

## Crew of Sailing Yacht Navilux



**Captain Eugen Ercegovic**  
Nationality: Croatian  
Languages: English, Italian, German

Captain Eugen Ercegovic comes from family with long tradition and generations of captains and boat owners. Choosing to make the maritime world his trade, he first qualified himself by graduating at Faculty of Maritime Studies Split at 1985, later to become second lieutenant on intercontinental commercial. Eugen has logged many nautical miles in a great diversity of ships navigating the waters of many seas. After international experience he was ready to join his father in family business, on charter vessel. Eugen is a highly qualified captain and a great asset to the yacht and crew. With his leadership skills, hospitable personality and his long standing experience, together with his very positive and professional team he will guarantee the guests a highly enjoyable, safe and unforgettable stay on board this great vessel. Eugen is mainly a designer of SY Navilux, which was built from desire to provide best service on the best yacht in Croatia. As a knowledgeable and experienced captain, Eugen welcomes you to join SY Navilux for unforgettable cruise.

**Engineer: Ante Ercegovic**  
Nationality: Croatian  
Languages: English



Since he can remember Ante has been involved in family business. From the earliest years he has been learning how to manage and maintain the ship with his grandfather and father. After High School education, he couldn't imagine to choose anything else but to continue the long tradition of his family.

This diligent student at Faculty of Maritime studies in Split is about to finish his education "Cum Laude".

Still, that is not enough for Ante, since his family expects him to become one of the best captains in the family – and that is not an easy task. Ante is looking forward to present you his skills and hospitality on board of SY Navilux.

**Chief Hostess: Ivana Ercegovic**

Nationality: Croatian

Languages: English, Italian, basic German



After High school Ivana has decided to gather some sailing and hospitality services experience independently, outside of family business. For 2 years Ivana was hostess on private yacht sailing in Mediterranean. After that precious experience, Ivana has obtained Business degree at American College for Management and Technology in Dubrovnik. With her outgoing and friendly character Ivana easily creates good vibes among the crew and builds excellent team spirit. Her main goal is to provide additional value on all fields to family business on SY Navilux. Ivana has put her managing skills in the service of SY Navilux and guests on board. Not only that Ivana knows how to make people feel comfortable caring for their demanding needs, but she also carries a wealth of knowledge about history of many places.

**Steward/waiter: Alen Kovacic**

Nationality: Croatian

Languages: English, basic Italian and German



Alen is new asset to Navlix crew, starting from season 2015. He has been chosen among many candidates for this position

because of his bespoke reputation and impressive experience collected as a professional head waiter and restaurant manager literally around the world.

After making the choice in life that he wanted expand his horizon, he gained experience working as a waiter who constantly improved his position on major cruise line ships; on Regency, Celebrity, and Carnival Cruise Line for 20 years.

His skills, knowledge and attitude brought him endless number of offers to work in the top restaurants around the world. Yet, Alen decided it's time to go home. After four years on managing positions of top ranked restaurants, Alen couldn't ignore "seatox" call so he didn't think twice about taking the offer from Navilux to get on board of luxury yacht as a steward. Experienced, professional, pleasant and unobtrusive, Alen is the perfect member of the Navilux team.

**Hostess: Melody Rarela - Ratkovic**

Nationality: Philippine

Languages: English, Tagalog

As diligent, experienced, professional hostess, proved valuable asset to every yacht she worked on, Melody was invited to join the crew of Navilux for the season 2014. Melody worked for several seasons on different yachts and in resorts, always upgrading the service, team spirit and overall experience of the clients. She is organized, attentive, well focused

person, in control of the situation in her working domain. Beside Melody will thrill you with results of her work – keeping the interior of the yacht in perfect condition - you will enjoy having her on board as Melody is trained masseuse, specialized in Swedish and Shiatsu massage, giving complimentary massages on board of Navilux in the late afternoon or evening hours.

**1<sup>st</sup> mate: Marin Klaric**

Nationality: Croatian

Languages: English, Italian



After Maritime High School Marin gained his experience in both yachting as well as commercial shipping. Marin approaches his job in a very professional way. The captain of the Navilux will often say that Marin is born sailor, with natural talent for immaculate assistance in maneuvering of the yacht, giving unbelievably precise instructions based on estimations and predictions, or simply – his feeling of the sea and wind. Marin is truly devoted to his job and carries well balanced approach; he is simply there whenever you need him.

**2<sup>nd</sup> mate: Srdjan Smailagic**

Nationality: Croatian

Language: English



Srdjan or Sergio has been growing up with boats since his youngest years. He has been appointed crew member of Navilux from the beginning of its building so it is only fair to say that he really knows the yacht from inside. Sergio's warm and kind personality has made him favorite crew member among the crew and highly appreciated among the clients. Always ready to help and work hard, reaching to assist other crew members, the kind of person that simply can fit in any role on board and he matches all with the great sense of humor.