

# Craig and Danielle Mitchell

## Personal Details

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 Marital status: Married

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Visas: B1/B2.  
 Driving Licence: Full driving licences  
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## Personal Profile

### Craig Mitchell -Captain

I am a professional captain and a keen sailor who has been sailing since the age of 16. I have sailed the Atlantic, Mediterranean, Adriatic, Caribbean, Bahamas, East Coast of Australia, South Coast of the United Kingdom, the Brittany Coast and the South East coast of USA. I am also an experienced project manager who has worked with multi million dollar projects in various countries in both a yachting and non yachting capacity.

### Danielle Rodenburg-Mitchell – Chef / Stewardess

I am a trained chef and a keen sailor who loves to entertain people. I have a thorough understanding of fine wine and a genuine love for cooking fine food. I have 10 years experience in the hospitality industry from working in a hotel, to a holiday resort to owning my own bar. I am also an experienced sailor and am equally happy working on the deck as I am in the galley.

## Yachting Qualifications

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MCA Masters 200GRT /OOW 500GRT (Unlimited)</li> <li>• RYA/MCA Yachtmaster Ocean (Commercially Endorsed)</li> <li>• MCA OOW 3000 GRT– Navigation &amp; Radar Cert</li> <li>• MCA OOW 3000 GRT – General Ships Knowledge</li> <li>• MCA Advanced Fire Fighting</li> <li>• MCA Advanced Sea Survival</li> <li>• MCA GOC/GMDSS</li> <li>• MCA STCW95</li> <li>• MCA Proficiency in Medical Care Aboard Ship</li> <li>• MCA Approved Engine Course (AEC)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graduate Rosie Davies Cooking School</li> <li>• RYA/ Day Skipper</li> <li>• MCA STCW 95</li> <li>• MCA Proficiency in Medical Care Aboard Ship</li> <li>• RYA International Certificate of Competence</li> <li>• RYA Diesel Engine Maintenance Course Certificate</li> <li>• RYA MCA VHF DSC Certificate</li> <li>• RYA National Powerboat Level 2 Certificate</li> </ul> |
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## Yachting History

**Name of Yacht:** M/Y IFA **Length:** 26 (85 ft 4 in)

**Dates:** July 2009 to Present

**Position Held:** Captain and Chief Stewardess/Cook

**Job Description:** We are working on this Maiora charter yacht out of Phuket Thailand with two other crew

**Name of Yacht:** S/Y Paraiso **Length:** 32.97m (108 feet 2 in)

**Dates:** April to May 2009

**Position Held:** Officer of the Watch and Watch Keeper

**Job Description:** Navigation watches and cooking for the crossing of the Atlantic from Sint Martin to Palma Mallorca.

**Name of Yacht:** M/Y Andiamo **Length:** 37.19m (122 feet)

**Dates:** October 2008 to Present

**Position Held:** Captain and Chef/Head of Interior

**Job Description:** We have worked on the completion of a major refit of the vessel from an engineering, safety and interior perspective.

**Name of Yacht:** M/Y Essence & M/Y Essence of Cayman **Length:** 26.82m (88 feet) & 25.9m (85 feet)

**Dates:** June 2008 to September 2008

**Position Held:** Temporary Captain/Project Manager and Temporary Chef/Stewardess

**Job Description:** Management of both the yachts, temporary captain and project manager on the refit of the 88 foot vessel. Danielle was chef and stewardess on the 85 foot vessel.

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**Name of Yacht:** S/Y Paraiso **Length:** 32.97m (108 feet 2 in)

**Dates:** May 2008

**Position Held:** Watch Captain and Crew Chef/Watch Keeper

**Job Description:** Navigation watches and cooking for the crossing of the Atlantic from West Palm Beach to Palma Mallorca.

**Name of Yacht:** M/Y Fredrikstad **Length:** 22.5m (75 feet)

**Dates:** March 2008 to April 2008

**Position Held:** Relief Captain and Relief Chef

**Job Description:** Looking after the vessel whilst the full time captain and chef where on holidays. Duties include sea trials for potential buyers and presentation of the vessel to potential buyers and brokers, maintenance, supervision and training of the crew and providing food for viewings of the vessel.

**Name of Motor Yacht:** M/Y Canflor Lady **Length:** 27.5m (90 feet)

**Dates:** August 2006 to September 2007

**Position Held:** Captain and Cook/Stewardess/Deckhand

**Job Description:** Craig was responsible for the overall running of the vessel from the navigation and engineering perspective as well as the financials of the vessel and the employment of staff. He also managed a 4 week refit of the vessel. Danielle was in charge of all catering on the vessel, the head of housekeeping and the management of a stewardess and she assisted on the deck with mooring and cleaning. Cruised the Ionian and Aegean seas, Turkish coast, West, South and East coasts of Italy, Elba, South Coast of France, East coast of Spain and Balearic Islands, Croatian coast, Caribbean, Puerto Rico, Dominican Republic, Bahamas and the South East coast of USA. The boat was a busy vessel with many guests and silver service.

**Name of Motor Yacht:** M/Y HH Hamad Abu Dhabi **Length:** 25m (82 feet)

**Dates:** June 2006 to July 2006

**Position Held:** Captain/ Project Manager and Cook/Stewardess/Deckhand

**Job Description:** Craig took delivery of the yacht from the manufacturer, undertook sea trials, corrections to pre-delivery work and worked with the surveyor. Delivered the yacht to the owner in Beirut, where he used it for four days to entertain friends. Craig worked with the owner to make a list of items that were not satisfactory. The owner then instructed him to return the yacht to the manufacturer and be his representative project manager for the corrections. He managed the rectifications in Alexandria, Egypt. He then delivered the yacht to the owner in Athens via Crete. Danielle cooked Middle Eastern food for the owner, maintained the interior and assisted on the deck with mooring. She also equipped the interior of the yacht when it was released from the manufacturer.

**Other vessels we have sailed include:-**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fairline Phantom 38 foot – UK - <b>Crew</b></li> <li>• BT Challenge 67 foot – UK and Caribbean Sea – <b>OOW</b></li> <li>• Sweden 45 foot – UK - <b>Crew</b></li> <li>• Beneteau Oceanis 45 foot – France and UK - <b>Crew</b></li> <li>• Bavaria 38 foot – Normandy and UK - <b>Crew</b></li> <li>• Sweden 38 foot – UK - <b>Crew</b></li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Broadblue 38 foot Cat – UK - <b>Crew</b></li> <li>• Elan 45 foot – UK - <b>Crew</b></li> <li>• Jeanneau 45 foot – UK - <b>Crew</b></li> <li>• Jeanneau 30 foot – Brittany - <b>Owners</b></li> <li>• Moody 46 foot – Morocco and Spain - <b>Captain</b></li> <li>• Bavaria 38 foot - Morocco and Spain - <b>Captain</b></li> </ul> |
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## Non-Yachting Employment History

Craig Mitchell	Danielle Rodenburg-Mitchell
<p><b>Name of Company:</b> International Herald Tribune  <b>Dates:</b> November 2002 to November 2004  <b>Position Held:</b> Director of Operations  <b>Job Description:</b> Responsible for global production of the newspaper from an IT, pre-press and printing perspective. Fifty staff reporting to me in 4 countries</p> <p><b>Name of Company:</b> EzyServe Limited  <b>Dates:</b> December 1999 to August 2001  <b>Position Held:</b> Chief Executive Officer  <b>Job Description:</b> Founded the company, developed product line, negotiated all sales and financing.</p> <p><b>Name of Company:</b> News Corporation  <b>Dates:</b> December 1988 to October 1999  <b>Position Held:</b> Various positions leading to Director of Information Technology  <b>Job Description:</b> Responsible for IT of four national UK newspapers with 172 staff.</p>	<p><b>Name of Company:</b> Equant  <b>Dates:</b> March 2004 to May 2006  <b>Position Held:</b> Project Manager  <b>Job Description:</b> Worked with local Vice President to establish a customer support facility and established target monitoring for the operators in the facility</p> <p><b>Name of Company:</b> International Herald Tribune  <b>Dates:</b> March 2003 to March 2004  <b>Position Held:</b> Translator  <b>Job Description:</b> Translated the French employment acts into English for the use in negotiations with the French labour unions.</p> <p><b>Name of Company:</b> France Telecom  <b>Dates:</b> December 1999 to December 2002  <b>Position Held:</b> Support then Project Manager  <b>Job Description:</b> Established a customer complaints department for Europe, Middle East and Africa.</p>