CHIEF ENGINEER

The above mentioned position is available in the Ferry Operations Department at Robben Island Museum. The purpose of the Job is to ensure that all mechanical, electrical, electronic, mooring, rigging, running gear and safety equipment are monitored, well maintained and in good working order to ensure an efficient and effective transport system.

Duties and Responsibilities:
- Managing the vessel during preparation and sailing on each voyage;
- Responsible for the supervision, checking and maintenance of all machinery and equipment onboard vessel;
- Manage Engine room staff and report to Unit Manager;
- Logging of engine parameters;
- Maintaining all mechanical and electrical equipment as per planned maintenance;
- Tending to and reporting breakdowns of all equipment onboard;
- Performing duties of Safety Officer as per MOS regs;
- Ensuring all safety equipment is tested regularly and is certified/valid at all times;
- Ensuring craft is compliant at all times with regulatory bodies.

Qualification, Experience and Technical skill
- Matric (Preferably with mathematics and science);
- SA Maritime Certificate: Motorman Higher Grade or equivalent or Higher. Certificates must be valid;
- Motorman Higher Grade and/or Engineering Officer of the Watch Class III (Unlimited) Certificates with MTU Operators Certificate and a Caterpillar C32 engine Operators Certificate will be given preference;
- Preference will also be extended to those with experience working with Caterpillar and MTU engines;
- 2 years’ experience working as a Chief Engineer onboard vessel with more 2000 kW;
- Certificates for the following:
  - Marine Fire Fighting;
  - First Aid and survival at sea;
  - Competency in survival crafts (CISC);
  - Eye test;
  - Medical Health certificate;
  - Safety officer course;
  - Crowd management.

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Forward a detailed cv, accompanied by certified copies your ID and qualification certificates as well as contactable referees, to recruitment@robben-island.org.za by no later than 05 November 2019. Note: If you do not hear from us within 30 days, please consider your application unsuccessful. Please note your attachment should not exceed 10 MB.