

ABL CHINA: MARINE SURVEYING AND CONSULTANCY

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

ABL China combines over twenty years of local market experience with a multi disciplined, in country marine and engineering offering, supported by a broad surveyor footprint across China's key maritime hubs and shipyards.

As the global leader in shipbuilding and a critical node in international maritime operations, China sits at the centre of many of the world's most complex projects and supply chains. Our established presence enables us to provide seamless, consistent technical support to clients operating across global projects, operating in China.

With a strong track record across major Chinese shipyards, ports and terminals, ABL China delivers expert on site supervision, superintendency and independent third party marine assurance services - ensuring quality, compliance and risk management at every stage.

Our offices in Shanghai, Tianjin and Guangzhou provide direct access to key coastal regions, enabling close collaboration with local stakeholders, alongside the delivery of office based consultancy and engineering services integrated with on site project support.

ABL China supports clients in driving safety, efficiency, cost optimisation and sustainability across their assets and operations - from concept and financing through to construction, operations and marine casualty response.

Backed by ABL's global network spanning 40+ countries, and our 170 year maritime legacy rooted in The Salvage Association, we combine global capability with local expertise to support clients in China and internationally - delivering the same high standards of service and a commitment to Seek the Truth.

Our Services

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

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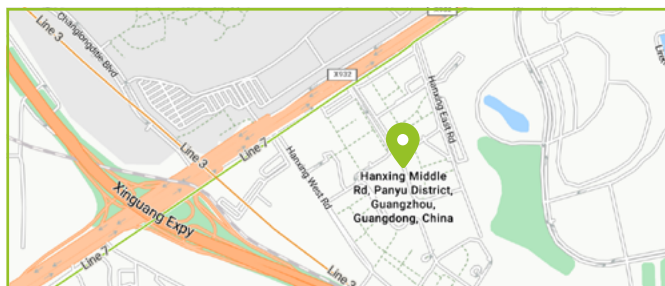
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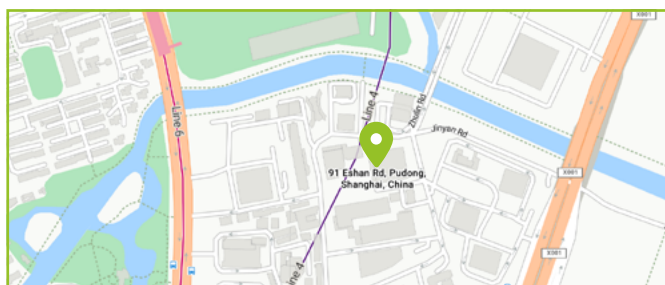
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Capt. Chen Kaimin is a master mariner with over 30 years of maritime experience, specializing in marine warranty surveying and offshore heavy-lift operations. He served as Master on semi-submersible heavy-lift vessels before joining ABL as a Marine Surveyor.

Capt. Chen has extensive global project experience, including marine warranty surveys, towage suitability assessments, pre-tow inspections, wet towage supervision and tow master duties for semi-submersible cranes, jack-up rigs, lift boats and various offshore modules.



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Qi Zhong is a Senior Rig Inspector with more than 18 years experienced offshore oil & gas field industry and shipbuilding. New building Mechanical/hydraulic and commissioning lead, an expert at proceeding piping, construction, machinery, mechanical completion, FAT and commissioning, to build world class service in this industry.

He is specialized in semi-sub and jack up drilling rig, self-elevating offshore wind turbine service unit, FSO and vessel installation, commissioning, operation, maintenance, preservation, reactivation, inspection, SIT and COC.

He has lead teams in leasing and selling surveyor inspections of the semi-submersible rigs, jack-up rigs, and vessels of all types.

He is an expert at project management, technical negotiation, project scheduling, cost control, personnel co-ordination, and safety planning of engineering offshore projects.

His experience also include marine warranty surveyor and marine surveyor on numerous onshore projects, approving offshore operations on behalf of underwriters and providing marine advice to oil companies, constructors, installation contractors and underwriters/reinsurances.



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Capt. Li Jinxu is a Master Mariner with Class 1 Foreign-Going Master with over 30 years of maritime experience, including extensive command of LPG, LEG and VLGC vessels. Since 2008, he has served as a senior marine consultant with ABL, delivering marine warranty and project management for FPSOs, jack-up rigs, semi-submersibles and LNG modules globally.

His expertise covers towage approvals, wet tow supervision, float-on/float-off execution, SPMT loadout and seafastening approval. He also conducts condition, pre-purchase, on/off hire, P&I and casualty surveys, plus rig reactivation, cold lay-up and ISM/ISPS/MLC audits.



Capt. Liang Lidong

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Suitability Survey, Sea trials.

Capt. Liang Lidong is a Master Mariner with rich experience in marine oil engineering. In his early years, he worked for China National Offshore Oil Engineering Co., Ltd (COOEC). He brings 16 years' experience in offshore vessel operations for various offshore oil engineering projects. He has participated in ROV, cable-lay, pipelay, diving, towage, trench, offshore lifting of platform and jacket, transportation, semi-submersible operation etc. He has a senior DPO qualification, and 14 years work experience on DP2 and DP3 ships.

Since joining the ABL in 2019, he has participated in and attended many on-site surveys and is competent for the tasks within the above-mentioned specialist expertise.



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Lin Zhong is a certified Class 1 Certificate of Competency (CoC) marine engineer with 16 years of seagoing experience. He is also a chartered engineer, a chartered marine engineer, and a member of the Institute of Marine Engineering, Science and Technology (IMarEST).

He specializes in marine inspections, marine casualty investigation, H&M surveys, P&I condition surveys, on/off hire surveys, and sale and purchase inspections, as well as approving damage-related repair costs.



Capt. Pei Xinghai
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Pei Xinghai is a master mariner with a rich career spanning two decades in the maritime industry. His journey started at sea, where he served as master on various vessel types including cargo, container vessels and bulk carriers. His extensive seafaring experience, combined with senior shore-based management roles, has imbued him with an in-depth understanding of maritime operations, regulatory compliance, and safety standards.



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Wu Ling holds a Bachelor's degree in marine engineering from Shanghai Maritime University and is a certified PMP. With over 20 years of progressive experience in marine and offshore sectors, he has led EPC project management for PSVs, WTIVs, jack-up rigs, lift boats and floating cranes across Asia Pacific.

He has served as owner's representative in Singapore and China, overseeing newbuild construction, dry-dock repairs, and vessel conversions. His expertise extends to rig inspections, H&M claims, MWS, P&I surveys and JH143 risk assessments, delivering robust project governance for global clients.



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Since graduating from Dalian Maritime University in 2010, Jiangtao Wei has provided professional services for various types of vessels at PIL, developing extensive expertise in vessel construction, repair and management. He obtained his Chief Engineer Certificate in May 2020 and is fully qualified to serve as the vessel chief engineer.

He joined ABL in February 2022, where he received systematic training in technical survey practices. He has undertaken a great number of inspection tasks, with a major focus on marine casualty surveys.

His key responsibilities span project management, service coordination, technical document review, support for vessel condition and damage assessment, and the approval of relevant repair expenses.

Currently serving as maritime manager at ABL China, he has been taking charge of maritime services across China since April 2026.



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Wang Xiaoqiang is a certified Class 1 CoC marine engineer with over 30 years of experience in marine and offshore engineering, he specializes in Marine Warranty Surveys for Lifting/SPMT/Skidding loads, single voyage surveys, towing approvals and shipboard inspections mentioned above of various vessels.



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Specialist Expertise: Marine Warranty Services, Vessel Condition / Suitability Survey, On/Off Hire Survey, Offshore Construction Operations.

Capt. Wang Cheng is a master mariner with over 25 years of offshore construction experience. He has deep experience in jacket launches, heaviest topside float-over installations, jacket and topside lifting installation, pipelaying/cable laying from shallow to deep water, jacket and modules lifted loadout/trailer loadout/skidded loadout, FPSO docking and undocking, float on/ float off the jack up rig and SSDR. He specializes in marine warranty surveys for offshore transportation, installation and two approvals.



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Capt. Wang Zhentao is a master mariner with over 13 years of maritime experience.

He has deep expertise in marine warranty surveying, Hull and Machinery survey, P&I condition survey/on/off hire survey, condition and suitability survey, JH143 survey, and tow approvals.



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Zhou Qi is a certified Class 1 CoC Master with 14 years of extensive seagoing experience across a wide range of offshore units, including AHT/PSV offshore vessels, DP-enabled heavy lifting and pipelaying vessels, and self-elevating platforms.

Since joining ABL, he has been involved in numerous marine survey projects, including suitability and condition surveys for semi-submersible vessels, DP special purpose vessels, heavy-lift vessels, AHTS, towing tugs, jack-up vessels, and barges; project cargo loadouts; wet tow surveys; single voyage surveys; and pre-purchase surveys.



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Zi Zhiyuan holds a valid certificate as an ETO (Electro-Technical Officer) and has 15 years of extensive seagoing experience, having served on various vessel types including container carriers, LPG carriers, and LNG carriers.

Since joining ABL, he has participated in the development of test procedures and on-site verification for DP FMEA on various vessel types, including shuttle tankers, platform supply vessels (PSVs), pipe-laying vessels, and multi-purpose subsea engineering vessels (MSVs). He has also been involved in numerous marine survey projects, including suitability surveys and condition surveys for tugboats, heavy lift vessels, semi-submersible vessels, anchor handling tug supply vessels (AHTS), and barges, as well as engineering module transport, load-out supervision, and offshore wind turbine foundation installation.

