

Aruba Ports Authority N.V. (APA) aims to provide a safe, efficient, accessible transport system that guarantees the mobility of people and goods and contributes to economic development and (cruise) tourism. APA manages both the port in Oranjestad and the port in Barcadera. APA is an organization with ambitious plans for the future and is looking for candidates for the position:

TUGBOAT ENGINEER

Primary duties & responsibility:

The Tugboat Engineer carries out the day-to-day maintenance, repair, and operation of machinery and systems. The Tugboat Engineer is responsible for the general and special maintenance and repairs and ensure the vessel's compliance with safety and environmental standards.

Qualifications:

Prospective candidates should meet the following requirements:

- ❖ Maritime training at MBO level 4,
- ❖ Maritime management training;
- ❖ Capacity as engineer in accordance with the minimum capacity requirements stipulated by the flag state.
- ❖ Technical and practical knowledge of the field;
- ❖ Insight into relevant organizational and functional relations;
- ❖ Knowledge of relevant technical systems, equipment and tools;
- ❖ Skill in mooring and towing operations;
- ❖ Knowledge of and skill in working with high voltages;
- ❖ Proficiency in performing maintenance and repair work;
- ❖ Problem solving skills;
- ❖ Planning and organizing skills;
- ❖ Communication and interpersonal skills;
- ❖ Stress resistant;
- ❖ Oral and written skills in Papiamentu, Dutch and English.

Working conditions:

APA offers competitive employment conditions and a challenging position in a dynamic organization.

Information and application:

If you are interested in this position and think that you meet the qualifications, please send your application letter and curriculum vitae to the attention of our Human Resources Manager, Ms. Jo-anne Croes at hr@arubaports.com by March 11, 2026.