



Starting in January • Full-time

Job Advertisement

We are looking for a

Engineer – SAR Vessel Operations(f/m/d)

We are a civilian aid organization founded in 2015 in response to people dying in the Mediterranean Sea. We search for people in distress on the world's deadliest refugee route and fight against the daily loss of life at sea with our rescue boat. We are convinced:

"Every life counts!"

If you share our belief in solidarity at sea and want to put your technical expertise to meaningful use, we look forward to your application.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Ensure the safe and efficient operation of all propulsion systems and auxiliary machinery onboard.
- Oversee, maintain, and troubleshoot hydraulic, cooling, and fuel systems.
- Perform basic electrical work, including diagnostics and maintenance of low-voltage systems.
- Support onboard safety by adhering to marine procedures and participating in first-aid readiness.
- Assist with deck operations when required, contributing to the vessel's overall mission readiness.

PROFILE

- Marine Engineering certification or equivalent practical experience in vessel engineering.
- Strong knowledge of propulsion, auxiliary machinery, and mechanical systems
- Basic electrical skills, including hands-on experience with low-voltage systems.
- Familiarity with maritime safety processes; first-aid skills are desirable.
- Experience with high-speed rescue vessels or SAR operations is highly valued

- Physically fit and comfortable assisting with deck duties.
- Strong situational awareness, teamwork, and communication abilities.
- Fluent English; Italian and/or Arabic language skills are an advantage.
- Willingness to contribute to additional technical roles such as basic electrical support
- Proactive mindset with resilience and problem-solving capacity

WHAT WE OFFER

- Opportunity to work in a mission-driven organization with a tangible humanitarian impact.
- An annual training budget (50% of one monthly salary).
- Salary: 2700 Euro gross/Month
- Annual health budget (via supplementary company health insurance) and employer-supported pension scheme with an attractive contribution.
- Prospects of longer-term employment(1:1)

HOW TO APPLY

Diverse perspectives enrich our team.

We particularly encourage applications from individuals who experience structural discrimination – even if not all listed requirements are met.

Please send your application documents (cover letter, CV, and relevant certificates or references) as a single PDF file (max. 3 MB) to hr@sea-eye.de with the subject line "Application: Marine Engineer – SAR Operations." In your application, please let us know where you found this job posting.

HIRING CONTACT

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If your application is not considered or is withdrawn, all related personal data will be deleted no later than six months after the rejection or withdrawal of your application.