- Andrew Law - Captain at Sydney Harbour Tall ships / ex superyacht captain

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- Tony Cattell - Captain on M/Y ITHAKA

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- Daniel Firth - 1st Mate on M/Y ITHAKA

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