

Thumbs **up** to training

Asserts **Director & Principal** of AEMTC

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Recession may be ruling the roost across various sectors worldwide, however that has not discouraged Captain KN Deboo, Director & Principal of Anglo-Eastern Maritime Training Centre (AEMTC), from being gung-ho about training. Undeterred by the global meltdown he said, "As far as we are concerned, the 'depression' has not affected us, mainly because we are a

ship management company. Although a few ships (of our clients) may have been laid up, many more have been added to our fleet, so the end result is still positive! What's more, during this period, training at AEMTC has grown manifold, without any cutbacks on our training budget."

Capt Deboo, warding off all negativity, added, "At Anglo-Eastern, we have already invested in a pre-sea academy,

which will kick off shortly at a facility in Karjat, near Navi Mumbai, for deck cadets as well as trainee marine engineers.

"All said and done, I advise the seafaring community not to curb marine training in any way, as this may in all probability boomerang when the global markets pick up once again!"

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