

Professor Mike Barnett

Career and qualifications

Professor Mike Barnett is an Emeritus Professor of Maritime Safety at Warsash Maritime Academy, Southampton Solent University. After a seafaring career to chief officer rank, Mike joined Warsash in 1985 as a lecturer in tanker safety. He was Head of Research at Warsash from 1991to his retirement in 2015, directing its research strategy and several externally funded research projects relating to maritime human factors, including both HORIZON and MARTHA projects. Mike has attended IMO since 1995 and is now an advisor to the UK delegation on the revision of the fatigue guidelines in 2016 and 2017. In 2012 he was awarded the MN Medal for his contribution to maritime safety and research, and was the winner of the European Transport senior researcher competition in 2016.

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