# Sous Chef| River Cruise Ships

The Sous Chef is co-responsible for the highest quality, preparation and service of the food on board to guarantee a maximum satisfaction of the guests. You assist the Executive Chef by preparing and serving food and managing, motivating and training the kitchen employees. You are also co- responsible for the hygiene and tidiness in the galley area. The Sous Chef reports directly to the Executive Chef.

# Flexibility

- Flexible to assist and/or cover for Chef de Partie or Executive Chef when needed.
- Flexible to be able to assist in ships' operational purposes such as loading of food and supplies and general cleaning

## TASKS

- Assisting the Executive Chef with the menu planning
- Covering the Executive Chef when needed
- Ensuring that food is prepared to the top standards
- Co-responsible for the overall direction, supervision, training and personal conduct of all employees assigned to the kitchen operation.
- Adjusting food orders to the guest count
- Assuring proper cleanliness and sanitation of the galley and food storage areas and equipment in all such areas, according to the standards
- Checking all food storerooms daily. Assuring that food is well rotated and first in is first out

## REQUIREMENTS

- At least two years of hotel or prior ship experience in a comparable position
- Good command of English language, knowledge of German and Spanish would be considered as an advantage
- Culinary or Hospitality degree will be considered as an advantage
- Excellent cooking skills to intensify flavors and enhance the taste
- Experienced in training subordinates in fine food preparation and excellent knowledge of menu structure
- Very good creative skills to enhance plate presentation and buffet presentations
- The ability to taste all foods to assure correct preparation
- Experienced in food cost matters and quality food production

### **BENEFITS**

- Seasonal contract
- 4 vacation days per month
- Free medical coverage with Allianz worldwide care
- Reimbursement of the travel expenses to/from the ship
- Share cabin facilities provided

• Free meals