



**Press release: immediate dispatch**

### ***Finalists for Seatrade Asia Awards 2010 announced***

30 March 2010 – Following an overwhelming number of entries for the **3<sup>rd</sup> Seatrade Asia Awards**, the judging process is now complete. Seatrade is pleased to announce the finalists in each award category.

The winners will be announced at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Seatrade Asia Awards gala dinner on Monday April 26 at the Shangri-La Hotel, Island Ballroom, Singapore.

The evening will see a full-house gathering of key shipping executives from Singapore and around the world, honouring the winners and celebrating the successes of the Asian maritime industry despite a challenging 2009. The Seatrade Asia Awards will be held during the Singapore Maritime Week where the international maritime community is expected to gather for networking and exchange of ideas.

The following companies listed in alphabetical order in each category are in the running for the 2010 Awards honours.

#### **THE ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AWARD**

- Chemoil
- Hull Surface Treatment
- Jenjosh Marine Services
- Maersk Line
- MAN Diesel

#### **THE EDUCATION AND TRAINING AWARD**

- Castrol Marine
- Magsaysay Maritime Corporation
- Malaysian Maritime Academy
- Singapore Maritime Academy
- Wallem Shipmanagement

#### **THE TECHNICAL INNOVATION AWARD**

- ABS Nautical
- Ascenz
- MAN Diesel
- NYK Shipmanagement
- SingTel
- Stratos Global Corporation

#### **THE SAFETY AWARD**

- Jurong Port
- Keppel Shipyard
- MKN Asia
- Mobilarm Ltd
- Wilhelmsen Ships Service

#### **THE PORT AUTHORITY AWARD**

- Hong Kong Marine Department
- Krishnapatnam Port Co

#### **THE REPAIR YARD AWARD**

- Jurong Shipyard
- Keppel Shipyard

- Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore

#### **THE OFFSHORE YARD AWARD**

- Cosco Shipyard Group Co Ltd
- Drydocks World – SE Asia
- Jurong Shipyard
- Keppel FELS
- PPL Shipyard

#### **THE SHIP MANAGER AWARD**

- BW Fleet Management
- Fleet Management Ltd
- NYK Shipmanagement
- Thome Ship Management

#### **THE TERMINAL OPERATOR AWARD**

- Gateway Terminals India
- Port of Tanjung Pelepas
- PSA International

#### **THE BULK OPERATOR AWARD**

- Pacific Basin Shipping Ltd
- Pacific Carriers Ltd
- Precious Shipping Public Co
- Sical Logistics Ltd

#### **THE CLASSIFICATION SOCIETY AWARD**

- ABS
- China Classification Society
- ClassNK
- DNV
- Lloyd's Register

#### **THE SHIP AGENT AWARD**

- GAC (Gulf Agency Company)
- Jardine Shipping Services
- The Liberty Marine Syndicate
- Wilhelmsen Ships Service

- Sembawang Shipyard

#### **THE SHIPBUILDING AWARD**

- Drydocks World – SE Asia
- Incat Tasmania Pty Ltd
- Jiangsu Rongsheng Heavy Industries
- Strategic Marine

#### **THE LINER OWNER/OPERATOR AWARD**

- APL
- Emirates Shipping Line
- Maersk Line
- Orient Overseas Container Line Ltd
- United Arab Shipping Co (UASC)

#### **THE TANKER OPERATOR AWARD**

- BW Fleet Management
- Varun Shipping Co

#### **THE SHIP FINANCE AWARD**

- DnB NOR Markets
- DVB Bank
- Standard Chartered Bank
- The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation
- Watson, Farley & Williams LLP (“WFW”)

#### **THE MARITIME LAW AWARD**

- Allen & Gledhill
- Ince & Co
- Stephenson Harwood
- Watson, Farley & Williams LLP (“WFW”)

There will also be the presentations of the **Deal of the Year**, **Personality of the Year**, **Young Person of the Year** and the **Lifetime Achievement** awards. The **Deal of the Year Award** is voted for by readers of Seatrade’s free regional online news service, Seatrade Asia Online at [www.seatradeasia-online.com](http://www.seatradeasia-online.com), with a Chinese version on [www.seatradeasia-online.cn](http://www.seatradeasia-online.cn).

The 2009 event was held at the Shanghai Pudong Shangri-La and last year's winners included Mr CC Tung, Chairman of OOIL for the Seatrade Lifetime Achievement Award and Capt Wei Jia-Fu, President & CEO of COSCO Group for the Seatrade Personality of the Year.

**TABLES ARE ALLOCATED ON A FIRST-COME FIRST-SERVED BASIS SO SECURE YOUR TABLE AT THE 3<sup>RD</sup> SEATRADE ASIA AWARDS NOW TO AVOID ANY DISAPPOINTMENT!**

For further details on the Awards, visit [www.seatradeasia-online.com/awards](http://www.seatradeasia-online.com/awards)

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**About the organiser Seatrade:**

For 40 years Seatrade has been the communication gateway to members of the international maritime and cruise community through its publications, online news portals, international conferences and exhibitions, networking events and award schemes.

**Seatrade magazine** offers unrivalled in-depth reporting and analysis of the world's most dynamic shipping regions and sectors, compiled by a highly experienced and respected team of seasoned writers.

**Seatrade Asia Online** at [www.seatradeasia-online.com](http://www.seatradeasia-online.com) is Asia's only FREE source of daily Asian maritime intelligence, providing breaking international news stories and a fully searchable archive selected by Seatrade's worldwide network of expert correspondents.

Seatrade will be launching in April 2010 a new e-publication designed to fill a long-overdue gap in the market and recognise Asia's emerging role as centre of the maritime world. **Seatrade Asia Week** is the first pan-Asian weekly news vehicle and will include breaking stories on shipping, offshore and energy-related markets. All of the region's major shipping nations will be covered, including China, Japan, Korea, Taiwan, South East Asia and the Indian subcontinent.

Seatrade's upcoming maritime events in Asia include: Seatrade Tanker Industry Conference, 28 April 2010, Singapore; Seatrade All Asia Cruise Convention, 24 – 25 June 2010, Shanghai Port International Cruise Terminal, Shanghai and the third Sea Asia (co-organised with Singapore Maritime Foundation) 12 - 14 April 2011, Singapore.

Seatrade has offices in UK, Dubai, Singapore, China and Hong Kong and is represented in all other maritime centres of the world. Visit [www.seatrade-global.com](http://www.seatrade-global.com) for more details.

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