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Hands-on, dynamic, and seasoned professional, offering over 20 years of experience in inspection, marine survey, pollution response and consultation within the maritime industry.

Demonstrated track record of quality work and project management, as well as proven strategic planning expertise and dynamic leadership, resulting in efficient operation of organizational programs.

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***Summary of Qualifications***

**National Association of Marine Surveyors (NAMS) – Certified Marine Surveyor (CMS); Certified in Hull and Machinery**

- Conduct inspections, surveys, and examinations of marine vessels to assess, monitor and report on their condition, as well as damage caused as the result of incidents.
- Responsible for conducting general condition and value surveys, general safety surveys, on and off charter surveys, hull and cargo loss/damage, trip and tow surveys, regulatory consulting, and administration.

**Towing Vessel Inspection Bureau (TVIB) – TVIB Certified AWO RCP – Subchapter M Lead Auditor and Surveyor**

- Certified by the Towing Vessel Inspection Bureau (TVIB) to conduct third party management and vessel audits of companies and vessels participating in an audited safety management system for compliance with the Towing Vessel Inspection requirements of 46 CFR Subchapter M.
- Accredited internal structural exam, drydock, and annual surveyor for purposes of compliance with the Towing Vessel Inspection requirements.
- Experienced marine surveyor with a strong background in vessel equipment, plans and specifications. Documenting and tracking all new build construction activities ensuring smooth transition to certificated status with the U.S. Coast Guard.
- Provide consulting services for companies in the maritime industry, offering a tailored safety management system customized to their operations and needs. Champion of customers' needs in keeping with regulatory demands.

- Recognized as customer-service oriented with passion for process improvement.

## **Senior Marine Inspector**

- 10 years commercial vessel construction and repair inspection for the U.S. Coast Guard.
  - Fully qualified and experienced deck, machinery and hull marine inspector.
  - Expertise includes the application and management of vessel inspection programs encompassing Coast Guard regulations, industry standards, international treaties, classification society requirements, alternative compliance programs and regulatory design review procedures.
  - Personnel management skills guiding, training and evaluating up to 20 marine inspectors, pollution investigators, and administrative personnel.
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## ***Experience***

Co-Owner/Principal Consultant S & L Maritime Consulting, LLC D'Iberville, MS, 39540	01-2014 – Present
Owner/Principal Consultant Singley Maritime Consulting, LLC Diamondhead, MS	07-2003 – 12-2013
Executive Officer USCG Marine Safety Unit Houma, LA	07-1999 – 07-2003
Chief Inspection Department USCG Marine Safety Unit Houma LA	07/97 - 07/99
Marine Inspector USCG Marine Safety Detachment Houma, LA	07/95 – 7/97
Marine Inspector Trainee USCG Marine Safety Office New Orleans, LA	10/93 – 07-95

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### ***Education***

Mississippi State University  
Aerospace Engineering

Starkville, MS  
01/79 – 05/80

South Pike High School  
Graduated

Magnolia, MS  
05/78

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### **Formal Training**

- TVIB Certified Lead Auditor
  - TVIB Certified Subchapter M Surveyor
  - TVIB Certified Drydock and Internal Structural Exam Surveyor
  - ISM Code Auditor Course - ABS
  - Apollo Root Cause Analysis Training
  - Company Security Officer training - LA Technical College
  - AWO's Responsible Carrier Program 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Auditor Course.
  - International Safety Management (ISM) Code Lead Assessor Certification
  - USCG Marine Inspection Course
  - USCG Port State Control Course
  - USCG Safety and Occupation Health Coordinator Course
  - NFPA Confined Space Entry and Shipyard Competent Person Training
  - ABYC Standards Accreditation Course
  - Wood Boat Construction, Repair and Surveying School
  - Outer Continental Shelf Inspector Course
  - Survival Craft Operations and Water Survival Training
  - Fiberglass Vessel Inspection and Repair School
  - Tankerman Training
  - The Hampton Roads Marine Firefighting Symposium
  - Incident Command System Training 100 - 400
  - Oil Spill Response School
  - USCG Port Operations Course
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### **Related Coast Guard Qualifications**

- Tank and Freight Barge
- Small Passenger Vessel
- Foreign Vessel Port State Control
- Deep Draft Vessel Hull, Machinery and Deck
- Offshore Supply Vessel