



# **Careers in Scuba Diving**

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## Preface

Scuba diving offers not only those wonderful escapes under the surface of our Earth's waters both blue ocean, and fresh waters, but also provides an employment and lifestyle choice that can take someone to one or many faraway, exotic locales. If a diver is looking for a change in workplace, whether temporary, medium term, or permanent, this book provides the guidance to help anyone get on the path to success and satisfaction as a professional in the scuba diving industry.

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### **About the Author**

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Kenneth has worked in the scuba industry in: Thailand, Taiwan, Philippines, Australia, Guam, Palau, Hawaii, Florida, Malaysia and Vietnam.

With experience through all areas of diving from: dive guiding, instructing, tank and equipment servicing, compressor operations, training instructors, to managing, and owning dive centres. Kenneth has trained more than 1000 divers, over 30% of whom he certified at the professional level.

Kenneth has achieved the levels of Course Director, Instructor Trainer, and Instructor Examiner, and been affiliated with eight different certification agencies. He has been involved with the training of instructors since 2003. He's won half a dozen awards for his accomplishments as an instructor and instructor trainer.

He still teaches recreational scuba, technical decompression diving, and conducts multi-agency instructor training.