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ANNUAL EXAMINATION CALENDAR

2027 COC EXAMINATION TIMETABLE –

1ST EXAMINATION: JANUARY 2027

RMU	End Admission	26th October 2026
REGISTRATION	START	MONDAY 23RD NOVEMBER,2026
	END	FRIDAY 18TH DECEMBER, 2026
CANDIDATE TIMETABLE RELEASE		MONDAY 4TH JANUARY, 2027
WRITTEN EXAMINATIO N	START	MONDAY 25TH JANUARY, 2027
	END	FRIDAY 5TH FEBRUARY, 2027
CBT/ SIMULATION EXAMINATION		MONDAY 8TH – FRIDAY 12TH FEBRUARY, 2027
ORAL EXAMINATION	START	MONDAY 15TH FEBRUARY, 2027
	END	FRIDAY 26TH FEBRUARY, 2027

2ND EXAMINATION: APRIL 2027

RMU	End Admission	11th January 2027
REGISTRATION	START	MONDAY 1ST MARCH,2027
	END	FRIDAY 26TH MARCH, 2027
CANDIDATE TIMETABLE RELEASE		MONDAY 29TH MARCH, 2027
WRITTEN EXAMINATIO N	START	MONDAY 12TH APRIL, 2027
	END	FRIDAY 23RD APRIL, 2027
CBT/ SIMULATION EXAMINATION		MONDAY 26TH – FRIDAY 30TH APRIL, 2027
ORAL EXAMINATION	START	MONDAY 3RD MAY, 2027
	END	FRIDAY 7TH MAY, 2027

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2027 COC EXAMINATION TIMETABLE – PROVISIONAL

3RD EXAMINATION: **JULY 2027**

RMU	End Admission	5th April 2027
REGISTRATION	START	MONDAY 17TH MAY, 2027
	END	FRIDAY 11TH JUNE, 2027
CANDIDATE TIMETABLE RELEASE		MONDAY 21ST JUNE, 2027
WRITTEN EXAMINATIO N	START	MONDAY 5TH JULY, 2027
	END	FRIDAY 16TH JULY, 2027
CBT/ SIMULATION EXAMINATION		MONDAY 19TH – FRIDAY 23RD JULY, 2027
ORAL EXAMINATION	START	MONDAY 26TH JULY, 2027
	END	FRIDAY 30TH JULY, 2027

4TH EXAMINATION: **OCTOBER 2027**

RMU	End Admission	5th July 2027
REGISTRATION	START	MONDAY 9TH AUGUST,2027
	END	FRIDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER, 2027
CANDIDATE TIMETABLE RELEASE		MONDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER, 2027
WRITTEN EXAMINATIO N	START	MONDAY 4TH OCTOBER, 2027
	END	FRIDAY 15TH OCTOBER, 2027
CBT/ SIMULATION EXAMINATION		MONDAY 18TH – FRIDAY 22ND OCTOBER, 2027
ORAL EXAMINATION	START	MONDAY 25TH OCTOBER, 2027
	END	FRIDAY 29TH OCTOBER, 2027

NO.	SERVICE	TIMEFRAME	PROCEDURE AND PROCESS	REQUIREMENT FROM CLIENTS
2.	Letter of Eligibility	Fourteen (14) working days	1. Applicant books an appointment for eligibility application on appointments@ghanamaritime.gov.gh 2. Applicant shall submit all relevant documents on the appointment day to the Maritime Services Division (Tema) for vetting 3. Applicant is pre-billed and proceeds to the Accounts Department to make payment 4. Applicant submits letter for Confirmation of Sea Service and all supporting documents 5. In cases where certificates held by applicant were not issued by the Ghana Maritime Authority, applicant is required to provide the address of the issuing Authority for verification purposes.	a. Copy discharge Book b. Sea-Service Testimonials c. Confirmation of sea service letter from RMU d. Previously held C.o.C/C.o.P if applicable e. Academic Certificate if applicable f. Address for verification if applicable g. Training record Book (compulsory for OOW ENG, OOW DECK, ETOs O/S,WIPERS, COOKS ETC)
3.	Registration for Certificate of Competency (CoC) Examination		1. Applicant shall submit all relevant documents (as required for eligibility) to the Maritime Services Division (Tema) for vetting 2. Applicant is pre-billed and proceeds to the Accounts Department to make payment 3. Applicant shall submit payment receipt at the Maritime Services Division (Tema), fills out a form and attach all supporting documents 4. Applicant should take note that registration ends exactly one month before the commencement of the examination, as per the above. 5. Applicants should check the various notice boards for the candidate list and index numbers as well as the created Course Rep. whatsApp.	a. Eligibility letter, b. Two (2) passport-size photographs on a white background. c. Payment receipt from GMA (Form and Examination fee) **d. PLEASE NOTE:** **Please note that examination registration for more than five courses is considered to be Part A and Part B, so payment will be made accordingly.**



For any enquiry, complaint, or issue, please send an email using the address above.

NOTE: The above calendar does not apply to candidates preparing to sit for Master Unlimited, Chief Engineer Unlimited, Masters serving on vessels of more than 500 GT but less than 3,000 GT, Chief Engineers serving on vessels of more than 500 kW but less than 3,000 kW, and all ratings. Candidates in these categories will be examined orally only after completing their six-week refresher course at RMU.