

AKELA NOTES

WORD FROM OUR CUSTOMERS, FRIENDS AND PARTNERS

"Morspassluzhba Rosmorrechflot" | Marine Rescue Service of the Russian Federation

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We are passionate about our work. At Akela we help individuals and companies in Health, Safety and Environment. Our main focus is on offshore oil, gas and energy sector to help the industry to develop and implement better skills and training.



Our Environment

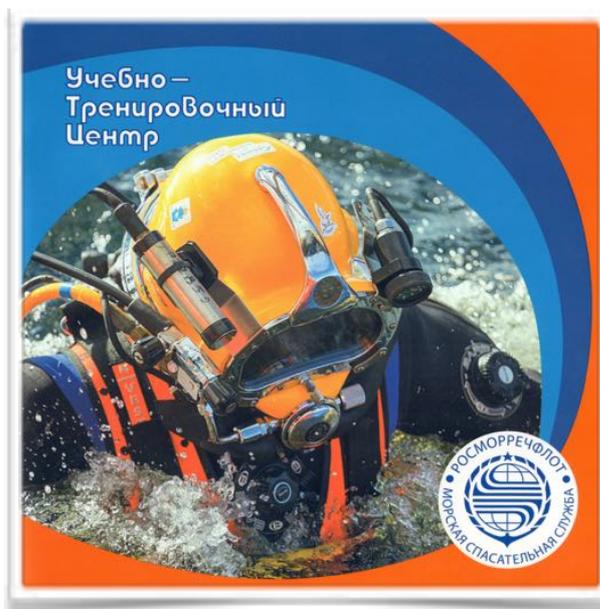
Our natural environment is worth protecting. The exploration and industrial production of oil and gas is a risky business. We at Akela assist in minimising the risks and provide support for establishing and developing best possible transfer of skills and expertise to people involved in offshore activities.

Our Commitment

Akela is committed to help our customers to improve work place safety and protect the environment by introducing new ideas, equipment and training methods.

Marine Rescue Service of the Russian Federation

Marine Rescue Service of the Russian Federation / FBI "Morspassluzhba Rosmorrechflot" (MRS) operates under the Federal Agency of Maritime and River Transport of the Ministry of Transport of the Russian Federation. MRS has an extensive fleet of vessels, dedicated equipment and highly skilled personnel. MRS services include towing, emergency salvage and rescue works, diving services, oil pollution response, geophysical and geotechnical works with use of remotely operated underwater vehicles (ROV), hydrometeorologic, environmental and hydrographic surveys and works, transportation of dangerous goods and training services in the integrated training centre in Moscow.



Rosmorrechflot is the leading sea rescue company for the Russian transport industry with largest diving personnel in the country - 180 highly qualified specialists, the majority of whom have completed international training.



Facts

ROSSMORRECHFLOT

The Marine Rescue Service was formed year 1956. At that time all the activity with respect of ship salvage and underwater technical operations from all civil administrations was committed to the Ministry of Maritime Fleet of the USSR.

Today Marine Rescue Service is a Federal Budgetary Institution “Marine Rescue Service of Rosmorrechflot” - MRS with several branches at the marine basin.

MRS together with its branches and Federal State Budgetary Institution “Rescue Coordination Centre of Rosmorrechflot” has the means and resources to respond to any emergency situation dealing with search and rescue of people in distress and oil spill response at the sea areas around all of Russia.

OPITO BOSIET, FOET, HUET-EBS

MRS is now able to provide internationally accredited safety and survival training for oil and gas industry employees.

The newly opened training centre in Moscow has been equipped with simulators and all its trainers have been certified with necessary skills for OPITO BOSIET delivery.

Akela was chosen as key supplier for a complete package of services, equipment, simulators and training accreditation support.

Rosmorrechflot Training Centre

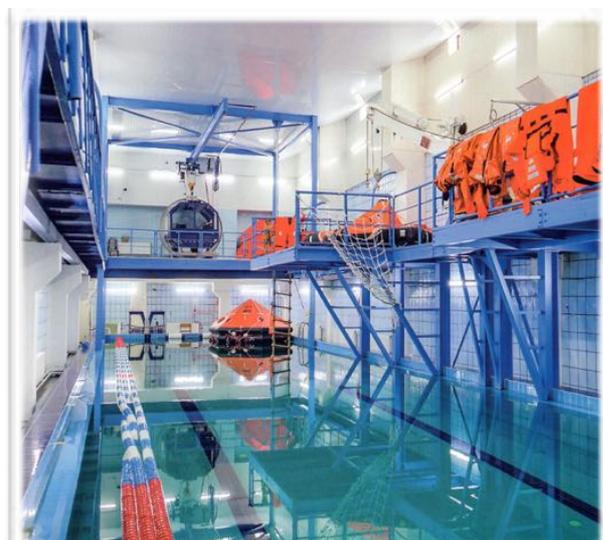
The Rosmorrechflot training centre is situated in the heart of Moscow city and combines an open water area with an indoor 25-meter pool, thus allowing training throughout the year.



Annually more than one thousand people complete training in a variety of specialist areas covered by the trainers who all have a higher education and vast experience from a variety of complex and demanding diving and rescue missions. Director of Rosmorrechflot Mr Andrey Khaustov says the support from Akela has been most valuable for the training development.

The training at the Rosmorrechflot training centre for oil and gas industry employees is carried out according to OPITO standards;

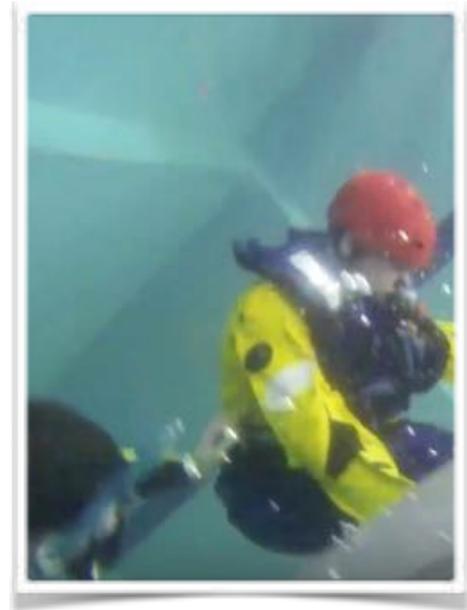
- ◆ Basic Offshore Safety Induction and Emergency Training = BOSIET/ BOSIET with CA-EBS
- ◆ Further Offshore Emergency Training = FOET/FOET with CA-EBS
- ◆ Helicopter Underwater Escape Training = HUET/HUET with CA-EBS





The training is an international requirement for admission to offshore installations. Rosmorrechflot is one of the few OPITO accredited training providers in Russia and the only one accredited to train according to the Compressed Air Emergency Breathing System (CA-EBS) standard.





HUET training at Rosmorrechflot Training Centre can be performed both with and without Compressed Air Emergency Breathing System (CA-EBS)



Rosmorrechflot has an excellent team of trainers with extensive professional experience from all possible aspects from maritime rescue missions to help demonstrate the need for Sea Safety and Survival skills. Training managers Vladimir Podkopaev, Grigory Reyter and Nikolay Shteynikov and their colleagues went through many train-the-trainer exercises, such as liferaft training as pictured above.