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Callidus was recognized as the Best Legal Service Provider for the Shipping Industry by the World Leadership Federation, at their recently held Middle-East Asia Leadership Summit & Awards.

Mr. Joy Thattil, Partner at Callidus received the award on the 23rd of February 2017 during the award ceremony held at The Address Hotel in Dubai.



“Opportunity is missed by most people because it is dressed in overalls and looks like work.”

Thomas Edison

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10 Tips to Stay Safe Online (Continued)



6. Protect your info.

Keep your guard up.

Back up all of your data on your computer, smart phone and tablet in the event of loss, theft or a crash. Also, routinely check your various financial statements for questionable activity.

7. Watch your Wi-Fi connectivity.

Protect your network by changing your router's default settings and making sure you have the connection password-protected.

8. Install a firewall.

A firewall is a great line of defense against cyber-attacks. Although most operating systems come with a firewall, you might want to consider installing McAfee LiveSafe™ service which has a much better firewall than the one that comes built into your operating system.

9. Keep up to date.

The best security software updates automatically to protect your computer. Use the manufacturer's latest security patches to make regular updates and make sure that you have the software set to do routine scans.

10. Use common sense.

You do not need to be a seasoned computer whiz to know that it's not smart to open an attachment titled, "Claim Your Inheritance!" Using common sense while surfing the Web can protect you from some hungry cyber-shark.

The New ILO rules makes seafarer's insurance mandatory



ILO (International Labour Organisation) makes it mandatory for the ship-owners to have compulsory insurance to cover claims for death or long-term disability of seafarers as well as abandonment. The amendments to the Maritime Labor Convention 2006 are under the auspices of the ILO and are based on guidelines developed by a joint IMO/ILO working group.

The new rules require that the insurance provider of the ship owner must issue a certificate or other documentary evidence of financial security. This certificate has to be carried on board the ship.

International Maritime Organization (IMO) Secretary General Kitack Lim in a statement welcomed the new obligations under the Maritime Labor Convention (MLC 2006), saying that these will improve the working conditions for seafarers. In a statement, Lim said that the new rules are the fruit of successful collaboration between the IMO and the International Labour Organization (ILO) to ensure better working conditions and better protection. He further added that seafarers make global trade possible and that it is vital for everyone to work

together to ensure that their rights are protected.

The amendments took nearly a decade to develop through a Joint IMO/ILO Ad Hoc Expert Working Group on Liability and Compensation regarding Claims for Death, Personal Injury and Abandonment of Seafarers. The IMO explained that its Legal Committee maintains a standing agenda item to continually review the provision of financial security in case of abandonment of seafarers, and ship owners' responsibilities in respect of contractual claims for personal injury to or death of seafarers.

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