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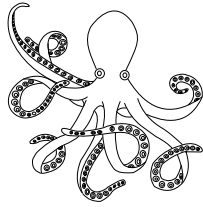


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Purpose

This document lists the papers on "*United Nations conventions & national laws*" archived in the relevant section of the "Diving and ROV Specialists" website database.

Its purpose is to serve as a supplementary resource for research to the chronological list and search engine capabilities. For this reason, the various documents are categorized under the following sub-sections:

- International Maritime Organization (IMO) conventions and guidelines
- International Labour Organization (ILO) conventions and guidelines
- National and supranational organizations' laws and guidelines

Categorizations will be refined over time. However, it is impractical to provide search engines and classifications that fully reflect researchers' preferences. Therefore, it is hoped that these three search methods will enable you to find the documents you seek.

Unlike the website's chronological index, this document does not include descriptions of the content of the various papers. However, the chronological classification number, authors' names, and publication dates are available, allowing you to locate them in the chronological lists where the descriptions and download links are provided.

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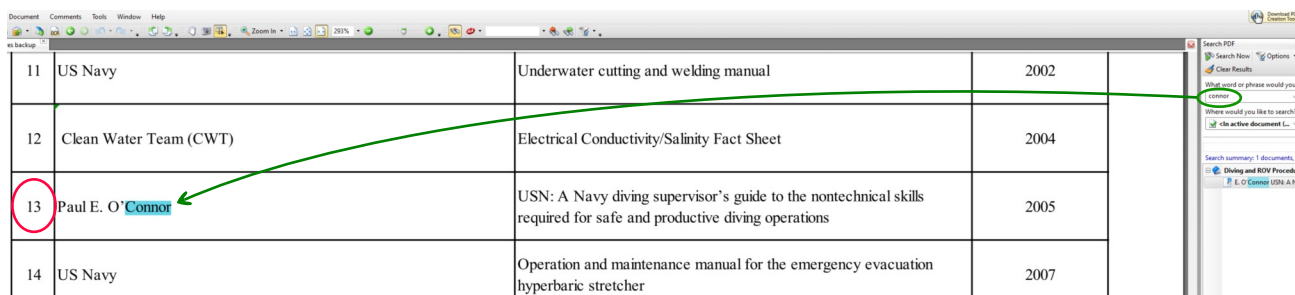
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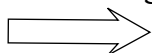
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1. Follow the list and select the desired document, or use the search function of the PDF software by entering the keyword in the dedicated field. In this example, the author's name (Paul E. O'Connor) has been used.



11	US Navy	Underwater cutting and welding manual	2002
12	Clean Water Team (CWT)	Electrical Conductivity/Salinity Fact Sheet	2004
13	Paul E. O'Connor	USN: A Navy diving supervisor's guide to the nontechnical skills required for safe and productive diving operations	2005
14	US Navy	Operation and maintenance manual for the emergency evacuation hyperbaric stretcher	2007

2. Select the reference number (highlighted in red) and the year of publication (2005 in this example).
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Diving & ROV procedures and standards

This section provides currently enforced diving standards and guidelines adopted by national bodies or published by professional organizations. It also includes procedures published by highly skilled independent authors that can serve as references. Links are provided to organizations that publish paid documents frequently used or imposed on contractors.

Note that we believe that every standard or norm imposed on contractors should be available free of charge.

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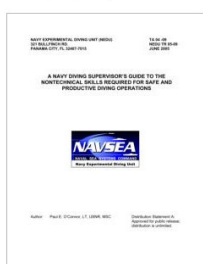
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- Documents years 1980 to 2018

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13 - USN: A Navy diving supervisor's guide to the nontechnical skills required for safe and productive diving operations

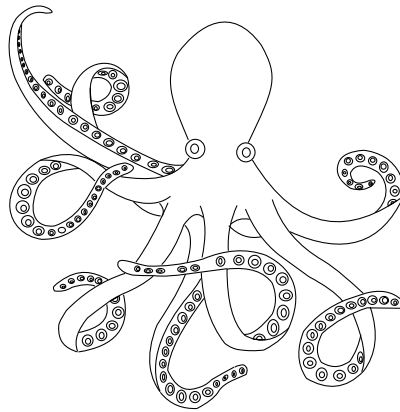


Author: Paul E O'Connor

The purposes of this guide are to provide information on the nontechnical skills required for safe and productive operations by U.S. Navy dive teams. Nontechnical skills are required for safe and effective performance in a technical context but are not directly related to technical expertise. The nontechnical skills addressed in this guide include situation awareness, decision making, team working/leadership, and mitigating the effects of stress and fatigue. Communication is not included as a separate topic since it underpins every one of these skills.

Reference USN: NEDU TR 05-09
Date: June 2005

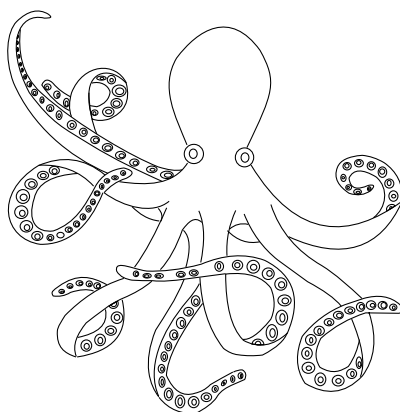
International Maritime Organization (IMO) conventions and guidelines



<i>Nb</i>	<i>Authors</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Year publication</i>
Early times - 2014			
1	Diving & ROV specialists	Internet links to IMO resolutions and maritime facts	all years
2	IMO	United nations convention on the law of the sea	1970
3	IMO	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973 (MARPOL)	1973
5	IMO	International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification, and Watchkeeping for seafarers (STCW) 1978	1978
7	IMO	IMO-resolution-a.536-code-of-safety-for-diving-systems_adopted-on-17-november-1983	1984
11	IMO	Guidelines and specification for hyperbaric evacuation systems A692	1991
12	IMO	Guidelines for the organization of organizations acting on behalf of the administration - resolution A.739(18) 22 November 1993	1993
13	IMO	International management code for the safe operation of ships and pollution prevention A 18/Res.741	1993-11
14	IMO	Guidelines for vessels and dynamic positioning systems - MSC / Cir.645	1994
15	IMO	A 19/Res. 789 - Specifications on the survey and certifications functions of recognized organizations acting on behalf of the administration - resolution A. 789(19) 23 nov 1995	1995
16	IMO	Code of safety for diving systems 1995	1995
17	IMO	General requirements for electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) for all electrical and electronic ship's equipment - A 19/Res. 813	1995-12
18	IMO	International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers, 1978, as amended in 1995	1996
19	IMO	IMO - Guidelines for anchoring systems for MODUs - MSC/Circ.737	1996-05
20	IMO	International life-saving appliance (LSA) code - MSC.48(66)	1996-06
21	IMO	Amendments to the international safety management (ISM) code - Resolution msc 104(73) 5 dec 2000.	2000
22	IMO	International code of safety for high-speed craft, 2000 - MSC.97(73)	2000
24	IMO	International convention for the control and management of ships' ballast water and sediments - 2004 - BWM/CONF/36	2004-02
25	IMO	International convention for the safety of life at sea (SOLAS) - ed 2004 (resolution MSC.474(102) to be added)	2004-07
26	IMO	MSC 79/23 Amendments to the international management code for the safe operation of ships and for pollution prevention - Resolution msc 179(79)	2004-12
27	IMO	-10 dec 2004. Guidelines for the design and construction of offshore supply vessel - MSC.235(82)	2006-12
28	IMO	Amendments to the international life-saving appliance (LSA) code - MSC.218(82)	2006-12

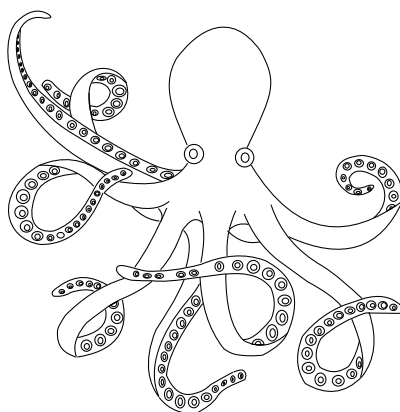
29	IMO	Code of safety for special purpose ships 2008 - MSC 84/24/Add.2	2008-05
31	IMO	MSC 85/26/Add.1 - Amendments to the international management code for the safe operation of ships and for pollution prevention - Resolution msc 273(85) -10 dec 2008.	2008
32	IMO	Code for the construction and equipment of mobile offshore Brilling units 2009 - A 26/Res.1023 (2009 MODU code)	2009-12
33	IMO	Final Act of the Conference of Parties to the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers (STCW), 1978 (Manila - 2010)	2010
34	IMO	IMO: International Maritime law institute	2010
35	IMO	IMO - International code for application of fire test procedures 2010 - MSC.307(88)	2010-12
36	IMO	2011 guidelines for the control and management of ships' biofouling to minimize the transfer of invasive aquatic species - MEPC 62/24/Add.1	2011
37	IMO	Guidance for minimizing the transfer of invasive aquatic species as biofouling (hull fouling) for recreational crafts - MEPC.1/Circ.792	2012
39	IMO	Guidance for evaluating the 2011 guidelines for the control and management of ships biofouling to minimize the transfer of invasive aquatic species - MEPC.1/Circ.811	2013
40	IMO	MSC 92/26/Add.1 - Amendments to the international management code for the safe operation of ships and for pollution prevention - Resolution msc 395(92) - 21 dec 2013.	2013
42	IMO	International trade and invasive alien species	2013
2015 - Now			
1	IMO	International management code for the safe operation of ships and for pollution prevention - International safety management (ISM code).	2015-01
2	IMO	International code for ships operating in polar waters (Polar code) - MSC.385(94) & MEPC.264(68)	2015-05
6	IMO	Guidelines for vessels and units with dynamic positioning systems - MSC 1/Circ 1580	2017
8	IMO	List of certificates and documents required to be carried on board ships. 2017 - MEPC.1/Circ.873 - MSC1/Circ.1586	2017
13	IMO	Amendement to the international life-saving appliance code - MSC.459(101)	2019-06
15	IMO	Amendment to the international convention for the safety of life at sea 1974 (SOLAS) - MSC.474(102)	2020-11
18	IMO	International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) Code, 2020 Edition	2022-05
22	IMO	IMO International code of safety for diving operations - 2023	2024-01

International Labour Organization (ILO) conventions and guidelines



<i>Nb</i>	<i>Authors</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Year publication</i>
Early times - 2014			
6	ILO	ILO - C155 - Occupational Safety and Health Convention, 1981 (No. 155)	1981
8	ILO	Register of lifting appliances and items of loose gears - ILO Convention concerning Occupational Safety and Health in Dock Work (No. 152), 1979	1984
10	ILO	Note on the role of employers' and workers' organizations in the implementation of ILO Conventions and Recommendations	1987-06
23	ILO	International Labour Standards on Employment policy	2003-03
45	ILO	ILO - Creating Safe and Healthy Workplaces for All (International Labour Organization)	2013
2015 - Now			
3	ILO	International LABOUR Organization: Maritime labour convention	2016
4	ILO	ILO - Tripartite Declaration of Principles concerning Multinational Enterprises and Social Policy	2013
7	ILO	ILO - Safeguarding the rights of Asian migrant workers from home to the workplace	2017
11	ILO	ILO - An introduction to the standards-related work of the International Labour Organization	2019
16	ILO	ILO - Exposure to hazardous chemicals at work and resulting health impacts: A global review	2021
17	ILO	ILO - Key principles underlying sanctioning procedures applicable to occupational safety and health violations	2021

National and supranational organizations' laws and guidelines



<i>Nb</i>	<i>Authors</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Year publication</i>
Early times - 2014			
4	UK government	UK - Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974	1974-07
9	James R Sutterfield	Legal aspects of decompression table validation	1987-02
30	ASEAN	The ASEAN Charter	2008
38	UK - HSE	Application of health and safety law offshore - Guidance on the legislative changes introduced by the Health and Safety at Work etc Act 1974 (Application outside Great Britain) Order 2013	2013-01
41	ASEAN	Labour laws and practices in ASEAN	2013
43	Brazilian marine authorities	Marine authority standards for the operation of foreign-flagged vessels in Brazilian jurisdictional waters	2013
44	EU	Regulation No 1143/2014 of the European Parliament and the Council of 22 October 2014 on the prevention and management of the introduction and spread of invasive alien species	2014
2015 - Now			
5	Council for International Organizations of Medical Sciences (CIOMS)	CIOMS: International guidelines for health related research involving humans	2016-06
9	WHO	Protecting workers' health	2017-11
10	Andre Constantin	Human Subject Research: International and Regional Human Rights Standards	2018-12
12	UN	Manual of tests and criteria Rev. 7 - United Nations	2019
14	Michael G. White	Why Human Subjects Research Protection Is Important	2020-04
19	CIOMS	International guidelines on good governance practice for research institutions	2023
20	US Dept Labour occupational HSE	OSHA - Workers' rights	2023-03
21	UK HSE	UK Health and safety - the diving at work resolution 1997	2023-04
23	National Academies	National Academies: Future Topical Updates to the Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals: Proceedings of a Workshop ;in Brief (2024)	2024-10

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