



An ABL Group Company

ABL BRAZIL: MARINE SURVEYING AND CONSULTANCY

LOCAL INSIGHT. GLOBAL MARITIME ASSURANCE. 24/7 SUPPORT.

ABL Brazil combines ABL's global expertise in marine consultancy, engineering and surveying with deep local market knowledge and a highly experienced, in country multi disciplined team.

With a legacy in Brazil dating back to London Offshore Consultants (LOC) in 2009 and AqualisBraemar in 2012, ABL Brazil has long provided trusted, independent technical support to both Brazilian and international maritime clients operating in the country.

With over 7,500 km of coastline, the vast "Blue Amazon" maritime region, and its position as a global leader in deepwater oil & gas and FPSO operations, Brazil plays a pivotal role in international maritime and offshore energy markets, acting as a key gateway linking South America with global trade routes.

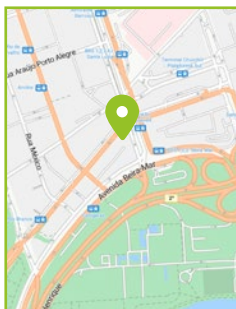
ABL's experienced maritime and offshore energy team is deeply embedded in Brazil's port, shipyard and offshore sectors, with a strong track record supporting complex projects across the lifecycle - including extensive involvement across Brazil's FPSO fleet. We support clients in de risking operations and enhancing asset performance at every stage.

Backed by ABL's global network - with key maritime hubs in London, New York, Singapore, Dubai and Greece - we provide a seamless, integrated service to shipowners, insurers, legal advisors and investors, combining global insight with local execution.

With offices in Rio de Janeiro and Salvador, ABL Brazil offers strong coastal coverage and rapid deployment capability, further strengthened by close collaboration with ABL teams in Guyana, Panama and Mexico - ensuring consistent support across both Brazil and the wider Americas region.

Our Services

- **24/7 Maritime Casualty Response**
- Hull & machinery (H&M) claims
- Protection & indemnity (P&I) claims
- Marine casualty management
- Marine & engineering consulting
- Expert witness
- Superyacht services
- Marine assurance
- Marine warranty survey (MWS)
- Salvage & wreck removal support
- Shipyard and ship construction management
- Ports and terminals consulting
- Navigational risk analysis
- Technical due diligence

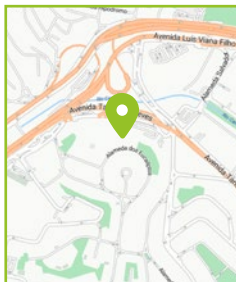


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Specialist Expertise: Maritime and Offshore operations.

Humberto is a naval architect and marine engineer with extensive experience undertaking a wide range of marine & cargo surveys and investigations; as marine warranty surveyor for the transportation of heavy cargo; and in the management of salvage and wreck removal operations, as well as the management of marine warranty survey projects during installations of offshore units including subsea equipment, towing and mooring.

He has acted as underwriters' or owner's representative for salvage and wreck removal operations.

He has also performed construction project management of offshore drilling rigs at shipyards and sites in Brazil, Singapore, Japan, USA, United Kingdom and Romania.

Formerly, he acted as operations manager in various shipping related businesses including roles in technical and operational management, logistics and terminals, including liaison with maritime authorities and flag administrations.



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Fabiano joined ABL Group in 2013 and has over 15 years of hands-on experience as Marine Warranty Surveyor for FPSO/FPU integration projects in Brazil, field experience with offshore lifting operations, subsea installations, modules and project cargo loadouts, transport and offloads, anchoring and quayside mooring of MODU's and FPSO's.

Experienced in suitability surveys, CMID inspections, P&I surveys, marine casualty investigations, condition surveys, pre-purchase surveys, valuation surveys, laid-up surveys, on/off hire inspections of all types of ships as FPSO's, drilling rigs, dredgers, general cargo, offshore support vessels, drill ships, PLSV's, tugs, and barges.



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Marine System Design & Marine Propulsion System, H&M and P&I.

Emanuel holds an MBA with a specialization in Production and Maintenance from UFF (Fluminense Federal University) and a bachelor's degree in Naval Engineering from the Brazilian Naval Academy. He is a fully certified chief naval engineer and a member of the Rio de Janeiro Regional Engineering Council (CREA-RJ) in the category of Naval Machinery Technologist.

Emanuel has over 25 years of experience at sea on LPG, chemical, and oil tankers, working as an engineer and chief engineer, having attained the position of chief engineer in 1992.

He has worked on various FPSO construction projects, maritime transportation of project cargoes in Brazil, hull and machinery surveys, P&I surveys, various inspections carried out such as Sire, Ovid, IMCA, and CMID, as well as ISO 9000 and 14000 internal audits, safety audits, condition surveys, pre-purchase surveys, assessments, decommissioning, dry dock management, DP surveys, and entry and exit inspections for all types of ships, FPSOs, drilling platforms, offshore support vessels, tugboats, and barges.



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Specialist Expertise: Vessel Suitability inspections, On & Off hire surveys, Consumable surveys, Marine Warranty Surveys, Project Cargo loadouts, Tow and Mooring activities.

Nelson Silva Moraes is a highly experienced Tow Master and Mooring Master with more than 25 years of experience supporting offshore marine operations in the oil and gas industry. His career includes extensive participation in FPSO towage and hook-up operations, rig moves, anchorages, offshore positioning of jack-up and semi-submersible units, and complex offshore installation campaigns.

He has successfully led offshore towing and mooring operations involving multiple AHTS vessels, supporting FPSO mobilizations, demobilizations, offshore positioning campaigns, and decommissioning projects in Brazilian offshore fields.

Nelson also brings 15 years of experience sailing onboard Brazilian-flag cargo vessels, progressing from deck officer to Master, as well as commanding ocean tugs and PSV DP vessels.

His experience covers rig moves, offshore positioning, towage planning, and execution of marine operations for FPSOs, drilling rigs and offshore platforms.



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A hard working and dedicated naval architect with over 18 years' experience as a consulting engineer. Responsible for Naval Architecture related work for offshore engineering and Marine Warranty Survey activities.



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Specialist Expertise: Third-Party Engineering Reviews; Shipyard Supervision; Owner's Representation; Vessel Suitability Assessments; On- and Off-Hire Surveys; Consumables Surveys; Marine Warranty Surveys; Project

Cargo Loadouts and Transportation Reviews; Heavy-Lift and Rigging Assessments; Marine Engines and Propulsion Systems; Offshore Subsea Installations; and Hull & Machinery (H&M).

Taltibio Costa holds a Postgraduate Diploma in Safety Engineering (2005) and a degree in Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering from the University of São Paulo (1997). He is a former Brazilian Navy Officer, having graduated from the Brazilian Naval Academy (1991). He has also pursued advanced studies in Robotics and is currently enrolled in the Artificial Intelligence program at COPPE – Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, where he is a prospective Doctor of Science (DSc) candidate.

His career spans the full spectrum from desktop engineering to offshore unit installation, and he is recognized for driving early technical interventions that mitigate high-impact failures, control CAPEX exposure, and protect project schedules across complex project lifecycles. Notable contributions include mitigation of green water risks for six Brazilian Pre-Salt FPSOs (P-66 to P-71 – 1st Pre-Salt Fleet), identification and correction of critical hydrostatic and weight control deviations in a Polar Class vessel, detection and escalation of significant non-compliance issues in wind envelope analyses for naval frigates.

He has led multidisciplinary engineering teams across more than 10 FPSO EPCI projects, covering engineering design, construction, and commissioning phases. In these roles, he partnered closely with Classification Societies, Flag Administrations, and regulatory authorities to resolve complex technical and compliance challenges, developing extensive experience in high-level regulatory engagement with Navy Authorities, Port Captaincies, the ANP - Agência Nacional do Petróleo, Gás Natural e Biocombustíveis, and other governmental bodies.

Additional Credentials: Designated Mentor at the Royal Institution of Naval Architects (RINA, UK); Registered Engineer with the Ordem dos Engenheiros de Portugal; broad international experience across USA, England, Germany, Singapore, and China; PETROBRAS Engineer (2004–2012); Brazilian Navy Officer (Naval Reservist).



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Tito holds an Engineer degree in Naval Architecture and Ocean Engineering from the University of São Paulo and an MBA from Fundação Getúlio Vargas and is currently enrolled in an MSc course in Sustainable Energies at the Porto Polytechnic Institute (ISEP). He is a Professional Engineer registered in the Brazilian Engineering Council (CONFEA/CREA-RJ) and the Order of Engineers in Portugal (OE-Portugal). Tito is also SOMWS accredited in both the Project Cargo (C) and Oil & Gas Projects (P) categories.

Tito has over 22 years of experience as a consulting engineer and project manager for offshore energy and shipping industries with responsibility for technical and commercial management on a wide range of projects internationally. His expertise covers transportation and installation, moorings, heavy lifting, subsea operations, conceptual design, feasibility studies and risk assessments.

Tito joined ABL Group (formerly Aqualis Offshore) in early 2013 since the company started its activities in South America region. He has contributed to a variety of projects related to FPSO and FPU construction, marine transportation, LNG, subsea operations and studies for floating offshore wind.

