

# AT THE SHARP END

A two-day short course on the basics  
of merchants ships and their operations...



Please make your own way to Liverpool and to the Atlantic Tower Thistle Hotel on Monday.

You are booked into the Hotel for two nights Bed & Breakfast on the Monday and Tuesday of your course.

On Tuesday you will be collected from reception at 9am and escorted to the Brookes Bell office which is nearby. From then on your food and transport will all be arranged by Brookes Bell.

**Ship visits can be quite arduous with many steps to climb – some vertical. Therefore it is not suitable for anybody with breathing or walking difficulties.**

**You will need sensible warm clothing suitable for ship visits, and a lightweight waterproof jacket. You should be aware that your clothes may get slightly dirty.**

**We will provide safety footwear, hi-vis waistcoats and helmets which must be worn and boiler suits (which are recommended but optional). You should bring personal identification; either a current passport or UK photo driving licence. No other forms of ID are acceptable to the port authorities.**

The course will finish at 4.45pm on Wednesday in plenty of time to catch the 5.15 pm train to London.

A full itinerary and details of the course delegates will be sent to you or provided at the hotel on your arrival, but the programme and content may change at short notice depending on shipping schedules, tidal conditions, etc.

The course is accredited by The Law Society for at least 12 hours CPD, depending on the programme.

We look forward to seeing you and if you have any questions or problems call 0151 236 0083.

Please will you complete and return the attached form.



Organised by Brookes Bell Marine Consultants and Surveyors  
In association with Lairdside Maritime Centre (part of the School of Engineering, Liverpool John Moores University)

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## PROGRAMME OF LECTURES AND VISITS

*(Tidal constraints, operational factors and availability of lectures may require departures  
from the proposed schedule)*

### Tuesday

- 0900 Pick up at hotel for Introduction (CFK)
- 0915 Hatch Cover Lecture
- 1030 Ship Visit
- 1230 Lairdside
- Basic ship types and ship construction (lecture)
- Simulator
- 1830 Course Dinner

### Wednesday

- 0930 Bulk Cargo Lecture
- 1030 Ship Visit
- 1300 Oil Measurement
- 1430 Ship Visit
- 1630 Lime Street for 1715



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Thank you for completing and returning the booking form.

We hope that you will enjoy the time you spend with us here in Liverpool.

To this end and to assist us whilst you are in attendance, will you please provide the following information.

All information given is treated with the strictest confidence.

Name of Delegate .....

Date of Course .....

Name and Contact Number in case of Emergency

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Any Medical History you feel we should be aware of? Please state:

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Are you at present taking any medication that we should be aware of?

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Do you have any special dietary requirements? If so please state: .....

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Is there any further information you feel we should be aware of? Please state:

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I hereby acknowledge the information I have provided is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge:

Sign .....

Date .....

Thank you for completing this short questionnaire. We, at Brookes Bell and at JMU Lairdside, hope you enjoy your course. If we can be of further assistance, please don't hesitate to contact us. – Tel 0151 236 0083

Thank you.



Email to: [karen.voas@brookesbell.com](mailto:karen.voas@brookesbell.com)

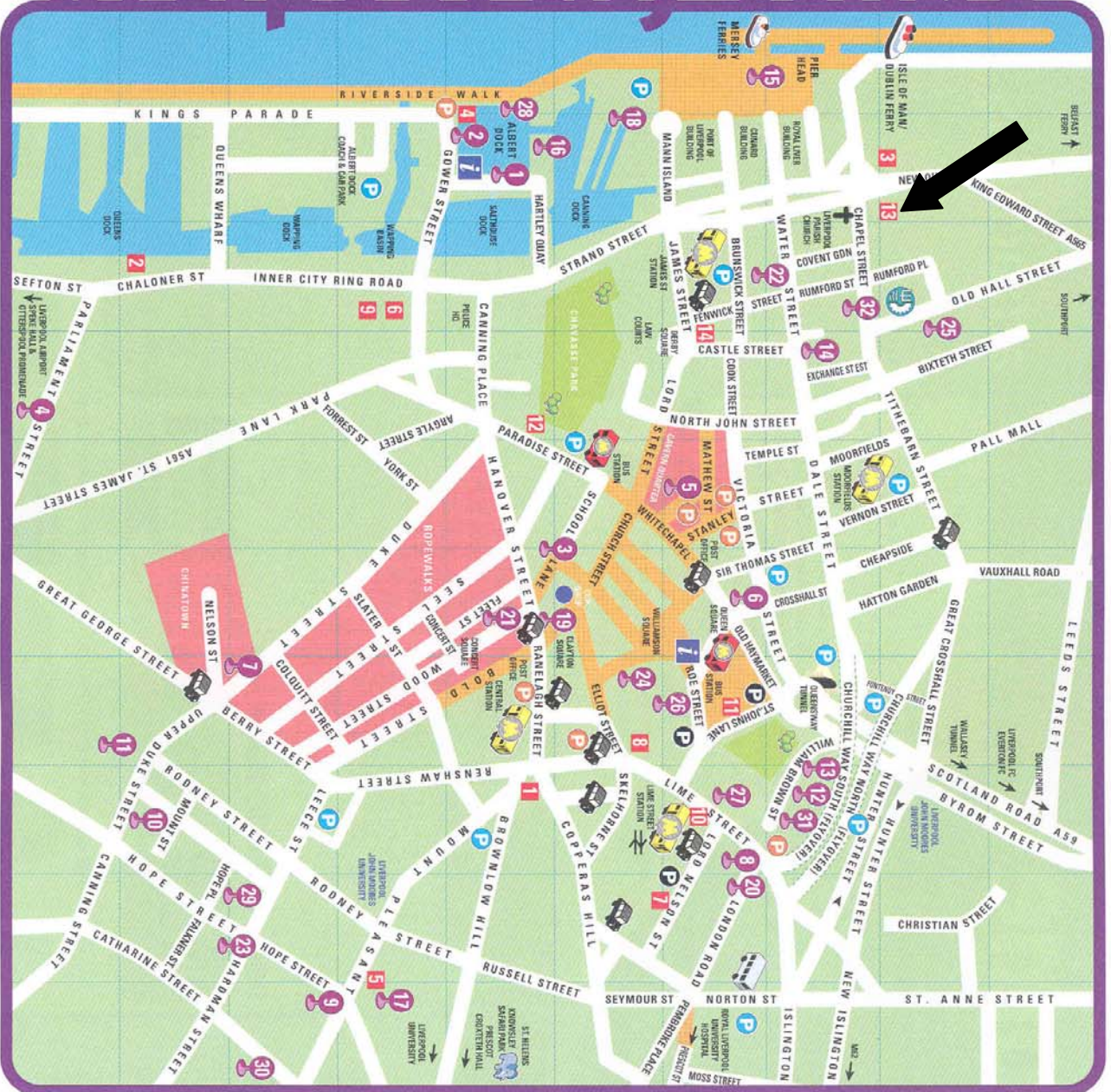
Or post to: **Brookes Bell, Martins Building, Water Street, Liverpool, L2 3SX**



- HOTELS**
- 1 Britannia Adelphi
  - 2 Campanile
  - 3 Crown Plaza
  - 4 Express Holiday Inn
  - 5 Feathers
  - 6 Formule 1
  - 7 Gladstone
  - 8 Holiday Inn City Centre
  - 9 Ibis
  - 10 Liverpool John Moores University
  - 11 Marriott
  - 12 Motel House
  - 13 Thistle
  - 14 Trinds

- 7 TOURIST INFORMATION
- MAIN SHOPPING AREA
- PARKING - DISABLED
- PARKING - 24 HOURS
- PARKING
- LIVERPOOL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
- BUS STATION
- NATIONAL EXPRESS INCLUDING AIRPORT SERVICE
- MERSEYTRAVEL BUS STATION
- TAXI RANK
- MERSEYTRAIL STATION
- MERSEY FERRIES
- FERRIES

# Liverpool city centre



- ATTRACTIONS**
- 1 Albert Dock
  - 2 Beatles Story
  - 3 Bluecoat Arts Centre
  - 4 Cairns Brewery
  - 5 Cavern Quarter
  - 6 Conservation Centre
  - 7 Chinese Arch
  - 8 Empire Theatre
  - 9 Everyman Theatre
  - 10 Liverpool Institute of Performing Arts
  - 11 Liverpool Cathedral
  - 12 Liverpool Central Library
  - 13 Liverpool Museum
  - 14 Liverpool Town Hall
  - 15 Mersey Ferries Heritage Cruise
  - 16 Merseyside Maritime Museum (and HM Customs & Excise Museum)
  - 17 Metropolitan Cathedral
  - 18 Museum of Liverpool Life
  - 19 Neptune Theatre
  - 20 Odeon Cinema
  - 21 Open Eye Gallery
  - 22 Passport Office/India Buildings
  - 23 Philharmonic Hall
  - 24 Playhouse Theatre
  - 25 Registry Office
  - 26 Royal Court Theatre
  - 27 St George's Hall
  - 28 Tate Gallery
  - 29 Unity Theatre
  - 30 University of Liverpool Art Gallery
  - 31 Walker Art Gallery
  - 32 Western Approaches